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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 5781A.

GENERAL.—*The 26th December* 1878.—Mr. W. Fiddian, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Bogra, is transferred to the 24-Pergunnahs, and is appointed to officiate as Commissioner of the Soonderbuns, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. D'B. Gomess, or until further orders.

The 27th December 1878.—Mr. D. Cameron, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Nattore division of the Rajshahye district, is allowed leave for two months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. C. H. Vowell, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, with effect from the date on which he was relieved of his appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Rajshahye.

The 28th December 1878.—Mr. J. Whitmore, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 24th October to the 19th November last.

In modification of the orders of the 21st instant, Mr. H. Gillon, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade, is appointed to have charge of the Nattore division of the Rajshahye district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. D. Cameron, or until further orders.

Mr. W. D. Blyth, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Sealdah, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to the Sudder Station of that district.

In supersession of the orders of the 15th August last, Mr. E. M. Reily, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampore Hat, Moorshedabad, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Hurry Churn Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Chumparun.

Baboo Kasi Kinker Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to Bhagulpore. This cancels the orders of the 20th instant transferring him to Chumparun.

Mr. H. Mosley, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, who has reported his return from furlough, is posted to the district of Durbhunga.

The 30th December 1878.—Rai Ram Sunker Sen, Bahadoor, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. W. N. Campbell, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of this Government by the Government of Madras, is posted to Hazareebagh.

Baboo Gour Das Bysack, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X (B.C.) of 1871, with effect from the 11th instant.

Mr. A. C. Tute, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Hajeepore division of the Mozufferpore district, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 1st to the 6th instant, both days inclusive, under Section 24 (b) of the Civil Leave Code.

The orders of the 20th instant, transferring Baboo Abinash Churn Mullick, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Banka division of the Bhagulpore district, to the Sudder Station of that district, are cancelled.

Baboo Hurry Mohun Chundra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 17th instant, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 14th November 1878, is cancelled.

Mr. T. E. Ravenshaw, Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, having returned to India on the 20th instant, is allowed subsidiary leave for one day from that date under Section 24 (b) of the Civil Leave Code, to enable him to join his appointment.

Mr. L. D. Colledge, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nuddea, is transferred to Chittagong.

Baboo Krishna Chunder Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Patooakhally division of the Backergunge district, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Ruttun Lal Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the City Moorshedabad division of the Moorshedabad district, is appointed to have charge of the Patooakhally division of the Backergunge district, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Krishna Chunder Dutt, or until further orders.

The 31st December 1878.—The unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted to Mr. C. A. Kelly, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Bankoora, and Additional District and Sessions Judge, Burdwan, under orders of the 2nd September last, is cancelled with effect from the forenoon of the 26th November last.

Mr. H. Mosley, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Durbhunga, who reported his return from furlough on the 23rd instant, is allowed subsidiary leave for fifteen days from that date, to enable him to join his appointment.

POLICE.—*The 28th December* 1878.—Mr. M. F. Beamish, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police of Tipperah, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 21st to the 30th November 1878 inclusive.

The 31st December 1878.—The following promotions of Police Officers are sanctioned with effect from the 1st October 1878, the date on which Colonel A. H. Paterson retired :—

Colonel W. R. Gordon, Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Colonel A. H. Paterson.

Mr. O. S. Stack, District Superintendent of Police, Moorshedabad, is promoted to the First Grade of District Superintendents of Police, *vice* Colonel W. R. Gordon.

Mr. F. T. Platts, District Superintendent of Police, Chittagong, is promoted to the Second Grade of District Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. O. S. Stack.

Mr. H. A. Coombs, District Superintendent of Police, Gurjat Mehals, is promoted to the Third Grade of District Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. F. T. Platts.

Mr. G. M. M. Ridsdale, District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, is promoted to the Fourth Grade of District Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. H. A. Coombs.

Mr. W. F. Smith, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Patna, is promoted to the First Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police.

Mr. O. B. Wood, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is promoted to the Second Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. W. F. Smith.

The following promotions of Police Officers are sanctioned with effect from the 6th November 1878, *vice* Mr. M. B. Rochfort :—

Mr. F. Wilcox, District Superintendent of Police, Dinagepore, is promoted to the Fourth Grade of District Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. M. B. Rochfort.

Mr. G. H. French, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Mymensing, is promoted to the Fifth Grade of District Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. F. Wilcox.

Baboo Mohendro Nath Hazra, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police, Maldah, is promoted to the First Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, *vice* Mr. G. H. French.

EDUCATION.—*The 31st December* 1878.—Baboo Dina Nath Sen, Head Master of the Dacca Normal School, is appointed to be an Assistant Inspector of Schools in the Chittagong division.

In supersession of the orders of the 14th instant, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 18th idem, Baboo Kailas Chunder Sen, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca, is appointed to be Head Master of the Dacca Normal School, but will continue to act in his present appointment until further orders.

MEDICAL.—*The 27th December* 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Nripendro Chunder Mookerjee, a Supernumerary now on duty at the Howrah General Hospital, is allowed leave for one month, under Section 1 (b-) Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The 30th December 1878.—Supernumerary Assistant Surgeon Mahendro Nath Gangopadhyay acted as House Surgeon of the Second Surgeon's Wards of the Medical College Hospital, with effect from the 7th October to the 30th November last.

Dr. J. A. Greene, Medical Officer of Serampore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Medical Officer of Furreedpore.

Baboo Udoy Chand Dutt, Officiating Medical Officer, Furreedpore, is appointed to act as Medical Officer of Serampore, during the absence, on deputation, of Dr. J. A. Greene, or until further orders.

The 31st December 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Mohendro Nath Gangooly, a Supernumerary attached to the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, is allowed leave for eighteen months, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Surgeon E. Bovill is appointed to act, until further orders, as Civil Surgeon of Durbhunga, with effect from the 2nd November last.

ROAD CESS.—*The 30th December* 1878.—The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Mymensing:—

Moharaja Raj Krishna Sin, Bahadoor.
Baboo Bepin Behary Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
" Debidas Neogi.
" Gunga Das Guha.
" Har Chunder Chowdry.
" Kashi Kishore Ray Chowdry.
" Keshub Chunder Achrji Chowdry.
" Mohim Chunder Roy Chowdry.
Rai Surja Kant Acharji Chowdry, Bahadoor.
Baboo Amrita Narain Achar Chowdry.
" Durga Das Acharji Chwdry.
" Jogendra Kishore Roy Chowdry.
Moonshi Sadatali Khan.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be additional members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Howrah:—

Baboo Saroda Churn Roy. | Baboo Peary Mohun Roy.
Baboo Krishna Prosunno Roy.

ERRATUM.—*The 31st December* 1878.—In the orders of the 10th instant, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, granting Mr. N. T. Ryves, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, attached to the Behar Agency, privilege leave for two months and twenty-two days, with effect from the 4th ultimo, *for* "Mr. N. T. Ryves, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent," *read* "Mr. W. T. Ryves, an Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent."

The following notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette*:—

No. 204.—*The 8th December* 1878.—The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to invest Mr. R. B. McCabe, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Third Grade, Lakimpur, with the powers of an Assistant Inspector of Immigrants, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873, in that district.

No. 209.—*The 19th December* 1878.—The undermentioned officer has been permitted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to return to duty, as advised in list dated 8th November 1878:—

Name.	Service.	Appointment.	Date on which permitted to return.
J. M. E. Gouldsbury	Uncovenanted	Fourth Grade District Superintendent of Police, Assam.	Within the period of his leave.

No. 47.—*The 17th December* 1878.—Under the provisions of Section 37 of Act X of 1872, the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to invest Mr. F. St. C. Grimwood, Assistant Commissioner, Sibsagar, with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th December 1878.—The following statement regarding the allotment of furloughs to officers of the Covenanted Civil Service, during the first half-year of 1879, is published for information :—

Total number of Covenanted Civil Servants serving under the Government of Bengal			220
Twenty per cent. of this number			44
Deduct number of officers now absent on furlough			28
Number of furloughs at present available			16
Add to this the number of furloughs which may be expected to become available by the return of the following officers during the months of January, February, March, and April 1879 :—			
Mr. E. E. Lowis ...			
„ N. S. Alexander ...			
„ E. A. Bradbury ...	January		5
„ F. W. Badcock ...			
„ T. F. Bignold ...			
„ E. H. Whinfield ...			
„ T. Smith ...	February		3
„ R. F. Rampini ...			
„ W. R. Millar ...	March		2
„ E. R. Henry ...			
„ G. S. Park ...	April		1
Total number of furloughs which may be expected to become available before the 1st May 1879			27

Messrs. J. Boxwell and H. S. Beadon having each been granted a furlough, twenty-five furloughs remain unallotted.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th December 1878.—Under Section 3, Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has determined that a survey shall be made of the lands from base lines to be laid down by the Dearah Survey party along the banks of the river Megna through the districts of Dacca and Tipperah. Commencing from the points where the line of survey notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st June 1876, page 677, ends in the Megna, this survey will extend northwards till it reaches Bhyrub Bazar, in the sub-division of Kishoregunge, in the district of Mymensingh. The boundaries of all mouzahs will be demarcated, and those of estates where considered necessary by the Collector.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT—FINANCE.

The 28th December 1878.

THE following Resolution is published for general information :—

READ—

A letter from Accountant-General, Bengal, No. 1068, dated the 3rd December 1878, submitting certain proposals for keeping a better account of the Government securities held in trust by officers of Government acting in their official capacity on account of Local and other Funds.

It has recently been brought to the notice of Government that the receipts and expenditure of a large number of Trust Funds and Local Funds (chiefly of a petty nature) do not appear in the public accounts, and that, even in the case of those Funds which do appear in the public accounts, no proper register is kept of the Government securities which belong to them. These securities are scattered all over the province and held in the names of different officers. As a consequence, the existence of a Fund is not unfrequently forgotten; sometimes the existence of the securities is overlooked and interest not drawn; and occasionally the securities are improperly dealt with.

2. The Director of Public Instruction, in a recent report on the Educational Trust Funds, brought to notice that, out of nearly eighty Funds, the accounts of only twenty-five are shown in the Accountant-General's books; the others are either administered by local officers without appearing in any public account, or appear in the Provincial accounts under the budget head of "Education" in such a way as to render proper supervision almost impossible. The Accountant-General has also cited instances of large sums of money and funds accidently brought to his notice, but of which no account was kept in his office; thus it only came to light through a casual enquiry that the balance of a relief fund, amounting to Rs. 25,000, had been invested, and that nobody was in charge of it, and no trace could be found in the Accountant-General's books of the Wahabee Fund which existed in the form of Government securities in the hands of the Commissioner of Patna.

3. The above instances are sufficient to shew the necessity of having some better information than is secured by the present procedure regarding invested funds, which are already very numerous, and which increase every year in number and importance. It has accordingly been proposed that all Government securities held by public officers in Bengal in any official capacity, and not being mere security deposits, should be endorsed to the Accountant-General and the Financial Secretary to the Government of Bengal, jointly, and placed in the custody of the Accountant-General, whose duty it would be—

(1) to keep a proper account of the securities in the manner prescribed for account offices;

(2) to publish every year in the Gazette a complete list of the securities showing the nature of the Fund to which each belongs, and the officer charged with the administration of it;

(3) to draw the interest on due dates, and remit it to each administering officer by an order payable at any treasury named by him;

(4) to report all cases in which the orders for the payment of interest are not cashed;

(5) to sell out any portion of the investment when required by competent authority to do so.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor approves these proposals, and desires that all Commissioners, District Magistrates, and other public officers who are entrusted with the administration of any Local or Trust Fund, and in whose names any Government securities are held, be directed to endorse all such securities in favour of the Financial Secretary to the Government of Bengal and the Accountant-General, Bengal, jointly, and to make them over to the Accountant-General, Bengal, who will henceforth be entrusted with their custody. The Accountant-General should at the same time be informed in each case of the name of the Fund or Trust to which each security belongs, the object of the Fund or Trust, the official designation of the officer administering it, and the treasury at which he desires the interest to be drawn. If any legal obstacle should exist to the transfer of the securities in the way proposed, a special report of the circumstances of the case must be made to Government.

5. The present orders do not affect the audit or control of the receipts and expenditure of each Fund; which are quite separate matters, and will be dealt with in separate orders to be issued hereafter. The custody of the Government securities is all that is transferred to the Accountant-General, who will periodically place the interest due on them at the disposal of the officer or officers administering the Fund.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Accountant-General, to all Commissioners of Divisions, all District Magistrates, and to the Director of Public Instruction, for information and guidance, and to the Judicial, Political, General, and Revenue Departments of this office for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th December 1878.—At the instance of the Government of Fort St. George, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification :—

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Nellore Collector's Office, the 4th December 1878.

On the 19th June 1878 three idols, made of a mixed metal composed of the five ingredients—copper, lead, zinc, tin, and iron—and valued at about Rs. 100, were found buried in the bed of the river Pennair, at the village of Kaluvaya, in the Atmakur taluq. All persons claiming the treasure, or any part thereof, are required to appear personally, or by agent, before the Collector of Nellore, on the 1st May, in his office at Nellore.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th December 1878.—At the instance of the Government of Fort St. George, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Tanjore Collector's Office, Vallam, 7th December 1878.

Under Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act No. VI of 1878, notice is hereby given that on the 19th and 20th October last, 17 copper idols valued at Rs. 102 were found at Panduthakudy, Mannargudy taluq, by the mirassidars of that village. All persons claiming the whole or any portion thereof are required to appear personally or by agents before the Collector of Tanjore, at 11 A.M., on Thursday, the 1st May 1879, and establish their claims thereto.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th December 1878.—Under section 79 of Act VIII of 1878 (the Sea Customs Act), the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioners for the Port of Calcutta, to issue licenses for and register cargo-boats plying within the limits of the Port. Under that section, and under section 7 (*k*) of Act of XII 1875 (the Indian Ports Act), the following Rules are hereby prescribed for regulating the grant of such licenses and the levy of fees by the said Commissioners. These rules shall come into force on the 1st March 1879, but no fees shall be chargeable thereunder for licensing any cargo-boat or manjee during the currency of any license issued by the Collector of Customs before that date :—

Rules sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the Registration, Licensing and Regulation of Cargo-boats under the provisions of Section 79, Act VIII of 1878, *and Section 7 (k) of Act XII of* 1875.

1. No cargo-boat of any description shall ply within the port, unless licensed and registered by the Port Commissioners under section 79, Act VIII of 1878. No licensed and registered cargo-boat shall be allowed to ply within the port, except under the direction of a manjee licensed and registered by the Port Commissioners.

2. Each application for the licensing and registration of a cargo-boat must be made in writing to the Port Commissioners, and contain particulars of the owner's name and residence and the tonnage of the boat; and in the event of the owner not residing in Calcutta, the name and address of the agent duly authorized to act for him.

3. Every license granted under these rules shall continue in force until and upon the first day of April next after the date thereof. If granted in the month of March in any year, such license shall continue in force until and upon the first day of April in the year next following that in which the same shall have been granted, except in either case the same shall be sooner revoked. The license is not transferable, and if the ownership of the boat is changed, notice of the transfer must be given to the Port Commissioners before the boat again plies in the port.

4. No license shall be granted to any cargo-boat until such boat has been surveyed by a surveyor duly appointed for the purpose, and he shall have granted a certificate stating that the boat is in good order and suited for the conveyance of cargo within the port—(*a*) the tonnage of such boat, (*b*) the quantity of cargo she is authorized to carry, and (*c*) the number of crew required for the safe navigation of such boat according to the following scale :—

Class I.—"Square built, open, or decked.

For a boat of not more than 15 tons burden, 5 men including manjee.
Above 15 and not above 20 tons, 6 men including manjee.
" 20 " 25 " 7 " " "
" 25 " 30 " 8 " " "
" 30 " 35 " 9 " " "
" 35 " 40 " 10 " " "
" 40 tons, 11 men including manjee.

Class II.—Dinghy built Bhurs.

For a boat of not above 15 tons burden, 4 men including manjee.
Above 15 and not above 20 tons, 5 men including manjee.
" 20 " 30 " 6 " " "
" 30 " 35 " 7 " " "
" 35 tons, 8 men including manjee.

5. The number of every licensed boat shall be branded by the surveyor on the boat, and shall also be painted in white figures not less than six inches long on both sides of the boat.

6. Fees not exceeding the sum mentioned in the following schedule shall be payable for the issue, renewal, &c., of the licenses granted under these rules:—

Schedule of Charges.

		Rs.	A.	P.
1.	For surveying, registering, branding and painting number and issuing license to cargo-boats per ton on tonnage for which license is issued	0	8	0
2.	Metal ticket for manjee	0	4	0
3.	Manjee's license	0	4	0
4.	Endorsement of change of owner or person in charge in register and license	2	0	0
5.	Issue of new license to boats in lieu of those defaced or lost	0	8	0

7. The owner or his agent or the manjee in charge of any licensed boat shall not permit any quantity of cargo, more than that for which such boat has been licensed, to be carried in such boat at one time, and shall not permit such boat to ply unless provided with the number of crew stated in the license. The boat must be kept thoroughly clean and be provided with a pump, ground tackle, and fittings in working order, as specified in the license.

8. The license granted for any cargo-boat may be revoked whenever such boat is, in the opinion of the Port Commissioners, unfitted for the conveyance of cargo, or when any breach of the conditions of the license, of the Port Rules, or of the Sea Customs Act has been committed by the owner or his agent or the manjee in charge of the boat.

9. No cargo-boat shall lie at the Inland Vessels' Wharves unless when receiving or discharging cargo, and all cargo-boats shall cast off from the mooring posts and move from one place to another when required by an officer duly authorized by the Port Commissioners.

10. No cargo-boat shall obstruct the free navigation of the port, or the approaches to wharves, jetties, or landing-stages, and no cargo-boat shall be moored or land or ship goods at any bathing ghât.

11. Not more than three cargo-boats shall make fast to one mooring buoy at the same time, and any cargo-boat which has made fast to a mooring buoy shall cast off when required by an officer duly authorized by the Port Commissioners.

12. Every licensed cargo-boat shall be provided with an iron caboose to be kept on deck, and no fire shall be permitted in any other part of the boat. Every such cargo-boat shall carry a light in a lantern in the forepart of the boat, where it can be distinctly seen when under weigh after dark.

13. The manjee of a licensed cargo-boat plying at the port shall not be allowed to keep on board any private stores other than those which are necessary for the use of the crew for a period not exceeding one week.

14. The Port Commissioners may, if they think fit, at any time order any licensed cargo-boat to be re-surveyed without any charge to the owners, and they may also revoke at any time any license granted to any owner or manjee, and it shall be competent to the Commissioners to refuse any application for the issue of a license.

15. Whenever any accident shall occur to a licensed cargo-boat, the manjee in charge or the owner of the boat shall at once proceed to the nearest River Police Station and report the circumstances connected with the accident to the officer in charge.

16. The owner, or agent, or manjee of a licensed cargo-boat, who shall, without good reason, refuse to carry cargo in such boat, shall, for every such refusal, be liable to the penalty prescribed by law for breach of these rules, and shall in addition be liable to have the licenses of the boat and the manjee revoked.

17. Every licensed cargo-boat when plying shall have its license on board, and it shall be produced when required.

18. Any owner of a licensed cargo-boat who may withdraw it from plying, except for the purpose of repairs or other sufficient cause, without giving 48 hours' notice to the Port Commissioners, shall, for every such refusal, be liable to the penalty prescribed by law for breach of these rules, and shall in addition be liable to have the license revoked.

19. Every registered manjee shall be provided with a metal license ticket, upon which shall be legibly painted the number of the manjee's license, and every such manjee, when in charge of a licensed cargo-boat, shall wear his ticket exposed to view. No manjee without such ticket shall be in charge of any licensed cargo-boat.

20. Whenever the number on any manjee's license ticket shall become obliterated or defaced, so that the same shall not be distinctly legible, and also when any manjee's license ticket shall have been lost or mislaid, the manjee shall apply to the Commissioners for a renewal thereof, and the Commissioners shall, upon the payment of the fee mentioned in the schedule, deliver to the manjee a new license ticket.

21. On the expiration or other determination of the license, the manjee shall deliver his metal ticket to the registering officer.

22. No manjee shall lend or transfer his ticket to any other person, and no other person shall use the ticket of a registered manjee.

23. No person in charge of any licensed cargo-boat plying within the limits of the port shall use, or wear, or have any ticket resembling, or intending to resemble, the metal ticket granted under the authority of these rules.

24. The manjee of every licensed cargo-boat plying for hire within the port shall, when waiting for hire at the wharves, have a hiring note showing the rate at which such boat can be hired by the day, and any owner or agent failing to supply the manjee with such note shall, in addition to the fine prescribed for a breach of these rules, be liable to have the boat's license revoked.

25. Every owner or agent of a licensed cargo-boat shall, on the 1st August and 1st December in each year, submit a return to the Port Commissioners, showing the number of licensed boats belonging to him plying on the last day of the previous month.

26. Any person committing an infringement of any of the foregoing rules is liable to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, if the offence is cognizable under Act VIII of 1878, or to a fine not exceeding one hundred rupees, if the offence is cognizable under Act XII of 1875.

27. All police officers shall have the same powers against offences and offenders under these rules as they have under section 6, Act III (B.C.) of 1872.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 5782A.

The 17th December 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Gaibanda Bench, in the district of Rungpore, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Baboo Akhoy Coomar Bagchee, Zemindar's Agent.
" Modhu Soodan Lahiry, Zemindar.
Munshi Farazooddin Khan, Jotedar and Pleader.
Kazee Rojabali, Jotedar and Mahomedan Marriage Registrar.

The 27th December 1878.—In supersession of the orders of the 14th instant, Baboo Jeebun Krishna Chatterjee, Second Subordinate Judge and Officiating Small Cause Court Judge, Rajshahye, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Subordinate Judge of Burdwan and Midnapore, and Subordinate Judge of West Burdwan.

The 28th December 1878.—Baboo Nuffer Chunder Bhutto, Officiating Second Subordinate Judge and Judge of the Small Cause Court at Burrisal, in Backergunge, is allowed leave for one month under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from or after the second week of January 1879.

The 30th December 1878.—Baboo Chunder Nath Ghose, B.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif of Chooadanga, in the district of Nuddea, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Sasi Bhooshun Banerjee, or until further orders.

The 31st December 1878.—Baboo Suresh Chunder Ghose, B.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif of Pingna, in the district of Mymensing, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Hemango Chunder Bose, or until further orders.

Baboo Jagut Bundhoo Dutt, M.A. and B.L., Sudder Moonsif of Dacca, is transferred to Chittagong.

Baboo Judoonath Ghose, Sudder Moonsif of Chittagong, on leave, is transferred to Dacca.

The orders of the 9th August 1877, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th idem, vesting Baboo Bhoobun Chundra Mookerjee, B.L., Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, under Section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act VI of 1871, with the powers of a Small Cause Court Judge for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Sudder Moonsif of Dinagepore, are cancelled.

The Senior Sudder Moonsif of Dinagepore for the time being is vested, under Section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act VI of 1871, with the powers of a Small Cause Court Judge for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 50 within the local limits of his jurisdiction.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th December 1878.—Under the power vested in him by Section 2, Act II (B.C.) of 1867 (an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal) the Lieutenant-Governor hereby extends, from the 1st January 1879, the provisions of the said Act to the Town and Municipality of Soory, in the Sudder sub-division of the district of Beerbhoom, and to a space extending half a mile on either side of the public road leading from Soory to Cynthea Railway Station.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th December 1878.—The two men described in the roll below having been sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for 18 months and one year respectively, for abetting the institution of a false charge of murder, are hereby declared disqualified for future employment under Government in any capacity :—

Name.	Father's name.	Residence.	Caste.	Age.	Height.	Colour.	Particular marks.
Amirulla, late 2nd grade Head Constable, Sugurressur outpost, thanah Roghoonathpore, district Midnapore.	Rohomuttullah	Tumlook Bazar, thanah Tumlook, district Midnapore.	Mahomedan.	34	5 feet 5 inches	Dark.	Inoculation marks on both arms; one mark on the right knee; three sore marks on right instep; one sore mark on the left knee.
Dinobundhoo Das, late a Constable Sugurressur outpost, thanah Roghoonathpore, district Midnapore.	Gunganarain Das.	Mooracota, Midnapore.	Hindu Kayestha.	33	5 feet 5 inches	Darkish	A wart on the upper lip, right side of nose, and another below the left nipple, one mole on the neck and another on the right shoulder-blade; one sore mark below the right nipple; one on the right knee, and three on the left knee.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 30th November 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for an outpost in village Brahmangram (to be called Sara outpost), pergunnah Bajurash Nazirpore, zillah Pubna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2½ beeghas of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the public road; on the east by the house of Anand Haldar and clumps of bamboos; on the south by the mango trees belonging to Gunnesh Sardar and Madhu Shaha, and the land cultivated by Soudagar Pramanik; and on the west by the Northern Bengal State Railroad on the Padma, is required within the aforesaid village of Brahmangram, pergunnah Bajurash Nazirpore, zillah Pubna:

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th December 1878.

251.—*Notification.*—Colonel J. D. Swayne, Executive Engineer, First Grade, charge of the Dinagepore Division on the 4th December 1878, before noon.

252.—Mr. J. J. O'Flaherty, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, joined the Dinagepore Division on the 12th December 1878, before noon.

The 21st December 1878.

No. 253.—Mr. A. Wilson, Assistant Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal, who has been employed as an Assistant Secretary in this Department, and who was allowed* three months' privilege leave, availed himself of the same from the 23rd September 1878, before noon, to the 20th December 1878, afternoon, and he rejoined this office on the 21st idem, before noon.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 202 of 13th September 1878.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 30th December 1878.

No. 254.—*Declaration under Section* 6, *Act X of* 1870, *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of the portion of the line of road from Keshpore to Narajole in the villages of Narajole, Kismut, Narajole, Harirajpore, Doobrajpore, Singaghye and Chandipore, pergunnah Narajole, zillah, Midnapore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a piece of land measuring, more or less, 61 boeghas 16 cottahs 11 chuttacks of standard measurement, 8 miles and 793 feet in length and 50 feet in width, is required within the aforesaid villages of Narajole, Kismut Narajole, Harirajpore, Doobrajpore, Singaghye, and Chandipore.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to whom it may concern.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 30th December 1878.

No. 255.—*Leave of Absence.*—Colonel J. D. Swayne, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Dinagepore Division, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 23rd November to the 31st December 1878.

No. 256.—*Notification.*—The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No. 563 *of the* 19*th December* 1878.—The following changes in the classification of the superior grades of the Accounts Establishment of the Public Works Department are notified for general information :—

Classification as now existing.			Corresponding new classification		
Examiners,	I class,	1st grade.	Examiners,	I class,	1st grade.
,,	,,	2nd ,,	,,	,,	2nd ,,
,,	II ,,	1st ,,	,,	,,	3rd ,,
,,	,,	2nd ,,	,,	II ,,	1st ,,
,,	III ,,	1st ,,	,,	,,	2nd ,,
,,	,,	2nd ,,	,,	,,	3rd ,,
Deputy Examiners.			Deputy Examiners,		1st ,,
Assistant Examiners,		1st grade.	,,	,,	2nd ,,
,,	,,	2nd ,,	Assistant ,,		1st ,,
,,	,,	3rd ,,	,,	,,	2nd ,,

No. 566 *of the* 20*th December* 1878.—

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During the absence of Captain Trevor, or until further orders, Mr. W. A. Billings, Deputy Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Bengal, will officiate as Examiner of Accounts, Northern Bengal State Railway.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Major-Genl.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept

IRRIGATION.

Dated 26th December 1878

No. 317.—*Leave.*—Mr. A. J. Oldham, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Gunduck Division, is granted sick leave for 18 months, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 27th December 1878, together with subsidiary leave from the 20th idem.

Dated 27th December 1878.

No. 318.—*Notification.*—The undermentioned officers reported their return from Famine Relief Works on the dates specified opposite their names :—

Mr. H. Unwin, Executive Engineer, Second Grade,—afternoon of the 21th December 1878.

Captain E. C. Elliston, R.E., Executive Engineer, Third Grade,—forenoon of 19th December 1878.

Mr. G. F. Moore, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade,—afternoon of December 1878.

No. 319.—*Posting.*—The above officers are temporarily attached to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division of the South-Western Circle, with effect from the dates specified against their names above.

No. 320.—*Transfers.*—Mr G. F Moore, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division to the Gunduck Division.

No. 321.—Captain E. C. Elliston, R.E., Executive Engineer, Third Grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Northern Drainage and Embankment to the Brahminee-Byturnee Division.

Dated 30th December 1878.

No. 322.—*Posting.*—Mr. C. Kriens, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, to the Brahminee-Byturnee Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 13th December 1878.

No. 323.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 577, *dated* 27*th December* 1878.—The following officers are retransferred from Madras Famine Relief Works to the Province and Branches specified :—

Bengal Irrigation Branch.

"Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, A.I. C.E., Executive Engineer, Third Grade.

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No. 324.—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 576, *dated* 27*th December* 1878.—Mr. H. Unwin, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, is retransferred from Madras Famine Relief Works to Bengal Irrigation Branch."

The 31*st December* 1878.

No. 325.—*Notifications.*—Mr. G. T. St. A. Nixon, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, who reported his return from the sick leave granted him in the orders marginally noted on the afternoon of the 27th December 1878, is posted to the South-Western Circle.

No. 89, dated 1st March 1878.
No. 291, dated 25th November 1878.

No. 326.—The orders marginally noted, transferring Captain E. C. Elliston, s.c., Executive Engineer, Third Grade, to the Brahminee-Byturnee Division, are hereby cancelled, and Captain Elliston is posted to the Sone Circle instead.

No. 321, dated 27th December 1878.

No. 327.—*Transfer.*—Mr. F. Simon, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Gunduck Division of the South-Western Circle, to the Brahminee-Byturnee Division of the Orissa Circle, *vice* Captain E. C. Elliston, s.c.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

RAILWAY.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 19*th December* 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for railway purposes in the village of Chur Pallund, pergunnah Sharzapore, zillah Furreedpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 beeghas 4 cottahs and 3 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded as follows, is required within the aforesaid village of Chur Pallund :—

Bounded on the north, south, and east by land belonging to the Eastern Bengal, Railway Company, and on the west by land occupied by Ram Kristo Dass, Hurrish Chunder Dutt, Nazir Shaik, Meher Sheik First, Bhogoban Sircar, Roghoo Nauth Biswas, Haran Sheik Echhoo Mullick, Meher Sheik Second, Hookoom Sheik, Someer Shekdar, Nudyer Chand Mundle, Issur Chunder Paul, Joumenjoy Dutt, Gunga Gobindo Soor, and Dhanunjoy Sircar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Dates of Criminal Sessions for the year 1879.

Number of Sessions.	Day of the week.	Date.
First Sessions ...	Monday ...	13th January.
Second ditto ...	Ditto ...	17th February.
Third ditto ...	Ditto ...	17th March.
Fourth ditto ...	Ditto ...	21st April.
Fifth ditto ...	Ditto ...	26th May.
Sixth ditto ...	Wednesday	2nd July.
Seventh ditto ...	Monday ...	4th August.
Eighth ditto ...	Wednesday	3rd September.
Ninth ditto ...	Thursday...	27th November.

By order,

W. E. H. FORSYTH, *Clerk of the Crown.*

HIGH COURT, CROWN OFFICE, the 18th December 1878.

Sheriff's Office, the 25th December 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1879, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Thirteenth day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৮ সাল ২৫ ডিসেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৩ই জানুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 14, Act XI of 1865, that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Kooshtea, Pubna and Chooadanga will, during the month of January next, sit in those Courts on the dates mentioned below :—

From 1st to 18th January 1879 at Kooshtea.
„ 19th to 23rd „ „ at Pubna.
„ 24th to 31st „ „ at Chooadanga.

BULLORAM MULLICK, *Offg. Judge.*

KOOSHTEA SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 27th December 1878.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

THE Reverend Henry Perrott Parker, of Trinity College, Cambridge, M.A., Minister, has been appointed by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta Surrogate in this Diocese for granting episcopal licenses of marriage.

R. LEYCESTER UPTON, *Registrar and Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 31st December 1878.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABOO TARINI SANKAR ROY, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Tipperah treasury, *vice* Baboo Rajani Kumar Datta, Deputy Collector, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Commissioner.*

DACCA, the 27th December 1878.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Gilchrist Scholarship Examination.

NOTIFICATION.

WITH reference to the Government notification of the 12th December 1868, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, page 2044, it is hereby notified that an examination for the Gilchrist Scholarships will be held on Monday, the 20th January 1879, at the Presidency College, Calcutta, at 10 A.M.

The 28th December 1878. A. W. CROFT, *Dir. of Public Instruction.*

Department of Public Works Half-yearly Examination.

THE half-yearly examination of candidates for promotion and employment in the Public Works Department will be held at the Presidency College at 10 o'clock on Monday, the 3rd February 1879, and the following days. Applications, with fees for admission to the examination, are required to be filed before the 15th of January 1879. Candidates for the grade of Accountant, who are not in Government service, should be under 25 years of age, and must prove to the satisfaction of the Principal that they are under that age.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY,

PRESIDENCY COLLEGE, the December 1878. *Principal, Presidency College.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1525B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 6th January 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz :—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares ,, ...	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 11th and 21st January 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 11th January 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 21st January 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 3rd February 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 4th March ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 3rd April ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	27,500	27,500	55,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 3rd December 1878.

No. 1632B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd February 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th February 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th February 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th February 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th March 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 3rd April „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th „ „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	25,000	25,000	50,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 31st December 1878.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on 15th December 1878.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	8,79,043	22,284	4,21,822	8,23,149
French Kurkutch	1,800	.....	42,597	44,397
Italian ditto	19,662	.....	.....	19,662
Bombay ditto	1,04,548	.....	22,072	1,26,620
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ...	2,14,666	.....	55,782	2,70,448
Ceylon Kurkutch	39,686	.....	.....	39,686
Egyptian ditto	36,712	.....	.....	36,712
Calicut Rock	.....	.....	200	200
Total ...	7,96,117	22,284	5,42,473	13,60,874

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs*.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 26th December 1878.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1, 1879.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 27th December 1878.

No. 1266.—APPOINTMENTS.—Mr. H. Luttman-Johnson, C.S., Deputy Commissioner, Third Grade, in Assam, to officiate as Deputy Commissioner, Second Grade, during the absence on furlough of Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. S. Clarke, or until further orders.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

CAMP LAHORE, *Monday, the 16th December 1878.*

No. 238 *C.P.*—RESOLUTION.—The subjoined Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, on the subject of the general policy of the British Government towards Afghanistan, and of the present state of affairs on the North-West Frontier of India, is published for general information.

By order of the Viceroy and Governor-General,

A. C. LYALL,
Secretary to the Government of India.

SECRET.
No. 49.

INDIA OFFICE,
London, 18th November 1878.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE RIGHT HONOURABLE THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

MY LORD,—Para. 1. The letters* and telegraphic despatches which your Government has transmitted to me, reporting the circumstances connected with the reception of a Russian Mission at Kabul in July last, and the subsequent rejection by the Amir Shere Ali Khan of the special Embassy accredited to his Court by Your Excellency have been considered by Her Majesty's Government with the care due to their importance.

*No. 53, Secret, 5th August 1878.
„ 61, „ 19th „ „
„ 67, „ 27th „ „
„ 79 „ 9th Septr. „
„ 86, „ 16th „ „
„ 93, „ 26th „ „
„ 95, „ 3rd October „

2. The various communications which have from time to time passed between the Government at home and that of India, ending with Lord Salisbury's Despatch of the 4th of October last year, contain a complete exposition of the general policy of the British Government towards Afghanistan, and set forth, moreover, the considerations which lately induced Her Majesty's Government to

endeavour to place their relations with the Amir on a more satisfactory footing. In order, however, that no misapprehension may exist on this subject, I deem it advisable to recapitulate some of the leading features of that policy, and to trace the course of events which have led to the present condition of affairs on the frontier.

3. Although much difference of opinion has existed, and still exists, amongst eminent authorities on the subject of the frontier policy to be pursued by the Indian Government, that difference has reference rather to the methods to be followed than to the objects in view. The consistent aim of the British Government during a series of years has been to establish on its North-Western border a strong, friendly, and independent State with interests in unison with those of the Indian Government, and ready to act, in certain eventualities, as an auxiliary in the protection of the frontier from foreign intrigue or aggression. The Treaty of 1855*, negotiated by Lord Dalhousie with the approval of Lord Aberdeen's Government, and still in force, bears witness to the importance then attached to friendly relations with Afghanistan. It was described by the Governor-General† in words which fully explain its intended effect: "The Treaty gives to the Government of India on its western frontier as complete security against a foreign and distant enemy as it is possible for us in the nature of things to compass."

*ARTICLE I.

Between the Honourable East India Company and His Highness Amir Dost Muhammad Khan, Wali of Kabul and of those countries now in his possession, and the heirs of the said Amir, there shall be perpetual peace and friendship.

ARTICLE II.

The Honourable East India Company engages to respect those territories of Afghanistan now in His Highness's possession, and never to interfere therein.

ARTICLE III.

His Highness Amir Dost Muhammad Khan, Wali of Kabul and of those countries of Afghanistan now in his possession, engages, on his own part and on the part of his heirs, to respect the territories of the Honourable East India Company, and never to interfere therein, and to be the friend of the friends, and enemy of the enemies of the Honourable East India Company.

† Minute, 30th April 1855, in Secret Letter No. 3, of 10th May 1855

4. The question, however, has assumed special prominence since the period of the transfer to the Crown of the direct administration of India. The growing interest in the subject has been the result partly of the increased responsibilities assumed by the Government of Her Majesty in maintaining Her Indian Empire, and partly of the intestine disorders to which Afghanistan became a prey after the accession of the present Amir to the throne in the year 1863. Upon Lord Lawrence devolved the direction of the policy to be adopted in this new state of affairs, and that statesman considered that the objects of the British Government would be best obtained by abstaining from active interference in the internal affairs of Afghanistan, and by the friendly recognition of the *de facto* rulers of that country, or of portions of it, without undertaking inconvenient liabilities on their behalf. On this basis Lord Lawrence thought that the British Government would have the greatest chance of gaining the permanent friendship and alliance of the Afghan people. The outposts of Russia were then distant from the borders of Afghanistan, and His Lordship's Government attached no special importance to the probability and danger of the growth of the former Power in the direction of India, which they considered would, in any case, best be restrained or rendered innocuous by a friendly understanding on the subject between the English and Russian Cabinets.

5. The views of Her Majesty's Government of that day on the subject of their relations with Afghanistan were in complete harmony with those of Lord Lawrence. They did not desire to exercise active influence at Kabul, nor to interfere in the conflicts then rife between contending parties in Afghanistan, so long as those conflicts did not jeopardize the peace of the frontier. This policy was therefore adhered to, although not without some inconvenient results, during the civil war which raged for so many years after Shere Ali's accession, and might not unreasonably be thought suited to the circumstances of the time. But the final and unaided success of the Amir in regaining his throne, in the autumn of 1868, in some measure changed the position of affairs, and, in the opinion both of Lord Lawrence and of Her Majesty's Government, justified some intervention in His Highness's favour, and the grant to him of such assistance in money and arms as appeared conducive to the maintenance of his authority.

6. The policy followed by Lord Mayo's administration in its dealings with Afghanistan was to a considerable extent in accord with the course of action thus finally adopted in the autumn of 1868 by his predecessor. Whilst,

however, Lord Mayo did not deviate, in any material degree, from the attitude of non-interference in the internal affairs of Afghanistan, which had been so long maintained, he recognized Shere Ali as the *de jure* as well as the *de facto* ruler of that country, and, in a letter addressed to that Prince, engaged to view with severe displeasure any attempt on the part of his rivals to disturb his position. This step, added to the marked personal influence obtained by Lord Mayo over the Amir, was sufficient at the moment to remove a certain feeling of resentment which had been generated in his mind by the apparent indifference shown by the British Government to the result of his struggle for power, and, at the same time, rendered His Highness's position at Kabul more assured than that of any previous ruler.

7. The advances of Russia in Central Asia had not, up to this period, assumed dimensions such as to cause uneasiness to the Indian Government. Lord Mayo agreed, therefore, in the views of his predecessor, that the best means of averting interference on the part of the Turkistan authorities in the affairs of Afghanistan would be by a frank interchange of views on that subject between the Government of Her Majesty and that of the Czar. Her Majesty's Government had independently arrived at the same conclusion, and early in 1869 initiated friendly negotiations at St. Petersburg, which terminated in a very distinct understanding on this subject, and in the recognition by the Czar's Government of the limits of the Amir's territories, in complete accord with the wishes of Shere Ali and of the British Government.

8. The policy of his predecessors was that substantially followed by Lord Northbrook, although the rapid development of events in Central Asia was gradually increasing the difficulty of abstaining from closer relations with the ruler of Kabul. The capture of Khiva by the forces of the Czar in the spring of 1873, and the total subordination of that Khanate to Russia, caused Shere Ali considerable alarm, and led him to question the value of the pledges with reference to Afghanistan which had been given by His Imperial Majesty to England, and which had been communicated to His Highness by the British Government. Actuated by his fears on this score, His Highness sent a special Envoy to Simla in the summer of that year, charged with the duty of expressing them to the Government of India.

9. Finding that the object of the Amir was to ascertain definitely how far he might rely on the help of the British Government if his territories were threatened by Russia, Lord Northbrook's Government was prepared* to assure him that, under certain conditions, the Government of India would assist him to repel unprovoked aggression. But Her Majesty's Government at Home did not share† His Highness's apprehension, and the Viceroy ultimately informed the Amir that the discussion of the question would be best postponed to a more convenient season.‡ The effect of this announcement on His Highness, although conveyed in conciliatory language, was not favourable; the policy which dictated it was unintelligible to his mind, and he received it with feelings of chagrin and disappointment. His reply to Lord Northbrook's communication was couched in terms of ill-disguised sarcasm; he took no notice of the Viceroy's proposal to depute a British Officer to examine the northern frontier of Afghanistan; he subsequently refused permission to Sir Douglas Forsyth to return from Kashgar to India through Kabul; he left untouched a gift of money lodged to his credit by the Indian Government, and generally assumed towards it an attitude of sullen reserve.

* Telegram from Viceroy, 24th July 1873.

† Telegram to Viceroy, 26th July 1873.

‡ Letter from Viceroy, 6th September 1873.

Secret Letter, No. 75, dated 15th September 1873.

10. Such was the position of affairs when Her Majesty's present advisers assumed office in 1874. The maintenance of Afghanistan as a strong and friendly power had, at all times, been the object of British policy. The method adopted in attaining that object had not met with the success that was desirable. Its accomplishment was, nevertheless, a matter of grave importance, and it had now to be considered with reference to the rapid march of events in Turkistan. Her Majesty's Government could not view with indifference the probable influence of those events upon the character of an Asiatic Prince whose dominions were thereby brought within a steadily

narrowing circle between two great military empires, and although no immediate danger appeared to threaten British interests on the frontier of Afghanistan, the situation in Central Asia had become sufficiently grave to suggest the necessity of timely precaution. Her Majesty's Government considered that the first step necessary was the improvement of their relations with the Amir himself. With this object in view, they deemed it expedient that His Highness should be invited to receive a temporary mission at Kabul; in order that an accredited British Envoy might confer with him personally upon what was taking place, might assure him of the desire of the Queen's Government that his territories should remain safe from external attack, and at the same time might point out to him the extreme difficulty of attaining this object unless it were permitted by him to place its own officers on his frontier to watch the course of events beyond it. It was true that the Amir's relations with the Russian Governor-General of Turkistan had of late become more intimate, and that a correspondence which that official had commenced with the Kabul Darbar in 1871, and which at one time had caused serious disquiet to the Amir, was being carried on with increased activity, whilst His Highness's original practice of consulting the Indian Government as to the replies to be sent to General Kauffmann's communications had been discontinued. Nevertheless, Her Majesty's Government were willing to believe that Shere Ali, if his intentions were friendly, would be ready to join them in measures advantageous to himself, and essential for the protection of common interests.

11. In view of these interests and of the responsibilities which had morally devolved upon the British Government on behalf of Afghanistan, looking also to the imperfect information available in regard to the country in respect to which those responsibilities had been incurred, Lord Northbrook's Government had, in 1873, expressed the opinion that the temporary presence in Afghanistan of a British Officer, as then proposed by them, might do much to allay any feelings of mistrust lingering in the minds of the Afghan people, and might at the same time prepare the way for eventually placing permanent British representatives at Kabul, Herat, and elsewhere. Encouraged by this opinion, Her Majesty's Government came to the conclusion that although Lord Northbrook's efforts to attain the desired object had not met with success, the time had come when the measure thus indicated could no longer with safety be postponed. Your predecessor in Council had, indeed, whilst appreciating all the advantages to be anticipated from it, frankly represented to Her Majesty's present advisers the difficulties attending the initiation of it; he believed the time and circumstances of the moment to be inopportune for placing British Agents on the Afghan borders, and was of opinion that such a step should be deferred till the progress of events justified more specific assurances to Shere Ali, which might then be given in the shape of a treaty, followed by the establishment of Agencies at Herat and other suitable places. Her Majesty's Government, however, were unable to agree in this view; they deemed it probable that if events were thus allowed to march without measures of precaution on the part of the British Government, the time would have passed when representations to the Amir could be made with any probability of a favourable result; and they considered it important that the actual sentiments of His Highness, in reference to which different opinions were held by different authorities, should be tested in good time.

12. Accordingly, on Your Excellency's departure from England to assume the Viceroyalty, Her Majesty's Government instructed you to offer to Shere Ali that same active countenance and protection which he had previously solicited at the hands of the Indian Government. It was clearly impossible, however, to enter into any formal engagement in this sense without requiring from the Amir some substantial proof of his unity of interests with the British Government. Whilst Her Majesty's Government, therefore, authorized Your Excellency to concede to His Highness substantial pecuniary aid, a formal recognition of his dynasty, so far as it would not involve active interference in the internal affairs of Afghanistan, and an explicit pledge of material support in case of unprovoked foreign aggression, you were directed not to incur these heavy responsibilities unless Shere Ali, on his part, were prepared to allow a British Agent, or Agents, access to positions in his territories (other than at Kabul itself), where, without prejudicing the personal authority of the

ruler, they could acquire trustworthy information of events likely to threaten the tranquillity or independence of Afghanistan.

13. The measures which Your Excellency adopted on your arrival in India to give effect to the instructions of Her Majesty's Government were framed with discretion, and in a spirit of consideration towards Shere Ali. You sent your Native Aide-de-Camp, Ressaldar-Major Khanan Khan, to that Prince, charged with the duty of informing him of your desire to depute temporarily to his capital, or to any other point in Afghan territory agreeable to His Highness, a special Envoy, whose mission was not merely to be one of compliment, but one for the discussion of matters of common interest to the two Governments; and you took care to convey to His Highness verbal assurances of the friendly character of your advances to him. But Shere Ali rejected your overtures and declined to receive your Envoy.

14. Your Excellency exhorted the Amir to consider seriously the consequences of an attitude which might end in compelling the British Government to look upon him thenceforth as a Prince who voluntarily desired to isolate his interests from those of the British Government. In a conciliatory spirit you abstained from pressing upon him the reception of your Envoy, and you acceded to a suggestion of His Highness that your Vakil at Kabul should make personal representations to you on the Amir's behalf. These representations proved to be a recapitulation of grievances dating from 1872, and were briefly as follows:—

1.—The communication which he had received from the late Viceroy in 1874 on behalf of his rebellious son, Yakub Khan, whom he had imprisoned.

2.—The decision on the question of the Seistan boundary.

3.—The gifts sent by the late Viceroy direct to the Chief of Wakhan, who is a tributary to the Amir.

4.—The repeated rejection of his previous requests for an alliance and a formal recognition of the order of succession as established by him in the person of his son, Abdoollah Jan.

15. These grievances appeared to weigh heavily on His Highness's mind, and you therefore lost no time in assuring Shere Ali, through the Vakil, of the friendly feeling of the British Government towards him, of your desire to remove by a frank exchange of views all causes of irritation on his mind, and of your willingness to accede to his proposal that, in lieu of Sir Lewis Pelly proceeding to Kabul, an Afghan Envoy should be deputed to meet one from Your Excellency at Peshawar.

16. Your Vakil thereupon returned to Kabul, charged with the duty of explaining to the Amir, with the assistance of a clearly worded *aide memoire*, the favourable treaty which the British Government was prepared, upon certain conditions, to negotiate with him, and its desire to clear up past misunderstandings. His Highness evinced no cordiality in his reception of him; but after some delay he deputed to Peshawar his Minister Syud Nur Muhammad Shah, there to carry on with Sir Lewis Pelly the negotiations which Her Majesty's Government had considered of sufficient importance to have taken place on Afghan soil with the Amir himself. Although the Amir had been informed in writing, both of the concessions which the British Government was ready to grant to him and the conditions attached to them, and although, at the same time, it was signified to him that it would be of no avail for him to send his Envoy to Peshawar unless His Highness were prepared to agree to those conditions as the bases of the proposed treaty, it became apparent in the course of the conference that the Minister had received no specific authority to accept them. As, moreover, the language and conduct of Shere Ali, which had so long been dubious, became openly inimical, you judiciously took advantage of the sudden death of His Highness's Envoy to discontinue negotiations, the bases of which had been practically rejected.

17. This step on your part, as well as all your proceedings throughout the year preceding the conference, met with the entire approval of Her Majesty's

Government. As observed by my predecessor in his Despatch of the 4th October 1877, Her Majesty's Government had felt justified in hoping that the advantages which they were ready to tender to the Amir would have been accepted in the spirit in which they were offered. At the same time, the attitude of His Highness for some years past had been so ambiguous as to prepare them for a different result. Far, however, from regarding the possibility of failure as affording sufficient grounds for total inaction, and continued acquiescence in the existing state of relations with the Amir, they had arrived at the conclusion that while the prevailing uncertainty as to His Highness's disposition rendered caution necessary in their advances, it was in itself a reason for adopting steps which would elicit the truth. From this point of view Her Majesty's Government could not regard the result of the Peshawar conference as altogether unsatisfactory, inasmuch as they were no longer left in doubt as to the reality of the Amir's alienation, which had previously been a matter of speculation. On the other hand, the proceedings at the conference, and the previous negotiations, had placed before the Amir in a clear light the views of Her Majesty's Government as to their existing obligations towards him, and had, at the same time, informed him of the terms, so favourable to his interests, on which they were willing to draw closer the bonds of union between the two countries, and to place their mutual relations on a footing more advantageous to both.

18. Their overtures having been thus treated, Her Majesty's Government were of opinion that no course was open to them but to maintain an attitude of vigilant reserve until such time as the Amir might better realize his own position and interests. This view had been anticipated by you in the final assurances conveyed to the Afghan Envoy by Sir Lewis Pelly, and your policy since the close of the Peshawar conference has been in accordance with it. Whilst carefully watching the course of affairs in Afghanistan, so far as the imperfect means of obtaining information has admitted, you abstained from all interference in them, in the hope that time would enable His Highness to realize the dangers accruing to himself by the rejection of the friendly advances of the British Government. That hope, however, has not been realized. The Amir has persisted in his unfriendly isolation, and ulimately, having two years ago declined to receive a British Envoy, even temporarily, within his territory, on the ground that he could not guarantee his safety, nor thereafter be left with any excuse for declining to receive a Russian Mission, he has welcomed with every appearance of ostentation an Embassy from the Czar, despatched to his Court at a time when there were indications that an interruption of friendly relations between this country and Russia might be imminent.

19. In these circumstances Your Excellency represented to Her Majesty's Government that a policy of inaction could no longer be persisted in, and that the Amir's reception of the Russian Mission at such a time, and under such circumstances, left him no further excuse for declining to receive at his capital an Envoy from the British Government. Your Excellency proposed, therefore, to demand the reception of a Mission to Kabul, headed by an officer of rank in the person of Sir Neville Chamberlain, whose name and family were held in high esteem by the Amir.

20. This proposal was approved by Her Majesty's Government. It was evident that a potentate who willingly admitted to his capital, at a critical period, Envoys of a Power which at the moment might be regarded as making its advances with objects not friendly to the British Government, could not reasonably refuse to receive a Mission from a Power with which he had continuously been in alliance. Your Excellency in Council did not anticipate any such refusal, and Her Majesty's Government saw no reason to question the soundness of your opinion on this point, based, as it must have been, on the best information at your command.

21. The anticipations both of Your Excellency and of Her Majesty's Government were, however, disappointed by the event. In a friendly letter, carried to Kabul by the Nawab Gholam Hassan Khan, you informed the Amir of the date on which Sir Neville Chamberlain was to leave Peshawar, and you gave His Highness adequate time in which to issue orders to his local officials for the

reception of the Mission. You caused it, moreover, to be intimated to His Highness and his officials that a refusal of free passage to the Mission would be regarded by you as an act of hostility. The orders sent to the Afghan officers at Ali Masjid were, nevertheless, the reverse of what you had a right to expect, and Major Cavagnari, who went in advance of your Envoy, was distinctly informed that any attempt to enter Afghan territory would be resisted by force, of which an ostentatious display was at once made

22. This conduct on the part of the Amir was wholly without justification. He was aware from various communications addressed to him by Your Excellency's predecessors, that the Russian Government had given assurances to the Government of Her Majesty to regard his territories as completely beyond its sphere of action; he was equally aware that the whole policy of the British Government since his accession to the throne had been to strengthen his power and authority, and to protect him from foreign aggression, although the methods adopted for doing so may not have at all times accorded with His Highness's own views; he had received from the British Government evidence of good-will, manifested by large gifts of money and arms, as well as by its successful efforts in obtaining from the Czar's Government its formal recognition of a fixed boundary, agreeable to himself, between his kingdom and the neighbouring Khanates; his subjects had been allowed to pass freely throughout India, to the great benefit of the trade and commerce of his country; and in no single instance has the Amir himself, or any of his people, been treated unjustly or inhospitably within British jurisdiction. By every bond of international courtesy, as well as by the treaty engagement of 1855 existing between the two countries, binding him to be the friend of our friends and the enemy of our enemies, the Amir was bound to a line of conduct the reverse of that which he adopted.

23. In reporting to Her Majesty's Government the forcible rejection of your friendly Mission, Your Excellency expressed the conviction of the Government of India that this act deprived the Amir of all further claim upon the forbearance of the British Government, and necessitated instant action. Her Majesty's Government were, however, unwilling to accept the evasive letter brought from Kabul by the Nawab Gholam Hassan Khan as Shere Ali's final answer to your Government, and determined to give him a short time for reconsideration. While, therefore, Her Majesty's Government acknowledged fully as binding on them the pledges given by Sir N. Chamberlain to the friendly Chiefs and people who undertook the safe conduct of his Mission, they decided to make an effort to avert the calamities of war, and with this object instructed Your Excellency to address to His Highness a demand, in temperate language, requiring a full and suitable apology within a given time for the affront which he has offered to the British Government, the reception of a permanent British Mission within his territories, and reparation for any injury inflicted by him on the tribes who attended Sir N. Chamberlain and Major Cavagnari, as well as an undertaking not to molest them hereafter. These instructions were promptly carried into effect by Your Excellency's Government, and the Amir has been informed that unless a clear and satisfactory reply be received from him by the 20th November, you will be compelled to consider his intentions as hostile, and to treat him as a declared enemy.

24. It only remains for me to assure Your Excellency of the cordial support of Her Majesty's Government in the onerous circumstances in which you are placed, and to state that I have received the commands of Her Majesty to publish this Despatch for the general information of the public, in anticipation of the papers connected with the important question with which it deals. Those papers are in course of preparation, but as they cover a period of not less than fifteen years, they must necessarily be voluminous.

I have the honor to be,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient, humble Servant,

CRANBROOK.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

General Orders by His Excellency the Governor-General of India.

Camp Lahore, dated the 18th December 1878.

SPECIAL.

No. 10A.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General has much pleasure in directing the publication of the following despatch received from Lieutenant-General Sir S. Browne, K. C. S. I., C. B., V. C., Commanding the 1st Division, Peshawar Field Force, announcing the capture of Ali Masjid on the 22nd November, the first important success of the campaign.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor-General wishes to express to the troops of all ranks, British and Native, his high appreciation of the manner in which they performed their duty on this occasion.

No. 111, dated Dhaka, the 29th November 1878.

From—LIEUT.-GENL. SIR S. J. BROWNE, K.C.S.I., Commanding 1st Division, Peshawar Valley Field Force,

To—The Quarter-Master-General in India, Army Head-Quarters.

MY message from Ali Masjid on the 22nd instant communicated, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, the capture of that place. I now have the honor to submit a detailed account of the operations.

On the receipt at Jamrud of orders to advance the force under my command, it moved in the following order:—

The 2nd Brigade under Brigadier-General Tytler, C.B., V.C., consisting of Her Majesty's 17th Foot, the Guide Infantry and the 1st Sikhs, at 6 P.M. on the 20th instant; followed at 2-30 A.M. of the 21st by the 1st Brigade, under Brigadier-General MacPherson, C.B., V.C., consisting of the 4th Battalion Rifle Brigade, the 4th Goorkhas, the 20th Regiment Punjab Infantry, and No. 4 (Hazara) Mountain Battery. Both these brigades took the same route, *viâ* Gudur Lashora to Sapri, the 1st Brigade being ordered to detach a party of 400 men under Major Gordon from Torbai for the Rotas Ridge.

Brigadier-General Tytler was directed to diverge from Sapri to Kata Koosta, a spot two miles behind Ali Masjid, where the defile begins to open, and which is here about 100 yards wide.

The 1st Brigade was ordered from Sapri to make for the continuation of the Rotas Ridge and crown the heights above, and a little in rear of, Ali Masjid.

The route as far as Sapri, which lies through a glen separating the Rotas Mountain from the main Tatara Range, had been reconnoitred previously by the Corps of Guides; but beyond that I was altogether guided by native information. It was a trying and most fatiguing march to Sapri, and the ground beyond proved to be more difficult still.

In my direct attack on Ali Masjid by the ordinary pass road I relied on the co-operation of the 1st Brigade by about 1 P.M. of the 21st, but as it turned out it could not reach its destination by the appointed time, owing to the very difficult nature of the hill it had to traverse. The Guides and 1st Sikh Infantry, however, occupied Kata Koosta about 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Counting on the co-operation above alluded to, I marched from Jamrud at 7 A.M. on the 21st with the remainder of the force in the following order:—

The advanced guard under Brigadier-General Appleyard, C. B.

250	... ...	... 14th Sikhs.
250	... ...	... 81st Foot.
2nd and 3rd Companies	...	... Sappers and Miners.
40 Sabres	... ...	... 11th Bengal Lancers.

1 Battery C Brigade, Royal Horse Artillery.

No. 11 Battery 9th Brigade, Royal Artillery.

and remainder of the 14th Sikhs, followed by the Engineer Park; and at half a mile distant the remainder of the 81st Foot, the 27th Regiment Punjab Infantry, E-3rd and 13-9th Royal Artillery. Lastly, the 4th Infantry Brigade, with the Cavalry Brigade bringing up the rear.

No baggage was to leave Jamrud until the following day.

Three days' rations were taken by the troops.

On arrival at the commencement of the road which was made by us in the Afghan War of 1839-42, and which is known as the Mackeson Road, the Mountain Battery (11-9th Royal Artillery) with 200 Infantry diverged to the right, taking a course parallel to the column between it and the high Rotas Range.

Some little delay was occasioned owing to the bad state of the road just beyond Mackeson Bridge; and here a picket of the enemy's Cavalry was seen on the low hills in front of us. This picket gradually retired as we advanced.

At 11 A.M., the head of the advanced guard reached the Shagai Ridge; and as a large body of the enemy were now visible on the Rotas Ridge to my right, a part of the 4th Brigade was detached to occupy the intervening ridges.

The advanced guard threw out parties to its right and left, and one of 100 rifles was sent on in advance to occupy a rocky ridge some 200 yards in front, and to cover the working party employed in making passable for guns, the descent between it and the Shagai Ridge into the Khaibar stream.

We had occupied the Shagai Ridge half an hour or more, and had made our dispositions without opposition, when the enemy opened fire simultaneously from the fort, from a gun on a peak toh te right of Ali Masjid and overlooking it, and from three other guns below the fort, but invisible to us.

The practice was excellent, shot after shot hitting the ridge; but our little force in the front was well sheltered, and only suffered slightly. The fire continued about an hour without our replying to it.

In the meantime I.-C., Royal Horse Artillery, had come up and taken up a position to our right, out of the line of fire; and shortly after, I ordered up two guns from that battery on to the ridge and opened fire. The other four guns subsequently came into action; and the fire was continued till the Heavy Battery came up at 1-30 P.M., and opened fire at 2,800 yards. Our firing was good, and was kept up all day.

The fire from the 40-pounders seemed at first to cause the enemy's fire to slacken; but after a short respite it recommenced as warmly as ever.

Hoping that my detached brigades might be nearing their destination, I, at 2-30 P.M., ordered and advance. Brigadier-General Appleyard was to descend and cross the Khaibar stream at Lalla China, and, under shelter of a spur, to work round towards the line of the enemy's intrenchments to our left; our right to advance on to the ridge in front of Shagai; 11-9th Royal Artillery (Mountain Battery) to take up a position there also and open fire; and I.-C., Royal Horse Artillery, with the escort of the 10th Hussars, to descend into the Khaibar stream and take up the most suitable position to aid in silencing the enemy's fire.

About 3-30 P.M. my right was in sharp conflict with the enemy's left, which occupied an inaccessible position along the face of a precipitous cliff, and on one point of which they had a gun in position. No further advance could be made on this side beyond pushing on a small party in the right centre, which, from the nature of the ground, was well protected.

In the meantime the Heavy Battery and E-3rd Royal Artillery, taking the place of the Horse Artillery, kept up a constant fire on the enemy's position, and I.-C., Royal Horse Artillery, having descended and advanced to the bend of the stream came into action there at 1,000 yards.

As the day was closing in, I sent word to Brigadier-General Appleyard not to advance beyond an indicated ridge; but before my orderly officer could reach him to deliver the order, his skirmishers had advanced and had arrived close on the enemy's position, when a sharp fire was exchanged within a very short distance. At this point Major Birch and Lieutenant FitzGerald of the 27th Punjab Infantry met their death whilst gallantly leading their men. Here also Captain Maclean was wounded, and many casualties took place in the 14th Sikhs and 27th Punjab Infantry.

Darkness now stopped further operations; and Brigadier-General Appleyard withdrew his men to the ridge I had previously selected for him to hold.

In these positions we bivouacked for the night: and up to this time I had failed to receive any intelligence of the movements of my two brigades which, as has been previously indicated, had been detached to turn the enemy's flank.

During the night I decided to reinforce Brigadier-General Appleyard with the Mountain Battery and some infantry from my right, so as to attack the enemy's right defences the following morning, after the Artillery had shelled the position well for half an hour.

When it was daylight, I observed the Mountain Battery, which was on its way to join Brigadier-General Appleyard, crossing the steam unmolested, where, on the previous evening, I C. Royal Horse Artillery had been under a sharp fire; and there being also no reply to the three guns which then opened on the fort, I concluded it was abandoned. Further firing was therefore stopped; an advance was ordered; and, as supposed, the fort and entrenchments were found to be abandoned. The camp was standing, and there was evidence of a hurried flight, nothing whatever having been carried away. Twenty-four guns and large quantities of ammunition, both ordnance and rifle, fell into our possession.

The prisoners, of whom a number were captured by the turning brigade, stated that the cavalry, at about 5 P.M., first attempted to escape, but were checked at Kota Koosta by the Guides and the 1st Sikhs, and that they were followed by a portion of the infantry, who laid down their arms after receiving a volley. The main body of the garrison, finding the direct line of retreat cut off, fled by the Pesh Bolak track, which lay through their right entrenchments. The flight appears to have commenced when it became dark, but the Pass Afridis, who had been watching the combat during the day from the neighbouring heights, were soon in pursuit, and robbed the enemy of all they possessed, securing a great number of rifles.

The Mir Akhor and other Sardars, it is stated, escaped by this route.

I remained during the 22nd at Ali Masjid, and opened communication with my two advanced brigades. On the 23rd I marched for Lundi Khana with I-C. Royal Horse Artillery, the 10th Hussars, the Guide Cavalry, and the 14th Sikhs, arriving there at 3-30 P.M. The Guide Cavalry, accompanied by Major Cavagnari, C.I S., I ordered on to Dhaka, ten miles further on, and which place they reached and occupied at 6 P.M.

Brigadier-General Appleyard followed the next day with the 3rd Brigade and 11-9th Royal Artillery to Lundi Khana Kotal, where they have remained. The 1st and 2nd Brigade came on to Dhaka.

The 4th Brigade under Brigadier-General Browne, with 3rd Royal Artillery and the Heavy Battery, I left at Ali Musjid, the 11th Bengal Lancers remaining also in the vicinity, in view to keeping open my communication at the lower end of the Pass.

The above is a general report of the proceedings of the force under my command from the time of leaving Jamrud to the occupation of Dhaka. Subsidiary reports will be submitted when I am in receipt of them from the officers commanding brigades

I trust the result of the operations will be deemed satisfactory.

I can now only further add that the whole of the troops, officers, and men, did their duty in a manner meriting the warmest approval of Government, and upheld the character of the British and Native Army of Her Majesty.

I have, &c.,

S. J. BROWNE, *Lieut.-Genl.*,

Comdg. the 1st Division, Peshawar Field Force.

P. S.—I append a return of casualties and of the ordnance captured.

Return of Casualties in the 1st Division of the Peshawar Field Force in the attack and capture of the Fort of Ali Masjid, 21st November 1878.

Corps.	Killed.						Wounded.					Missing.			Total.
	British Officers.	Native Officers.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Drummers and Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Bheesties.	British Officers.	Native Officers.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Drummers and Trumpeters.	Rank and File.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Rank and File.	Doolie Bearers.	
"I" Battery "O" Brigade Royal Horse Artillery.	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	1	6
No. 11 Battery 9th Brigade Royal Horse Artillery.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	5
51st K. O. Light Infantry	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
14th Bengal Native Infantry... ...	...	...	2	...	6	...	1	...	3	1	12	...	...	...	25
20th ditto ditto	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
27th ditto ditto	2	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	1	...	6	...	...	...	13
1st Sikh Infantry	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Total ...	2	...	2	...	11	1	1	...	5	2	26	...	1	1	52
Grand Total	16						34					2			

KILLED.

Major H. H. Birch, Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating Commandant, 27th Native Infantry.
Lieutenant T. O. FitzGerald, Bengal Staff Corps, Quarter-Master, 27th Native Infantry.

WOUNDED.

Captain J. G. Maclean, General List Infantry, Wing Commander, 14th Native Infantry.—Severely.

List of Ordnance captured in Ali Masjid and its positions on the 21st November 1878.

Positions.	Field Ordnance, Brass.		Brass 5½-inches howitzers.	Mountain 7-pounders.		Ammunition Wagons.	Remarks.
	9-pounders.	6-pounders.		Brass.	Iron.		
Right Position	.....	.....	.....	2	4	...	One gun and carriage totally destroyed.
Right Centre Position	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	...	
THE KNOLL.							
Ali Masjid.							
Top Battery	.....	5	1	.....	2	1	One wheel destroyed.
Half-way Battery	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1	
Foot Battery	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	
Left Centre Position	.....	2	1	.....	.....	1	
Left Position	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	...	I have since heard that a gun has been discovered in a cave on the extreme left of the position.
Total ...	1	9	2	5	6	3	All well supplied with ammunition.

These are, to the best of my belief, the correct numbers and calibres of the several pieces of ordnance in their several positions. I had no means of weighing the shells, &c.

ALI MASJID,
The 22nd November 1878.

S. BROWNE, *Lieut.-Genl.*,
Comdg. 1st Division, Peshawar Field Force.

ARTHUR CROOKSHANK, *Captain*,
Offg. Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
with the Governor-General.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Fort William, the 27th December 1878.

No. 1214.—LONDON GAZETTE—

The undermentioned Officers to be Colonels :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel William Turton Fagan, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 28th July 1878.

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SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.—BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Charles Campbell Daunt, V.C. Dated 20th July 1878.

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Major Hardress Edmond Waller. Dated 10th August 1878.

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No. 1218.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Charles Henry Blackburn to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant Reginald Augustus Donnithorne, resigned.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 13th January 1879, corresponding with 5th Magh 1286 F. S.

The purchasers of these estates will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset prices. The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.
33	3563	Amanat Sirkar, Jalkar Mohni, pergunnah Pherkia	438 0 31	393 0 0	5,860 0 0
34	3029	Amanat Sirkar, thana Parbeta, pergunnah Pherkia	17 1 28	62 13 9	1,257 3 0
59	2606	Amanat Sirkar, Indruth, pergunnah Monghyr	6 1 22	13 9 0	271 4 0
6	986	Irazi Pathaman, pergunnah Malki	191 1 18	367 5 0	7,346 4 0
124	4454	Gouri, pergunnah Chadan Bhoka	1 3 9	11 15 0	238 12 0

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT MONGHYR, the 27th June 1878. C. F. MAGRATH, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on 13th of January 1879, corresponding with 1st Magh 1285 B.S.

The purchaser of this estate will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

1. The estate to be sold rent-free to the highest bidders above the upset prices.
2. If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.
3. If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.—

Number in statement of Government estates.	Name of estate and pergunnah	Area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS
		A. R P.	Rs. A. P.	
Nil ..	Bandaparah, pergunnah Selimpore.	1 0 12	40 10 0	To be sold under Board's order No. 630A, dated 16th October 1878.

HOOGHLY COLLECTORATE, the 19th November 1878. B. D. HIME, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 13th January 1870, corresponding with 1st Magh 1285 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
88	2199	Chakran Narainpore, pergunnah Baligori.	25 2 4	132 2 7	266 5 2	The purchaser will have his right to this estate from 1st April 1878, and he will be responsible for the revenue and other demands in connection with the estate from that date.

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 2nd November 1878. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Cuttack, will be put up to sale at the Cuttack Collectorate on Monday, the 6th January 1879, corresponding with the 24th Pous 1286 Umli.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

1. The purchaser of the estate will be considered as the proprietor of that estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, the only right reserved by Government being the right of revising the jumma at the conclusion of the term of the present settlement, and on the expiration of all future settlements. If on resettlement he should refuse to engage, he will be entitled to malikana.

The estate will be sold subject, up to the year 1897 A.D., to the Government revenue due against it to the highest bidder above the upset price.

2. The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force; and the purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3 If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4 If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
13	1396	Khas Mehal Mohespur, pergunnah Burnan	2 2 26	3 3 5	61 0 11

H. BRADON, *Offg. Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Monday, the 13th January 1879, corresponding with 1st Magh 1285 B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The estate to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of this estate will be considered as the proprietors of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to them subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2. The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3. If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4. If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
166	3687	Teliniparah, pergunnah Ambicca	1 1 38	4 15 4	9 14 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 25th November 1878. R. D. HIME, *Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Tipperah, will be put up to sale at the Tipperah Collectorate on the 14th January 1879, corresponding with 2nd Magh 1285 B.S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchasers of the estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them subject to revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2. The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3. If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4. If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estates to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number in the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
			A. R. P. Y.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	531	Taluk Gopi Nath Sil, pergunnah Gunanandi	8 2 21 0	3 1 9	6 3 6	
13	1170	,, Naratum Bolaram, pergunnah Purchandi.	1 1 1 0	0 10 8	1 5 4	
206	1752	,, Sham Chakra, pergunnah Gunanandi	2 2 9 0	5 6 6	10 13 0	
211	79	,, Amori Khan, pergunnah ,,	5 3 17 0	4 6 9	8 13 6	
209	548	,, Ghanesham, pergunnah ,,	5 3 31 0	6 11 5	13 6 10	
211	823	,, Kifyet Khan, pergunnah ,,	7 3 13 0	5 11 1	11 6 3	
304	417	,, Durga Charan Dhar, pergunnah ,,	2 0 1 0	8 11 3	17 6 6	
.....	822	,, Keshab Porohit, pergunnah Mohabalpur	2 3 31 16	4 5 0	8 10 0	
255	867	,, Doulat Khan, pergunnah Shakdi ...	5 1 1 0	3 3 6	6 7 0	
236	1584	,, Ram Uttam Datha, pergunnah Furakabad.	10 2 5 0	12 3 4	24 6 8	
265	78	,, Amori Das, pergunnah Shingargao ...	3 0 31 0	3 9 0	7 2 0	
250	1036	,, Manu Nazar, pergunnah Furakabad ...	3 3 28 11	4 4 7	8 9 2	The purchase will take effect from 1st Bysack 1285 B.S., and the purchasers will be liable to pay the Government revenue and will be entitled to get their rents from the tenants from that date.
237	1026	,, Mafwar Hassun, thana ,, ...	2 1 9 12½	60 6 0	120 12 0	
235	159	,, Bolaki, thana ,, ...	4 0 26 28	16 0 0	32 0 0	
215	1196	,, Omed Khan, pergunnah Gunanandi ...	2 2 23 6	3 0 8	6 1 4	
211	1013	,, Mullik Hassun, pergunnah ,, ...	3 2 1 9	3 6 3	6 12 6	
219	607	,, Hossun Khan, pergunnah ,, ...	3 0 38 0	1 10 5	3 4 10	
215	1098	,, Murad Khan, pergunnah ,, ...	2 0 36 0	1 1 3	2 2 6	
260	1788	,, Uzir Khan, pergunnah Moizardi ...	4 0 19 0	4 5 3	8 10 6	
248	761	,, Kali Charan Sharma, thana Furakabad.	4 0 36 0	1 10 5	3 4 10	
244	1423	,, Ram Gobind Chakra, thana Furakabad	4 2 16 0	2 9 6	5 3 0	
269	1376	,, Ram Boida Nath, pergunnah Singergao	3 0 29 0	2 9 7	5 3 2	
256	1682	,, Shib Ram Ghose, pergunnah Shakdi ...	21 0 19 0	17 7 6	34 15 0	
245	304	,, Chand Ram Gopi, thana Furakabad ...	2 1 36 0	2 9 6	5 3 0	
240	38	,, Asizullah, thana ,, ...	2 1 21 0	12 5 1	24 10 2	
213	962	,, Mohamed Hassun, pergunnah Gunanandi.	2 2 12 0	0 12 5	1 8 10	
.....	288	,, Chandan Hisabdi, pergunnah Gunanandi.	0 1 19 10	0 7 3	0 14 6	
.....	1113	,, Naboo Khan, pergunnah Gunanandi ...	1 0 25 5	1 6 3	2 13 6	
243	1477	,, Ram Krishna Shome, thana Furakabad.	12 0 23 3	18 13 10	37 11 8	
193	416	,, Durga Charan Mitra, pergunnah Tora	7 0 6 2	9 12 7	19 9 2	The purchase will take effect from 1st Bysak 1286 B.S., as the existing farming lease of the estate does not expire before the 30th Chyet 1285 B.S.

TIPPERAH COLLECTORATE, the 30th November 1878. F. JONES, *Offg Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 24th January 1879, corresponding with 12th Magh 1285 B. S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee number.	Sudder jumma.	Name of mehal.	Names of proprietors.	Arrear revenue due to Government.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.
2703	1,030 8 9½	Hissa Amanullah, pergunnah Jalalpore.	Chandidas Guha, Govinda Chandra Basu, and Mahima Chandra Sha, joint proprietors.	32 6 5
	Deduct on account of separate account, 955 10 4			
	983 14 9½			
4038	4,078 6 9½	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad, hissa ten annas, zemindar Bashu Dev Ray.	Guruprasad, Prem Chand, Kisari Mohan, Gupi Mohan, Bankanta Mohan, Harlal Roy, Shita Moni Jasaki Devya, Satyabati Devya and Nagarbashi Kundu.	1,550 9 8½
	Road fund ... 40 13 0			
	4,119 4 9½			
4040	742 10 1	Khasat Garipore in Char Dhupariya.	Jagabandhu, Sreo Nath Basu, Hara Sundari Dasya, widow of Kali Sanker Guha, deceased, Mr. J. P. Wise, Moulavi Mohasinuddin *alias* Dudu Meah and Gunga Money.	0 7 11
6220	597 12 3	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad, mouzah Kul Chari, &c.	Eight annas share Kailash Chandra Chakravarti ...	88 0 4½
	Deduct on account of separate account, 298 14 1½			
	298 14 1½			

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 13th December 1878. J. ANDERSON, *Collector*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Jessore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 6th day of January 1879, corresponding with the 23rd Pous 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th September 1878.

CLASS I.—*Permanently-settled Estates.*

No. 76.—Kismut Fazilpur, pergunnah Mahmoodshahi; recorded proprietors Shunkersun Bose, Kali Charan Bose, and Pran Nath Bose; bearing sudder jumma of Rs. 1,780-5-4; will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue of Rs. 6-14-5.

No. 235.—Pergunnah Rakdia; recorded proprietor Promotho Nath Deb and Nilakant Banerjee; sudder jumma Rs. 7,528-3-11½; will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue of Rs. 1,108-7-9½.

No. 4819.—Dehi Bansberia pergunnah Moolghur; recorded proprietor Hurychoitunn Ghose, on behalf of the minors Monmotho Nath, Grija Nath, Sutendro Nath Roy Chowdhuries, and Kasi Nath, Oma Nath, Parbutty Chowdhury and Jodubindro Nath Roy Chowdhury himself and guardian and manager on behalf of the minors Norendro Nath and Amurendro Nath Roy Chowdhuris. The sudder jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 3,546-14-2, of which one share of Kasi Nath and Oomar Nath Roy Chowdhuries, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 709-6-0½, will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue of Rs. 307-13-0½.

No. 4821.—Dehi Kanarail, pergunnah Moolghur; recorded proprietors Mudhoodhur Munjur, Tarini Charan Bose, Ramdhun Bose, Meer Bunda Ali, Nujifa and Lutifa Bibis, Gholam Hadem, Dwarka Nath Bose, Krishna Mohan Das, Ram Charan Chuckerbutty, Gour Mohon Sirkar, Umbica Charan and Ishur Chunder Bose, Bungshi Mohun Bose, Brindabun Chunder and Sresh Chunder Sarkar, Ramdhon Biswas, Jogo Mohon Chatterjee, Meer Hububus Sobhan, Abhilas Chunder Chatterjee, Goonomoni Debia, mother of minors Shotesh Chunder Roy and Ronokali Debia. The sudder jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 5,254-6-4, of which one share belonging to Modhoodhur Munjer, Tarini Charan Bose, Ramdhone Bose, Meer Bund Ali, Nufija and Lutifa Bibis, Golam Hadem, Dwarka Nath Bose, Kristo Mohun Das, Ram Charan Chuckerbutty, Gour Mohun Sarkar, Umbica Charan and Ishur Chunder Bhoses, Bungshi Mohon Bose, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 1,658-11-2, will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue of Rs. 537-14-10.

No. 4822.—Taruf Rughoonathpur, pergunnah Moolghur; recorded proprietor Hurry Chowtunno Ghose, manager on behalf of minors Monmotho Nath, Grija Nath, Sutindro Nath Roy Chowdhuries,, Deb Nath, Kasi Nath, Parbutty Nath and Uma Nath Chowdhury and Jadubindro Nath Roy himself and guardian and manager on behalf of minors Norendro Nath and Amurendro Nath Roy Chowdhury. The sudder jumma of the entire estate is Rs 1,189-15-0, of which no share belonging to Kasi Nath and Oomar Nath Roy Chowdhuries, with sudder jumma of Rs. 237-15-9½, will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue Rs. 104-1-4.

No. 5023.—17½ gundas share of pergunnah Solimabad; recorded proprietors Nokuleshur Roy, Shama Charan Bose, Bisheshur Roy Chowdhury, Grish Chunder Ghose, Mohima Chunder Roy, Krishna Kamini Chowdhurani. The sudder jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 5,784-6-6, of which ½, or 4 gundas 1 cowri and 2 kags share, belonging to Grish Chunder Ghose, with sudder jumma of Rs. 1,446-1-7½, will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue of Rs. 415-13-4.

No. 5041.—Dehi Kura, pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietors Modhu Sudun, Nobokristo and Jodu Nath Chowdhuries, Ram Naram, Pran Nath and Radha Gobind Chowdhury himself and guardians on behalf of minor Adyonath Chowdhury and Pran Chand Chowdhury, Keshub Nath Chowdhury, Mothora Nath Acharjie and Chunder Moni Debia, mother and guardian of minor Kadar Nauth Acharjio, Doorga Moni Debia, Brohmoroop Gosvami, Rajendro Nath Mukerjee, Annund Lall Chowdhury, Annund Moye Debia and Sri Nauth Mukerjee, managers on behalf of minors Gopali Debia and Kader Nath Acharjio. The sudder jumma of the entire estate is Rs. 934-7-6, of which one share belonging to Modhu Sudon, Nobokristo and Jodu Nath Chowdhuris, with sudder jumma of Rs. 58-11-5, will be sold for the realization of arrear revenue of Rs. 4-13-9½.

F. B. TAYLOR, *Covtd Depy. Collector, in charge,*
for Offg. Collector.

JESSORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 30th November 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10th January 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	
1	1747	Taluk Mahomed Hayet, hissa 3 annas 5 gandas, pergunnah Chandradip.	Hare Krishna Das Babu, Damudar Das Babu, and Joy Krishna Das Babu.	1,808 15 2½	211 0 11½	The entire mehal will be put up to sale.
2	1914	Toppe Habeli Salimabad, hissa 10 gandas.	Iswar Chundra Roy, Jogat Mohini, Taramoni, Bama Sundari, Rukeni, Hara Moni, Jagultara, Ram Dayal Sen, Krishna Nundi Bhottacharjea, Prasanna Kumar Roy, Shambhu Chandra Chakrabarty, Shib Ram Sen, Gunga Prosad Shaha, Guru Prosad Shaha, Kala Chand Shamadar, Ram Redoy Sen Chowdhury, Bholrab Chandra Chowdhury, Ram Redoy Sen Chowdhury, Gour Mohan Dass, Ramdhone Roy, Ram Kumar Roy, Ram Dayal Roy, Ram Charn Roy, Chandar Kumar Roy, Prosanna Kumar Roy, Surjea Kumar Roy, and Raj Kumar Roy.	1,957 3 11	23 6 2½	Ditto ditto.
3	1918	Taluk Ramdeb Sen, hissa 12 annas 10½ gandas 2 kants 3 tils, pergunnah Habeli Salimabad.	Bhogoban Chandra Bhottacharjia, Gonga Das Mukapadhya, Ramdeb Sen, Durga Charan Sen, Moheswari, Rojani Nath Sen, Kally Kumar Dass, Radha Nath Bachaspaty, Jagat Chandra Sen, Kally Prosanna Sen, Obhoy Charn Sen, Kally Charn Sen, and Ramkomal Sen.	1,461 3 3	100 12 2½	Ditto ditto.
4	1927	Taluk Fattimohamed, pergunnah Kharya Bahadurnagar.	Alladi Bebi, Amina Bebi, Nurnnessa Khattan and Mir Abdul Jabbar.	738 3 9	173 0 0½	Ditto ditto.
5	3842	Pergunnah Salimabad, hissa 18½ gandas.	Mr. A. H Smith, Manager of the estate of Upendra Chandra Roy and Kiran Chander Roy; hissa 2 annas. Govinda Mala Chowdhurine, hissa 14 annas.	5,100 15 5½	1,049 12 10½	Of the estate 14 annas share being a sudder jumma of Rs. 4,463-5-4½ belonging to Govinda Mala Chowdhurine, will be sold for arrears of revenue and the remaining 2 annas share, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 637-9-10½, belonging to A. H. Smith as manager for which separate accounts were opened under Act XI of 1859, will be excluded from the sale
6	3845	Pergunnah Salimabad, hissa 13 gandas.	Raj Kumar Roy	5,601 1 1½	406 15 7½	Entire estate will be sold.
7	4532	Osat Taluq Hari Prosad Roy in abad Debpur, pergunnah Ratandi, Kahcapur.	Shama Charn Shamadar; hissa 11 annas	1,195 8 1	17 3 0	This 11 annas share of the estate is to be sold
8	5198	Char Kakra with Rampura.	Abdul Soban Miah, Eftekhanraddin Ahmed, Kasmurannessa Bebi, Alfannessa Bebi, Shahjan Bebi, Shashi Kumar *alias* Shashi Bhusan Sen, Krishna Chandra Chakrabaty, Moulvi Ahmed Ali, Tarak Nath Sen, Amina Bebi, Moulvi Amiruddi, Abdulla Miah for Rohiman Khattan, Abdulla Miah, and Umesalima; hissa 9 annas.	Revenue, 4,412 4 0 Road fund, 44 7 0 4,456 11 0	Revenue, 964 11 0 Road fund, 9 9 0 974 [illegible] 0	This 9 annas share of the estate will be put up to sale.

BACKERGUNGE COLLECTORATE, the 20th November 1878. J. KELLSHER, *Officiating Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on Thursday, the 9th January 1879, corresponding with 25th Pous 1285 B.S., and 27th Pous 1286 U.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th September 1878.

Towji No.	No. of A register.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears for which the estates are to be sold.
			Permanently-settled Estates.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
47	76	Amigaria, pergunnah Khandar.	Doorga Prosad Dey, Petambur Koondoo, Goluck Chunder Moshanto, Luchmi Narain Roy, Ramprosad Berah, Goluck Chunder Moshanto, Gopal Hury Roy, Krishna Prosad Roy, Aukhoy Narain, Radhakanto Roy and Pitambur Koondoo.	921 9 4	3 1 6
54	86	Ahad Parah, pergunnah Gugnapur.	Khetter Mohun, Luckhinarain Moshanto and Goluck Chunder Moshanto.	1,196 15 2	
			Deduct the share of Goluck Chunder Moshanto, of which a separate account has been opened.	448 13 9	
			Balance being the joint share of Khetter Mohun and Luckinarain Moshanto, which will not be sold for this arrear.	748 1 5	38 6 9
151	245	Burdah, pergunnah Subang.	Titaram, Kameda Churn Paul, Modhoo Sudun Hazrah, Anund Lall Paul and Modhoosoodun Hazrah.	775 15 3	
			Deduct the share of Anund Lall Paul, of which a separate account has been opened ... ... Rs. A. P. 166 4 2		
			Deduct the share of Moodhoosudun Hazrah, of which a separate account has been opened 290 3 8	456 7 10	
			Balance being the joint share of Titaram, Kanunda Charan Paul and Modhosudun Hazrah, will be put up to sale for the arrears of Government revenue ... 2 7 10	317 7 5	2 7 10
333	517	Bastupore, pergunnah Uttur Behar.	Boedonath Nath Dass, Saddhoo Charan, Nemai Dass, Gokul Charan, Mokur Charan, Jana Seyud Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassunnessa Bibee, Setul Churn Dass, Puddolochun Mitra, Shamachurun Paul, Bungbut Charan Maity, Sheik Khoyratally, Champoda Deyee, Komul Lochun Maity, Taruck Nath Mohapattro, Ramcharan Bera, and Tilottorrah Deyee, mother of Tarucknath Dass, and Boidonath Dutto.	4,676 14 11	
			Deduct the share of Tilothoma Deyee, mother of Tarucknath Dass, of which a separate account has been opened ... ... Rs. A. P. 1,062 2 5		
			Deduct the share of Boidonath Dutto on account of which a separate account has been opened 401 15 10	1,464 2 3	
			Balance being the joint share of Boidonath Dass, Shadhoo Charan, Nemai Charan Dass, Gokul Charan, Mokuncharan Jana, Seyud Mahomed Hossein himself and father of Wassunnissa Bibee, Setul Charan Dass, Puddhoolochun Mitra, Shama Charan Paul, Bhabut Charan Maity, Sheik Khoyratally, Champoda Deyee, Komul Lochun Maity, Tarucknath Mohapattro, and Ramcharan Berah, will be put up to sale for this arrear.	3,212 13 8	15 1 0
			Temporarily-settled Estates.		
303	1969	Mungulpur, pergunnah Pattashpur.	Choudhury Govendronundun Dass Mohapattro, Anund Lall Roy, and Kassinath Mitra.	2,069 7 0	
			Deduct the share of Kassinath Mitra, of which a separate account has been opened.	525 15 8	
			Balance being the joint share of Choudhury Gopendronundun Dass Mohapattro and Anundo Lall Roy, which will be put up to sale for this arrear.	1,543 7 4	120 10 1
			Permanently-settled Estates.		
392	662	Bhetur Binode, pergunnah Tuppa Bate Sita.	Choudhury Lukhinarain Moshanto, Neelmoni Moshanto, Choudhury Goluck Chundro Moshanto, and Choudhury Modhoo Soodun Moshanto.	1,658 14 10	
			Deduct the share of Choudhury Goluck Chundro Moshanto and Choudhury Modhoo Soodun Moshanto of which a separate account has been opened.	829 7 5	
			Balance being the joint share of Choudhury Lukhinarain Moshanto, and Choudhury Neelmoni Moshanto which will be put up to sale for this arrear	829 7 5	0 1 8
463	820	Chakoie *alias* Bonie, pergunnah Balitaki.	Premchand Moshanto and Udhubnarain Moshanto	718 8 5	1 6 4
552	965	Duttomuttah *alias* Ereuda, pergunnah Duttomuttah.	Sreebullub Choudhury and Radhika Deye	1,029 9 1	49 13 8
617	1119	Garoopatah, pergunnah Kasijorah.	Godhadhur Bera, Gungaprosad Bera, Choudhury Bera, Nilambur Bera, Boidonath Bera, Bissumbur Bera, Doorgaprosad Bera, Brojomohun Bera, and Sreemuttya Mungola mother and guardian of Nilambur Mohapattro and Nilambur Mohapattro.	1,235 8 1	
			Deduct the share of Nilambur Mohapatro, for which a separate account has been opened.	652 1 9	
			Balance being the joint share of Godadhur Bera, Gungaprosad Bera, Choudhury Bera, Nilambur Bera, Boidonath Bera, Bissumbhur Bera, Doorgaprosad Bera, Brojomohun Bera, and Sreemuttya Mungola mother and guardian of Nilambur Mohapatro, which will be put up to sale or this arrear.	583 6 4	1 11 2
620	1122	Goomai, pergunnah Kasijorah.	Kupedutun Nessa, Moochni Bibi mother of Seyud Barkhandar Hossein and Bukhtbedar Hossein, Sreemutty Fattima Bibi, Seyud Aburull Hossein, Seyud Isurul Hossein, Seyud Enamul Hossein, and Ramtaruk Roy Choudhury.	570 0 8 Including police.	
			Deduct the share of Ramtaruk Roy Chowdhry, for which a separate account has been opened.	101 3 0	
			Balance being the joint share of Kusidutun Nessa, Muchni Bibi, mother of Seyud Borkhardar Hossein, and Bhuktbedar Hossein, Sreemutty Fattima Bibi, Seyud Aburull Hossein, Seyud Esarul Hossein and Seyud Enamul Hossein, which will be sold for this arrear	468 13 8	0 7 7
754	1361	Juggunathpur *alias* Moosadpur, pergunnah Shahapur.	Muddun Mohun Maity	1,073 15 6	13 8 10
795	1420	Jofolia, pergunnah Khurgpur.	Darikanath Moshunto, Darponarain Moshanto, Sreemuttya Jomuna Moni Dassi, mother and guardian of Sodanund Moshanto minor, Sreemuttya Basumuty Dassi mother and guardian of Nibodhpo Chundro Moshanto, minor Sreemutty Prosonomui Dassi and Woomacharan Mohapatro.	873 11 0	1 0 0
832	1487	Koottapara, pergunnah Subung.	Modun Mohun Maity	855 13 8	8 8 4
879	1557	Kusida *alias* Shahra Ping, pergunnah Rajgurh.	Bhorut Charan Sutpati	760 0 4	0 6 0
898	1576	Kushbah, pergunnah Egra.	Lukhinarain Kur Mohapattro, Gunganarain Pahari, Sherupnarain Pahary Protapnarain Pahary and Doorgaprosad Pahary.	855 11 7	4 2 6
961	1753	Tehotter Pal-Selmabad *alias* Selmabad, pergunnah Umerah.	Modun Mohun Maity, Kristo Prosad Mohapattro, Koowar Narain Myeal and Mothur Mohun Maity.	1,491 6 3	13 2 3

Touji No.	No. of Register.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
969	1717	Naloca *alias* Bul Bhadropur, pergunnah Umersi.	Ramprosad Borah	924 13 1	72 12 11
971	1779	Negna, pergunnah Shipur.	Hurinarain Chaudhury, Kassinath Pahari, Doorgaprosad Pahari, Sreemuttya Sabitra Debya, Chundicharan Pahari, Nityanund Dass Mohapattro, Renuka Deyee Choudhorain, Bholanath Missree, Nilkunto Missree, Rughoonath Mitter, Kassinath Pahari, Doorgaprosad Pahari, Nittyanund Dass Mohapattro.		
			Rs. A. P.		
			Deduct the share of Kassinath Pahari and Doorgaprosad Pahari, for which a separate account has been opened 1,432 2 2		
			Deduct the share of Nityanund Dass Mohapatro, for which a separate account has been opened 126 7 10	1,558 10 0	
			Balance being the joint share of Hury Narain Chowdhury, Kassinath Pahary, Doorgaprosad Pahary, Sreemuttya Sabitra Debya, Chundicharan Pahary, Nittyanund Dass Mohapattro, Renuka Deyee Choudhoranee, Bholanath Misri, Nilkunto Missree, and Rughonath, Misri, will be sold for this arrear.	1,066 2 0	0 10 7
1191	2159	Puschim, Masarah *alias* Betal Khutian, pergunnah Bhoonyamuttah.	Annud Lall Roy, Sreemuttya Brohmomoie, widow of Nundo Lall Roy and adoptive mother of Guzendro Lall Roy minor, and Sreemutty Tarawone mother of Shorupnarain Roy minor.	3,020 11 8	170 4 1
1293	2357	Radhanuggur, pergunnah Khutnugur.	Punchanun Kanongoi, Noronarain Dass Kanongoi., Guruprosad Dey, Punchanund Acharjea, Jeetaram Roy, Sadhoocharan Manna, Haro Charan Dass, Modhoo Sudun Dey, Guruprosad Jana, Huronarain Jana, Umaprosad Dey, Pittambur Pattro, Hury Charan Dey, Lalmohun Das, Gokulcharan Brohmo, Buloram Brohmo, Damoodur Brohmo, Sreemutty Brohmomoyee wife of Ramnarain Roy and Badul Khan.	2,654 13 2	
			Rs. A. P.		
			Deduct the share of Gokul Brohmo, Damoodur Brohmo and Bullaram Brohmo, for which a separate account has been opened 98 2 9		
			Deduct the share of Sreemutty Brohmomoyee, wife of Ramnarain Roy, for which separate account has been opened 24 8 7		
			Deduct the separate account of Badul Khan 46 14 10	169 10 2	
			Balance being the joint share of Punchanun Kanongoi, Nuronarain Dass Kanongoi, Guruprosad Dey, Punchanund Acharjea, Jeetram Roy, Sadhoocharan Manna, Harocharan Das, Madhoo Soodun Dey, Guruprasad Jana, Huronarain, Jana, Umaprosad Dey, Pittambur Pattro, Hurycharan Dey, and Lall Mohun Dass, which will be sold for arrears of revenue.	2,485 8 0	5 6 6
1366	2483	Shelarah, pergunnah Subung.	Janardun Dass and Mothurmohun Nundi	555 11 8	8 1 4
1372	2489	Shamsora, pergunnah Subung.	Sreekanto Ghose, Trokeer Chundro Ghose, Neelkunto Ghose, Huromon Mohini Dassy, Nundo Lall Dey, Sreemutty Dassy, mother of Jugomohun Dass minor and wife of Bhagbut Chunder Dass, Shamsunder Dass, Nilkunto Dey, Radhagobind Singh, Bhagbut Chunder Dass and Huryhur Dass.	1,195 11 8	
			Rs. A. P.		
			Deduct separate account of Radhagobind Singh ... 336 4 10		
			Deduct separate account of Bhagbut Chunder Das and Huryhur Dass 118 1 11	448 6 9	
			Balance being the joint share of Sreekanto Ghose, Trokeer Chandra Ghose, Neelkunto Ghose, Hurromon Mohini Dassy, Nundolal Dey, Sreemutty Dassy mother of Jugomohun Dass minor and wife of Bhagbut Chunder Dass, Shamsundur Dass and Nilkunto Dey, will be sold for this arrear.	747 4 11	3 3 0
1393	2513	Sheemlia, pergunnah Bhunyamatta.	Chaudhury Anundolal Roy, Sreemutya Taramoni mother of Chaudhury Sharup Narain Roy minor, Sreemuttya Brahmomoyee widow of Nundo Lall Roy and adoptive mother of Gusendro Lal Roy minor.	700 9 5	17 14 3
1394	2514	Ditto ...	Chaudhury Anund Lal Roy, Sreemuttya Taramoni mother of Chaudhury Sharup Narain Roy minor, and Sreemuttya Brahmomoyee widow of Nundo Lal Roy and adoptive mother of Gusendro Lal Roy minor.	1,070 9 6	28 4 4
1507	2735	Tildapara, pergunnah Borni Chour.	Chundrosekur Kur, Radhakisto Das father and guardian of Raghunath Dass minor, Juddoonath Das and Jeetram Kur.	505 1 1	7 7 7
			Temporarily-settled Estate.	Including road fund.	
128	1425	Jallamutta, pergunnah Jallamutta.	Guzendro Narain Roy and Sreemutya Huripria Debya	99,227 8 0	7,815 3 6
			Permanently-settled Estate.		
1190	2156	Panjonkool, pergunnah Bhooya Mootta.	Anundo Lall Roy, Ranee Brohmo Moi, widow of Nundo Lall Roy and adoptive mother of Gozendro Lall Roy, Sreemuttee Taramonee, mother of Chowdhery Sorup Narain Roy minor.	661 8 11	17 1 5

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 23rd November 1878. T. D. BEIGHTON, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district o Noakholly will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10t January 1879, corresponding with 27th Pous 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Number in touji.	Names of estates.	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma.	Balance due.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
46	Pergunnah Sundeep, Kismut Mohendro Narain.	Sheik Mohamed Asanullah Chowdhury and Sheik Mohamed Rohimullah Chowdhury.	637 1 11	218 14 6
88	Pergunnah Omrabad, share 5*as.* 6*g.* 2*c.* 2*kt.* 6	Srimati Roshan Bibi, Obedonnissa, Ahkarim, Moonshi Ali Mohamed, Srimati Karatonnessa and Moonshi Ah Karim, guardian of Moonshi Ozibuddeen Ahmed, Srimati Kafaranness, Srimati Bodaranessa, Srimati Zoharannessa, Srimati Solara Khatoon, minors, and Kali Kisor Guha Roy and Kali Kisor Guha, manager on the part of Nanda Kisor Guha, Raj Kisor Guha, and Radha Mohan Guha.	1,716 12 10	84 12 3
207	Pergunnah Dandra, Char Shabhikary, share 4 annas.	Moonshi Mohamed Manawar Ali Chowdhury, Moonshi Mohamed Mazafar Ali and Ram Kamal Das Bhuia.	1,388 0 0	138 8 0
			One per cent. road fund. 14 0 0	1 0 0

NOAKHOLLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 2nd December 1878. A. MANSON, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Monday, the 6th January 1879, answering to 23rd Pous 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Number in Touzee.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue of the estate.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
137	Pergunnah Shushung, hisha 2 annas, excluding the share separated under Act XI of 1859 as shown below:—	Raja Rama Nath Singh and others	651 9 0	118 7 0
	Pergunnah Shushung, hisha 11g. 1k. 1j. ..	„ Kalli Chandra Singh	69 15 0	.....
	Pergunnah Shushung, hisha 2 annas 16½g. 1k. 2d.	Rani Gour Sundari Devia	353 8 0	.....
	Pergunnah Shushung, hisha 15½g. 2k. 16j.	Raja Kalli Kishore Singh and others	96 1 0	.....
	„ „ „ 1 annas 2½g. 2j.	„ Hur Chandra Singh and others	139 14 0	.....
	„ „ „ 4 annas 3k. 1k. 2d.	Rani Kadrani Devia, trustee of Raja Janoki Nath Singh and others.	502 10 0	.....
	„ „ „ 11g. 1k. 1j. ...	„ Mothura Kanta Singh and others	69 15 0	.....
	„ „ „ 1g. 1d. ...	Brommo Mye Devia	6 6 0	.....
	„ „ „ 8½g. 2k. 1d..	Kalli Prosunno Singh	52 5 0	.....
	„ „ „ 7½g. 2k. ...	Brojo Kishori Devia	46 1 0	.....
		Total ...	1,9-8 4 0	118 7 0
4245	Taluk Shaker Mahamed Kismut Dowlutpore, Digur pergunnah Puktoria, hisha 3 annas 15g. excluding the share separated under Act XI of 1859 as shown below:—	Ram Chandra Surma Sarkar	183 10 4	.....
	Ditto ditto, hisha 14½g. 2k. ..	Hur Chandra Bhumick	24 14 0	.....
	„ „ „ 16½g. 2k. 16j. ..	Mukta Sundari Devia	29 0 2	.....
	„ „ „ 2 annas 2g. 7k.	Gopal Krishno Poddar	74 9 9	.....
	„ „ „ 12½g. ...	Govind Chandra Ghatuck	22 3 0	.....
	„ „ „ 12½g. ...	Kashi Chundra Ghatuck	22 3 0	.....
	„ „ „ 2g 10j. ...	Hur Chandra Bhumick	4 2 3	.....
	„ „ „ 6g. 1k. ...	Radha Sunder Ghatuck	11 1 0	.....
	„ „ „ 6g. 1k. ...	Annond Mohun Ghatuck	11 1 0	.....
	„ „ „ 1 annas 17½g. ..	Pran Gour Mozumdar and others	66 6 4	.....
	„ „ „ 4 annas 15g.	Goluck Chandra Ghatuck and others	167 14 3	7 6 4
		Total ...	565 15 0	7 6 4
		Class II.—Temporarily-settled Estates.		
4065	Chur close to the jail, pergunnah Alapsing, excluding the share separated under Act XI of 1859, as shown below:—	Hur Sundari Devia and others	1,107 1 0	276 10 0
	Ditto ditto	Deno Moye Devia	103 1 0	25 12 0
	Ditto ditto	Minor Jogut Kishore Acherjeea Chowdhuri	628 3 0	...
	Ditto ditto	Surja Kanta Acherjeea Chowdhuri	635 11 0	158 11 0
		Total ...	2,474 0 0	461 0 0

MYMENSINGH COLLECTORATE, the 4th December 1878. R. H. PAWSEY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Gya will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 8th January 1879, corresponding with 30th Pous 1286 F. S., for arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Description of mehal.	Number of rent roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of proprietors.	Suddor jumma.	Amount of arrear for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Permanently-settled.	2009	Mohomudpoor Bhallai, pergunnah Bhallawar.	Mussamut Bhekoo and Gurbhoo, Dulmir Khan, Huruk Norain Singh.	529 1 0	10 12 0	The whole mehal will be sold.
Ditto ...	879	Jugdispore Arundi, pergunnah Goh.	Meer Kadir Ally, Raza Khan Bahadoor, Agzur Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Gungoo Singh, Jeet Singh, Deodhary Singh, Mussamut Seetakoer, Ram Lachun Singh, Deo Narain Singh, Kasee Singh, Purmeshur Singh.	803 12 0	3 11 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 111-13-0, is to be sold.
Ditto ...	949	Goh Kushey, pergunnah Goh.	Telukdhary Singh, Gunga Deo Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Deoki Nundun Singh, Bhagwan Dass self and guardian of Ruggoo Dass, minor brother Moonshee Ameer Ally, Mussamut Talabandi Koer.	681 1 0	24 4 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 553-6-0, is to be sold.
Moostagiri.	3190	Sarawan Talooqa 61 Kalan Dehat Warana, pergunnah Sherghatty.	Gondi Singh, auction purchaser ...	7,569 3 0	1,419 4 0	The only share of Gondi Singh, the auction purchaser, will be sold.
				Mal, 6,728 3 0	Mal, 1,261 9 0	
				Malikana, 841 0 0	Malikana, 157 11 0	
				7,569 3 0	1,419 4 0	
Permanently-settled.	3224	Kandi Talooqa, pergunnah Sherghatty.	Sikundur Ally Khan, Syed Habilool Hossen, Mussamut Fuzeltool Nissa *alias* Janka, Goor Sahay Sahoo, Sookhdeo Sahay, Nean Mali Koer, Gunpat Lall, Chummun Saha, Chet Lall, Kheroo Dhur Padheya, *alias* Gunoo Padhya, self and manager of Somo Narain Padheya, *alias* Deon Padheya, minor brothers Abdool Khan, Mussamut Thakooroo Koer, Luchee Mahton, Saheb Ally Khan, Mussamut Monirun Bebee, Zenurun Bebee, Jahajir Rux Khan, Mussamut Zeynub, *alias* Arsani, Mussamut Dofoorsan Bebee, Gossin Mohan Geer, ijmal shareholders Bishoon Padheya, Tornut Padheya.	3,303 5 0	35 13 0	The separate share of Bishoon Padheya and Turnut Padheya, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 160-13 and ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 762-10, are to be sold.
					Separate share, 2 11 0	
					Ijmal, 33 2 0	
					35 13 0	
Ditto ...	3265	Manikchuk Talooqa, pergunnah Sherghatty.	Afzal Bebee, Waloe Hussen Bebee, Baboo Sikundar Ally, Saheb Singh, and Luchee Mahton.	658 1 0	1 10 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue Rs. 44-12, is to be sold.
Permanently-settled.	3513	Karma Misser, &c., pergunnah Seria.	Saroop Narain Singh, Jugmer Nath Singh, Khajeh Ally Reza, Molvi Fozal Hussen, Meerza Dost Mohomud, father and guardian of Mussamut Mornim, Mussamut Jhona Koer, Sheo Saran Singh.	842 1 0	5 4 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 584-13-0, is to be sold.

GYA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, *the 13th December* 1878. R. H. GREAVES, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th January 1879, corresponding with the 12th Magh 1285 B. S., on Friday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Touji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
74	Kismut turf Malanchi, pergunnah Sendoori.	Sheik Mahommed Naki and others ...	1,634 12 0	23 0 0	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Mahomed Naki and Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs. 1,149-8-0, will be sold.
118	Kismut turf Bhanrara, pergunnah Bajuras Najirpore.	Anarwar Ali Khan and others	2,750 13 0	56 3 0	This mehal is under butwara. The shares of Anar Ali Khan, Sandashi Gobbur Bibee, Sadi Khan, Azimanessa, Nuranessa, Hassibannessa, and Saroda Sundari Devya, from which the arrears are due, will be sold. The other shares are exempted from sale.
163	New accretions to kismut turf Sujanagar, Nischintapur, pergunnah Mahamudshahye.	Annada Govinda Choudhuri and others	1,688 5 0	63 12 0	The shares on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Annada Gobinda Chaudhuri and Nithokali Devya, mother of Sri Govinda Chaudhuri, with a revenue of Rs. 1,278-14-0, including the Road Fund from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
175	Kismut turf Shayampur, pergunnah Amirabad.	Moonshi Mahomed Hafez and others	3,156 9 0 Police, 5 1 0 3,161 10 0	81 2 0	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares. The share of Moonshi Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs 2,709-5-0, including police from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
203	Kismut Chuk Govindapur, pergunnah Katermulla.	Ram Sundari Devya and Govinda Lahory.	1,560 0 0 Police, 14 15 0 1,574 15 0	2 3 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
230	Dehi Protab, pergunnah Katar Mahalla.	Banawarilal Roy, Umakanta Bhuttacharya minors, Lakshi Kanta, Chandra Kanta, Surja Kanta, Kamini Kanta, Jammi Kanta Bhuttacharya, Gobinda Nath Roy, Nityananda Pulin Chundra, Radha Govinda, Brojo Govinda, Goti Gobinda, Krisna Nath, Broja Nath, Goloknath Nag, Gaur Mohan Nanda Lal, Radha Krisna, Broja Mohan, Gopi Mohan, Krisna Das Gosvame, Sib Soondari Devya, Gaur Hari, Krisna Chundra, Kanaya Lal Gosvami, Annapurna Devya, Krisna Behary Roy, Madhu Mati *alias* Trepura Sundari, Krisna Sundar, Janoki Nath, Jagoda Nanda, Bepin Behari Gosvami, Podda Moni Devya minor, Gopal Ram Narayan Gosvami, Sasi Bhusan Gosvami, Ram Gosvami.	9,871 2 0 Police, 53 5 0 9,924 7 0	74 15 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
276	Kismut Guakhara and others, pergunnah Sona-bajoo.	Kashi Chundra Maitra, Indra Mani Devya and others.	1,871 3 0	58 6 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Indra Mani Devya, Shambhu Nath, Biswa Nath Talookdar, Krisna Sundar and Jadab Chandra Chaudhuri Prosad Talook, Ram Sundari Devya, wife of Govinda Chandra Lahiri, Ramkissore Talookdar, Doorga Das Chaudhurs, Nil Govinda Girish Chundra Talookdar, Moumayi Devya, mother of Saroda Prosad Lahiri, Juggo Mohan Kunja Mohan Talookdar, and Kali Chandra Moitra, with a revenue of Rs. 1,403-5-0 from which the arrear is due, will be sold.

W. M. CLAY, *Offg. Collector of Pubna.*

Notice of Sale.

APPLICATIONS are hereby invited for the purchase of the rights and interest of the late Baboo Purmesharry Proshad Narayon Singh, of Nurhan (whose estate is now under the management of the Court of Wards), in mehals Shadequepore, Nawada, in zillah Patna and Jagodishpore Sahash and Hurlochunpore, in the district of Morufferpore. Details of the sudder jumma and rental, &c., are given below.

2. Applications are to be made to the undersigned, the terms of purchase being subjected to sanction of the Court of Wards before the sale is completed.

3. Villages Jagodishpore Sahash and Hurlochunpore are let out on lease which will expire at the close of 1286 Fusli or September 1879.

Name of village.	Pergunnah.	District.	Area and share.	Government revenue.	Mofussil jumma.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Shadequepore Nawada ...	Gyaspore	Patna	210b., 16 annas potty ...	797 0 0	1,053 0 0
Jugodishpore Sahash	Sarrea	Morufferpore	46b., ditto ...	60 0 0	98 0 0
Harlochunpore	Ditto	Ditto	385b., ditto ...	388 0 0	736 0 0

(733—2)

R. ABERCROMBIE, *Manager of the Nurhan Estate.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 21st Dec. 1878.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities		1,01,33,286 15 8
Reserve Fund		20,27,550 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		51,92,660 14 0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... .. Rs.	80,71,627 1 2		Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		87,26,370 1 1
Ditto at Branches ... „	1,07,79,269 8 0	1,88,50,896 9 2	Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches		1,82,16,747 4 0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,91,40,496 9 0	Balances with other Banks		4,52,869 7 7
Bank Post Bills, &c.		11,09,370 7 9	Bullion		.....
Sundries		10,03,670 9 8	Dead Stock		9,71,914 14 8
			Stamps		7,815 7 3
			Sundries		1,61,323 8 0
					4,38,52,488 8 3
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...Rs.	83,76,878 14 0	
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „	1,99,02,616 13 4	2,82,79,495 11 4
Rupees ...		7,21,31,984 3 7	Rupees ...		7,21,31,984 3 7

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 27th December 1878.*

W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accott. and Dy. Secy.* (735—1)

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' import warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
Dec. 16	7 Cases, B T C in a diamond, bottom N ...	Order ...	S. S. Manora.
,, 16	3 Cases, B T C in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	23 Cases, G. D. & Co. in a block, bottom B. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Case, N G, with N below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Case, 223 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, A G	Ditto ...	S. S. Memfi.
,, 18	1 Case, B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, addressed	R. Haegert ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, P M	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 21	2 Casks, A. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ship Howrah.
,, 21	4 Casks, B. C. S. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Cask, no mark or T N R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	3 Casks, T N R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1570 Cakes Spelter, V	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Cask, J. W. & Co., bottom C	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Venice.
,, 20	49 Packages, 436 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Discoverer.
,, 20	1 Case, F. G. J. M. & Co., bottom T M ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	6 Cases, F. G. J. M. Co., bottom G S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, F. G. J. M. Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	4 Casks, F. G J. M. Co., bottom I & S... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	47 Kegs, I in a triangle, bottom M N	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	3 Kegs, I in a triangle, bottom M N or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	190 Bundles Hoop Iron, M L K or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	3 Casks, J C, bottom G	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	48 Cases, M in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	138 Packages, O. J. M. Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	4 Packages, O. J. M. Co., bottom N. W. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	6 Packages, O. J. M. Co., bottom I & S ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	35 Packages, O. J. M. Co., bottom C B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, O. J. M. Co., bottom S W	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, O. J. M. Co., bottom R. M. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Wheel, P B in a diamond	Bird & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, R T C, bottom T M	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 20	2 Cases, R. T. C & Co	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	4 Casks, R T C, bottom I & S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	3 Cases, S L S in a diamond, outside W C S K ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, S J in a diamond, top H. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	13 Cases, S. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Cask, T C T	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	32 Cases, W. M. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, addressed	John Elliott & Co....	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, B L, bottom D	Order ...	Ship Helen Pembroke.
,, 20	5 Packages, 397 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, 125 in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	4 Cases, G K C C in a cross	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	2 Packages, 99 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co. ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 20	144 Cases, 130 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, H K B & A B in a diamond	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, M I M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	3 Casks, 791 in a diamond, top E, bottom R or no mark.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	12 Casks, M. M. Co. in a block, bottom J. B. W. & Co.	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, B D C & B or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Case, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	4 Casks, R. K. S. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	1 Cake Spelter, P & T, bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	5 Kegs, no mark or Madras	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	3 Barrels, M. M. & Co. in a block, bottom T. H. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 28th December 1878. (742—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 26th December 1878.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
December 20th, 1878	46 2 9	46 4 9	90 10 0	73 8 6	256 10 0	
„ 21st, „	59 8 9	57 3 0	113 8 0	95 13 0	326 0 9	
„ 22nd, „	77 1 9	68 9 9	101 0 6	73 12 3	320 8 3	
„ 23rd, „	60 7 0	59 4 3	102 15 6	96 5 9	319 0 6	
„ 24th, „	54 12 3	51 11 9	103 13 9	84 8 0	294 14 0	
„ 25th, „	67 7 6	64 6 9	119 6 0	96 12 9	348 1 0	
„ 26th, „	53 6 0	57 0 3	93 13 3	77 13 3	282 0 0	
Total ...	418 14 0	404 8 6	725 3 0	598 10 3	2,147 3 9	
Total of previous 50 weeks ...	22,919 5 9	22,287 1 9	42,150 14 3	24,972 4 3	1,12,329 10 0	
Grand Total ...	23,338 3 9	22,691 10 3	42,876 1 3	25,570 14 6	1,14,476 13 9	

The 28th December 1878. (741—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
345	O 35—00904	100	Ram Sahai.
346	O 24—66420	20	D. J. Welch.
	„ —54983	20	
347	L 93—80849	50	Mohomed Bhoy Ali Bhoy.
348	O 29—65885	1,000	J Hill.
349	O 25—53953	20	Gobind Lal Sen.
350	O 8—06951	10	Dhatree Churn Mukerjee.
351	O 34—81583	100	Bunko Behari Shaha.
	„ —80334	100	
	„ 22—43519	20	
	„ 24—32655	20	
	L 78—68041	20	
	O 23—40559	20	
	„ 18—17659	10	
	„ 13—51188	10	
	„ 17—45629	10	
	„ 15—95881	10	
	„ 40—22710	10	
351	L 94—54264	100	Ram Sorun Ram.
352	O 16—14891	10	Shaik Khoda Buksh.
353	„ 27—99091	50	Khettra Mohan Dutt.
354	„ 33—96535	100	Messrs. Shew Pershad & Co.
	L 91—46956	20	
	O 17—42368	10	
355	L 61—69086	10	The Officiating Magistrate, Gya.
	„ 95—56028	10	
	„ 76—15516	10	
356	O 33—92019	100	Lieut.-Colonel R. Moseley.
358	„ 27—77492	500	Ram Lal Pandey.
359	„ —75525	500	The District Superintendent of Police, Kangra.
360	L 93—27820	50	The District Superintendent of Police, Dacca.
361	O 34—94290	100	Lalla Sumurth Roy Bukshi Ram.
	L 93—88378	50	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

351	„ 24—30728	20	Hurronath Mukerjee.
352	L 17—84228	5	Rajendra Chandra Pal.
	„ —50423	5	
	L 21—50222	5	
	„ —76927	5	
353	A 67—19316	10	
354	O 6—32750	10	Ameenudeen.
355	„ 29—19138	1,000	Tekoo Ram.
356	L 2—87240	10	G. Showell, Official Liquidators, Alliance Bank of Simla, Limited.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
357	O 9—23647	10	Robert Dunne.
358	„ 7—86401	10	Lt. A. Banon.
359	L 98—02302	10	Nobin Chunder Samanta.
	O 6—51543	10	
360	„ 5—20282	10	Bipin Behari Basu
361	„ 23—63853	20	G. E. Manisty.
	L 43—37015	10	
362	O 34—86167	100	Messrs. Doorga Das Chatterjee & Co.
363	„ 3—48666	20	D. Sunder.
364	„ 15—51592	10	S. Soobbabhatta.
365	L 78—51948	20	W. J. Clark.
366	O 13—81068	10	N. J. Vipan.
367	O 8—06951	10	Dhatree Churn Mukerjee.
368	„ 23—46809	20	F. Tuthill.
369	„ 9—50410	10	Lieut. H. E. Mitchell.
370	„ 42—11445	10	Hajee Abdul Kareem.
371	A 94—17790	20	E. O. Moses.
372	L 29—36420	5	Tiluck Chunder Chowdhuri.
373	O 7—42520	10	Color Sergeant W. Hayward
374	„ 17—06677	10	Mirza Alijan.
375	L 30—69076	5	The Post-Master-General, North-Western Provinces.
376	O 10—38165	10	W. G. Bolton.
	„ 9—46900	10	
	L 95—55506	10	
377	O 23—24105	20	Lieut. F. H. Probyn.
378	L 93—39015	50	Kunja Lal Dhur.
379	O 3—03110	20	J. E. Cearns.
380	„ 29—68398	1000	Modun Mohun Majumdar.
381	L 27—79294	5	Sasibhusan Sen.
382	O 40—21627	10	Pundit Damo Dur Joshee.
383	L 31—57323	5	Mohendra Narain Roy.
384	O 4—32522	20	Woomes Chunder Majumdar.
385	„ 23—82353	20	Moulvie Mahomed Allahadad.
	„ 9—98207	10	
	L 31—14521	5	
386	O 21—99879	20	W. Corbet.
	„ 18—94049	10	
387	O 4—24543	20	Shib Chunder Banerjee.
388	L 2—33066	10	Doorga Sahoy Balkissen.
	„ 57—83665	10	
	„ —83664	10	
389	O 24—23579	20	Benode Behari Mukerjee.
135	L 17—18641	5	Jadu Nath Roy.
	„ —18544		
183	„ 61—00268	10	Jadu Nath Roy.
	„ 74—01093		
	„ 16—94401	5	
	„ 15—83956		
200	L 9—54305	5	Ram Shoukee Marwaree.
	„ —54306		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
212	L 34—84442	10	Ram Kissen Sookul.
„	—86355		
213	O 15—29110	10	Mrs. J. M. Cockorell.
„	—29111		
214	L 46—04162	20	Binj Raj.
„	—04161		
215	L 7—78576	20	Shama Churn Sett.
„	—78575		
	L 2—55607	10	
„	—55601		
216	L 87—90788	10	Messrs. Scallan & Co.
„	—90789		
217	O 84—53262	100	Kisto Gopal Ghose.
„	—53263		
218	L 30—10186	5	Jogendra Nath Shome.
„	—10188		
219	O 23—46710	20	Ticca Ram
„	—46709		
220	L 80—61837	20	Modhoo Sooden Shaw.
„	—65383		
221	L 90—07613	20	Surba Nundo Roy.
	O 21—19768		
222	O 23—04327	20	J. H. Bancroft.
„	—04325		
223	O 2—87459	20	J. Robertson.
„	3—87193		
224	O 12—03555	10	Hridoy Nath Sircar.
„	17—42471		
225	L 91—70835	20	Annoda Prosad Budra.
„	—70831		
227	L 40—20243	10	Doorga Sahoy Balkissen.
„	2—33071		
„	24—02598	5	
„	—02597		

R. A. STEENDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.
PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 21st December 1878.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

FOUND in the Northern Bengal State Railway three Government Promissory Notes. Any person claiming them, must satisfy the undersigned of his *bonâ fide* ownership thereof, and give the numbers and amounts of the notes.

(723—3) P. NOLAN, *Magistrate.*

Notice.

THE Annual Chootia Fair will be held at Chootia, near Ranchee, the head-quarters of the Chota Nagpore Division, and will commence on 24th February 1879, and continue for fifteen succeeding days.

By order of the Commissioner,
RAJ GOPAL ROY, *Pers. Asst. to Commr.*
CHOTA NAGPORE, the 13th December 1878.

Burdwan Agricultural Exhibition.

NOTICE.

AN Exhibition of Agricultural Produce, Implements, and Cattle, of native arts and manufactures, and of live stock, will be held at Burdwan on January 27th, and the four following days. Copies of the rules and list of prizes may be had on application to the Honorary Secretary, Burdwan. (725—3)

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer for the District Road Cess Department of Furreedpore Salary Rs. 60, excluding travelling allowance.

None need apply who have not passed the examination for the grade of Overseer.

Applications to be sent to the undersigned, with copies of testimonials, not later than the 20th December 1878.

F. S. BEIK,
(734—1) *District Engineer, Furreedpore.*

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the transfer books of the Bank will be closed from 2nd to 15th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Director,
R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.
CALCUTTA, the 26th December 1878. (736—1)

Notification.

UNDER the provisions of section 2, Act VI of 1876 (the Chota Nagpore Encumbered Estates' Act), the Deputy Commissioner of Lohardaggah for the time being is, with the previous sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, appointed to be the manager, and the management is vested in him, of the undermentioned immoveable properties in the district of Lohardaggah held by the parties named against them severally, and of any other immoveable property to which each of such holder is entitled in his own right, or which he is entitled to redeem, or which may be acquired by or devolve on him or his heir during the continuance of such management.

Name of property.	*Name of holder.*
1. Entire estate, pergunnah Boondoo.	Tekait Radhamohun Rai.
2. Entire estates Banapirhi and Karanj, pergunnah Khukra, two villages.	Bholaram Tewari.
3. Entire estate Horai, pergunnah Baronda.	Hakim Radhamadhub Singh.
4. Entire estate Kankey, pergunnah Khukra.	Lall Shebnath Sahee and Lall Raghunath Sahee.
5. Punjree estate, comprising 149 villages.	Baboo Luchmi Bux Rai.

By order of the Commissioner,
RAIGOPAL ROY,
Pers. Asst. to the Commr.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

Uncovenanted Service Family Pension Fund.

NOTICE.

THE Forty-first Annual General Meeting of Subscribers of the above institution will be held in the Town Hall on Saturday, the 25th January 1879, at 3 P.M., to receive the Report of the Directors and to consider such matters as may then be submitted.

By order of the Directors,
W. H. RYLAND, *Secretary.*
UNCOVD. SER. FAM. PEN. FUND OFFICE, CALCUTTA, the 30th December 1878. (743—1

Execution Case No. 87 of 1878.

Munshi Ahmedullah and Munshi Raees Hyder and others, decree-holders, *versus* Durponarayon Dutt and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned property of the judgment-debtors above named will be sold by public auction in the Court of the District Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, at about 12 o'clock, on Monday, the 6th January 1879, in execution of a decree obtained in the Court of the Subordinate Judge for the realization of Rs. 3,055-13-0.

The putnee tenure consisting of Dihi Medanmollo, in pergunnah Medanmul, being estate No. 266, of the 24 Pergunnahs Collectorate towji, of mouzah Lokenathpore and others, also in pergunnah Medanmul, being estate No. 303, of the said towji of lakheraj resumed talooks Nos. 1093 and 1093-1. It is recorded in the zemindar's serishta in the name of Kali Churn Dutt, and bears an annual putnee jumma of Rs. 1,982 annas 13 gundas 2. The net profit of the zemindars, after deducting Government revenue, is Rs. 392-8-0 annas 14 gundas 13 cowrie 1 crant. One share of the tenure, being the defaulting tenure, is to be sold. The said putnee tenure is situate within the sub-registry of Baripore. For further particulars apply at the office of the First Subordinate Judge of 24-Pergunnahs.

BROJENDRO CUMAR SEAL,
First Sub. Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

ALIPORE, the 21st December 1878. (737—1)

In the Court of the First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

EXECUTION CASE No. 88 OF 1878.

Sagore Dutt, decree-holder, *versus* Mayabutty Debee and others, judgment-debtors.

THE undermentioned property will be sold by public auction in the Court of the District Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, at 12 A.M., on Monday, the 6th January 1879, for the realization of Rs. 780-10-6.

Eight annas share of the putnee talook taraf Kalikapore, estate No. 109, pergunnah Medanmulla, recorded in the towji of the 24-Pergunnahs Collectorate. The tenure comprises seven mouzahs, viz. Sakareepukurea, in taraf Sakareepukurea, mouzah Baliaghatta, mouzah Bana, mouzah Atkundkhally, mouzah Puddozolla, mouzah Chandokhally, and mouzah Kooarghat, and bears an annual jumma of Rs. 3,400. It is situate within the sub-registration district Baripore. For further particulars apply at the office of First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs, or to Baboo Juggodish Chunder Bose, Vakeel for the decree-holder.

BROJENDRO CUMAR SEAL,
First Sub. Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

ALIPORE, the 27th December 1878. (738—1)

In the Court of the First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

EXECUTION CASE No. 108 OF 1878.

Lalla Tek Chand, decree-holder, *versus* Mussamut Newab Huzoor Alia Rawnakara Begum Aktar Mehal Saheb, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold on the 6th January 1879, by the Nazir of the District Judge's Court of Alipore, in the said Court-house after 12 o'clock, in execution case No. 108 of 1878, of the First Subordinate Judge's Court, for the realization of Rs. 10,461-14-9, wherein Lalla Tek Chand is the decree-holder and Newab Huzoor Alia Rawnakara Aktar Mehal is the debtor, the above-mentioned premises.

All the right, title, and interest of the debtor in the sixteen annas share in premises No. 27, Garden Reach, containing by estimation 6 beeghas of lakheraj lands, more or less, with tanks, garden, and pucca buildings standing thereon and all the rights appertaining thereto, butted and bounded as follows:—

East and south—Premises and land belonging to the ex-King of Oudh.
West—Public Road.
North—River Hooghly.

BROJENDRO CUMAR SEAL,
First Sub. Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

KEDAR NATH BANERJEE, *Vakeel, for decree-holder.* (740—1)

In the Court of the First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

EXECUTION CASE No. 91 OF 1878.

Shosee Bhusan Bose, decree-holder, *versus* Huz Prosad Roy Chowdhury and others, debtors.

IN execution of the above decree, the undermentioned properties, being the rights and interests of the judgment-debtor Huz Prosad Roy Chowdhury, will be sold at auction for the realization of Rs. 6,951-10-0 on Monday, the 6th January, 1879.

1. A one-third share of the garden together with tanks and trees standing thereon, containing about 22 beeghas of land, being holding No. 188, division, grand division R, Dehee Punchannogram, under the Sub-Registrar of Alipore.
2. The said one-third share of Bolshiodree talook Dayamoyi Chowdhrain, No. 314-2 Collector's towji, pergunnah 24-Pergunnahs, choukee Diamond Harbour.
3. The said share of taraf Jogdebpore, talook Durga Prosad Roy Chowdhury, No. 316 Collector's towji, pergunnah 24-Pergunnahs, choukee Diamond Harbour.
4. The said share of Noorpore talook Doyamoyi Chowdarain, No. 320 Collector's towji, pergunnah 24-Pergunnahs, choukee Diamond Harbour.
5. The said share of taraf Kata Pookarea, talook Doyamoyi Chowdarain, No. 323 Collector's towji, pergunnah 24-Pergunnahs, choukee Diamond Harbour.
6. The said share of taraf Paldaha, talook Bulok Chunder Roy and others, No. 318 Collector's towji, pergunnah 24-Pergunnahs, choukee Diamond Harbour.
7. The said share of taraf Moolpore, talook Doorga Prosad Roy Chowdhury, No. 1220 Collector's towji, pergunnah 24-Pergunnahs, choukee Diamond Harbour.

BROJENDRO CUMAR SEAL,
(739—1) *First Sub. Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.*

Execution Case No 136 of 1878.

Gobinda Chunder Adya, decreeholder, *versus* Uma Nath Roy, Chowdhury, judgment-debtor.

TO be sold in the Civil Court at Alipore on the 6th day of January 1879, pursuant to a decree passed by the Second Subordinate Judge of 24-Pergunnahs in civil suit No. 70 of 1878, in which Gobinda Chunder Adya, of Chetta, was plaintiff, and Uma Nath Roy Chowdhury, of Satkhira, was defendant, the right, title, and interest of the judgment-debtor in the properties described below:—

Lot I.—In district registry Alipore, Sub-Registry Kharda, Munsiffee Scaldah, thana Nawabgunge, pergunnah Calcutta, Dehi Pulta, 24-Pergunnahs Collectorate towjee No. 1070, all that piece and parcel of land comprised in Shaheban Bagicha, kurcha No. 3, bill No. 6, known as Krishna Mohun Bose's land, area of which is 201 beeghas and 1½ cottahs, bearing an annual jumma of Rs. 268 anna 1 gundas 6; that comprised in kurcha No. 4, bill No. 7, known as Tally Shaheb's land, area of which is 21 beeghas and 8 cottahs, bearing an annual jumma of Rs. 28 annas 5 gundahs 10; and that comprised in kurcha No. 5, bill No. 42, known as Miss Jane Razar and Nomen Shaheb's land, area of which is 164 beeghas and 3½ cottahs, bearing an annual jumma of Rs. 218 annas 14 gundahs 8; total area of all the lands is 386 beeghas 13 cottahs, and the aggregate annual sudder jumma is Rs. 515-5-8; as also the pucca building standing thereon. Judgment-debtor's right, title, and interest in the property is 6 annas 8 gundas only, supposed value of which is Rs. 3,000. It is bounded on the north by Government magazine, west by the river Hooghly, south by a drain, and east by a public road.

Lot II.—In district registry Alipore, Sub-Registry Cossipore, thanna Burranagore and Suburb Cossipore, 2 beeghas 13 cottahs of rent-free land contained in division 1, sub-division 4, holding No. 63. Judgment-debtor's right, title, and interest in the property is 1 anna 12 gundas, supposed value of which is Rs. 100. It is bounded on the north and east by public roads, west and south by the judgment-debtor's land.

KRISHNA MOHUN MUKHOPADHYA,
(726—2) *Second Sub. Judge*

MESSRS. THOMAS & CO. will sell by public auction at the Mart, Mission Roy, on Monday, the 6th January 1879, under instructions from the Collector of Sea Customs,

ex *Japan*,

H M—Two cases containing 322lbs. Indigo, taken over under the provisions of section 32, Act VIII, 1878.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*
CUSTOM HOUSE, CALCUTTA, the 27th December 1878.

New Beerbhoom Coal Company, Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eleventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the office of the Company, 3, Fairlie Place, on Saturday, the 4th January 1879, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report, and passing the Accounts for the half-year ending 31st October 1878, declaring dividend, electing Directors, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought forward.

The Share Transfer Book of the Company will be closed from the 21st instant to 4th proximo, both days inclusive.

A. R MCINTOSH & Co., *Managing Agents.*
CALCUTTA, 18th December 1878. (722—2)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of GUNGABISSEN MOOURAH, carrying on trade and business as a cloth merchant at No. 19, Puggiaputty, in Burra Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 13th day of December instant, it was, on the petition of Callydoss Ramjee, Ramjee Pridhan, and Hurjee Lillahdur, and Motteeram, creditors of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Gungabissen Moourah hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, and by another order of the same date, the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. Gregory, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of SAMUEL JULIUS SHEPHERD, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 16th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of WALTER HENRY SHEPHERD, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 14th day of December instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 21st day of December 1878.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports	6 P.M.	1st Jan	*Bushur.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	3rd ,,	*Arabia.*
Ceylon, Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, Shanghai and Yokohama.	6 ,,	4th ,,	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo	6 ,,	5th ,,	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	6th ,,	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 3rd January 1879.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 2nd January 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P M., precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*
GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 30th December 1878.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M 6 ,,	5 P.M. 5 ,,	
Howrah	8 ,, 2 P.M.	7-30 A.M. 1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included ...	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,, 6 P.M.	7-45 ,, 5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts ..	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Furoedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ..	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Oolooberiah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays {	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P M.	
	Sundays .. {	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		HOURS AT WHICH THE BRANCH POST OFFICE DESPATCHES TO THE GENERAL POST OFFICE ARE EXPECTED. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	REMARKS.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-18	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-18	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-30	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-48	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-13	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Balaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	*	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	REMARKS.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N.-E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-30	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Nimtt Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Bullaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Alliporo A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Novr. 1878.

No. 8658.

CONSEQUENT upon the admission of Newfoundland, the British Colonies on the West Coast of Africa (Gold Coast, Senegambia, Lagos, and Sierro Leone), the Falkland Islands, and British Honduras, into the General Postal Union, with effect from the 1st January 1879, the rates of postage and conditions (as below) appertaining to correspondence with Union Countries served through the United Kingdom will be applicable from the date above mentioned to correspondence with those places :—

Correspondence for	EACH LETTER. 'C' DENOTES COMPULSORY PRE-PAYMENT.		EACH NEWSPAPER.	EACH PACKET.
	Per ½ oz.	Registration fee.	Per 4 ozs.	Per 2 ozs.
Africa, West Coast, *British Possessions* (Gold Coast, Lagos, Senegambia, and Sierra Leone).				
Falkland Islands (South Atlantic), *British.*				
Honduras, *British.*				
Newfoundland, *British.*				
Vid Brindisi through *United Kingdom.*	C 6	4	2	2½
Vid Brindisi through *French Office Modane.*				
Additional route from Aden only— By French Packet through *Agent on board.*	5	4	1	1½

A. M. MONTEATH,
Dir.-Genl. of the Post Office of India.
CALCUTTA, the 16th December 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 31st December 1878.

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Alikin, P. T.
Allen, Mrs A.
Anderson, E.
Ardwise, Miss.
Babson, J.
Bailey H.
Barnes, F. C.
Barnes, Miss Kate.
Beatson, W. W.
Blair, R. W.
Briggs, Mrs. C.
Brooks, G.
Brown, Miss L.
Cameron, Mrs.
Clarke, Mrs N. W.
Coglun, Miss.
Crips, Esq.
Daniels, J.
Daniel, Major.
D'Costa, Miss R.
Dias, G.
Duglas, W. H.
Foster, Edwin.
Freck, D.
Fryer, W.
Graham, G. D.
Garrick, Messrs.
Graves, Eva Miss.
Hay, Mrs. M.
Horan, Mrs.
Judah, W.
Law, Mrs.
Lizzy, Mrs. S. B.
Manson, Esq.
McNeal, J.
Moriarty, Mrs.
Neil, J.
Nicholls, Miss.
Norwood, Miss.
Palmer, Mrs. M.
Parson, Mr. C.
Partridge, Mrs. E. T.
Peters, Mrs. M.
Phlips, Ellen.
Rhodes, A. H.
Ryan, P. T.
Sarkies, C. J.
Sarkies, S. M.
Schonerstidt, Mrs.
Scott, A. W.
Shape, T. Esq.
Stuart, Miss.
Swan, Mr
Sweet, Miss A. M.
Taylor, W.
Thomas, Mr.
Thornton, Miss E.
Traynor, J.
Verelest, Esq., D. H.
Vinters, Mr.
Wall, G.
Wells, Esq., E.
Wells, Mrs. E.
Wheeler, Miss J.
White, W. E.
Wight, Mrs. J.
Wight, Esq., W. C. L.
Williamson, Mr. J.
Young, Esq.

Letters marked "Care of Post-Office, to be kept till called for."

Ackhaya Chunder Dutta.
Adamson, Captain.
Addington, E.
Allen, R. C.
Atkins, F. T.
Bailey, F. A.
Beaver, P.
Beck, R. A.
Benvist, B.
Birnburg, M.
Blacus, M.
Blagdon, G.
Blanchard, Joseph.
Boulard, Madam.
Braham, Mrs. A. H.
Browning, Miss.
Buller, S.
Burnett, G. B.
Bushby, P. W.
Butler, S. E.
Chief Officer.
Chennell, A. W.
Chennell, C.
Clarke, A.
Clarkson, G.
Colley, Miss A.
Cook, Capt. R. B.
David, A.
Davison, W.
Dumbol, T.
Duncan, Chisney.
Eales, E. F.
Earlwood, J. S.
Edward, George.
Ephgrave, Mr. E.
F. S. L.
Fagan, M.
Fazool Uddin (draftsman).
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
FitzGerald, Lieut C. M.
Frear, Aneta.
Gage, W.
Gayapershad.
Gidden, Thos.
Gilbert, T.
Good, E.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Halford, J.
Hart, J.
Hawkins, Mrs. R.
Humble, Mrs.
Hyne, Mrs. Isabella.
Hynes, G. J.
Jennings, N. E.
Janney, L. R.
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Klem, Madame.
Lamarre, Monsieur.
Layborn, Daniel.
Leith, T.
Lewis, Mr.
Laughtyre, C.
Littlewood, J. H.
Marine, Dr. A.
Martin, D. J.
Marshall, F.
Maxwell, W. P.
Mitcheal, Mr. C.
Moor, T.
MacWilliams, Miss.
Murphy, G. P.
Neijeeballah, Shaik.
Nicolay, Mrs.
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P. D. C., Esq.
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Perrin Mari Monsieur.
Sanders, A.
Selby, G.
Simpson, Mr.
Simpson, J. M.
Smallwood, Mr.
Smith, Mrs. H.
Srinewasn Acharjee, Pundit.
Stoin Beck, T.
Stern, W.
Thomas, Lt. R. F.
Vander, A.
Vincent, J.
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Waller, A. B.
White, Esq., O. E.
West, Mrs. E.
Williams, J. M.
Williams, W. J.

Newspapers.

Davison, W.
Fisher, H. D.
Fitzgerald, C. M.
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
Hamilton. Capt. W. R.
Lamaire, C. Monsieur.
Lunder, W.
McLeod, Miss Kate.
McWilliam, D.
Nailer, A. S.
Prince, John.
Wallace, F. C.

Registered Letters.

Bayly, E. H.
Duncan, Chesney.
Edwards, Mrs. Tabitha.
Francis, W. C.
Lange, Mr.
Ranier, H. (Inspr. Trs. P.O.)
Robinson, Peter.
Roe, Lt. R. J.
Umena, Mrs.
Sullivan, Jas.
Taylor, J. E
Thomas, C.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report shewing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 20th December 1878

Names of Rivers	Least depth of water.		Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.	Ft.	In	
Entrance below Joyrampore	...		Closed
Thence to Noorpore Junction.	...		Closed
Entrance below Chourasia ..	11	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	7	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	Geeriah.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	3	3	Aumanceegunge and Pattanparah
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	9	Kuttoah.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3	0	Dewansunge and Aukuldangah
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance	4	3	
Thence to Tatarparah ...	1	8	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia.	1	8	Dewansunge.
From Hat Bolia to Boalmaree.	3	3	Vhaugbarriah
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.	4	0	Sheolmaree
From Aliekdeah to Kissengunge.	4	6	Chooadangah.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.	...		Closed.
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.	.		Closed.
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jullinghee.	3	0	Junction.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	3	Aumtollah.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	5	3	Toongah

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 23rd December 1878, above zero, 3 feet ½ inch.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
BERHAMPORE, the 23rd December 1878.

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report shewing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 27th December 1878.

Names of Rivers	Least depth of water.		Remarks
BHAGIRUTEE.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance below Joyrampore	...		Closed.
Tence to Noorpore Junction	...		Closed.
Entrance below Chourasia ..	11	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	7	6	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	Geeriah.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	6	Aumanceegunge.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	3	0	Kulhectee.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3	0	Dewangunge
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance ...	3	6	
Thence to Tatarparah .	1	3	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia	1	4	Dewangunge.
From Hât Bolia to Boalmaree.	2	6	Vhaugbarriah.
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.	3	6	Sheolmaree.
From Aliekdeah to Kissengunge.	4	0	Chooadangah.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.	...		Closed
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.	...		Closed
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3	0	Chock and Junction.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	6	Modtopore and Aumtollah.
From Teakatta to Nuddea	4	6	Teakatta & Radahunghur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 30th December 1878, above zero, 2 feet 7½ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
BERHAMPORE, the 30th December 1878.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr Alfred Parker in our firm ceased and determined on the 31st December 1878, and Mr. Donald Campbell Creaton is admitted a partner from this date.

MACKENZIE, LYALL & Co.
CALCUTTA, the 1st January 1879. (744—1)

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. Charles Pitt Palmer in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1878.

R. MACALLISTER & Co.
1st January 1879. (745—2)

MY interest and responsibility in the firm of Messrs. R. Macallister and Co. ceased on the 31st December 1878.

CHARLES PITT PALMER.
1st January 1879. (746—2)

Notes on Forestry.

BY C. F. AMERY.

Deputy Conservator, Forests, N. W. Provinces.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 21st December 1878.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding*,
The Hon'ble G. C. PAUL, *Advocate-General*,
The Hon'ble C. T. BUCKLAND,
The Hon'ble H. A. COCKERELL,
The Hon'ble A. MACKENZIE,
The Hon'ble J. O'KINEALY,
The Hon'ble AMEER ALI,
The Hon'ble MOULVI AMEER HOSSEIN,
The Hon'ble BABOO MOHINI MOHUN ROY,
The Hon'ble A. B. INGLIS,
and
The Hon'ble BABOO KRISTODAS PAL, RAI BAHADOOR, C.I.E.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble MOULVI AMEER HOSSEIN took his seat in Council.

HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT said—Before the Council proceeded to the regular business before them, it might perhaps be convenient to refer to the position in which they stood in regard to the business which was likely to come before

the Council during the present cold weather. The first and oldest measure they had before the Council was a Bill which was passed last year—he meant the Bill to amend the procedure in suits between landlord and tenant in Chota Nagpore—and was sent up for the assent of the Governor-General. That assent had not been received; in fact it had been withheld, but there was no chance of the Bill being vetoed. The assent, however, had been kept in abeyance on account of a technical difficulty arising from the Act being somewhat in conflict with section 4 of the Civil Procedure Code. He believed that at the next meeting of the Council of the Governor-General a short provisional Bill would be passed amending the Code, and the difficulties in the way of giving legal effect to the Bill which had been passed by this Council would then be removed. When that had been done, they should also be able to bring in a Bill which had been discussed for a long time, a Bill which he had pledged himself to endeavour to have passed into law, for improving the procedure in suits for rent. The consent of the Government of India to a Bill of that sort being introduced was obtained in the early part of 1877. After the Bill had been drafted and circulated for the consideration of a number of local officers of experience and certain public bodies and private individuals, and the opinions of those officers and others had been received, he was advised that that Bill, for the same reason as the Chota Nagpore Rent Bill, was beyond the powers of the local Council, and should be dealt with by the Council of the Governor-General. He therefore addressed the Government of India, forwarding the draft of such a Bill as seemed to be required, with a request that it might be considered and passed by the Council of the Governor-General; but, on account of the difficulty to which he had referred, the Bill had remained pending. The Bill was ultimately referred back to this Government, with the intimation that the Code of Civil Procedure would be so amended that the local Council would be able to take up the Bill and pass it themselves. The subject of the Bill was one which was obviously particularly within the province of a local Council to deal with. He hoped, as he had said before, that the Bill to amend the Civil Procedure Code would be passed at the next meeting of the Council of the Governor-General, and, in anticipation of the passing of such a Bill, the Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie would move for leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent. The draft of the Bill which the hon'ble member proposed to introduce had been largely circulated for discussion amongst officers of experience and knowledge of the subject, and the Government had received a large number of replies, and many valuable suggestions and criticisms. There had also been a lengthy correspondence with the British Indian Association, in which they had represented their views very ably. There was at first a great difference of opinion between them and the Government regarding the transfer of occupancy rights; but although the members of the Association did not all agree to what was proposed, the majority of the Association had withdrawn to a great extent the objections which they had raised, and he hoped that in Committee the Council would be able to come to some definite conclusion upon the subject. It must be expected that the landholding classes would be inclined strongly to the landholding view in this respect, but he believed that a perusal of the papers would show that the Association were disposed to consider the matter in an impartial spirit, and he thought they had represented the general opinions of the landholding interest on this question.

The next Bill before the Council was a Bill for the settlement of the rents of lands on the application of landlords and tenants. There had been a good deal of correspondence on this Bill also, which had been circulated to the Commissioners of Divisions, and other local officers and public bodies. There had been considerable differences of opinion as regards the details of the measure, and on one or two of the main principles of the Bill. But he felt satisfied that, when the papers were laid before the Committee, they would be able to frame a really useful beneficial measure which would meet the real interests of both the parties concerned.

The Court of Wards' Bill was still under the consideration of a Select Committee. The subject was a very pressing one, and he hoped the Select Committee would proceed with the consideration of the Bill with as much expedition as was practicable; a number of communications regarding this bill had been

received since the last meeting of the Council, and he had no doubt they would receive the careful consideration of the Committee.

So much for the Bills which had been drafted or were under discussion before. There were also one or two new Bills, and there might probably be some more introduced later on. Amongst these was a Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to jute warehouses and fire-brigades in the town and suburbs of Calcutta and Howrah. The object of this Bill was to reduce the fees now received for the registration of jute warehouses. It would be found, as would probably be explained by the hon'ble member in charge of the Bill, that they were levying fees in excess of what was required for the *bonâ fide* purposes of the Act, and the charge upon Insurance Companies also pressed rather hardly upon them, and a Bill would be brought in to remedy those defects in the existing law.

Then there was a Bill to transfer the control of passenger boats plying within the Port of Calcutta from the Commissioner of Police to the Conservators of the Port; and a Bill to extend to other places, where pilgrims congregated, the same provisions of law which had operated so satisfactorily at Pooree, with a view to provide for sanitation in the midst of the large towns in Bengal to which pilgrims flocked at particular seasons of the year.

Lastly, there was a Bill for the periodical inspection of steam-boilers and prime-movers attached thereto in the town and suburbs of Calcutta and Howrah. The main features of this Bill would be explained to the Council by the Hon'ble Mr. Cockerell when he moved for leave to introduce it.

Besides the above mentioned measures, there were, as he had said before, one or two little Bills which were not yet in a condition to be placed before the Council, and he need not therefore further allude to them at present.

JUTE WAREHOUSES AND FIRE-BRIGADES.

THE HON'BLE MR. COCKERELL moved for leave to introduce a Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to jute warehouses and fire-brigades in Calcutta, the Suburbs, and Howrah. The Bill was really one to amend the two existing Acts in force, namely, Bengal Acts II of 1872 and II of 1875. The object of the Bill was to enable the Government to relieve the jute trade from the heavy taxation with which it was now burdened. Under the existing law, the entire expense of maintaining, and even more than maintaining, the fire-brigades for Calcutta and the Suburbs was thrown upon the jute and cotton trade. At first sight it would appear that the easiest way of remedying the difficulty would perhaps be to increase the area of taxation, and to bring under the operation of the Act warehouses used for the storage of other inflammable materials. But a difficulty existed in the schedule of rates, which gave a minimum below which they could not be fixed. In the present Bill it was proposed to introduce a new scale of fees, and also to render places used for the storage of inflammable mineral oils and other inflammable materials liable to taxation; such places were as dangerous to the town as the jute and cotton warehouses; and it was proposed that they should also be made to contribute towards the expenses of the fire-brigade which was maintained for the protection of Calcutta and the Suburbs.

The motion was agreed to.

STEAM-BOILERS AND PRIME-MOVERS.

THE HON'BLE MR. COCKERELL moved for leave to introduce a Bill for the periodical inspection of steam-boilers and prime-movers attached thereto in the town and suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah. The existing Act under which these inspections were made—Bengal Act VI of 1864—only provided for the inspection of boilers and prime-movers within the limits of Calcutta and the Suburbs, and the municipal limits of the town of Howrah. At the time the Act was passed, there were few factories of any importance beyond those limits, and it was not considered necessary to give the Act any more extended operation. Since that time, however, a large number of extensive factories had been erected, on both sides of the river beyond the limits of the town and suburbs, where steam-power was employed; there were a number of laborers employed in these factories, and it was therefore considered desirable that they should be brought under the same supervision as the factories within the

town and suburbs; and it was therefore proposed to empower the local Government to extend the Act to any district in Lower Bengal. The opportunity would be taken to incorporate the two existing Acts into one, and introduce certain amendments suggested by the Steam-boiler Committee.

The motion was agreed to.

PASSENGER BOATS (CALCUTTA).

THE HON'BLE MR. MACKENZIE moved for leave to introduce a Bill to transfer the control of passenger boats plying within the port of Calcutta from the Commissioner of Police to the Conservators of the Port. He said—"Some years ago, in 1871-72, the Port Commissioners of Calcutta undertook to pay three-fourths of the cost of the River Police on condition that the surplus fees from the registration of cargo and passenger boats plying within the port were made over to them. They have continued up to date to draw those fees. But under the law, as it stood, the work of surveying and registering cargo-boats, and realising fees on that account, lay with the Collector of Customs, while the registration of passenger boats is still a duty of the Commissioner of Police. It has from the outset been admitted that, if the Commissioners benefit by the fees, they might very well undertake the supervision of the work; and it has been shown that economy in establishments might be effected by bringing the registration of both cargo and passenger boats under one and the same authority. The new Customs Act VIII of 1878 has enabled the Lieutenant-Governor to entrust the management of cargo-boat registration to the Port Commissioners, and the Bill which I now ask leave to introduce is designed to transfer the registration of passenger boats plying within the port from the control of the Commissioner of Police to that of the Port Commissioners."

The motion was agreed to.

RECOVERY OF RENT.

THE HON'BLE MR. MACKENZIE moved for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent, and to amend the law relating to rent in Bengal. He said—"The announcement which you, Sir, have been able to make regarding the long-pending legislation on rent matters will, I am sure, have been gratifying to this Council, as it must be to the great landed interests of Bengal. In moving accordingly on the part of Government for leave to introduce a Bill to provide a more summary procedure for the realization of rents, and to amend in other particulars the rent law of the province, I do not feel called upon to take up the time of hon'ble members by any very lengthy speech. It will be necessary for me hereafter, should my motion be accepted, to explain, and I hope justify, the scope and motives of the measure which I shall then have the honor to submit. To-day, however, I need only remind the Council that the demand for a more summary method of realising undisputed rents than is provided by the ordinary procedure of the civil courts has been waxing louder and more pressing year by year since the passing of Act VIII of 1869.

The law's delays are, we know, proverbial; but the delays of a Bengal rent suit in a Bengal Moonsiff's court are more than even proverbial philosophy can make palatable. Notwithstanding the fact that in about 75 per cent. of the suits for arrears of rent the claim is not really contested, the zemindars and other rent receivers have too often found themselves unable to recover their just dues without submitting to a process which entails costs that they may possibly never recover, and delays that are frequently embarrassing and ruinous; and even when the zemindar has got his decree, it by no means follows that he has got his rent. Now, it is doubtless true that much of this difficulty in realizing rent actually due has arisen from the fact that in many districts there lie unsettled between landlords and tenants very serious open issues regarding rates, enhancement, interest, tenant-rights, and so forth. And the zemindars were, at the outset, anxious that in any legislative settlement of the matter the whole field of dispute should be, as it were, cadastrally surveyed, and all the doubtful boundary lines permanently marked. This course of action was, as some of us are aware, very strongly pressed upon the Government at the time of the Pubna rent disturbances, and at the commencement of the more widespread, though less noisy, agrarian movement in Eastern Bengal; but even Sir George Campbell shrank from

encountering the general upheaval of the whole rent system, as by law established, which such an enquiry and such legislation would certainly then have brought about. It was decided, therefore, to adopt a policy of watchfulness and waiting, in the hope that compromise and common sense would lead both parties nearer to a mutual settlement. That policy has to a great extent been justified by its results, and you, Sir, were able, at the close of your first tour throughout the Eastern districts, to declare your satisfaction with the improved tone and feeling which you then found to exist between landlords and tenants, owing, as it appeared, to wise and mutual concessions made. If anything were required to prove the enormous difficulties which even now beset every attempt to deal by law with the details of the economic problems that are wrapped up in this question of enhancement, the criticisms elicited by the measure so ably advocated by Sir R. Temple two years ago would supply that proof. The present Government is now indeed considering the possibility of dealing with it by approaching the difficulty from a different side. A position which it is hopeless to storm in front, may sometimes (as at Peiwar Kothul) be successfully outflanked. It is just possible that by reverting to the old theory of rent adjustment in this country, as a matter for the arbitrament or settlement of the ruling power and its revenue officers,—it is possible, I say, that we may find a rational remedy for the existing unsatisfactory dead-lock. That, however, is a matter which needs careful consideration and jealous scrutiny; and circumstances have arisen which make it imperatively necessary to deal separately and at once with the more simple question of the recovery of undisputed arrears of rent.

The zemindars on their part are now not merely not unwilling, but anxious, to have this portion of their case taken into separate and final consideration. The Road Cess and Public Works Cess Acts have thrown upon them the responsibility of collecting with their rents and paying into the treasuries all that portion of this fresh local and provincial taxation which falls upon under-tenants of every degree. If they cannot recover this easily and effectually from their tenants, they must under penalty pay the amount themselves—a position which the State is obviously bound to render as little burdensome as possible. The Lieutenant-Governor therefore, as he has informed us immediately on his assumption of office, and in accordance with the last views of his predecessor, pressed upon the Government of India the necessity of early legislation to facilitate the recovery of undisputed rents and to improve the law for execution of decrees in rent cases. The actual measure proposed was settled by a committee of Government officers and native gentlemen, and would doubtless long ere now have been passed into law, but for the fact that certain legal theories regarding the legislative powers of this Council stood in the way. Last February, therefore, to avoid all technical difficulties of this nature, the Government of India was moved to have the Bill which had been prepared by the local Government passed in the Supreme Legislature. Involving, however, as such a measure must, many issues of local importance, appreciable fully only by local experience, the Supreme Government has, on mature consideration, preferred after all to relegate the whole matter to the local Council, undertaking on its part to do what is necessary to validate our proceedings by supplementary legislation in its own Chamber. This resolution will, I think, be satisfactory to all interested, as we shall in this way have the advantage of the criticisms and suggestions of my hon'ble friends opposite, and of the several officers of wide Bengal experience who now sit upon this Council.

But while the delay that has taken place in legislation may have been trying to the zemindars, it has enabled the Government to mature and graft upon the proposed measure various amendments of the law, calculated, as it believes, to do much good to the ryots. Leaving, as I have already said, the economic questions involved in the law of enhancement for separate treatment, the Government has sought, while improving the position of the zemindar in respect of his realizations of rent, to strengthen also the position of the cultivator by relieving him from the harassment of too frequent suits, by securing for him good evidence of his payments, and, above all, by giving him a transferable right and interest in his occupancy tenure. I shall on a future occasion explain under what limitations and safeguards the Government believes that these reforms are possible; but meantime I have perhaps said

enough to convince the Council of the great importance of the measure, leave to introduce which I now crave."

The Hon'ble Kristodas Pal said—As he had taken a somewhat active part in the discussions upon the rent question in Bengal, he desired to express his satisfaction at the step proposed to be taken to improve the law for the recovery of rent. His hon'ble friend the mover of the Bill had in lucid and glowing periods described the state of the rent question in Bengal. He had told the Council how there had been a dead-lock and how the attitude of Government had hitherto been to wait and watch, and that active intervention would now take the place of the masterly inactivity of former days. This was a matter for congratulation. His Honor the President in addressing the Council last year upon the Irrigation Bill had pledged himself to a Bill of this kind. In referring to the obligations imposed by the new Cess Acts upon landlords of collecting on behalf of Government the cesses from their tenants, His Honor said—

> They have not such facilities as they should have for the ready and prompt eralization of their rent and the Government cesses. This difficulty had already attracted the attention of my predecessor, Sir Richard Temple, and just before he left Bengal he recorded a minute expressing his intention of at once applying for the sanction of the Government of India to pass a short Bill to provide a system for the realization of rent in a somewhat more summary and prompt process than that which now exists. I shall give that subject my best attention, and I may say that I am already in communication with the officers subordinate to me, and I hope it will not be long before I shall be in a position to ask the Council, with the permission of the Government of India, to pass a Bill of this sort.

That Bill was about to be laid before the Council, and the pledge, which His Honor was pleased to give, was now on a fair way to be fulfilled. As the Bill was not yet before the Council, Baboo Kristodas Pal was not in a position to consider its details, but he hoped it would have the effect of pouring oil over troubled waters.

The motion was then agreed to.

EXTENSION OF THE POOREE LODGING-HOUSE ACT.

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Kinealy moved for leave to introduce a Bill to amend Bengal Act IV of 1871 (The Pooree Lodging-house Act). This Act was passed in 1871 for the sanitation of the town of Pooree, and had worked remarkably well. The necessity for extending the operation of the Act to other towns where pilgrims congregated had been brought to the notice of Government, and it was considered advisable to give the local officers of such towns powers similar to those conferred on the Magistrate of Pooree by Act IV of 1871.

The motion was agreed to.

COURT OF WARDS' BILL.

The Hon'ble Mr. Buckland moved that the Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie be added to the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards within the provinces subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

The motion was agreed to.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 4th January 1879.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 28th December 1878.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn. 1	Burdwan, Dec. 28 '78	Nil	Weather—dry and cold The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good. Fever is still prevalent in some parts of the district.
Burdwan Divn. 2	Bankoora. ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—very cold and clear. The cold-weather crops promise well. The *haimanta* rice is harvested. Fever is decreasing in the east.
Burdwan Divn. 3	Beerbhoom. ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—cold and bright. The state and prospects of the crops are excellent. The harvest will again be a full one.
Burdwan Divn. 4	Midnapore, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—very cool. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
Burdwan Divn. 5	Hooghly, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—cold. Wind from the north. The harvesting of *aman* paddy is in progress The prospects of the cold-weather crops are generally good. Fever is prevailing everywhere.
Burdwan Divn.	Howrah, ,, 30 ,,	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. The harvesting of *aman* paddy is very nearly completed with a very good outturn throughout the district. In some of the thanas of Mohesrakha sub-division the people say it is a 16-anna crop.
	Central Districts		
Presidency Divn. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Dec. 28 '78	Nil	Weather—seasonable The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory. Fever continues at many places of the district
Presidency Divn. 7	Nuddea, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—cold. The prospects of the winter crops are generally good. The *aman* harvest is still going on. Cholera and fever are still prevalent, and some cases of small-pox have been reported.
	Chooadanga ...	0·13	
	Bongong ...	0·42	
Presidency Divn. 8	Jessore, ,, 28 ,,	0·22	Weather—cold and clear, with fogs in the mornings and evenings. The *aman* harvest is progressing favourably. The prospects of the winter crops are generally fair. Prices are slightly lower in parts of the district.
	Khoolna ...	0·40	
Presidency Divn. 9	Moorshedabad, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—cold and clear. The *rubbee* crops promise well. The *aman* harvest is nearly over, and is a good one.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 10	Dinagepore, ,, 27 ,,	Nil	Weather—cold and fine. Eight annas of the *haimanta dhan* have been cut. New rice is selling at 12 to 20 seers per rupee.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 11	Rajshahye, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	The cutting of the rice crop is fast going on. The yield is above the average The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good. Several cases of cholera have occurred in the Singra thana and a few in Beauleah and Nattore.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 12	Rungpore, ,, 27 ,,	Nil	The weather has become cold. The state and prospects of the crops continue to be good Cholera still prevails in some parts of the district.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 13	Bogra, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—good and seasonable, with north wind. No rain. The standing crops are doing well, and will probably turn out well. Rice is selling at 18 or 19 kutcha seers per rupee. Cholera and ordinary fever are still prevalent in the district.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 14	Pubna, ,, 28 ,,	0·5	Weather—clear and rather cold. Slight rain on one day. The state of the crops is the same as in last week. There is still cholera about.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 15	Darjeeling, ,, 27 ,,	Nil	Sunshine in the day, but very cold in the night. *Haimanta dhan* in the Terai is being reaped and a good outturn is expected. *Teel*, mustard, and *kalai* are also being gathered.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs. 16	Julpigoree, ,, 28 ,,	Nil	Weather—bright and cold. *Haimanta dhan* is almost all got in and is a very good crop. Land is being prepared for the *bhadoi* crop. Tobacco, wheat barley, mustard, and sugarcane are doing well.
Rajshahye & Cooch Behar Divs.	Cooch Behar, ,, 26 ,,	Nil	Weather—fair, and not so cold as in other years. The mornings are not yet foggy. Though the harvesting of the late rice has not yet been finished, the price which fell to Rs. 2-8 has again risen to Rs. 3-4. The prospects of the cold-weather crops continue good. Cholera cases have decreased.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divn. 17	Dacca, Dec. 28 '78	0·4	Weather—cool and seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are very good.
	Moonshoegunge (for week ending 25th.)	0·50	
	Manickgunge (for week ending 26th.)	0·22	
18	Furreedpore, „ 28 „	Nil	Slight rain in the beginning of the week at Madaripore. Weather cold and clear. The *amun* crop is not yet entirely reaped. The prospects are good. The winter cereals are growing well. In Goalundo the *moog* and *kalai* pulses are being reaped in the high lands. Goalundo itself is now free of cholera, but it has broken out in villages within the jurisdiction of the Khanganga outpost.
	Madaripore ...	0·08	
19	Backergunge, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold. The *amun* harvest is progressing very satisfactorily. New rice is selling at Rs. 3·9 a maund. Health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 27 „	0·02	Weather—cold. The cold-weather crops are doing well, and a slight fall of rain has proved beneficial. Cholera has appeared in parts of the district.
21	Tipperah, „ 27 „	0·15	Weather—cloudy for two days; fair and cold during the rest of the week. The greater part of the *amun* crop has been reaped all over the district; the outturn is everywhere good.
	Chandpore ...	0·35	
	Brahmunbaria ...	0·58	
Chittagong Divn. 22	Chittagong, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—dry and cold. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops. Prices have fallen considerably and continue to fall.
23	Noakholly, „ 26 „	0·17	Weather—cold. Slight showers of rain on the 19th and 20th. The reaping of the *amun* crop continues with good outturn.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 24 „	0·22	Weather—cloudy, with occasional sunshine throughout the week. Some drizzling rain on the night of the 20th instant. The gathering of the plough cultivators' paddy crop is nearly over. The prospects of tobacco and mustard are good.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 25 „	0·39	Rain fell on the 21st instant. The weather has since been much colder. The reaping of the late rice crop continues. The prospects of mustard and chillies are good.
BEHAR.			
Patna Divn. 25	Patna, Dec 28 '78	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. The harvesting of the *dhan* crop is nearly completed; the *rubbee* crops are all promising, but rain is urgently required.
26	Gya, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—very cool. The thermometer in the shade was 73·6°. The condition of the *rubbee* crops is good. The paddy is nearly all cut. With the exception of a few cases of small-pox, the public health is generally good. The health of the plough cattle is good.
27	Shahabad, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold. The paddy harvest is almost over. The outturn is a 12-anna crop on an average. The *rubbee* crops are doing well. A flight of locusts was observed from Arrah on the 27th between 3 and 4 P.M. moving from west to east. Public health is good.
28	Durbhunga, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. The harvesting of the paddy crop is nearly completed. The *rubbee* crops promise well, but rain is wanted.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—very cold and clear. The harvesting of the rice crop has been completed, and the average outturn for the district is quite 12 annas. The *rubbee* crops are strong and healthy, but their growth would be much promoted by an early fall of rain.
30	Sarun, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—cold; west wind prevailing. The cold-weather crops are thriving well, but rain is urgently required. Poppy is everywhere backward. The Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Sewan reports that some 4,000 beeghas out of 44,000 have entirely failed. Prices are stationary. Public health is good.
31	Chumparun, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change to report. Rain is required for the *rubbee* crops. The *dhan* has been harvested and has yielded on the average a ten-anna crop.
Bhagulpore Division. 32	Monghyr, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—cold, with west wind. Excellent *aghani* rice is being cut.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—fine, clear, and cold. The harvesting of rice is in full swing. The outturn is excellent. The *rubbee* is progressing favourably.
34	Purneah „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—cold. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. Fever still prevails.
35	Maldah, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—fair and cool, with a strong west wind. The state of the crops is reported to be fair. The gathering of *kalai* and *haimanta* paddy still continues.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—fine and cold. The state and prospects of the crops continue to be good.

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ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack Dec. 28 '78	Nil	Weather—fine and cold. The reaping of the *sarad* rice is going on. The *rubbee* harvest has commenced. Cholera is still prevalent.
38	Pooree, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy and cool. The *sarad* rice is being harvested. *Dalua* rice is being sown. The winter crops are progressing tolerably well. Common rice is selling at 15¼ to 21 seers for the rupee. A native coasting vessel is being loaded with rice for shipment. Public health is good, except that two cases of cholera were reported from Mendhasal in Khoorda.
39	Balasore, „ 27 „	Nil	Weather—cold and bright. The state and prospects of the crops are generally satisfactory.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Dec 27 '78	Nil	Weather—fine and cold; frosty at night. The rice crop is nearly all cut, and the prospects of the winter and spring crops are at present satisfactory.
41	Lohardugga, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change in the state and prospects of the crops. The *rubbee* is doing well, but some damage was done to the *rahar* crop by frost.
42	Singbhoom, „ 27 „	0·26	Weather—bright and cold. The harvesting of the *dhan* crop is over. The *rubbee* crops are everywhere most promising. Prices are still very high, especially in the parts where exportation is going on.
43	Manbhoom, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. From personal enquiry on the spot made by the Deputy Commissioner on tour, it appears that the harvest has been very good in some pergunnahs, fair in most pergunnahs, and indifferent in a few pergunnahs to the west. The cold-weather crops, which are not extensively grown in this district, are doing well.

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Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 8th to 14th December 1878.	Rain from 15th to 21st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	0·04	0·18	62·22	21st Dec.	
		Cutwa	Nil	Nil	69·23	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	Not recd.	62·68	14th Dec.	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	Nil	56·10	21st „	
		Ranegunge	0·23	0·02	48·98	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·16	0·12	73·68	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	0·10	0·20	54·88	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	Not recd.	Not recd.	63·24	7th Dec.	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	72·17	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	72·06	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	0·33	0·24	47·95	21st Dec.	
		Tumlook	Not recd	0·08	55 66	ditto ...	Not received 8th to 14th Dec.
		Ghattal	0·41	Nil	61 80	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	Nil.	ditto	53·02	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	Not recd.	53·01	14th Dec.	Not received 1st to 7th Dec.
	Hooghly	Hooghly	0·03	0·34	89·30	ditto	
		Serampore	0·16	0·20	80 01	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	0·20	Nil	62·07	ditto	
		Maheshraka	0·31	ditto	67·58	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Sangor Island	0·36	0 10	64·99	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	0·23	0·28	57 70	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	0·23	0·29	65·68	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	0·25	0 26	65 34	ditto	
		Busseerhat	Nil	0 03	66·48	ditto	
		Baraset	0·30	0·43	77·58	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	0 23	Nil	62·91	ditto	
		Barripore	0 43	0·12	71 15	ditto	
		Satkhira	Not recd.	0·09	75 84	ditto ...	Not received 8th to 14th Dec.
		Barrackpore	0·18	0 22	77·95	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	0 24	0·36	70·22	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	Nil.	0·38	65 92	21st Dec.	
		Bongong	ditto	0·42	68·41	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	Not recd.	55·24	14th Dec.	
		Chooadanga	0·04	0·40	86 26	21st „	
		Kooshtea	Nil.	Nil	74 59	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	79·72	ditto	
		Jessore	ditto	0·45	71·32	ditto	
	Jessore	Narail	ditto	0·48	51·16	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	0·40	65·16	ditto	
		Jhenidah	0·06	0·11	67·03	ditto	
		Bagirhat	Nil	0·10	68·54	ditto ...	Not received 24th to 30th Nov.
		Magoorah	ditto	0·19	70·01	ditto	
		Berhampore	0·21	Nil	68·92	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Rampore Haut	0·05	ditto	63·53	ditto	
		Lallbagh	0 08	ditto	55·05	ditto	
		Jungypore	Nil.	ditto	55·52	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	59·91	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	57·93	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	65·38	ditto	
	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	71·81	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	70·78	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	ditto	56 43	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	59·18	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	ditto	ditto	73 02	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	83·70	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	121·65	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	91·78	ditto	
		Kurigram	Not recd.	Not recd.	132·46	7th Dec.	
		Bagdogra	Nil.	Nil	142·24	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	82·03	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	90·79	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	73·18	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	84·76	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	ditto	0·05	70·11	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	0 10	57·77	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	Nil	123 81	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	116·18	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	142·95	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	Not recd.	119·52	14th Dec.	
		Buxa Civil Surgeon's Office ...	ditto	Nil	209·96	21st „	
		Titalya	ditto	Not recd.	132 10	14th „	Not received 1st to 7th Dec.
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	Not recd.	Nil	194·96	21st „	Not received 8th to 14th Dec.

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BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... { Telegraph Office...	Nil	0·45	64·13	21st Dec.	
		Hospital ...	ditto	0·50	82·04	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	0·50	90·15	ditto	
		Mamckgunge	ditto	0·22	65·87	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	0·32	67·27	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	0·23	76·74	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	0·08	78·55	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	0·06	73·67	ditto	
		Perozepore	0·02	0·20	85·87	ditto	
		Patooakhally	Nil	0·18	78·06	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	0·19	83·03	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	0·02	104·05	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	0·30	101·17	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	Nil	65·84	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	0·11	88·60	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong { Telegraph Office	ditto	Nil	109·57	ditto	
		Jail ...	ditto	ditto	102·64	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	114·15	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	0·17	105·97	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	Nil	119·63	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	0·15	87·73	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	0·58	74·50	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	0·22	99·30	ditto	
		Ruma	0·15	0·40	98·57	ditto ...	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	Nil	0·39	78·87	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	Nil	40·65	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	40·15	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	45·39	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	38·53	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	44·36	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	40·72	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	33·35	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	41·85	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	38·21	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	35·03	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	25·74	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	37·65	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	ditto	ditto	35·41	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	30·91	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	44·86	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	ditto	ditto	35·39	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	42·95	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	47·27	ditto	
	Saran ...	Chupra	ditto	ditto	29·18	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	33·26	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	Not recd.	Not recd.	40·23	7th Dec.	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	35·14	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	44·03	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	Nil	Nil	47·79	21st Dec.	
		Begoosarai	ditto	ditto	41·03	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	43·90	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	49·57	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	54·10	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	62·04	ditto	
		Rapka	ditto	ditto	61·58	ditto	
		Soubursa	ditto	ditto	58·77		
	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	ditto	64·37	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	84·85	ditto	
		Arrarooh	ditto	ditto	80·99	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	0·02	ditto	59·58	ditto	
		Rajmehal	Nil	ditto	109·23	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	ditto	64·59	ditto	
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	39·15	ditto ...	From 30th June, and not received 11th to 17th August.
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	43·83	ditto...	From 8th July.
		Godda	ditto	ditto	67·18	ditto	

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					Inches.	Up to date	
ORISSA.			Inches	Inches.		1878.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack Hospital ...	0·23	Not recd.	54·57	14th Dec.	
		Jajpore	0·80	ditto	29 50	ditto ...	Not recorded from 28th July to 9th November.
		Kendraparah	0·00	ditto	55·90	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	Not recd	ditto	69·42	7th Dec.	
		False Point	1·40	ditto	59·00	14th Dec.	Not received from 24th to 30th November.
	Pooree ...	Pooree	0·17	ditto	54·66	ditto	
		Khurdah	0·27	ditto	48·57	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	0·90	Nil	61·89	21st Dec.	
		Bhadrack	Nil	ditto	68 09	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	57·76	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	Not recd.	69·70	14th Dec.	
		Chandbally	Not recd.	Nil	67·13	21st ,,	
		Barreepudda	0 49	0·24	0·73	ditto ...	From 8th December.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	1·85	0·49	44·06	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	0·25	Nil	43·36	ditto	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	0·20	ditto	44·39	ditto	
		Pachamba	0·24	ditto	53·68	ditto	
		Sitagurh	0·03	ditto	23·85	ditto ...	From 4th August.
		Mowdie Hill	Not recd.	ditto	7·80	ditto ...	From 2nd September, and not received 8th to 14th December.
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	0 85	ditto	47·80	ditto	
		Palamow	Nil	ditto	46·29	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	1·06	0·26	50·75	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	0·50	0 02	61·11	ditto	
		Goviadpore	0·80	Nil	51·62	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	Nil	0·18	165·17	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	ditto	Not recd.	85·54	14th Dec.	
		Golaghat	ditto	ditto	81·38	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	70·12	ditto	
		Akyab	ditto	0·08	123·33	21st Dec.	Not recorded from 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	ditto	Nil	24·98	ditto ...	Not received 1st to 7th Dec.
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	23·77	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 22nd to 28th December 1878.

Stations.	Date	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Dec. 22nd	10	29·957	29·979	65·0	55·8	52	N N W	6·0	...	...	b
		16	29·856	29·878	72·1	58·7	41	N W by N	8·5	...	...	b
	23rd	10	30·032	30·054	63·0	54·5	55	N N W	4·8	...	...	b
		16	29·906	29·928	71·9	60·3	47	N by E	7·9	...	...	b
	24th	10	30·050	30·073	65·0	56·9	57	N	3·8	...	...	b
		16	29·936	29·958	72·9	60·4	44	N N E	9·0	...	...	b
	25th	10	30·076	30·098	67·7	60·0	61	N by E	2·5	...	...	b
		16	29·941	29·963	72·6	61·9	48	N N E	2·8	...	...	b
	26th	10	30·090	30·112	66·0	55·1	49	N by W	4·2	...	...	b
		16	29·958	29·980	72·9	58·2	39	N by W	8·3	...	...	b
	27th	10	30·086	30·108	65·0	54·4	46	N by W	2·0	...	...	b
		16	29·951	29·973	71·6	56·7	34	N N W	9·3	...	...	b
	28th	10	30·092	30·115	63·6	55·6	58	N N W	0·5	...	...	b
		16	29·947	29·969	71·0	53·1	28	W by N	7·3	...	...	b
Saugor Island.	Dec. 22nd	10	29·965	29·971	67·5	59·5	60	N	9	...	...	b
		16	29·867	29·873	73	61	46	N	16	...	...	b, c
	23rd	10	30·035	30·041	65·5	57·0	56	N	9	...	...	b, c
		16	29·926	29·932	71·5	61·0	52	N	12	...	...	b, c
	24th	10	30·051	30·057	67·5	61	67	N	8	...	...	b
		16	29·956	29·962	73	62·5	53	N	16	...	...	b
	25th	10	30·062	30·068	69	62	65	N N W	7	...	...	b, c
		16	29·937	29·963	74	62	47	N	12	...	...	b, c
	26th	10	30·096	30·102	69·5	63·0	68	N	7	...	...	b, c
		16	29·974	29·980	72	59·5	44	N	12	...	...	b
	27th	10	30·092	30·098	68	59·5	58	N N W	4	...	...	b
		16	29·963	29·969	73	60·5	48	N N W	8	...	...	b
	28th	10	30·091	30·097	68	60·5	63	N	3	...	...	b
		16	29·967	29·973	72	58·5	41	N N W	4	...	...	b
Chittagong.	Dec. 22nd	10	29·818	29·912	73	68·5	79	N	2	...	...	*Moist and muggy.*
	23rd	10	29·881	29·976	72·5	67·5	76	N N E	2	...	...	
	24th	10	29·923	30·018	72·5	66	69	N N W	2	...	...	
	25th	10	29·969	30·064	72·5	62	52	N	1	...	...	
	26th	10	29·917	30·012	70	61	57	N	2	...	...	
	27th	10	29·968	30·063	67·5	61·5	69	N N W	1	...	...	
	28th	10	29·985	30·081	67·5	60	62	N N E	1	1·10	...	*Foggy.*
Akyab.	Dec. 22nd	10	29·873	30·895	76	74	91	N	2	0·20	...	*c, dark, gloomy weather.*
	23rd	10	29·918	30·940	79	75	82	N	1	0·21	...	*Dark, gloomy weather.*
	24th	10	29·951	30·973	81	75	74	N E	1	...	...	b, c
	25th	10	29·983	30·005	79	75	82	N	2	...	...	b, c
	26th	10	30·001	30·023	76	69	69	N	3	...	...	b, c
	27th	10	30·012	30·034	71	67	80	N	3	...	...	b, c
	28th	10	30·012	30·034	73	67	72	N	2	...	...	b, c
False Point.	Dec. 22nd	10	30·963	30·979	71	60	49	N E	7	...	...	b
	23rd	10	30·032	30·048	68	56	42	N N E	8	...	...	b, c
	24th	10	30·044	30·060	70·5	60	51	N N E	9	...	...	b
	25th	10	30·074	30·090	73	61	46	N E	6	...	...	
	26th	10	30·090	30·106	72	62	54	N E	5	...	...	
	27th	10	30·091	30·107	70	61·5	59	N E	6	...	...	b
	28th	10	30·084	30·100	71	62	57	N	5	...	...	b
Vizagapatam.	Dec. 22nd	10	30·037	30·069	76	63	48	E N E	1	...	...	b, c
	23rd	10	30·086	30·018	74	69·5	80	S S E	1	...	...	b, c
	24th	10	30·007	30·040	73	61·5	49	S E	1	...	...	f, b, c
	25th	10	30·031	30·063	76	64	52	N N E	1	...	...	*Foggy.*
	26th	10	30·031	30·063	76·5	67·5	61	N E	1	...	...	b, c
	27th	10	30·035	30·067	77·5	70	67	N	1	...	...	b, c
	28th	10	30·065	30·097	79	71·5	69	W	1	...	...	b, c
Colombo.	Dec. 22nd	10	30·850	30·891	81·5	79	89	N	14	...	...	b, c
	23rd	10	30·886	30·927	80	73·5	72	N	12	...	...	b, c
	24th	10	30·948	30·989	81·5	73·0	65	N	10	...	...	b, c
	25th	10	30·906	30·947	82·5	73·5	63	N N E	9	...	...	b, c
	26th	10	30·944	30·985	81	74	71	N N W	8	...	...	b, c
	27th	10	30·939	30·980	80·5	75·5	78	S W	7	1·45	...	b, c
	28th	10	30·959	30·000	79·5	73·3	74	N	5	...	...	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 28th December 1878.

ALEXANDER, PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 15th to 21st December 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1878.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Dec.	15th	135·6	29·985	63·8	76·3	21·1	55·2	59·2	0·445	55 7	75	Chiefly N W by N.	82	Nil	Clear, *w*.
„	16th	136·5	·987	64·8	76 9	21·4	55·5	59 9	·451	56 1	73	Till 9-30 A.M. N W by N, till 11 P.M. chiefly N by W, till midnight N W by W.	99	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	17th	134·6	·980	64 2	76·8	22 6	54·2	59·7	·454	56·2	76	Till 9 A.M. N W by W, till 8-30 P.M. chiefly N N W, till midnight N W.	82	„	Chiefly clear, and *f*.
„	18th	134·6	·985	64·9	76 5	18·2	58·3	60 1	·455	56·3	73	Till 8-30 A.M. N W, till midnight chiefly N by W.	80	„	Clear, *w*.
„	19th	134·9	30·021	63 7	77·2	20·2	57·0	61·2	·469	57 1	71	Chiefly N by W ...	119	„	Chiefly cloudy, *o*, *g*, *d* and *w*.
„	20th	98·2	·007	63·6	69 0	6 9	62·1	59·5	·457	56·4	78	Till 10-30 A.M. N by W, till 7-30 P.M. chiefly N N W, till midnight N W by W.	137	0·07	Cloudy, *o*, *g* and *d*.
„	21st	129·8	29·911	64·4	73 6	14·6	59·0	60·2	·470	57·2	78	Till 9-30 A.M. N W by W, midnight chiefly N W by N.	69	0·21	Morning cloudy, day and night clear, *o* and *g*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·982
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...		30 032
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days		64·6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...		67·3
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days		23·0
The maximum temperature during the seven days		77·2
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days		75
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...		71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 15th to 21st December 1878		0·28
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office		0·01
The total fall from 1st January to 21st December 1878		58·55
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office		65·21

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o, overcast; *g*, gloomy; *d*, drizzling; *w*, dew; *f*, fog.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 26th December 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 22nd to 28th December 1878.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1878.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches.	⊖	%			Inches.	
Dec.	22nd	130·3	29·903	61·9	73·6	17·8	55·8	55·1	0·343	48·6	61	Chiefly N N W.	124	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	23rd	131·0	·959	60·4	72·3	20·1	52·2	54·5	·347	48·9	66	Till noon chiefly N N W, till midnight N by E.	107	„	Clear, *w*.
„	24th	131·8	·962	61·3	73·0	21·6	52·0	56·1	·386	51·8	71	Till 2 P.M. chiefly N by E, till midnight N N E.	103	„	Clear, *f* and *w*
„	25th	131·9	·999	62·9	74·4	20·2	54·2	57·8	·414	53·7	73	Till 10 A.M. N N E, till midnight N by E.	61	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	26th	131·3	30·010	60·8	72·0	19·3	52·7	54·4	·339	48·3	63	Till 10 A.M. N by E, till midnight chiefly N by W	93	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	27th	132·6	·002	59·8	71·9	20·8	51·1	53·1	·317	46·5	61	Till 10 A.M. N by W, till midnight chiefly N N W.	74	„	Clear, *w*.
„	28th	131·1	·008	57·0	71·4	25·3	46·1	51·0	·296	44·6	63	Till 11 A.M. N N W, till midnight chiefly W by N.	60	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	29·978
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 years. S. G. Office	...	30·037
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	60·6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	67·2
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ...	...	28·3
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	74·4
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	65
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office	...	71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0 01
The total fall from 1st January to 28th December 1878	...	58·55
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 years, S. G. Office ...	...	65 22

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

f, fog; *w*, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 30th December 1878.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 257.—*The 30th December* 1878.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagiruthee, and Brahmapootra during the month of November 1878.

Date.		River Ganges.														River Bhagiruthee				Brahmapootra.	
		Mirzapore		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahebgunge.		Rampore Bauleah		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
	Miles.					96.		177.	87.	257.	110.	331.	94.	471.	90.	661.	120.			70.			
	Distance.					From Benares		From Benares	From Buxar	From Benares	From Dinapore	From Benares	From Monghyr	From Benares	From Sahebgunge	From Benares	From Rampore Bauleah			From Berhampore			
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level
1st		4 50	215·00	3·63	200·63	3·92	173·24	12·55	146·55	3·00	104·85	8·16	76·16	9·75	51·75	11·16	20 10	8 25	40·65	16·16	18 95	9·30	158·06
2nd		4·25	214·75	3·67	200·47	3 83	173·15	12·40	146·40	2·92	104·77	8·00	74·00	9·58	51·58	11 00	19·94	8·08	40 48	9·75	18 54	8·80	157 56
3rd		4·25	214 75	3·50	200·38	3·75	173·07	12·20	146·20	2·75	104·60	7·75	75 75	9·41	51·41	10·75	19 69	7·94	40·34	9 50	18·29	8·50	157·26
4th		4·33	214·83	3 42	200·22	3·58	172·90	12·08	146·08	2 66	104 51	7 50	75 50	9·16	51·16	10·41	19 35	7 80	40·20	9·25	18·04	8 20	156·96
5th		4 16	214·66	3·33	200·13	3·50	172·82	11·95	145·95	2 50	104 35	7·33	75 33	9 00	51 00	10·25	19 19	7 30	39·70	9·00	17·79	7·90	156 66
6th		4·08	214·58	3·17	199·97	3·41	172·73	11·85	145·85	2·37	104·22	7·16	75·16	8·75	50·75	10·25	19·19	7·62	43·02	8 87	17 66	7 60	156 36
7th		4·08	214·58	3·08	199·88	3·33	172·65	11·60	145·60	2·33	104·18	7 00	75·00	8 66	50·66	10·16	19 10	7 56	39·96	8·83	17·62	7·40	156 16
8th		4·25	214·75	3·00	199·80	3·25	172·57	11·75	145·75	2·25	104 10	6·75	74·75	8·50	50 50	10·16	19·10	7 50	39 90	8·75	17·54	7·10	155·86
9th		4·25	214 75	2·92	199·72	3·16	172 48	11·65	145·65	2 16	104·01	6 58	74·58	8·62	50·62	10 16	19·10	7·33	39·73	8·75	17·54	6 80	155·56
10th		4 16	214·64	2·83	199·63	3·16	172·48	11·55	145·55	2·04	103·89	6 50	74 50	8·50	50·50	10 08	19·02	7 41	39·81	8·75	12·54	6·50	155·26
11th		4·00	214 50	2·75	199 55	3·08	172·40	11·50	144,50	2·00	103 85	6·33	74 33	8·33	50 33	9·92	18·86	7 33	39 73	8·75	17 54	6 50	155 26
										1·92	103·77								39 67				
12th		4·00	214·50	2·50	199·30	3·00	172 32	11·45	145 45			6·20	74 20	8·33	50·33	9·75	18·69	7 27		8 83	17 62	6 30	155·06
13th		3·75	214 25	2·42	199 22	3·00	172·32	11·50	145·50	1·75	103·60	6·08	74 08	8·16	50 16	9·50	18 44	7·16	39·56	8·83	17 62	6 20	154·96
14th		3·58	214·08	2·25	199·05	2·75	172·07	11·50	145·50	1·62	103 47	5·92	73·92	8·00	50·00	9·33	18·27	7·08	39 48	8·06	17 45	6·50	155 26
15th		3 42	213·92	2·08	198 88	2·41	171·73	11·40	145 40	1·58	103·43	5·75	73·75	7·83	49·83	9·16	18·10	6·92	39 32	8 33	17 12	6·60	155·36
16th		3·83	213·83	2·08	198·88	2·00	171·32	11·25	145·25	1·50	103·33	5·66	73·66	7 54	49 54	2 08	18·02	6 75	39 15	7·96	16 75	6·50	155·26
17th		3·25	213·75	2·00	198·80	1·66	170·98	11·10	145·10	1 37	103·22	5 50	73 50	7·46	49 46	8·92	17 86	6 66	39·06	7·66	16 45	6·30	155·06
18th		3·00	213·58	1·83	198·63	1·33	170·65	10·96	144·96	1 33	103·18	5·42	73·42	7·30	49·30	8·83	17·77	6·60	39·04	7 50	16 29	6 00	154·76
19th		3·00	213 50	1·75	198 55	1 25	170·57	10·90	144·90	1 29	103·14	5·25	73·25	7 16	49·16	8·75	17 69	6 54	38·94	7 37	16·16	5·80	154 56
20th		3·00	213·50	1·58	198 38	1 16	170·48	10·70	144·70	1·25	103·10	5·00	73·00	7 00	49 00	8 75	17·69	6 40	38·80	7·25	16·04	5 50	154·26
21st		2·83	213·33	1·50	198·30	1·08	170 40	10·60	144·60	1·16	103·01	4 83	72·83	6·83	48·83	8·75	17·69	6·22	38·62	7·20	15·99	5·30	154·06
22nd		2·83	213·33	1·50	198·30	1·00	170·32	10 50	144·50	1·12	102·97	4·70	72·70	6·66	48 66	8 66	17·60	6·00	38·40	7·16	15·95	5·10	153·83
23rd		2·83	213·33	1·42	198·22	·92	170·24	10·40	144·40	1 04	102·89	4 58	72 58	6·54	48 54	8·58	17·52	5 48	38·23	7 12	15·91	4·80	153 56
24th		2·75	213 25	1·33	198·13	·75	170·07	10·25	144·25	·92	102·77	4·42	72·42	6·42	48·42	8·42	17·36	5 66	38·06	7 00	15 79	4·50	153 26
25th		2·66	213·08	1·25	198·05	·66	169·98	10·20	144 20	·87	102·72	4 36	72 30	6·20	48·20	8 33	17·27	5 54	37·94	6·87	15·66	4 30	153·06
26th		2·58	213·08	1 16	197·97	58	169·90	10·15	144·15	·80	102·65	4·16	72·16	6·00	48 00	8 25	17·19	5 43	37·82	6 83	15 62	4 10	152·86
27th		2·58	213·08	1·08	197·88	·50	169·82	10·05	144·05	·75	102 60	4·00	72·00	5·96	47·96	8·08	17·02	5·30	37·70	6·50	15·29	3·90	152·66
28th		2·50	213·00	1·00	197·80	·41	169·73	9·95	143·95	·66	102·51	3·92	71·92	5·66	47·66	8 00	16·94	5 16	37·56	6·33	15·13	3·80	152·56
29th		2·33	212·83	·92	197·72	·25	169·65	9·80	143·80	·62	102·47	3·83	71·83	5·58	47·58	7·83	16·77	5·06	37 46	6·16	14·95	3·50	152·26
30th		2·33	212·83	·83	197·63	·25	169·57	9·80	143·80	·58	102·43	3·66	71·66	5·50	47·50	7 58	16·52	4·94	37·34	6·00	14 79	3·20	151·96

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Report on the Fluctuations in traffic on the Northern Bengal State Railway for the month of November 1878.

GENERAL REMARKS.

THE result of the month's working shows a falling off of 6,213 maunds in the total weight carried, as compared with October, but as a matter of fact there has been an increase of 4,557 maunds in public merchandise, as will be seen if the short despatch of railway material is excluded.

INCREASES.

Ale ... ... Mds. 14

Cotton ... ... „ 28

The increase in the weight lifted under these heads is unimportant.

Gunny-bags ... ... Mds. 3,667

The movement in this staple is most encouraging, not only as regards the staple itself, but as a forerunner of the heavy traffic in food-grain that will naturally follow.

Jute ... ... Mds. 8,409

The special reduced rate for this article came into force on the 13th instant, and this, together with an increase of 2 annas per maund in the Calcutta market, has given an impetus to this traffic.

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 240

This is an ordinary trade fluctuation and does not call for any special remark.

Seeds ... ... Mds. 1,096

Two-thirds of the weight shown under this head is upward traffic, and is almost entirely to meet agricultural purposes.

Other goods ... ... Mds. 5 866

The total weight lifted under this head during the month is 10,688 maunds, which is 3,167 maunds more than we have yet carried in any one month. As this traffic is made up almost entirely of miscellaneous through bookep consignments, I think it may be taken as an indication of a movement on the part of native despatchers to avail themselves of the rail for the purpose of supplying stations that have hitherto been almost exclusively served by boats.

DECREASES.

Food-grain ... ... Mds. 4,342

Operations in this staple have been almost entirely suspended during the month, pending the result of the gathering in of the new crop, which is being rapidly carried on.

Ginger ... ... Mds. 753

No business whatever has been done in this article for some time, and despatchers are holding off for more favourable rates than can be obtained in the present state of the Calcutta market.

Hides ... ... Mds. 103

The slightly increased rates prevailing at the beginning of October caused larger despatches of some of the lower descriptions than there was demand for, and the result of this is being felt this month.

Railway material ... ... Mds. 10,570

This falling off was caused principally by a scarcity of labour at Sara for loading purposes, the coolies engaged on the ghât work having left almost in a body to gather in the harvest.

Tea ... ... Mds. 4,403

Although this falling off is considerable, still the weight lifted during the month, 11,500 maunds, is more than an average month's work, inasmuch as the despatches during October were unusually heavy owing t the partial stoppage in September.

Tobacco ... ... Mds. 5,283

The same cause which operated on this traffic during October has had a still greater effect this month.

Statement shewing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of November 1878.

STAPLES.	OCTOBER 1878.		NOVEMBER 1878.		Total for October.	Total for November.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
Ale	6	.....	0	11	6	20	14	.....
Cotton	13	.....	39	2	13	41	28	.....
Food-grain	5,133	8,617	4,621	4,787	13,750	9,408	.....	4,342
Ginger	.....	973	2	218	973	220	.....	753
Gunny-bags	15	1,177	27	4,832	1,192	4,859	3,677	.....
Hides	7	381	.....	285	388	285	.....	103
Jute	14	10,039	29	18,432	10,053	18,461	8,409	.....
Piece-goods	279	135	505	149	414	654	240	.....
Railway materials	28,916	2,167	18,733	1,780	31,083	20,513	.....	10,570
Salt	154	12	99	.....	166	99	.....	67
Seeds	88	119	757	494	155	1,251	1,096	.....
Sugar	117	53	151	12	175	163	.....	12
Tea	.....	15,903	...	11,500	15,903	11,500	.....	4,403
Tobacco	33	8,622	125	8,247	8,655	8,372	.....	5,283
All other goods	2,632	2,190	6,877	3,811	4,822	10,688	5,866	.....
Total ...	37,855	50,392	31,974	49,560	87,747	81,534	.....	6,213

G. M. DRURY, *Traffic Superintendent.*

TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SAIDPUR, the 25th December 1878.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 21st December 1878 on 1,279¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	125,645	2,35,073 4 9	21,630 17 8	15,74,912 30	6,04,054 3 9	55,371 12 8	8,40,027 7 9	80,074½	103,718½	183,792½
Or per mile of railway	.....	184 6 3	16 18 1	.....	472 0 2	43 5 4	656 6 5	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	3,110,939	41,62,132 4 3	381,528 15 10	2,47,26,561 20	93,76,361 6 8	905,351 9 8	2,40,38,603 10 6	1,131,462½	1,841,048½	2,972,510½
Total for 25 weeks ...	3,236,584	43,98,106 9 0	403,159 13 6	2,63,01,474 10	1,04,80,616 9 8	960,723 1 11	2,48,78,721 2 3	1,181,536½	1,944,766½	3,126,303
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	116,590½	1,84,001 4 0	16,875 0 7	14,01,651 20	5,34,060 12 3	48,985 11 8	7,18,152 0 2	45,445	101,555	147,100
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	143 13 7	13 3 9	.....	417 5 1	38 5 1	561 2 8	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,226,601	43,89,544 1 6	402,374 17 6	3,27,11,165 10	1,27,64,167 6 8	1,170,048 13 7	1,71,83,771 8 2	1,126,764	2,581,785	3,708,509

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 21st December 1878 on 222¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	7,339	36,757 9 3	3,369 8 11	3,33,367 0	90,755 10 6	8,319 5 4	1,27,513 3 9	6,226½	22,417½	28,717
Or per mile of railway	.....	164 4 6	15 1 9	..	405 9 9	37 3 8	569 14 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	130,652½	4,32,477 13 3	38,727 2 6	30,77,519 10	8,48,274 15 9	77,758 10 10	12,70,752 13 0	119,638½	224,185	344,078½
Total for 25 weeks ...	137,991½	4,59,235 6 6	42,096 11 7	34,15,876 10	9,39,030 10 3	86,077 16 2	13,98,266 0 9	126,192½	246,602½	372,796
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,254½	19,660 2 9	1,804 0 4	1,90,812 10	43,682 14 0	4,004 5 3	63,363 0 9	4,735	11,241	15,976
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	87 15 4	8 2 3	.....	196 3 3	17 17 11	286 3 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	130,115	4,36,273 12 1	39,991 15 2	32,99,468 20	12,91,988 15 9	118,432 6 6	17,28,294 11 10	120,749	323,693	444,442

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 21st December 1878 on 158½ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	38,960½	27,942 5 6	2,561 7 8	1,80,150 0	35,066 8 4	3,214 8 8	5,775 16 4
Or per mile of railway	245	176 9 3	16 2 8	1,134 32	220 14 3	20 5 0	36 7 8
For previous 24 weeks of half-year	930,609	6,19,816 11 8	56,816 10 4	47,85,104 3	14,66,741 6 1	133,901 6 0	190,717 16 8
Total for 25 weeks ...	969,575½	6,47,759. 1 2	59,377 18 2	49,65,254 3	14,96,807 14 5	137,115 14 8	196,493 13 0
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	34,303	25,009 2 0	2,292 10 0	1,84,418 28	43,224 6 4	3,962 4 1	6,254 14 1
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	216	157 8 7	14 8 10	1,161 28	272 4 5	24 19 2	39 8 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year ...	918,366	5,98,016. 1 2	54,818 4 8	70,91,142 35	18,87,080 0 7	173,982 6 8	227,800 11 4

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 45.

Latest return received	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878.
			16th November 1877.	9th November 1878.	To 16th Nov. 1877.	To 9th Nov. 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
16th November ...	Northern Bengal	219	2,040 0 0	21,638 0 0	15,623 0 0	7,75,817 0 0	7,59,094 0 0	.....
23rd „ ...	Tirhoot	76	5,004 0 0	10,110 0 0	2,42,207 0 0	3,60,103 0 0	1,17,896 0 0	.....
7th December ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,001 0 0	2,025 0 0	96,901 0 0	1,08,687 0 0	11,786 0 0	.....
23rd November ...	Naihati	27½	1,296 0 0	1,748 0 0	75,455 0 0	78,073 0 0	2,618 0 0	.....
	Total ...	350½	11,031 0 0	35,523 0 0	4,30,186 0 0	13,22,180 0 0	8,91,994 0 0	.....

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 46.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878.
			17th November 1877.	16th November 1878.	To 17th November 1877.	To 16th November 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
16th November ..	Northern Bengal	219	1,973 0 0	−11,540 0 0 (a) +14,630 0 0	17,595 0 0	7,78,607 0 0	7,61,012 0 0	.....
23rd „ ..	Tirhoot	76	6,991 0 0	11,802 0 0	2,49,197 0 0	3,71,998 0 0	1,22,796 0 0	
7th December ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,187 0 0	2,220 0 0	99,088 0 0	1,10,906 0 0	11,818 0 0	
23rd November	Naihati	27½	1,394 0 0	1,523 0 0	76,848 0 0	79,596 0 0	2,748 0 0	
	Total ...	350½	12,545 0 0	30,465 0 0	4,42,728 0 0	13,41,104 0 0	8,98,376 0 0	.....

(a) Amount over-credited in week ending 5th October on account of ferry charges on Railway materials.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 88A.

GENERAL.—*The 2nd January* 1879.—Mr. Arthur Herbert Collins, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Bengal Civil Service, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Burdwan Division, and is posted to the district of Bankoora.

The 3rd January 1879.—Baboo Runga Lall Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is allowed leave for two months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 4th instant, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. J. Monro, Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, is allowed leave for two months and nine days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. F. H. Pellew, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Hooghly, is appointed to act as Inspector-General of Police, Bengal, during the absence on leave of Mr. J. Monro, or until further orders.

Mr. R. D. Hime is re-appointed to act until further orders as Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly.

The 6th January 1879.—Mr. W. N. Campbell, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Hazareebagh, is allowed leave for two months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 10th instant.

Mr. W. H. Page, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Jessore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade in the district of Sarun.

Mr. E. H. Ruddock, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pubna, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Jessóre.

Moonshi Faizullah Khan, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, having returned to duty on the 14th instant, the unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted to him under orders dated the 4th September last is cancelled.

Mr. C. T. Metcalfe, C.S.I., reported his departure from India on furlough on the 17th ultimo.

Baboo Harakali Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X (B.C.) of 1871.

The 7th January 1879.—Mr. J. F. Stevens, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

The services of Mr. A. H. Warde-Jones, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Jehanabad division of the Gya district, are placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch of this Government, for the purpose of acquiring land for that department in the Patna, Shahabad, and Gya districts, *vice* Mr. G. C. M. Smith, deceased.

Mr. Warde-Jones is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 in those districts.

Moulvi Abdul Hye, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. S. Jacob, whose services have recently been placed at the disposal of this Government, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division, and is posted to the Sudder Station of the Rajshahye district.

Mr. C. F. Magrath, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is allowed furlough for ten months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th March 1879, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it, together with subsidiary leave for twelve days under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Mr. H. L. Harrison, Secretary to the Board of Revenue, is allowed leave for 15 days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. E. E. Lowis, who has reported his return from furlough, is appointed to act as Secretary to the Board of Revenue, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. L. Harrison, or until further orders.

Mr E. A. Bradbury, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, who reported his return from furlough on the 5th instant, is allowed subsidiary leave for one week, to enable him to rejoin his appointment.

Mr. Bradbury is appointed to have charge of the Serampore division of the Hooghly district.

Baboo Kedar Nath Ghose, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jessore, is appointed to have charge of the Bagirhat division of that district during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Ram Churn Bose, or until further orders.

This cancels the orders of the 23rd October last appointing Baboo Jodu Nath Chowdry, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, to have temporary charge of the Bagirhat sub-division.

Mr. E. McL. Smith is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, with effect from the 4th June 1878.

Baboo Mohini Mohun Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Atia division of the Mymensing district, is appointed to have charge of the Patooakhally division of the Backergunge district during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Krishna Chunder Dutt, or until further orders.

This cancels the orders of the 30th ultimo, transferring Baboo Ruttun Lal Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, City Moorshedabad sub-division, to Patooakhally.

POLICE.—*The 6th January* 1879.—Mr. G. D. Graham, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is posted to Backergunge.

The 7th January 1879.—Mr. E. B. Baker, Deputy Inspector-General, Police, is allowed furlough for two days, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India.

Mr. Baker is also allowed subsidiary leave for three days from the 27th ultimo, under Section 24(*b*) of the Civil Leave Code.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 6th January* 1879.—Mr W. F. Meres, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a Marriage Registrar under Act XV of 1872 for the district of Tipperah.

EDUCATION.—*The 7th January* 1879.—Baboo Bishun Chunder Mookerjee, a Deputy Inspector of Schools, First Grade, is appointed to be Head Master, Hooghly Normal School, *vice* Baboo Brohmo Mohun Mullick.

The following promotions of Deputy Inspectors of Schools are sanctioned :—

Baboo Hara Mohun Bhattacharjee, from the Second to the First Grade, *vice* Baboo Bishun Chunder Mookerjee.

Baboo Sreenath Dutt, from the Third to the Second Grade, *vice* Baboo Hara Mohun Bhattacharjee.

Baboo Bhugwan Prosad, from the Second to the First Grade, *vice* Baboo Bireshwar Chuckerbutty.

Baboo Moti Lal Moitra, from the Third to the Second Grade, *vice* Baboo Kailash Chunder Sen.

Baboo Mohim Chunder Chatterjee, Sub-Inspector of Schools, is appointed to be a Deputy Inspector of Schools, Third Grade, *vice* Baboo Sreenath Dutt.

Baboo Ramdas Chuckerbutty, Head Master, Pooree Zillah School, is appointed to be a Deputy Inspector of Schools, Second Grade, *vice* Baboo Bhugwan Prosad, but will continue in his present appointment until further orders.

Baboo Sree Pati Banerjee, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Third Grade, is appointed to be Head Master, Pooree Zillah School, *vice* Baboo Ramdas Chuckerbutty, but will continue in his present appointment until further orders.

Baboo Bacharam Roy, Sub-Inspector of Schools, is appointed to be a Deputy Inspector of Schools, Third Grade, *vice* Baboo Sree Pati Banerjee.

Baboo Durga Prosanna Mookerjee, Sub-Inspector of Schools, is appointed to be a Deputy Inspector of Schools, Third Grade, *vice* Baboo Moti Lal Moitra.

Baboo Chundra Kumar Moitra, Head Master, Barrackpore Zillah School, is appointed temporarily to be a Deputy Inspector of Schools, Second Grade, *vice* Baboo Ambica Charan Bose, but will continue in his present appointment until further orders.

Baboo Kali Nath Chowdry, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Third Grade, is appointed temporarily to be Head Master of the Barrackpore Zillah School, *vice* Baboo Chandra Kumar Moitra, but will continue in his present appointment until further orders.

Baboo Ram Sunder Bysack, Head Clerk to the Inspector of Schools, Eastern Circle, is appointed to be a Deputy Inspector of Schools, Third Grade, *vice* Baboo Saroda Prosad Roy, about to retire.

CIVIL.—*The 6th January* 1879.—The following transfers are made:—

Mr. A. H. Turnbull, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Ghazipore, to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Patna.

„ P. Cosserat, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Patna, to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Fattehgarh.

„ H. Osborne, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Azimgurh, officiating at Fattehgarh, to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Basti.

„ W. D. Ridsdale, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Basti, to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Ghazipore.

Mr. C. F. Wintle, Officiating Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Tehtah, Behar Agency, is transferred to the Benares Agency.

Mr. N. T. Ryves, Officiating Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Bettiah, is confirmed in that appointment.

The 7th January 1879.—The orders of the 13th September and 14th November 1878, granting leave, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, to Mr P. Ross, late an Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, are cancelled.

MEDICAL.—*The 19th December* 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Pooree Lodging-house Committee for the calendar year 1879 :—

Mr. F. A. Dawson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police of Pooree,	*Official Members.*
Baboo Kumode Nath Mookerjee, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector,	
„ Sita Kant Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector,	
Mohant Narain Das,	*Non-official Members.*
Baboo Tarakant Bidyasagar Bhattacharjya,	
„ Ram Chand Addy,	

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Contai, in the district of Midnapore :—

Baboo Jogodishwar Gupta, B.L., Officiating Moonsif, *vice* Baboo Jeebun Krishna Chatterjee.

Baboo Shoshi Bhusun Chowdhuri, M.A., B.L., Additional Moonsif.

The 27th December 1878.—Baboo Hara Govinda Mookerjee, Moonsif, Sudder Station of Bankoora, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Bankoora.

The 6th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Abhay Coomar Sen, in charge of the Jehanabad Dispensary in Burdwan is appointed to have medical charge of the Rajmehal Dispensary in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Assistant Surgeon Uma Churn Mitter, in charge of the Rajmehal Dispensary in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, is appointed to have medical charge of the Jehanabad Dispensary in Burdwan.

The 7th January 1879.—Supernumerary Assistant Surgeon Bhagavat Chundra Rudra, M.B., is appointed to be House Physician of the First Physician's Ward in the Calcutta Medical College Hospital, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Jugessur Roy.

First Class Assistant Apothecary J. A. Antonio is appointed to have charge of the Lock-hospital, Jallapahar, with effect from the 24th October 1878, inclusive, *vice* Apothecary T. O. Donoghue.

ECONOMIC MUSEUM.—*The 6th January* 1879.—Mr. W. F. Meres, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is appointed to be a member of, and Secretary to, the Tipperah Local Economic Museum Committee, *vice* Mr. R. C. Dutt.

ROAD CESS.—*The 6th January* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Mymensing:—

Dr. James Moorhead, Civil Surgeon.
Baboo Jogendra Narain Acharjee Chowdry, Zemindar.
„ Dharoni Kanth Lahuri Chowdry, Zemindar.

The following gentlemen are appointed, in supersession of previous orders, to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee at Goalundo, in the district of Furreedpore:—

Baboo Shama Sankar Majumdar, Zemindar.
„ Madu Sudun Chowdhury, Talukdar.
Mir Abdussumud, Talukdar.
Nadu Meah *alias* Mahamed Nezaman Alam, Talukdar.
Moonshee Rahim Bakse Chowdury, Zemindar.
Baboo Shama Sankar Bardhan, Jotedar.
„ Govinda Chundra Datta, Talukdar.

Mr. A. W. Eddis, Indigo Planter, is appointed to be a member of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Meherpore in Nuddea.

ERRATUM.—*The 4th January* 1879.—In the orders of the 20th ultimo, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 25th idem, appointing Mr. F. T. Dowding, B.A., to act until further orders as Principal of the Rajshahye College, *for* "Professor, *Presidency* College," *read* "Professor, *Hooghly* College."

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th January 1879.—The following programme of a visitation tour of the Lord Bishop of Calcutta in the district of Kishnaghur is hereby published for general information:—

	Arrival.	Departure
Calcutta	January	January 10th
Kishnagur	„ 10th	„ 13th
Chupra	„ 13th	„ 14th
Bollobpur	„ 14th	„ 16th
Joginda	„ 16th	„ 17th
Tólo	„ 17th	„ 18th
Kapatdanja	„ 18th	„ 21st
Ramnugger Station ...	„ 21st (morning) ...	
Calcutta	„ 21st	

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th January 1879.—The declarations published at pages 1695 and 1696 respectively of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th December 1877, for the acquisition of lands at Rungpore and Kurigram for erecting cholera sheds for coolies, are hereby cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 2nd January 1879.—It is hereby notified under paragraph 2 of section 8, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, that in compliance with the recommendation of the local authorities, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the town of Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling, to be a second-class Municipality, with effect from the 1st of April 1879, unless good reasons to the contrary be shown within one month from the publication of this notice within the town.

2. The boundaries of the proposed Municipality shall be as follows :—

On the East.—Dhobi Jhora, from the head of Sundook Jhora, to the 20th milepost on the Cart Road.

On the South.—A straight line from the 20th milepost on the Cart Road to the old Punkabaree Road at the southern angle of Eagles' Craig; thence the old Punkabaree Road to the south-east angle of Kempside location; thence the south-east boundaries of locations called Lloyd's location and Boon's Court; thence a straight line through Lloyd's and Makaibaree lands to the Punkabaree Road at the east corner of Murray field location.

On the West.—The south-east and south-west boundaries of Murray field; thence the west boundaries of Dell, Devonshire Bexley, Weenburgh, Helensburgh and Rose Bank locations; thence a line from the north-west angle of Rose Bank through the estate called Springside to the south-west angle of the Barrack location; thence the western boundary of the Barrack and Government reserve lands to where it joins the south-east corner of S. Smith's lands; thence the south and east boundaries of S. Smith's lands to Singlee Nuddy; thence a straight line passing through Singlee or Dookdahoo to the bridge on the Sepring Jhora; thence the Sepring Jhora to the Cart Road; thence the Cart Road to the Sundook Jhora.

On the North.—The Sundook Jhora from the Cart Road to Dhobie Jhora ridge.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 30th December 1878.—In the exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 234 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Motiharee, in the district of Chumparun, at a meeting, to order that all the provisions of Part VII of the said Act shall be in force in the said Municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd January 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 299 of Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Mudhubunnee Municipality, at a meeting, to extend to that Municipality the provisions of Part IX, Chapter II of the said Act.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF DARJEELING.

The 7th January 1879.—It is notified under Section 75 of Act X (B.C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Darjeeling have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the cess year commencing from 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly :—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II and on the net profits of immoveable property under Part III of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops :—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly rate. Rs. A. P.
Not less than Rs. 100,	but less than Rs.	500 ...	1 0 0
„ 500,	„	1,000 ...	3 0 0
„ 1,000,	„	2,000 ...	4 8 0
„ 2,000,	and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof		

of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of Bengal.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT—MUNICIPAL.

The 7th January 1878.

THE following Resolution is published for general information:—

READ—

A letter from the Accountant-General, Bengal, No. 1116B, dated the 26th December 1878, submitting copy of a circular letter which he has issued to all magistrates and collectors, with a view to settle the balances of local and municipal funds, and requesting Government to issue a general order to the officers in charge of municipal and local funds for the purpose of ensuring the periodical settlement and verification of such balances.

Read again—

The Government letter No. 3045, dated the 24th July last, to the Accountant-General on the same subject.

SERIOUS discrepancies having been frequently found to exist between the balances of municipal and local funds shown in the books of the Accountant-General and those claimed by the officers administering the municipal and local funds concerned, the Accountant-General was asked to report what measures he would propose for securing a final settlement of all such balances and the regular and periodical verification of them in future.

2. That officer now brings to notice that the local fund balances on 31st March 1872 were settled after a careful investigation extending over several years, and that the municipal balance was adjusted so as to be brought into agreement with the balances shown in the local treasuries on the same date. This settlement of balances was approved by Government in letter No. 1098, dated 15th April 1874. For every year since that date a statement of the receipts, disbursements and balance of each fund has been sent to the Collector of the District to which the fund belonged, but in many cases no action has been taken on these statements and they have not even been communicated to the administrators of the funds concerned.

3. In all cases where the balance communicated to the Collector was not objected to, the Accountant-General assumed that its correctness was admitted by the local officers, but this does not seem to have been the case, and it now appears that numerous discrepancies exist between the balances entered in the Accountant-General's books and those shown in the various local accounts. These discrepancies were brought to notice by the Accountant-General specifically requesting the Collectors to compare the balances shown by him for 31st March 1877 with those claimed by the local officers on the same date, and at the same time it was made evident that the district officers generally laboured under a misapprehension as to the procedure to be followed in reconciling discrepant balances.

4. To remove the misunderstandings which have hitherto prevailed, to ensure that the balances shown by different officers shall be brought into agreement, and to provide for the periodical agreement and verification of such balances in future, the Lieutenant-Governor now directs that the following rules shall be strictly observed:—

I.—As regards all local funds of which the balances were settled by the Accountant-General for 31st March 1872, the balances so settled must be accepted once for all as correct by the officers or persons administering the funds, and their accounts adjusted accordingly. No claim on the part of any fund to open up the accounts of any period prior to that date will be admitted except with the sanction of Government which will only be given on special grounds.

II.—For any period subsequent to 31st March 1872, the statement of the Accountant-General showing the yearly balance of the fund and the receipts and disbursements month by month shall, *primâ facie*, be held to be correct. Any collector or other officer charged with the administration of a fund, who may desire to

dispute the correctness of the balance shown by the Accountant-General, can only make good his claim by showing either that receipts paid into the treasury on account of the fund have not been credited to it, or that charges have been taken against the fund which should not have been debited to it. The items of receipt which are claimed must be traced in the treasury accounts, and not merely pointed out in the accounts kept by the local fund. The receipts given by the local treasury afford an easy and conclusive means of establishing such claims.

III.—For all municipalities, the balances as adjusted on 31st March 1872 by a credit to Provincial Reserve shall *primâ facie* be held to be correct, but corrections will not be limited, as in the case of local funds, to transactions that occurred subsequent to that date. Any municipality which can show that money paid into the treasury before 31st March 1872 was not placed to its credit, or that any item was charged to it in the yearly accounts which should not have been so charged, will have its account adjusted accordingly. In such cases the Accountant-General may exercise his discretion as to whether the matter should be reported for the orders of Government or not.

IV.—All disagreements as to municipal balances arising from transactions that occurred after 31st March 1872, will be adjusted by the method prescribed in Rule II for local funds.

V.—The Accountant-General will arrange, with as little delay as possible, to keep a separate account for each municipality, union and station. When the district municipal balance has been settled, the district officers must take immediate steps to distribute it among the various municipalities, unions and stations of that district, and the Accountant-General will, as a rule, accept such distribution without further investigation.

VI.—The Accountant-General should send, once a quarter, to the officer charged with the administration of each municipality or local fund, a statement showing receipts and disbursements on account of the fund as well as its balance at the close of the quarter, and such officer must state in reply whether he does or does not accept the balance, and must lose no time in making good, in the manner already pointed out, any claim he may wish to put forward on behalf of the fund. The sending of this statement by the Accountant-General need not be deferred until a reconcilement of the balances at present shown in the various accounts has been effected, as it is of importance to ensure that current receipts and expenditure are correctly shown in the accounts.

VII.—The Accountant-General is responsible for taking steps to ensure that the treasury *plus* and *minus* memorandum for each municipality or local fund agrees with the figures shown in his accounts, and treasury officers may, when required, certify the amount of receipts and disbursements which in their accounts they have credited or debited to any municipality or local fund, but such certificates are open to correction by the Accountant-General in whose office the accounts of balances are kept

5. Any doubt as to the real balance at credit of a municipality or fund is calculated to affect injuriously its efficient working, and the disagreement of the balances shown for the same fund in the accounts kept in different offices opens a wide door to fraud and is a fruitful source of complication and correspondence which might easily be avoided. The rules now passed are intended to facilitate the reconcilement of existing, and the periodical verification of all future, balances and the Lieutenant-Governor will not fail to take serious notice of the conduct of any officer who may hereafter be shown to have neglected this important part of his duty or to have disobeyed the orders of Government in this matter.

ORDER.—Ordered that copies of this resolution be forwarded to all District Magistrates and to the Chairmen of all 1st and 2nd Class Municipalities for information and guidance, and also to Commissioners of Divisions for information.

Ordered also that a copy of it be forwarded to the Accountant-General in reply to his letter No. 1116B, dated the 16th December 1878.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th December 1878.—Under Section 3, Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has determined that a survey shall be made of the lands from base lines to be laid down by the Dearah Survey party along the banks of the river Megna through the districts of Dacca and Tipperah. Commencing from the points where the line of survey notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st June 1876, page 677, ends in the Megna, this survey will extend northwards till it reaches Bhyrub Bazar, in the sub-division of Kishoregunge, in the district of Mymensingh. The boundaries of all mouzahs will be demarcated, and those of estates where considered necessary by the Collector.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 7th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for public purposes, viz. for the construction of a watercourse from the Ghogra river to the Purnabhaba at Gouripore, and also for the construction of an embankment from the Kanchon Ghât to the mouth of the Ghogra river passing through the villages of Gouripore, Ekbarpore, Kharipara, Mohabutpore, Syedpore, Mashimpore, Harihurpore, Mamoodpore, Jharbari Khamar, Kashba, Aoliapore, Mohalla, Bahadoor Bazar, Kachon and Hooshnabad in pergunnah Bijoynugur, zillah Dinagepore, it is hereby declared that for the above purposes land measuring, more or less, 148 beeghas 4 cottahs and 8 chittacks of standard measurement is required within the aforesaid villages of Gouripore, Ekbarpore, Kharipara, Mohabutpore, Syedpore, Mashimpore, Harihurpore, Mamoodpore, Jharbari Khamar, Kashba, Aoliapore, Mohalla Hooshnabad, Kanchon and Bahadoor Bazar, in the district of Dinagepore.

2. This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 89A.

The 19th December 1878.—Mr. F. Bowers, Proprietor of Bhargown Factory, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Arrareah Bench in the district of Purneah, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class, *vice* Mir Wajid Ali, deceased.

The 2nd January 1879.—Mr. Arthur Herbert Collins, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Bankoora, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 4th January 1879.—Baboo Gocool Chand, Officiating Moonsif of Kudba, in Purneah, and Officiating Additional Moonsif at the Sudder Station of that district, on leave, is confirmed in those appointments, *vice* Moulvi Abul Hossein.

The Moonsif of Kudba, in Purneah, is appointed, *ex-officio*, to be also a Moonsif at the Sudder Station of that district.

The 6th January 1879.—Baboo Nilmoney Koonr, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

The 7th January 1879.—Mr. S. Jacob, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahye, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

Mr. C. D. C. Winter, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Beerbhoom, is vested with powers under Sections 44 and 142 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First]Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1878.—Under Section 79 of Act III of 1877 (the Indian Registration Act), it is hereby notified for general information that with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the omission of the words "or authority to adopt (such authority being executed before the 1st January 1872)," from Article C (*a*) of the schedule of fees published under Section 77 of Act VIII of 1871.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1878.—It is hereby notified that under the provisions of Section 641 of Act X of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to exempt Rajah Komul Krishna, of Sobha Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, from personal attendance in civil courts.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th December 1878.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorises the extension of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 to the town of Hausua, in the Nowada sub-division of the district of Gya.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd January 1879.

No. 1.—*Leave of Absence.*—Mr. W. B. Christie, Executive Engineer (temporary rank), Fourth Grade, attached to the Burdwan Division, is allowed privilege leave for three months, under Civil Leave Code, Chapter VII, Section 32.

No. 2.—*Notifications.*—Mr. W. B. Gwyther, Apprentice Engineer, attached to the First Calcutta Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted* to him from the 28th November 1878, before noon.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 244, of 3rd December 1878.

2. Mr. Gwyther rejoined the above Division on the 13th December 1878, before noon.

No. 3.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No. 582, *of the 30th December* 1878.—The following officers and subordinates are retransferred from Madras Famine Relief Works to the provinces and branches specified :—

Bengal Provincial.

Mr. F. Sills, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade.

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No. 1, *of the 2nd January* 1879.—The leave for eighteen months, on medical certificate, granted by the Government of Bombay to Mr. J. F. Maxwell, Executive Engineer, Third Grade (temporary rank), Bengal Provincial Establishment, is confirmed.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 6th January 1879.

No. 4.—*Declaration under section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a road across the Rungpore Bheel from Doulatpore to Shahapore Haut in pergunnahs Khalishpore and Moheshurpasa in the sub-division of Khulna, zillah Jessore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of lands measuring, more or less, 5 beeghas 2 cottahs 8 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded as noted below, are required within the aforesaid Bheel :—

Plot No. 1.—Measuring 3 beeghas 2 cottahs and 8 chittacks, more or less, bounded on the north and south by Durga Charan Chatterjee and brothers' lands; east by Nepal Haldar's paddy lands, and west by Preo Nath Mozumdar's lands.

Plot No 2.—Measuring 1 beegha 17 cottahs and 8 chittacks, more or less, bounded on the north and south by Durga Charan Chatterjee and brothers' lands, and east and west by Preo Nath Mozumdar's lands.

Plot No. 3.—Measuring 2 cottahs and 8 chittacks, more or less, bounded on the north by Phozooninah's lands; east by Pyari Mozumdar's lands; south by Gopal Sardar's lands, and west by Shonaton Sardar and others' lands.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 5.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of workshops in the village of Sibpur, pergunnah Paikan, zillah Hooghly, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 124 beeghas of standard measurement, bounded on the south by river Hooghly; on the east by the char and the lands rented by Messrs. Ahmutty & Co. for the Shalimar Ropery; on the north by lands belonging to Moharanee Surnamoyi, held by Bhola Nath Kaora, Saday Potal, and Raghoonath Mundle, and a public drain separating the Moharanee's land from those of Radha Kumar Chowdry; and on the west by the above-mentioned drain and Bishop's College lands, is required within the aforesaid village of Sibpur.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

G. A. D. ANLEY, C.E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd January 1879.

No. 1.—*Posting.*—In modification of the orders marginally noted, Mr. G. T. St. A. Nixon, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Eastern Sone Division of the Sone Circle.

No. 325, dated 31st December 1878.

No. 2.—*Notification.*—Mr. E. A. Parsick, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, who reported his return from Madras Famine Relief Works on the afternoon of the 28th December 1878, is posted to the South-Western Circle.

No. 3.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. R. Swinden, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Gunduck Division, is granted privilege leave for three months, under Section 12, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 4.—*Notification.*—The Government of India in the Public Works Department having sanctioned a modification in the present status of the Canal Revenue Superintendents in Orissa and Midnapore, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to notify the reorganization of that branch of the service with effect from the 1st March 1878.

The appointments will from that date be graded as below :—

First Grade, pay Rs 500 per mensem,	Third Grade, pay Rs. 300 per mensem,
Second „ „ 400 „	Fourth „ „ 200 „

with the travelling allowance of Rs 5 per diem, or 8 annas a mile.

The undermentioned officers in Orissa are accordingly promoted to the Second Grade on a pay of Rs. 400, with retrospective effect from the 1st March 1878 :—

Mr. H. P. Wylly. | Mr. S. C. Roberts.

The 6th January 1879.

No. 5.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 582, *dated* 30*th December* 1878.—The following officers and subordinates are retransferred from Madras Famine Relief Works to the provinces and branches specified :—

Bengal Irrigation Branch.

Mr. G F. Moore, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade.

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No. 6.—*Posting.*—Mr. F. B. Pemberton, Executive Engineer, Second Grade (temporary rank), who reported his return from Madras Famine Relief Works on the forenoon of the 6th January 1879, is posted to the South-Western Circle.

No. 7.—*Promotion.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following temporary promotion, with effect from the 20th October 1878, *vice* Mr. G. J. R. Leeson, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Midnapore Road Cess Committee.

Mr. A. C. C. Rogers, from Assistant Engineer, Second, to First Grade (temporary rank).

No. 8.—*Reversions*.—The following reversions are ordered with effect from the 23rd October 1878, in consequence of the return from leave of Major J. M. McNeile, R.E., Executive Engineer, First Grade:—

Mr. A. J. Hughes, from Executive Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), to Second Grade.

„ F. B. Pemberton, from Executive Engineer, Second Grade (temporary rank), to Third Grade.

„ A. C. C. Rogers, from Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), to Second Grade.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, in the P. W. Dept, Irrign. Branch.

RAILWAY.

Fort William, the 31st December 1878.

No. 48.—*Notifications*.—With reference to Government of India Public Works Department Notification No. 566 of the 20th instant, Captain E. A. Trevor, R.E, Examiner of Accounts, made over and Mr. W. A. Billings, Deputy Examiner of Accounts, assumed charge of the offices of Examiner of Accounts, North-Eastern System and Northern Bengal State Railway, on the afternoon of the 20th idem.

Captain Trevor availed himself on the same date of the privilege leave granted him in the notification quoted.

No. 49.—Mr. H. H. Fox, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, held executive charge of the Mahanuddi Division, Northern Bengal State Railway, from the 5th to the 21st November 1878, both days inclusive, during the absence of Mr. T. E. Owen, Executive Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), on privilege leave.

No. 50.—Mr. G. Hawkes, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 15th instant from the privilege leave granted him in notification No. 33, of the 26th November 1878.

No. 51.—Mr. W. de W. Peel, Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), Northern Bengal State Railway, has been granted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India six months' leave, in continuation of the leave granted him in notification No. 5, of the 10th June 1878.

No. 52.—With reference to notification No. 5388A, of the 5th December 1878, of this Government, in the General Department, Surgeon N. J. Halpin, M.B., reported his departure from the Northern Bengal State Railway on the forenoon of the 16th December 1878.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Asst. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal, Public Works Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 19th December 1878.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for railway purposes in the village of Chur Pallund, pergunnah Sharzapore, zillah Furreedpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 8 beeghas 4 cottahs and 3 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded as follows, is required within the aforesaid village of Chur Pallund:—

Bounded on the north, south, and east by land belonging to the Eastern Bengal Railway Company, and on the west by land occupied by Rain Kristo Dass, Hurrish Chunder Dutt, Nazir Shaik, Meher Sheik First, Bhogoban Sircar Roghoo Nauth Biswas, Harau Sheik Echhoo Mullick, Meher Sheik Second, Hookoom Sheik, Someer Shekdar, Nudyer Chand Mundle, Issur Chunder Paul, Joumenjoy Dutt, Gunga Gobindo Soor, and Dhanunjoy Sircar.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Asst. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 11402, *dated* 31*st December* 1878.—Surgeon J. MacDonnell made over charge of the Maldah Jail to Baboo Nobin Krishna Sirkar in the forenoon of the 17th instant.

No. 11405.—Baboo Nobin Krishna Sirkar made over charge of the Maldah Jail to Baboo Neem Chand Gupta in the forenoon of the 21st instant.

No. 26, *dated* 6*th January* 1879.—Mr. John Whitmore, C.S., made over charge of the Balasore Jail to Surgeon John M. Zorab in the forenoon of the 15th December 1878.

S. S. LYNCH,
Depy. Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal

CIVIL.

No. 38, *dated the* 16*th December* 1878.

The attention of the officers presiding in civil courts is called to the necessity for entering in the certificate of sales of land under section 316 of the Civil Procedure Code (No. 150 of the 4th schedule of the Act) particulars sufficient to identify the land, as required in section 22, Act III of 1877. In the absence of these, the auction-purchaser cannot, under section 22, Act III of 1877, obtain registration.

Sheriff's Office, the 25th December 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Criminal Sessions of the year 1879, of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Thirteenth day of January next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৮ সাল ২৫ ডিসেম্বর।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৩ই জানুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের প্রথম ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Junior Scholarships.

NOTIFICATION.

1. It is hereby notified that, under the orders of Government of Bengal dated 3rd February 1876, sanctioning a redistribution of the junior scholarships as allotted under the orders contained in the Resolution dated the 5th of October 1872, two junior scholarships of the second grade and five of the third grade were allotted to the Chota Nagpore Division, to be awarded on the results of the December examination.

2. The two second grade scholarships will be open to competition amongst all the candidates from the four districts of the Division.

3. The five third grade scholarships will be distributed among the several districts as follows:—

Lohardugga	...	... 2	Manbhoom	...	... 1
Hazaribagh	...	... 1	Singbhoom	...	.. 1

J. F. HEWITT, *Commr. of Chota Nagpore.*

Dated CAMP PHURUMPORE, the 24th December 1878.

Gilchrist Scholarship Examination.

NOTIFICATION.

WITH reference to the Government notification of the 12th December 1868, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, page 2044, it is hereby notified that an examination for the Gilchrist Scholarships will be held on Monday, the 20th January 1879, at the Presidency College, Calcutta, at 10 A.M.

The 28th December 1878. A. W. CROFT, *Dir. of Public Instruction.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1632B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd February 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th February 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th February 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th February 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th March 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 3rd April „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th „ „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	25,000	25,000	50,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 31st December 1878.

COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 2nd January 1879

No. 2070.—The rate of conversion of Indian into sterling money for Overland Money Orders has been changed to 1*s.* 7*d.* per rupee. Schedule 21 of the Tariff Table is therefore in force until further notice.

W. WATERFIELD, *Offg. Comptroller-General.*

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1879.

PART I A.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

No. 9.

Fort William, the 2nd January 1879.

NOTIFICATION AND RULES MADE BY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL UNDER "THE INDIAN ARMS ACT, 1878."

I.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under Section 27, to exempt from the operations of all prohibitions and directions contained in "The Indian Arms Act, 1878," other than those referring to cannon, articles designed for torpedo service, war-rockets, and machinery for the manufacture of arms and ammunition, the under-mentioned persons, namely,—

(1) all Maharajahs, Rajahs, Nawabs, Members of any Order of Knighthood; all persons bearing a title conferred by the Government of India; all persons who have been granted a sword in public Durbar; all persons who received certificates on the 1st January 1877; all persons who are exempted from personal attendance at civil courts;

(2) all Members or ex-Members of the Council of the Governor General, or of the Governors of Madras or Bombay, or of the Lieutenant-Governor's Council;

(3) all military and naval officers, all soldiers, sailors, volunteers, police officers, forest officers, postal officers, jail officers, serving the Government;

(4) all Magistrates, Justices of the Peace, Honorary Magistrates, and judicial officers of or above the rank of Munsif;

(5) all European and East Indian subjects of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress; all Armenians; and all Americans not British-born subjects of Her Majesty who are temporarily residing or travelling in India;

(6) all Consuls, Consular Agents, all duly accredited Vakeels or Agents of Native States;

(7) all Ruling Chiefs with their retinues, on the occasions of their entering or residing in British India; and all officials of such Chiefs passing through British India on duty;

(8) all pensioned officers of the Native Army, and pensioned officers of the civil departments who when employed were exempt;

(9) the retainers of—

(a) the ancient zemindars and poligars of the Madras Presidency;

(b) the Deccan and Southern Mahratta Sirdars;

(c) the Maharajah of Bulrampore, K.C.S.I.,
the Maharajah of Benares,
the Rajah of Gursahai,
the Rajah of Jagmanpore,
the Rao of Gopalpura;

(d) the great Sirdars and Jagirdars of the Punjab;

(e) the zemindars of the scheduled districts in the Central Provinces;

subject to such orders as the respective Local Governments may issue regarding personages to be included in these categories, or the numbers of retainers in each case;

(10) landholders and members of Municipal Committees of approved loyalty and of good position, according to lists that may from time to time be issued by the respective Local Governments;

(11) all heads of villages, ghatwals, dighwars, and other rural police;

(12) all Thoogyes, Yazawut-goungs, Kyadangees in British Burma;

(13) all persons of Coorg race; and all jumma tenure-holders in Coorg who by their tenures are liable for police and military duties;

(14) all subjects of the Baroda State who may transport arms or ammunition from one part of Baroda territory to another part of the same territory, under a license granted by the Resident or Assistant Resident of Baroda;

(15) all revenue officials and postal runners in frontier or wild districts, where the superior departmental officers direct them to carry arms on duty.

II.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under Section 27, to exclude from the operation of any prohibition and direction contained in the Act—

(a) spears of all kinds, so far as regards the Presidency of Madras;

(b) weapons known as *kúkris* and *dhaos*, so far as regards the Lieutenant-Governorship of Bengal;

(c) weapons known as *dhars*, so far as regards the Chief Commissionership of British Burma;

(d) swords, daggers, spears, *kúkris*, *dhaos*, so far as regards the Chief Commissionership of Assam; and

(e) bows and arrows.

III.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under Section 27, to withdraw from the operation of prohibitions and directions contained in the Act certain tracts as follows:

(a) all scheduled districts in the Madras Presidency from all prohibitions and directions, save in respect to rifled arms and cannon, and except those directions contained in Sections 12 and 25;

(b) the Chittagong Hills Tracts of Bengal from the prohibitions and directions contained in Sections 13 and 14;

(c) all scheduled districts in the Lieutenant-Governorship of the Punjab, except Hazara, and also certain tracts and villages on the Hazara frontier specially notified by the Local Government, from all prohibitions and directions contained in Sections 13 and 14;

(d) the Arracan Hill Tracts of British Burma from the prohibitions and directions contained in Sections 13 and 14.

IV.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to extend the prohibitions and directions regarding military stores as follows:

(a) to sulphur in quantities above ten seers, all sections of the Act to all parts of India;

(b) to saltpetre and lead, Sections 6, 10, 11, 12, 17, 19—28 in all districts on the external land frontier of British India, and in the seaboard districts of British Burma.

V.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under Section 11, to sanction the establishment of searching stations, under Section 11, at—

(a) the land customs-houses near the boundary line between British India and the French Settlements on the Eastern coast and the Portuguese Settlements on the Western coast;

(b) Allanmyo near the external boundary line between British India and the kingdom of Upper Burma.

The Governor General in Council is pleased, under Section 9, to direct that at the said land customs houses the duties specified in the second Schedule shall be levied.

VI.—The Governor General in Council is pleased, under Section 17, to make the following rules determining the officers by whom; the form in which, and the terms and conditions on and subject to which, licenses shall be granted:

RULES.

TRANSPORT, IMPORT, AND EXPORT.

1. No cannon, articles designed for torpedo service, war-rockets, or machinery for the manufacture of arms and ammunition, shall be transported over any part of British India without a license granted by the Governor General in Council under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. The license shall be in Form I appended to these rules, and a copy shall be at once communicated to the Magistrate of the District, or to the Political Officer of the State, to which the articles are consigned.

2. No arms, or ammunition, or military stores, shall be transported in any part of British India without a license in Form II appended to these rules. If the

articles are despatched from Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, the license will be granted by the Commissioner of Police; in all other cases the license will be granted by the Magistrate of the District. If the articles are to be consigned to a place beyond the jurisdiction of the officer granting the license, the consent of the Magistrate of the District to which the consignment is made must be obtained before the license is issued. Such consent may be obtained by the person applying for the license; or the Police Commissioner, or District Magistrate, to whom application for the license is made, may forward the proposed license to the officer whose consent is required; and on receiving reply should either issue the license to the applicant, or inform him that his application for a license to transport arms, &c., had been refused.

3. Persons lawfully entitled to possess arms, or to go armed, are permitted to transport, in any part of British India, arms or ammunition in reasonable quantities for their own use. Any person abusing this exemption and transporting such articles otherwise than in reasonable quantities for his own use, will be held to have contravened this rule, and will, on conviction, become liable to the penalties under Sections 18 and 19.

4. A license to transport arms or ammunition or military stores, is void if the consignment breaks bulk at any place short of the district for which it may be granted. A license to transport shall ordinarily not be made valid for more than twice the period actually required for the conveyance of the articles to their destination by the intended route.

5. No license shall be granted, save by the special order of the Governor General in Council, certified under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, for the importation into, or exportation from, British India, by sea, or river, or land, of any cannon, or of any rifles, except rifles of such quality, or in such quantity as may reasonably be held to be intended for *bonâ fide* sporting purposes.

6. Licenses to import or export arms, other than cannon or rifles not excepted as in the next foregoing rule, ammunition or military stores by sea, may be granted at the ports of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Calicut, Kurrachee, Aden, and for no other ports. They shall be granted by the Commissioners of Police in respect of each Presidency Town, and by the Magistrate of the District in respect of Rangoon and Kurrachee. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be ten Rupees, and the licenses shall be in the Forms III and IV appended to these rules. It shall be a condition of such licenses that the arms and ammunition imported shall either be deposited in a warehouse sanctioned in this regard under Section 7 of the Indian Arms Act, or that they shall be at once despatched to their destination under a separate license to transport.

7. Licenses to export arms, or ammunition, or military stores, by land or by river, to any place beyond the frontier, to any place within the limits of a feudatory State, may be granted in Form V by the Commissioner of Police, or the District Magistrate, at the place of despatch. The fee leviable shall be five Rupees for each such license. If the articles are consigned to a place in any feudatory State, the license shall not be issued until the consent of the Political Officer of such feudatory State has been obtained. In the case of despatches to Upper Burma, to Nepal, or to Khelat, or to any other place beyond the external frontier of British India, the consent of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department must be obtained before the license is issued. Consent to licenses to be issued under this rule may be obtained by the officer to whom application for license is made in the manner provided by Rule 2.

8. Persons desirous of transporting arms, ammunition, or military stores, must apply in writing to the officer authorised to grant transport licenses from the place of despatch. The application must specify—

(a) the place to which the articles are to be transported, the route of transport, and the probable time occupied in the journey;

(b) the quantity, description, average price, and the purpose of each kind of arms or ammunition; or

(c) whether the applicant desires that the officer to whom he applies should obtain the consent of the Magistrate or Political Officer of the place of consignment; [if the applicant has obtained such consent, the evidence of such consent must be produced].

9. Persons transporting arms, ammunition, or military stores under a license must write legibly on the cases or packages containing such articles an account of their contents.

10. Within six days of the articles reaching their destination the consignee must deliver the transport license to the Magistrate of the District, or to the Political Officer; and in the case of articles crossing the external frontier of British India, to the Magistrate of the District where the consignment crosses the external frontier. The officer to whom the transport license shall be delivered must satisfy himself that the articles transported to his district correspond with the entries in the pass, and that any deficiency is properly accounted for.

MANUFACTURE AND SALE.

11. Licenses to manufacture, convert, keep, and sell arms or ammunition or military stores, may be granted by Commissioners of Police in the Presidency Towns, and by the Magistrate of the District outside those towns. They shall be in Forms VI and VII appended to these rules. The fee payable in stamps shall be twenty Rupees in respect of licenses to manufacture and sell, &c., and ten Rupees in respect of licenses to keep and sell, &c. Every license-holder under this rule shall keep, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct, a record and account of all stock, and of all sales of arms and ammunition or sulphur, which he may keep or sell. He shall exhibit his stock and his record, or accounts, of stock and sales to any Magistrate, or to any Police Officer not below the rank of Inspector. Magistrates, and all Police Officers not below the rank of Inspector, are hereby empowered to enter and inspect any premises within their several jurisdictions in which arms or ammunition or sulphur are manufactured or kept, and to examine the stock and accounts of receipts and sales of arms, ammunition and military stores. Any person licensed to sell arms and ammunition shall affix a board on a conspicuous part of his shop, or usual place of business, and shall cause to be painted thereon in large letters in English, or in the vernacular of the district, his name and the words "licensed to manufacture," or "licensed to deal in arms, ammunition and military stores," as the case may be. He shall also have a copy of Section 28 of the Indian Arms Act posted up, in the vernacular of the district or in English, on some conspicuous part of his usual place of business.

POSSESSION OF ARMS AND GOING ARMED.

12. Licenses to possess cannon shall not be granted, save under the special order of the Governor General in Council, certified under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. A copy of such license, so certified, must be sent immediately on its issue to the District Magistrate of the place where the cannon is to be kept

13. Licenses to possess arms and ammunition in reasonable quantities and to go armed for purposes of sport, of protection, or of display, may be granted by the Magistrate of the District in Form VIII. Such licenses shall be liable to a fee of eight annas for each weapon in disarmed districts, and to a fee of four annas for each weapon in districts which have not been disarmed. Such a license will authorise its holder to carry the arms described in the license, on occasions when they may be reasonably required for the purposes named in the license. But the holder, unless specially authorised by the Magistrate, must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages. Licenses granted under this rule shall, on countersignature by the Commissioner of the Division, or other officer authorised in this regard by the Local Government where there are no Commissioners, shall be valid for all the districts of the Local Government within the territories of which the license may have been granted.

14. Any Commissioner of Police or Magistrate of the District may grant a license in Form IX for a journey, specifying the direction of the journey and the period it will occupy. Such license will be valid in other jurisdictions only for such journey and for such period, and will be liable to a fee of four annas for each weapon. Political Agents may grant licenses under this rule to natives of the States where they may be serving, and such licenses granted for journeys by Political Agents shall be liable to no fee. Holders of licenses under this rule must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblies.

15. Licenses to *possess* arms in districts which have not been disarmed may be granted in Form X without fee. Such licenses will not authorise the holders to go armed, or to carry arms. In districts which have not been disarmed, as well as in disarmed districts, licenses to possess and carry arms (Form VIII) will be liable to fees as stated to Rule 13.

16. Licenses for possession of arms and ammunition may be granted in Form XI without fee, and for a term of five years, to persons who require arms for the destruction of wild animals which do injury to human beings, cattle, or crops. Such license will be valid only in or on the immediate confines of the district for

which it is granted. It will be subject to the conditions that the license and the weapon it covers is shown once a year, between the 15th November and the 31st December, to the nearest Magistrate; that the weapon becomes confiscated to Government directly it is sold or seized in execution of any debt; and that such weapon is carried only on occasions when it is to be used *bonâ fide* for the destruction of wild animals. Holders of licenses under this rule must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages.

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17. Applications for licenses, or in respect of licenses, under these rules, if in writing, must bear a court fees stamp of one anna.

18. Fees payable on licenses must be paid in general stamps; they will be affixed to the license and obliterated according to law.

19. All licenses under Rules 11, 13 and 14 shall expire on the 31st December of the year for which they may be issued; licenses under Rule 15 shall expire on the 31st December of the fifth year of their currency. But the currency of a license may be renewed, previous to its expiration, on payment of a second fee by the same authority that granted it.

20. All licenses shall be given and held subject to the conditions endorsed on the reverse, and subject to these rules, and subject to the provisions of the Act. Licenses under Rules 13 and 16 may be granted subject to the observance of a close season in the pursuit of game-birds or animals that do not injure either men or cattle, or crops. The limits of the close season will be decided by the Local Government, and the condition regarding such close season, if imposed, shall be endorsed on the reverse of the license.

21. Any person holding a license, or acting under a license, granted in accordance with these rules, shall be bound to produce the same, when called upon to do so by any Magistrate, or by any police officer in charge of a police station, or by any police officer of higher rank.

22. Licenses granted for use within a district shall be written or printed in the vernacular language of such district. Licenses granted in a Presidency Town, or for use beyond the district where they may be granted, shall be in English and may be in the vernacular as well.

23. The Assistant Resident at Aden shall exercise the powers of a Magistrate in respect of the grant of licenses under these rules.

24. A license granted under these rules will cover only the weapons or other articles, and the persons named therein, unless the officer granting a license under Rule 13 or 14 deems it expedient to include the retainers of any person named in the license; in such case the entry on the face of the license shall declare how many and whose retainers are covered by the license.

25. Any officer empowered to grant a license under these rules may at his discretion refuse to grant, to renew, or to consent to the issue of, a license, or may refer any application for the orders of the Local Government.

26. All Magistrates or other authorities acting under these rules will perform their duties subject to the control of their executive superiors and of the Local Government.

FORM I.

License to import, or transport, or possess cannon, articles designed for torpedo service, war-rockets, or machinery for the manufacture of arms or ammunition.

Name, &c., of license-holder and agent, if any, with residence, &c.	Number of packages.	Specification of calibre, &c., of cannon or other articles.	Number of articles.	Place of despatch and route.	Destination.	Name and residence of consignee.	Time for which pass is valid.	Use to which articles are to be put, and specification whether this license covers importation, or transport, or possession.
							From the_____ to the_____ _____187 .	

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Date on which copy is sent to the District Magistrate of the District or to the Political Officers of the State to which the articles are consigned.

_____187 .

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Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Home Dept.

FORM II.

FEE TEN RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to transport arms, ammunition, or military stores in British India.

Name, &c., of license-holder, and agent, if any, authorized for the purpose of this consignment.	Place of license-holder's business.	Number of packages.	Arms.		Ammunition.		Place of despatch, route and mode of transit.	Time for which pass is valid.	Destination.	Name and residence of consignee.
			Description.	Number.	Description.	Number or weight in seers.		From the_____ to the_____ _____187 .		

Date on which consent was given by the _____of the _____where is the place of consignment.

The _____187 .

_____of the _____or place of despatch.

(Seal.)

The _____ 187 .

THIS license is subject to all the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and of the Rules framed thereunder.

This license will be void after the expiration of the period named, or if bulk is broken before reaching the place of destination.

The articles covered by this license will be delivered only to persons lawfully entitled to possess them.

This license must be delivered to the Magistrate of the District to which the articles are consigned, or to the Magistrate of the district where the external frontier of India is to be crossed, and the articles must be available for exhibition to such Magistrate, within six days of the consignment reaching his district.

THIS license is subject to all the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and of the Rules framed thereunder.

This license is void after the expiration of the period named, or if bulk is broken before reaching the place of destination, or if the articles are taken by any route other than is specified on the license.

The contents of each package covered by this license must be described in legible letters on the outside of such package.

The articles covered by this license will be delivered only to persons lawfully entitled to possess the same.

This license must be delivered to the Magistrate of the District to which the articles are consigned, and the articles must be available for exhibition to such Magistrate, within six days of the consignment reaching his district.

The officer granting this license must send a copy thereof on the day of issue to the Magistrate of the District as above described.

FORM III.

FEE TEN RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to import arms, ammunition or military stores into the Port of_____

Name, &c., and address of license-holder.	Number of packages.	Arms.		Ammunition and Sulphur.		Purpose for which required.	Value of the cheapest fire-arms per piece	Place where articles are to be deposited, or to which they are to be despatched.	Period for which the license is valid
		Description.	Number.	Description.	Weight in seers or number				
									From the ___ th of_____ to the _____th of____ _____187

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The_____ of _____

_____

187

Seal

(Signature)

_____of_____

FORM IV.

FEE TEN RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to export arms, ammunition or military stores by sea from the Port of___

Name, &c., and address of license-holder.	Number of packages.	Arms		Ammunition and Sulphur		Port to which consignment is to be despatched.	Period for which license is valid
		Description	Number.	Description	Weight in seers		
							From the _____th of_____ to the _____th of_____ _____187

Date on which copy of the license was despatched by the licensing officer to the Indian Port (if any) to which the consignment is to be despatched.

The _____ th of_____187

Seal.

(Signature)

_____ of_____

THIS license is given subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder.

This license becomes void after expiry of the period named thereon.

This license is valid for importation only; if the articles named herein are to be transported to any place outside the Presidency town, they must be protected by another pass for transport or export by land.

The contents of each package covered by this license shall be described in legible letters on the outside of such package.

THIS license is not valid for export to any Indian Port, other than that named on the license.

FORM V.

FEE FIVE RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to export arms, ammunition, or military stores beyond the limits of British India, either by land or by river.

Name, &c., of license-holder and agent, if any.	Number of packages.	Arms		Ammunition or Military Stores		Place of despatch and route.	Purpose for which exported.	Destination.	Name and residence of consignee.	Period for which license is valid.
		Description.	Number.	Description.	Weight or number.					From the___ of _____ 187 to the_____of _____187 .

Date on which the Foreign Secretary, or the Political Officer, consented to the issue of this license.

Seal.

(Signature)

_____of_____

The _____ 187

The _____of _____ 187

FORM VI.

FEE TWENTY RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to manufacture, convert, or sell, or keep arms, ammunition, and military stores.

Name, &c., of license-holder and place of residence	Place of business, factory, and shop	Description of Arms		Description of Ammunition and Military Stores		Date on which license expires
		To be manufactured.	To be kept and sold.	To be manufactured	To be kept and sold	
						The 31st of December 187

_____District,

_____187 .

Seal.

(Signature)

_____of_____

IT is valid only for the period and the route named therein.

It becomes invalid if the consignment breaks bulk, or is stopped at any place on the journey.

It is given subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and of the Rules framed thereunder.

The contents of each package covered by this license shall be described in legible letters on the outside of such package.

The license must be delivered to the Magistrate of the district on the external frontier to be crossed, and the articles must be available for exhibition to such Magistrate within six days of the consignment reaching his district.

In the case of a consignment to a State within British India, the license shall be delivered to the Political Officer of such State.

The officer granting the license must send, on the day of issue, a copy thereof to the Magistrate of the frontier district, or to the Political Officer.

THIS license is given subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder. The special attention of the holder is drawn to Sections 16, 21, 22 and 28 of the Act.

The license-holder shall keep records and accounts of all arms made or converted; of all ammunition manufactured; of all stock in hand, and of all sales in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

The license-holder shall exhibit his stock and his books of manufacture and sales to any Magistrate or to any police officer not below the rank of Inspector, when such officer may call upon him so to do.

The license-holder shall affix to his shop or place of business a sign-board as required by Rule 11, and shall post up in his shop a copy of Section 28 of the Act.

FORM VII.

FEE TEN RUPEES IN STAMPS.

License to keep and sell arms, ammunition, and military stores.

Name, &c., of license-holder and residence	Place of business.	Description of		Date on which license expires.	
		Arms.	Ammunition and Military Stores		
				The 31st of December 187 .	

_____ DISTRICT,
_____ 187 .

Seal.

(Signature)
_____ of _____

FORM VIII.

FEE EIGHT ANNAS FOR EACH WEAPON IN DISARMED DISTRICTS, FOUR ANNAS FOR EACH WEAPON IN OTHER DISTRICTS, PAYABLE IN STAMPS.

License to possess arms or ammunition and to go armed for purposes of sport, protection, or display.

Name, &c., of license-holder, with particulars of residence.	Number of retainers, if any, who may be covered by the license (Rule 23).	Description and number of weapons covered by license.	Purpose for which granted.	District or place within which license is valid.	Term for which license expires.
					The 31st of Dec. 187 .

The _____ of _____ 187 .

Seal.

(Signature)
_____ of the _____

THIS license is given subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder. The special attention of the holder is drawn to Sections 16, 21, 22 and 28 of that Act.

The license-holder shall keep records and accounts of all arms and ammunition in stock, and of all sales, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct.

The license-holder shall exhibit his stock, his records of sales, &c., to any Magistrate, or to any Police Officer not below the rank of Inspector, when such officer may call upon him so to do.

The license-holder shall affix to his shop a sign-board as required by Rule 11, and shall post up in his shop a copy of Section 28 of the Act.

THIS license is granted subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder.

It covers only the persons and the arms named therein, unless it is certified to cover retainers of the holder.

It is void after the date named therein.

It extends only to the place or district named therein, unless countersigned for the whole province by the Commissioner or other superior officer.

It authorizes the holder or persons acting under it to go armed within the place or district named, for *bonâ fide* prosecution of the purpose named on the license; but it does not permit the holder or persons aforesaid to go armed in railway carriage, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages.

FORM IX.

FEE FOUR ANNAS FOR EACH WEAPON PAYABLE IN STAMPS FOR LICENSES GRANTED IN BRITISH INDIA; FREE OF ALL FEE FOR LICENSES GRANTED BY POLITICAL AGENTS TO SUBJECTS OF NATIVE STATES.

•License to go armed—On a journey.

Name &c., of license-holder, with particulars of his residence.	Number of retainers, if any, who may be covered by the license (Rule 23).	Description of arms and ammunition covered by this license.	Place of departure, route, and destination of journey.	Time which journey will probably take.	Date from which, and to which, the license is valid.
					From the____ ____ th of _____187 to the_____ th of _____187 .

_____of_____ 187 . Seal.

(Signature)

_____of_____District.

FORM X.

FREE OF ALL FEE.

License to possess arms, ammunition or military stores in a district which has no been disarmed.

Name &c., of license-holder, with particulars of residence.	Number and description of weapons.	Description and quantity of ammunition or military stores	Place with full details where articles are to be kept.	Term for which license is valid
			From the_____ of _____187 to the 31st December of 18 .	

The____of____ 187 .

(Signature)

Magistrate of the _____ District.

Seal.

THIS license covers only the persons and the arms named therein, unless it is certified to cover retainers of the holder.

It is void after the expiration of the period named therein.

It is granted subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder.

It does not permit holders to go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages.

THIS license protects only the weapons and articles named, so long as they are kept in the place described on the license.

It does not authorize the holder to go armed or to carry arms.

It is granted subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder.

FORM XI.

FREE OF ALL FEE.

License to possess arms and ammunition for the purpose of destroying wild animals.

Name, &c., of license-holder, with particulars of residence.	Description of weapon.	Place or tract within which license is valid.	Term for which license is valid.	Title and residence of Magistrate to whom the license and weapon must be shown between the 15th November and the 31st December.
			From the_____of _____187 to the 31st December of 187 .	

_____ (Signature)

The ____of_____187 . } Magistrate of the_____District.

Seal.

Notes of Magistrate to whom the license and weapon are periodically shown.

THIS license is granted subject to the provisions of the "Indian Arms Act, 1878," and the Rules framed thereunder.

The holder is bound to show his license and weapon once a year to the Magistrate of_____

This license is void if the holder sells his weapon; if it is seized in execution of decree; if it is carried to any considerable distance beyond the limits of the places named in the license; or if he fails to show it once a year to the Magistrate aforesaid.

It is void on the death of the holder.

The holder must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages.

The holder is bound to observe a close season as prescribed by the Local Government in respect to the under-mentioned game-birds and animals which do no injury to men, cattle or crops:

Specification of animals or birds.	*Close season.*

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 3rd January 1879.

No. 4.—The Honorable E. G Birch, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, resumed his seat on the Bench of the High Court on the forenoon of the 21th ultimo

No. 5.—The services of Mr. L. R. Tottenham, of the Bengal Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 24th ultimo.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—MARINE SURVEYS.—CASUALTIES AND DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Calcutta, the 1st January 1879.

No. 1 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

INDIA—BAY OF BENGAL.

Approach to River Hooghly.

PERMANENT MOORINGS FOR EASTERN CHANNEL LIGHT-VESSEL.

Notice is hereby given that in consequence of inconvenience having been caused by the shifting of the position of the Eastern Channel Light-vessel—hitherto occupying a S. W. or N. E. monsoon station in each respective season—permanent moorings have now been laid, and the light-ship will, in future, remain in the following position all the year round :—

The light-vessel is moored in 10½ fathoms at low water spring tides, in
Latitude 21° 1′ 19″ N., longitude 88° 18′ 0″ E.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT;
CALCUTTA,
The 1st January 1879.

By Order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This notice will affect the following Admiralty Charts :—Sea-face of Sunderbuns, No. 138*a*; Palmyras Point to Chittagong, No. 1681 ; Cocanada to Bassein River, No. 829 ; Bay of Bengal, No. 70*a*; Indian Marine Survey Charts, Nos. 115 and 1172; also Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, East Indies, &c., 1878 ; Indian Marine Survey Light List, 1878 ; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 476.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

The 3rd January 1879.

No. 2 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

BAY OF BENGAL—COAST OF TENASSERIM.

Mr. E. C. Russell, Commanding the British India Steam Navigation Company's Steam Vessel *Medina,* whilst on his voyage from Rangoon to Penang *viâ* the Coast ports, discovered a dangerous patch of rock and sand with rather less than 2 fathoms on it at low water spring tides ; lying with—

Centre of Bound island	...	...	...	—	bearing W. ¼ N. ;
South extreme of Cantor's island	...	...	...	„	S. W. ¼ S.

Position (Admiralty Chart): Latitude 12° 15′ 0″ N., longitude 98° 19′ 50″ E.

[*The bearings are Magnetic: Variation 2° 30′ Easterly in 1878.*]

A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT;
CALCUTTA,
The 3rd January 1879.

By Order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mergui Archipelago, No. 216*a*; Bassein river to Pulo Penang, No. 830; Bay of Bengal, No. 706; Indian Ocean, No. 748*b*; also Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 508; and Marine Survey Department Hydrographic Notice No. 8, page 6.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 1st January 1879.

No. 3P.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General is pleased to confer upon the undermentioned Native Gentlemen the title of "Rai Bahadur" as a personal distinction.—

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Baboo Juggo Bundho Bose, late First Grade Inspector of Police, Dacca District Bengal

JUDICIAL.

The 3rd January 1879.

No. 1J.—Under the provisions of Section 3 of Act II of 1869, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel W. Tweedie to be a Justice of the Peace for the whole of British India.

GENERAL.

The 3rd January 1879.

No. 11G.—The undermentioned substantive *pro tempore* promotions are confirmed, with effect from the 12th December 1878, the date on which Colonel Sir L. Pelly, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., Resident, First Class, succeeded to Colonel's allowances and thereby vacated his Civil appointment:—

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Mr. T. J. Chichele Plowden, Under-Secretary to the Government of India, in the Foreign Department.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Fort William, the 3rd January 1879.

No. 3.—The Governor-General in Council directs the publication of the following Addenda and Corrigenda to the Codes of the Financial Department:—

CIVIL LEAVE CODE.

SUPPLEMENT F.

Substitute the following for Rules 1 and 7 under Section 1, page 210:—

1. Saving as provided in Exception 2 to Rule 7 under this section, and in Rules 4 and 4A under Section 12, these Rules do not apply to Military Officers or Soldiers or to the Military Branch of the Subordinate Medical Service.

7. An officer transferred to an office to which these Rules apply is not entitled to leave under them in respect to service rendered in an office to which they do not apply.

Exceptions.—(1). Service under a Local Fund of the kind mentioned in Civil Pension Code, Section 31, may qualify for leave under these Rules; but the allowances given during such leave must be disbursed from the Local Fund and General Revenues in the proportion in which the salary has been paid from these services during the period qualifying for the leave. Provided that, if less than one-fourth of the said allowances would, under this Rule, be payable from either source, the whole of the allowances shall be charged to the other source.

(2). An Apothecary appointed to be an Assistant Surgeon under the 46th paragraph of the General Order of the Government of India in the Military Department, No. 550, dated the 5th June 1868, may count his service as a Warrant Officer towards leave as an Assistant Surgeon, on the understanding that any leave taken by him during his employment as an officer of the Military Subordinate Medical Department in the warrant grade will be treated as if it had been taken under these Rules.

Substitute the following for Rule 1 under Section 12 (page 214) and the Note under that Rule:—

"Privilege leave may be granted under these Rules to a Military Hospital Assistant in Civil employ upon condition that no additional expense is thereby caused."

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

Fort William, the 31st December 1878.

SPECIAL.

No. 1226.—THE Right Hon'ble the Governor-General in Council has much pleasure in directing the publication of the following despatch received from Major-General Roberts, C. B., V. C., Commanding the Kurum Valley Field Force, announcing the capture of the Peiwar Kotal heights on the 2nd December 1878, and the complete defeat of the Ameer's troops defending the position.

The Right Hon'ble the Governor-General in Council heartily congratulates the force on the signal success which has attended their efforts, and offers his best thanks to the officers and men of all ranks, British and Native, not only for their conduct in action, but also for the excellent spirit displayed by them under exposure to extreme cold and fatigue.

From Major-General F. S. ROBERTS, C.B., V.C., R. A., Commanding the Kurum Column, to the Quartermaster-General in India,—(Dated Camp Zabardast Kila, the 5th December 1878).

IN continuation of my telegram of the 3rd instant, I have now the honor to submit, for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and of the Government of India, a detailed account of the military operations which have led to the capture of the Peiwar Pass by the troops under my command.

Right Column.

Brigadier-General Thelwall, C. B.
Squadron 12th Bengal Cavalry.
2 Guns No. 1 Mountain Battery.
5th Goorkhas.
72nd Highlanders (Wing.).
2nd Punjab Infantry.
2 Guns F-A, Royal Horse Artillery, on elephants.

Left Column.

Brigadier-General Cobbe.
Squadron 12th Bengal Cavalry.
2 Guns No. 1 Mountain Battery.
2-8th Foot.
5th Punjab Infantry.
23rd Pioneers.
29th Punjab Native Infantry.
2 Guns F-A, Royal Horse Artillery, on elephants.

No. 1 Mountain Battery.
2-8th Foot.
29th Punjab Native Infantry.
5th Punjab Infantry.
23rd Pioneers.
Subsequently reinforced by 5th Goorkhas.

2. The force detailed in the margin, marching by separate roads in two brigades, arrived at Habib-kila about 10 A. M. on the 28th instant. Here I received information that the enemy was flying in confusion up the eastern side of the Peiwar Kotal, and that, owing to the difficulties of the road, they had already abandoned twelve guns.

3. I therefore pushed a reconnaissance* in force up the south-eastern flanks of the Peiwar, which elicited the fact that, so far from the enemy having abandoned any guns, they had taken up an extremely strong position on the Pass, and that they were well provided with artillery judiciously placed. I had ordered the camp to be marked out on some dry rice fields, about 2,500 yards from the enemy's position, but as they pitched some shells into the middle of this ground, it was abandoned and the camp removed to a more secure site.

4. This reconnaissance was not accomplished without loss; and I have to regret the occurrence of the following casualties—

29th Punjab Native Infantry—One officer (Lieutenant Reid) severely wounded.
Four sepoys wounded (one severely.)

5th Punjab Infantry—Subadar-Major Aziz Khan severely wounded.
Three sepoys slightly wounded.

No. 1 Mountain Battery—One driver killed.
One mule wounded.

5th Goorkhas— One sepoy dangerously wounded.

5. By the evening of this day I had seen sufficient of the enemy's position to convince me that it could not be carried by an attack in front without incurring very heavy loss.

6. I resolved therefore to halt for a few days; first, with the view of recruiting the men's strength, which had been severely taxed by several days' continuous marching over extremely difficult roads; and secondly, to gain time to ascertain by

reconnoitring whether the position could not be turned, or failing that, in what manner it could be most easily attacked in front.

7. It will be convenient for me here to give a short and necessarily imperfect description of the Peiwar Kotal position. I have issued instructions for detailed topographical reports to be prepared; but as these will necessarily take some time to complete, a written description will be better than none.

8. The enemy's position extended from the Spin Gawai Kotal, on their left, to some commanding heights about a mile south of the Peiwar Kotal. It thus had a front of about four miles facing due east, the Peiwar Kotal being about the enemy's right centre. From right to left the position ran along a lofty and rugged range of mountains, mostly covered with dense pine forests. The range was precipitous towards the eastern side, but was known to descend on the western by a succession of upland meadows towards the valley of the Hariab.

9. The position, as thus described, was crossed by only two regular roads, *viz.*, the Peiwar and Spin Gawai Kotals or *cols*. At two or three other points the range was crossed by paths, but these were too narrow and precipitous for the passage of troops.

10. An important military feature in the position was that the successive ridges or peaks, into which it was broken, dominated each other from the left to the right; that is, a force placed on the height to the south of the Spin Gawai *col* would have a command over each succeeding eminence as it advanced along the ridge towards the Peiwar Kotal.

11. The Peiwar Kotal is a narrow depression in the ridge commanded on each side by high pine-clad mountains. The approach to it from the Kurum Valley, or east, is up a steep narrow zig-zag path, entirely commanded throughout its length from the adjacent heights, and difficult to ascend by reason of the extreme roughness of the road, which was covered with large fragments of rock and boulders. Every point of the ascent was exposed to fire from both guns and rifles, securely placed behind breastworks constructed of pine logs and stones. At the top of the pass was a narrow plateau, which was again commanded from the thickly wooded heights, which rose to an elevation of 500 feet on each side of the valley. On the western side the road passed by a gentle descent through a narrow valley with pine-clad sides for about one and a half miles, when it reached the open valley of the Hariab near the hamlet of Zabardast Kila.

12. The Spin Gawai Kotal, which formed the extreme left of the enemy's line, is a position far less capable of defence, and of an altogether different character from that of the Peiwar. The approach to it is through a comparatively open valley; the ascent is not steep except when close to the summit; and the valley is of sufficient width to admit of the movement of troops. The position does not, in short, possess the natural military advantages which are so remarkable at the Peiwar Kotal.

13. On the 29th November, the approaches to the Peiwar Kotal from both the north and south sides were thoroughly reconnoitred, and plans were drawn up for a direct assault on the enemy's position. A reconnaissance was also pushed through the hills to obtain a view of the Spin Gawai Kotal, and of the upper part of the road leading thereto.

14. The result of these reconnaissances convinced me that a front attack, though it might be successful, would certainly entail great loss, and I formed a design for a secret night march on the Spin Gawai, by which I hoped the enemy's position in our front might be turned.

15. On the 30th I ordered the three guns of G-3rd, Royal Artillery, and two guns of F-A, Royal Horse Artillery, to move up to my camp from the Kurum fort. The 12th Bengal Cavalry were also ordered up from Habib-kila. On this day reconnoitring parties were again employed at the Peiwar Kotal, and every means adopted to induce the enemy to believe that we intended to attack him in front, and to withdraw his attention from his left. A secret reconnaissance, unaccompanied by troops, was also made from the village of Peiwar up the regular road to the Spin Gawai, and the two officers making it (Major Collett, Assistant Quartermaster-General, and Captain Carr, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General) succeeded in reaching a point about one and a half miles distant from the Kotal, and getting a fairly good view of the approaches thereto. On the evening of the 30th I made up my mind to abandon any attempt at attacking the Peiwar Kotal in front, and to undertake the flank turning movement by the Spin Gawai.

16. To render the success of this enterprise possible, it was necessary to maintain the utmost secrecy, and to adopt every means to divert the enemy's attention from my intended attack on his left.

17. On the 1st December ostentatious reconnoitring parties were sent to both flanks of the Peiwar Kotal, and batteries were marked out on the small plain near the hamlet of Turri. These proceedings seemed to have the desired effect, the enemy shelled the working party employed at the battery, placed fresh guns in position on the south side of the pass; and paraded their troops and showed every sign of expecting an attack. In the evening of this day, the half battery G-3rd, Royal Artillery, and the 12th Bengal Cavalry arrived from the rear. I had them marched up in full view of the enemy, and made as great a parade as possible of their arrival. At this time every officer and soldier in camp, and certainly all the natives, were fully persuaded that I intended to attack the Peiwar Kotal the next morning.

18. The general plan of the intended operations, which was explained to Commanding Officers at 4 P. M. on Sunday, the 1st instant, was briefly as follows :—

The following troops were detailed to form the turning force under my immediate command, and were instructed to march at 10 P. M that night, without noise or bugle sound, in the order mentioned below. No orders of any sort for the march to be given before 9 P. M.—

29th Punjab Native Infantry
5th Goorkhas ... } Under Colonel J. J. H. Gordon, 29th Punjab Native Infantry.
No. 1 Mountain Battery ...

72nd Highlanders ...
2nd Punjab Infantry ... } Under Brigadier-General Thelwall, C. B.
23rd Pioneers ...

4 guns F-A, R. H. A., on elephants, with two companies of Pioneers as escort.

Each of the above corps was directed to leave their camp standing, with a party of 30 men as a camp guard.

The following troops under the command of Brigadier-General Cobbe were directed to remain in camp:—

2-8th Foot
5th Punjab Infantry.
12th Bengal Cavalry
2 Guns F-A, Royal Horse Artillery.
3 Guns G-3rd, Royal Artillery.
The Turi and other levies, under command of Major Palmer, 9th Bengal Cavalry

Brigadier General Cobbe received general instructions to open fire upon the enemy about 6 A. M ; to get his troops into position in front of the Peiwar Kotal by half past eight, and to storm the place when the flank attack should have become sufficiently developed to shake the enemy's defence.

19. The troops marched at 10 P. M on Sunday night to the village of Peiwar, where they entered the bed of the *nullah* which forms the road to the Spin Gawai. This was extremely difficult marching for infantry, as the *nullah* was nothing but a mass of stones, heaped into ridges and furrowed into deep hollows by the action of the water. The night was fine, but bitterly cold; and we did not get the advantage of the moon after midnight. While on the march I found it expedient to change the order of the leading brigade, which became as follows :—

5th Goorkhas.
1 Company, 72nd Highlanders.
29th Punjab Native Infantry.

I had intended to halt the column for an hour or two during the night to rest the men; but, owing to the slowness of our progress, and to the distance being greater than was anticipated, the intention had to be abandoned.

20. At a little before six o'clock on the morning of the 2nd December, the head of the column reached the foot of the Spin Gawai Kotal. Day was just breaking, and as the enemy had neglected to place a picquet down the bed of the *nullah*, our approach had so far been unobserved.

21. At this moment, two shots from the enemy's look-out sentries alarmed his picquet on the Kotal. The advance party of the 5th Goorkhas immediately formed up from column of fours into a company line, and, led by Major

Fitzhugh and Captain Cook, rushed straight at a barricade which now became apparent about 50 yards in their front. The remainder of the regiment extended and swarmed round the flanks of the obstacle, which was carried in very brilliant style, the enemy firing a volley into the Goorkhas as they came up, and being nearly all killed at their posts.

22. At this time the enemy's guns from the stockades or *sungas* just above us commenced firing shells into our column, but without doing much damage.

23. The Goorkhas and 72nd Highlanders continued to advance rapidly up the steep side of the Kotal, and captured three stockades in quick succession, the enemy defending them in a very obstinate manner, and being mostly killed by the bayonet as our men jumped over the barricades.

24. No. 1 Mountain Battery was of the greatest assistance during this advance, and the guns were fought in the most determined manner, well up in the advanced line. Its gallant commander, Captain Kelso, was shot through the head whilst bringing his guns into action, just beyond the first stockade.

25. I brought up the remainder of the 72nd Highlanders as soon as the firing commenced, and I cannot praise too highly the gallant conduct of this splendid regiment, and the brilliant style in which the men were led by Lieutenant-Colonel Brownlow and the other officers of the corps.

26. Of the admirable conduct of the 5th Goorkhas, I have already spoken. They were not one whit behind their brethren of the 72nd in their eager desire to close with the enemy.

27. The 29th Punjab Native Infantry acted as a support throughout this advance, and successfully repelled an attempted attack by the enemy on our right flank.

28. By half past six o'clock the whole of the Spin Gawai barricades and stockades were in our possession, and the line of the enemy's defence was completely turned.

29. At half past seven o'clock, Captain Wynne established communication with Brigadier-General Cobbe by visual signalling, when I informed him of our progress and instructed him to co-operate vigorously from below in attacking the Kotal.

30. The 23rd Pioneers and 2nd Punjab Infantry having now come up, I continued to press the enemy and hoped to have taken the Peiwar Kotal by a direct advance upon its left flank.

31. But in this I was disappointed, for we found the enemy very numerous in our front, and our progress was slow, owing to the densely wooded hills through which the line of our advance lay, and the determined resistance which we met. During this period of the engagement the fire of the four guns of F-A., Royal Horse Artillery, which had been brought up on elephants, was found very effective. They were brought into action with great judgment by Colonel Stirling, commanding the battery.

32. About noon, under the direction of Colonel Perkins, R. E., Commanding Engineer, two guns of No. 1 Mountain Battery gained a position from which they could see the enemy's camp at Peiwar Kotal. This was shelled with such success that the tents were set on fire, and a regular flight of the enemy from its neighbourhood was witnessed.

33. Having ascertained, at one o'clock, from a reconnaissance, that the Peiwar Kotal was practically inaccessible from the northern side, on which I was operating, I resolved to withdraw the troops from this line of attack altogether, and ordered the following disposition :—

2nd Punjab Infantry to hold the hill on the north of the Kotal, which formed our present most advanced position.

29th Punjab Native Infantry to hold the hill overlooking the Spin Gawai, and protect the field hospital which had been established there.

A column, formed as follows, to march under my command in the Zabardast Kila direction, so as to threaten the enemy's line of retreat, *viz.*—

5th Goorkhas
5th Punjab Infantry (this regiment had joined us during the day.)
No. 1 Mountain Battery
72nd Highlanders
23rd Pioneers
4 Guns F. A., R. H. A., on elephants

} Under Brigadier-General Thelwall, C. B.

34. The effect of this movement was almost immediately apparent, for as soon as the march of the troops was perceived, the fire in front of the hill occupied by the 2nd Punjab Infantry slackened, and the enemy on the Peiwar Kotal became so disturbed that Colonel Barry Drew, of the 8th King's Regiment, who then commanded the troops on that side, determined to deliver his attack.

35. This was most gallantly executed, and at 2-30 P. M. the Peiwar Kotal was in our possession, and the enemy in full flight along the Ali Kheyl road, which for some distance was found strewn with abandoned guns, limber boxes, &c.

36. Brigadier-General Cobbe was, I extremely regret to say, wounded during the advance on the Peiwar Kotal, but the particulars of the attack will be found in the accompanying despatch from Colonel Drew of the 8th King's Regiment, who assumed the command of the troops when Brigadier-General Cobbe had to leave the field.

37. The Peiwar Kotal was garrisoned for the night by the 8th Foot.

38. The troops under my immediate command could not get up in time to fall on the retreating enemy, and bivouacked near the village of Zabardast Kila.

39. I annex a report from Major A. Palmer, 9th Bengal Cavalry, who commanded the Native levies during the day, in which his movements are detailed. The levies were detached to operate on the enemy's right flank, with the design of diverting his attention and of committing the Turis and other tribes to the British cause. Major Palmer's observations on the nature of the approaches to the Kotal from the south are very valuable, as entirely confirming the intelligence which I had gained from reconnaissance and information regarding the difficulties which would attend an attack from that direction.

40. An examination of the Peiwar Kotal defences proved it to be a place of enormous natural strength, and that the enemy's dispositions for repelling any attack on it from the front were very complete and judicious. It is also evident from the enormous stores of ammunition and supplies which have been captured, that it was the intention of the Affghan Government that their troops should remain here for the winter, and that they fully expected to be able to maintain their position against the British forces. Their defeat and expulsion by a force of inferior strength from a position of their own choosing and of unusual natural advantages, may, I presume, be expected to have a very beneficial effect upon the population of the Hariab, Kurum, and Khost valleys. It is at all events quite certain that had the Affghan troops succeeded in holding their position on the Peiwar Kotal, we should never have been regarded as having full possession of the Kurum valley.

41. The enemy's strength on the Peiwar Kotal position, on the 2nd December, has been ascertained to be nearly as follows:—About 3,500 infantry, including 3 regiments which arrived from Kushi on the afternoon of the 1st December; 18 guns; and a large number of Jagis, Ghilzais, and other tribes whose exact strength cannot of course be ascertained. There was also a mule battery of six guns, which was coming up to reinforce, but did not get further than Ali Kheyl. A battery of Horse Artillery and a regiment of infantry had been left on the Shutar Gardan, having been unable to cross that pass; a regiment of cavalry was at Kushi. The total strength of the British force employed was as follows:—

Turning force, under my command	43 officers ..	2,220	men.
Co-operating column, under Brigadier-General Cobbe	30 „ ..	838	„
Total	73 „ ..	3,058	„

42. I may be permitted to point out that no similarity exists between the Affghan army of the former war and that which has now been put into the field. The men are now armed with excellent rifles, and provided with abundance of ammunition, bundles of cartridges having been found placed behind trees, &c., in positions intended to be held. Their shooting is good; their men are of large stature and great physical strength and courage, and are well clothed. The Affghan artillery is also well served and efficiently equipped.

43. I enclose a list of casualties, which I deeply regret should be so heavy Of Captain Kelso I have already written; the other officer killed, Major Anderson of the 23rd Pioneers, fell at the head of his men whilst gallantly charging up the hill-side to attack the enemy. The death of these officers is mourned by the whole force, for both were well known as brave and excellent soldiers. The loss of the enemy cannot be estimated with any accuracy, but is believed to have been large. About

70 dead were counted in the Spin Gawai breastworks, and many more must have been killed in the subsequent fighting, which for the most part took place over thickly wooded hill sides. The inhabitants of the country believe the loss of the Affghans to have been heavy.

44. I enclose a list of the ordnance captured, which has been prepared by the Commissary of Ordnance attached to this column.

45. It now only remains for me to bring to the notice of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief and of the Government of India, the excellent services which have been rendered since the formation of the column by the departmental and staff officers attached to this force.

Brigadier-General Cobbe, of whose services I have unfortunately been temporarily deprived, has invariably carried out to my satisfaction the orders he has received.

Brigadier-General Thelwall, C. B., has conducted the command of the 2nd Brigade with energy and judgment.

Colonel Drew, 8th Foot, who assumed command of the left column on Brigadier-General Cobbe being wounded, conducted the attack on the Kotal with spirit, and my acknowledgments are due to him.

Major Galbraith, Assistant Adjutant-General, is most indefatigable in the discharge of his duties. On the 2nd December Major Galbraith was most forward, and proved himself a cool and gallant soldier.

Major Collett, Assistant Quartermaster-General, is all that could be wished for in a staff officer. It is a great pleasure to me to have this opportunity of acknowledging the able assistance I have received from Major Collett on many occasions.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lindsay, Commanding the Royal Artillery, has endeavoured in every way to secure the efficiency of the important arm under his special charge. He much distinguished himself on the 2nd December by selecting good positions for the guns.

I am under great obligation to Lieutenant-Colonel Perkins, R. E., Commanding Royal Engineer, for the advice and assistance which he has rendered to me. His services were specially valuable during the operations in front of the Peiwar Kotal, *viz.*, from the 28th November to the 2nd instant. He conducted reconnaissances with great energy and intelligence, and was most forward during the attack. He has been zealously assisted by Lieutenant Spratt, R. E.

I requested Colonel Hugh Gough, C. B. & V. C., Commandant of Cavalry, to remain with Brigadier-General Cobbe on the 2nd December, as the only possibility of the cavalry being employed was after a direct attack on the Kotal. Brigadier-General Cobbe has expressed to me his great satisfaction with Colonel Gough, and I am glad to have an opportunity of commending this distinguished officer to notice.

Dr. Allen, C. B., Deputy Surgeon-General, has bestowed great attention on the arrangements for the proper care and treatment of our sick and wounded. His exertions have been successful, and I am much indebted to him for the efficient condition in which the hospitals have been maintained.

The duties of Captain Badcock, Principal Commissariat Officer, have been unusually onerous. The bad roads and the almost entire absence of local resources have rendered the task of keeping the troops adequately supplied of great difficulty, but this has been satisfactorily accomplished, and great credit is due to Captain Badcock and his assistants for the results obtained.

Captain Woodthorpe, R. E., in charge of the Survey Department, has not only performed the duties required of him by the Surveyor-General, but has been most useful to me in reconnoitring, and I am glad to acknowledge the valuable services always willingly rendered by him. He was attached to my staff during the operations of 2nd December.

The Revd. J. W. Adams has performed his duties as Chaplain to the field force with self-denying zeal, to the great benefit and comfort of the soldiers. He was also kind enough to volunteer to act as orderly officer to me on the 2nd December, and was most useful in carrying messages, on several occasions under a heavy fire.

Captain Wynne has been in charge of the army signalling since the commencement of the operations, and has invariably established communications wherever it has been possible. Captain Wynne is most zealous in the discharge of his duties. I also desire to bring to special notice the name of Major McQueen, commanding the 5th Punjab Infantry. This officer has passed his life on the frontier, and has great experience of Pathans, and of the best method of dealing with them, I have on many occasions found his assistance most valuable.

The officers of my personal staff, Captain Pretyman, R. A., A. D. C., and Lieutenant Neville Chamberlain, Central India Horse, Orderly Officer, have been of the greatest service to me, and I am much indebted to them for their able and willing assistance.

Since the troops have been brigaded together Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon'ble George Villiers, Grenadier Guards, has had general charge of the outposts, under my personal superintendence, and has aided me materially.

Lieutenant-Colonel Waterfield, the Political Officer with the column, affords me every assistance, and is endeavouring in every way to administer the country the column has passed through since crossing the Kurum river at Thull. This is no easy task after years of misrule.

46. In conclusion I wish to bear testimony to the excellent military spirit which animates all the officers, non-commissioned officers and soldiers of this force. All ranks have had to submit to privations, and to undergo great fatigues which have been borne with the cheerful spirit of true soldiers.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) FRED. S. ROBERTS, *Major-Genl.*,
Comdg. the Kurum Valley Column.

From Captain J. COLQUHOUN, R. A., Commissary of Ordnance, to the Assistant Adjutant-General, Kurum Valley Force,—(Dated Camp Zabardast Kila, the 5th December 1878).

I HAVE the honor to forward, for the information of the General Commanding the Kurum Valley Field Force, a statement of the ordnance and munitions of war captured from the Affghans at the attack on the Peiwar Kotal.

4 Bronze guns, 6-pr. S. B.
2 Bronze howitzers, 24-pr. S. B.
4 Gun carriages.
2 Howitzer, „ 1 broken.
4 Ammunition wagons.
11 7-pr. Mountain guns of 150 lbs. weight, rifled muzzle-loading.
11 Carriages for 7-pr. rifled muzzle-loading guns, one wheel deficient.
69 Wooden ammunition boxes filled, for 7-pr. rifled muzzle-loading ammunition.
6 Mountain Battery wheel saddles.
7 Ditto carriage „
7 Ditto gun „
18 Ditto ammunition box saddles.

In the above ammunition boxes I have counted the following number of rounds of different natures of shot and shell:—

256 6-pr. round shot,
16 6-pr. case shot,
77 24-pr. common shell,
10 24-pr. case shot,
541 7-pr. rifled muzzle-loading common shell,
75 7-pr. ditto ditto shrapnell,
9 7-pr. ditto ditto case shot,

but there are in addition to these 14 loads of shell brought in last night, which would approximately contain about 400 shell, and there are also still some 7-pr. rifled muzzle loading shell to be brought in from the Spin Gawai Pass, besides some that may be found in the boxes supposed to contain small arm cartridges.

11 Dubbies containing gunpowder, approximately about 2,500 lbs.
2 Cases of percussion caps, containing two lacs.
78 Leather covered boxes containing approximately about two lacs of Enfield rifle ammunition.
2 Leather covered boxes containing time fuzes, portfires.
9 Enfield rifles.
3 Ball bags.
2 50-round pouches.
2 Bayonet frogs.
4 Big drums.
4 Side drums.

Return of killed, wounded and missing in the action of the Peiwar Kotal, on the 2nd December 1878.

Corps and Departments.	KILLED.						WOUNDED.							Total—Officers and men.
	British Officers.	Native Officers.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Drummers.	Rank and File.	Horses.	British Officers.	Native Officers.	Sergeants and Havildars.	Drummers.	Rank and File.	Horses.	Mules.	
Staff	...	..	...	..	...		1	...	...	...	...	...	..	1
No. 1 Mountain Battery, Punjab Frontier Force ...	1	...	...	...	.	..	...	..	...	...	2	..	3	3
12th Bengal Cavalry	...	..	...	...	.	1	...	...		...	...	4	...	.....
2nd Battalion 8th Foot	...	..	1	...	...	.	...	...	2	...	5	..	...	8
72nd Highlanders	...	...	...	...	2	..	1	...	1	...	8	..	...	12
23rd Bengal Native Infantry (Pioneers) ...	1	...	1	...	1	..	...	...	.	...	7	...	...	10
29th ditto ditto	..	...	..	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	12	..	.	17
2nd Punjab Infantry	..	...	1	...	6	..	...	...	...	...	11	.	...	18
5th ditto	...		..	..	...	...	.	.	...		4	.	..	4
5th Goorkha Regiment, Punjab Frontier Force ...	...	...	..	...	2	...	..	2	1	1	14	...	...	20
Total ...	2	...	3	...	16	1	2	2	4	1	63	4	3	
Grand Total—Officers and men ...	21						72							93

N. B.—One man of the 23rd Pioneers has since died of his wounds.

Nominal Roll of Officers killed and wounded.

KILLED.

Captain John A. Kelso, Royal Artillery, Commandant No. 1 Mountain Battery, Punjab Frontier Force.

Major Alexander D. Anderson, Bengal Staff Corps, Officiating 2nd in Command, 23rd Pioneers.

WOUNDED.

Brigadier-General Alexander H. Cobbe (17th Foot,) Commanding 1st Infantry Brigade, Kurum Valley Field Force, *severely*.

Sub-Lieutenant Seymour C. H. Monro, 72nd Highlanders, *slightly*.

Subadar Balbhudder Negi, 5th Goorkha Regiment, *severely*.

„ Raghubir Myerkoti, 5th Goorkha Regiment, *slightly*.

KURUM FIELD FORCE.

Numerical list of troops of the above force engaged in the action of the Spin Gawai and Peiwar Passes on the 2nd December 1878.

CAMP NEAR ZÂBARDAST KILA, *5th December* 1878.

Corps.	Officers.	Native Officers.	Rank & File.	Total.	Remarks.
Right or Turning Column.					
4 Guns F-A, Royal Horse Arty	5	.....	56	61	
72nd Highlanders ...	11	.....	319	330	
No. 1 Mountain Battery ..	3	2	119	124	
2nd Punjab Infantry ...	5	12	382	399	
5th Goorkhas ...	6	10	388	404	
23rd Pioneers ...	7	11	500	518	
29th Punjab Native Infantry	6	14	407	427	
	43	49	2,171	2,263	Total Europeans ... 899 Natives ... 2,415 Total ... 3,314
Left Column.					
2 Guns F-A, Royal Horse Arty	1	.....	26	27	
½ G-3rd, Royal Artillery ...	4	.....	74	78	
2-8th Regiment ...	18	.....	348	366	
12th Bengal Cavalry ...	3	4	176	183	
5th Punjab Infantry ...	7	10	380	397	
	33	14	1,004	1,051	
Grand Total ...	76	63	3,175	3,314	

(Signed) W. GALBRAITH, *Major,* *Assistant Adjutant-General.*

(Signed) FRED. S. ROBERTS, *Major-General,* *Commanding Kurum Field Force.*

RETIREMENTS.

No. 1227.—In continuation of G. G. O. No. 1212, dated the 26th December 1878, the undermentioned Officers are permitted to retire from the service from the dates specified, under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1878:—

No.	Rank and Names.	Corps.	Ordinary pension.	Annuity.	Capitalized value of annuity.	Date of retirement.	Where to be paid.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
22	Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) James Sebastian Rawlins.	Staff Corps	365 0 0	531 7 0	...	31st December 1878.	England.
23	Lieutenant-Colonel Eugene Clutterbuck Impey	Staff Corps	292 0 0	204 9 0	...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Fort William, the 1st January 1879.

No. 1.—With reference to the G. G. Os. noted in the margin, and with the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify that:—

No. 656, dated the 25th June 1874.
No. 1, dated the 1st January 1875.
No. 294, dated the 15th March 1875.
No. 1, dated the 1st January 1876.
No. 8, dated the 1st January 1877.
No. 1, dated the 1st January 1878.

I. During the year 1879 ninety (90) Officers of the Staff Corps, and Cavalry and Infantry of the Indian Army, will be permitted to retire from the service, receiving, in addition to the pension to which they may be entitled by length of service under existing regulations, not exceeding the full-pay pension of a Colonel (£456-5-0 per annum), an annuity representing the estimated value of their prospective claim to the Colonel's allowance, or its capitalized value as they may prefer.

II. This offer is restricted to substantive Lieutenant-Colonels who shall have completed 28 years' service, from the date of first commission, on or before the date from which they apply to retire, who may either, 1st, have been appointed to one of the Staff Corps on or before the 12th September 1866, and can claim the Colonel's allowance under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 808 of the 26th September 1866, or 2ndly, may be entitled, under G. O. G. G. of the 12th September 1862, to the Colonel's allowance after 12 years' service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

III. The number allowed to retire under these conditions will be distributed as follows:—

For Bengal	...	40
„ Madras	...	30
„ Bombay	...	20
TOTAL	...	90

In the event of the whole of the retirements allotted to a particular Presidency not being taken up in that Presidency, those remaining will be distributed in such manner as may be determined by the Government of India.

IV. Applications to retire will be considered and disposed of successively according to priority of proposed dates of retirement until the number of retirements allotted to the service shall have been accomplished, when retirements under this order will cease for the year. In the event of its becoming necessary to select one from among two or three applicants for retirement on the same day, preference will be given according to seniority from the date of first commission.

V. Officers wishing to retire under the terms of this order must, whether in or out of India, submit their applications to the Office of the Adjutant-General of their respective Presidencies, naming such prospective dates for their retirements, as will admit of the receipt of their applications by the Adjutant-General on or before the date named, such date not to be earlier than the 1st April 1879.

VI. Officers whose applications are accepted, will be gazetted out from the dates named by themselves, but will continue to perform their duties and receive the pay and allowances of their positions until officially informed of their removal from the effective list, either by direct communication, or by publication of the Gazette at the station at which they may be serving.

VII. Officers retiring under this arrangement will forego both the good service pension, if they are in receipt thereof, and all claim to bonus compensation under the terms of the despatch of the 8th of August 1866,* No. 160.

* G. G. O. No. 808 of 26th September 1866.

VIII. Applicants to retire must state—

1st.—Their rank and service.

2nd.—Their age (supported by certificate of birth, or in its absence, by a formal declaration).

3rd.—Whether they wish to receive commutation for their prospective allowances in the shape of an annuity, or to capitalize its value. Officers who desire to receive the capitalized value of the annuity must attach to their applications a certificate in the form given in Appendix A. In the case of Officers retiring out of India, the health certificate required will be called for and furnished under instructions from the India Office in London.

4th.—Whether they desire to receive payment, wholly, or in part, in India, or in England.

IX. The table given in Appendix B shows the rates at which the expectation of the Colonel's allowance will be calculated in carrying this order into effect in the case of officers of various ages and service.

X. For the purpose of arriving at the amount payable in each case, whether as an annuity or in a single payment, Officers' ages will be calculated from their birthday next succeeding the date from which they propose to retire, and the number of years they have to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance will be calculated from the date of the proposed retirement. When the period to serve contains a fraction of a year, the fraction, if it be six months or under six months, will be excluded altogether; if it exceeds six months it will be reckoned as a complete year.

XI. Payments of the *capitalized value* of the annuity made in India under this order will be at the rate of 1*s.* 10½*d.* for the rupee. Capitalized annuities of Officers retiring in India, can, on receipt of telegram announcing retirement, be paid to their Agents in England, under power of attorney to be lodged at the India Office.

XII. Officers who elect to receive an annuity in preference to the capital sum, will not, after their retirements have appeared in the Gazette, be allowed to capitalize such annuity under the provisions of this order; and it is to be understood that no separate applications of individual Officers to retire after the present retirements have been allotted will be entertained on the basis of this order.

XIII. Officers of the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will be permitted, if disposed to retire from the service, to avail themselves of this scheme of retirement, provided they are eligible thereto by the fulfilment, previously to their transfer to the half-pay list, of all the conditions required. The time passed by an Officer on the half-pay list of the Staff Corps will not count towards the 12 years in the grade of Lieutenant-Colonel required to qualify for promotion to the Colonel's allowance.

XIV. No application from Officers to cancel their retirement, or to change the date of such retirement, will be entertained after it has been announced in the official Gazette of the Presidency to which they belong.

APPENDIX A.

FORM OF MEDICAL CERTIFICATE IN THE CASE OF AN OFFICER IN INDIA APPLYING FOR THE CAPITALIZED VALUE OF THE ANNUITY

I certify that I have examined Lieutenant-Colonel_____ of the_____ and find him to be in a state of health which affords the prospect of an average duration of life.

Station and date. *Surgeon*

N.B.—The certificate to be in the handwriting of, and signed in India by, the Medical Officer in charge of the regiment; or if the Officer who applies to capitalize his annuity is not serving with a regiment, then by some other Civil or Military Medical Officer not under the rank of Surgeon-Major.

APPENDIX B.

TABLE FOR THE VALUATION OF PROSPECTIVE COLONEL'S ALLOWANCE.

Years to serve	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values	2. Ages.	3. Annuities	1. Values	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.	1. Values.	2. Ages.	3. Annuities.
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.
12	2,310	42	176 10	2,231	43	172 13	2,160	44	169 9	2,095	45	166 17	2,037	46	164 16	1,984	47	163 6
11	2,508	43	194 5	2,425	44	190 5	2,351	45	187 4	2,285	46	184 16	2,224	47	183 5	2,174	48	182 6
10	2,726	44	213 17	2,640	45	210 4	2,564	46	207 8	2,496	47	205 10	2,436	48	204 11	2,390	49	204 9
9	2,967	45	236 6	2,879	46	232 18	2,801	47	230 12	2,735	48	229 8	2,682	49	229 8	2,640	50	230 9
8	3,236	46	261 15	3,145	47	258 19	3,069	18	257 8	3,008	49	257 5	2,962	50	258 11	2,930	51	261 6
7	3,536	47	291 1	3,446	48	289 1	3,375	49	288 14	3,321	50	289 19	3,288	51	293 4	3,214	52	295 8
6	3,874	48	324 18	3,790	49	324 4	3,727	50	325 7	3,687	51	328 16	3,640	52	331 9	3,583	53	333 5
5	4,260	49	364 8	4,185	50	365 7	4,137	51	368 19	4,081	52	331 3	4,012	53	373 18	3,949	54	375 3
4	4,704	50	410 11	4,646	51	414 6	4,580	52	417 1	4,508	53	419 6	4,431	54	421 19	4,353	55	421 14
3	5,222	51	465 14	5,143	52	468 6	5,058	53	470 10	4,969	54	472 1	4,876	55	473 4	4,775	56	473 11
2	5,781	52	526 8	5,680	53	528 7	5,576	54	529 14	5,467	55	530 12	5,358	56	531 7	5,243	57	531 7
1	6,385	53	593 18	6,261	54	594 17	6,135	55	595 8	6,008	56	595 17	5,883	57	596 5	5,750	58	595 18
0	7,038	54	668 12	6,890	55	668 12	6,742	56	668 12	6,597	57	668 12	6,452	58	668 12	6,302	59	668 12
	£		£ s.	£		£ s.			£ s.	£		£ s.	£		£ s.			
12	1,935	48	162 6	1,888	49	161 11	1,849	50	161 8	1,817	51	162 1	1,779	52	162 19			
11	2,128	49	182 0	2,085	50	182 1	2,052	51	183 0	2,012	52	183 4	1,965	53	182 15			
10	2,349	50	205 2	2,315	51	206 9	2,271	52	206 17	2,222	53	206 13	2,165	54	205 14			
9	2,608	51	232 12	2,562	52	233 7	2,509	53	233 7	2,449	54	232 13	2383	55	231 5			
8	2,887	52	262 18	2,830	53	263 5	2,766	54	262 15	2,695	55	261 11	2,619	56	259 13			
7	3,189	53	296 12	3,120	54	296 8	3,043	55	295 7	2,962	56	293 14	2,875	57	291 7			
6	3,515	54	333 19	3,439	55	333 8	3,311	56	331 13	3,252	57	329 11	3,153	58	326 15			
5	3,868	55	375 7	3,773	56	374 2	3,672	57	372 3	3,566	58	369 11	3,456	59	366 13			
4	4,251	56	421 19	4,142	57	419 16	4,027	58	417 6	3,909	59	414 13	3,789	60	111 18			
3	4,667	57	472 19	4,542	58	471 15	4,414	59	468 5	4,285	60	465 17	4,157	61	464 2			
2	5,118	58	530 8	4,979	59	528 4	4,839	60	526 1	4,701	61	524 18	4,555	62	523 11			
1	5,610	59	595 3	5,458	60	593 9	5,309	61	592 0	5,152	62	592 2	4,986	63	591 4			
0	6,150	60	668 12	5,989	61	668 12	5,818	62	668 12	5,639	63	668 12	5,460	64	668 12			

DIRECTIONS FOR THE USE OF THE TABLE.

Find in the marginal column to the left of the table the number of years the Officer has to serve before becoming entitled to the Colonel's allowance, and then in the same line of the table the Officer's age—(in column 2).

The figure in the same line to the right of his age (in column No. 3, "Annuities") shows the annuity, and the figure to the left of his age under column No. 1, "Values") shows the capitalized value of the annuity offered to him under this order.

EXAMPLE. Lieutenant Colonel A applies to retire on the 1st April 1879. He will be 49 years of age on the 4th May 1879. He will become entitled to the Colonel's allowance on the 1st August 1884. For the purpose of making the calculation his age is 49, and the time he has to serve for the Colonel's allowance being five years and four months, the time he has to serve, for the purpose of the calculation under para. 3 of the order, five years. The annuity offered to him is £364-8-0, and its capitalized value is £4,260.

The following Extraordinary, issued by the Government of India in the Military Secretary's Office, is republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 6th January 1879.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE VICEROY AND GOVERNOR GENERAL will hold a Levée at Government House on Wednesday, 29th January 1879, at 9-30 P.M.

All Civil and Military Officers are invited to attend.

Gentlemen purposing to attend the Levée are requested to send their names and addresses to the Aide-de-Camp in waiting not later than Saturday, the 25th, after which no Cards will be received.

Gentlemen who have not already been presented at the Court of St. James or at the Viceregal Court, are requested, in sending their Cards, to add the names of the Gentlemen who will present them.

All Officers and Gentlemen attending the Levée are requested to bring with them the two Cards which will be forwarded to them, one to be delivered on entering Government House, the other to the Aide-de-Camp in waiting at the time of presentation.

Gentlemen wearing uniform will appear in full dress. Gentlemen not wearing uniform will appear in evening dress.

The carriages of Gentlemen (except such as have the Private Entrée) attending the Levée will enter by the North-east Gate, set down under the Grand Staircase, and pass out by the North-west Gate. Carriages will take up at the Grand Stairs.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Monday, the 13th January 1879, corresponding with 1st Magh 1285 B.S.

The purchasers of this estate will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The estate to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of this estate will be considered as the proprietors of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to them subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2. The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3. If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4. If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
166	3687	Tolinparah, pergunnah Ambicca	1 1 38	4 15 4	9 14 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 25th November 1878. R. D. HIME, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned estate, situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on 13th of January 1879, corresponding with 1st Magh 1285 B.S.

The purchaser of this estate will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

1. The estate to be sold rent-free to the highest bidders above the upset prices.

2. If the amount of purchase money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

3. If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the 15th day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale :—

Number in statement of Government estates.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Area in acres.	Upset price.	REMARKS.
		A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Nil ...	Bandapurah, pergunnah Salimpore.	1 0 12	40 10 0	To be sold under Board's order No. 660A., dated 16th October 1878.

HOOGHLY COLLECTORATE, the 19th November 1878. R. D. HIME, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on the 13th January 1879, corresponding with 1st Magh 1285 B. S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st.*—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd.*—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd.*—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th.*—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale

Number in statement of Government estates	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah	Approximate area in acres	Government revenue assessed	Upset price	REMARKS.
			Rs A P.	Rs A P	Rs A P	
38	2109	Chakran Narainpore, pergunnah Balagori	25 2 4	132 2 7	266 5 2	The purchaser will have his right to this estate from 1st April 1878, and he will be responsible for the revenue and other demands in connection with the estate from that date

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 2nd November 1878. R. CORNISH, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Tipperah, will be put up to sale at the Tipperah Collectorate on the 14th January 1879, corresponding with 2nd Magh 1285 B S.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale –

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1 The estates to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchasers of the estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them subject to revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2 The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3. If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4. If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estates to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates	Number in the district roll	Name of estate and pergunnah	Approximate area in acres	Government revenue assessed	Upset price	REMARKS
			A R. P T	Rs A P	Rs A P	
1	531	Taluk Gopi Nath Sil, pergunnah Gunanandi	3 3 21 0	3 1 9	6 3 6	
13	1170	" Naratum Bolaram, pergunnah Purchandi	1 1 1 0	0 10 8	1 5 4	
206	1752	" Sham Chakra pergunnah Gunanandi	2 2 9 0	5 6 6	10 13 0	
211	79	" Amori Khan, pergunnah "	5 3 17 0	4 6 9	8 13 6	
208	548	" Ghaneshan, pergunnah "	5 2 31 0	6 11 5	13 6 10	
213	823	" Kifyet Khan pergunnah "	7 3 12 0	5 11 1	11 6 2	
204	417	" Durga Charan Dhar pergunnah "	2 0 1 0	8 11 3	17 6 6	
[illegible]	422	" Keshab Loroit pergunnah Mohabalpur	2 3 31 16	4 5 0	8 10 0	
235	367	" Doulat Khan, pergunnah Shakdi	5 1 1 0	3 3 6	6 7 0	
236	1584	" Ram Uttam Datha, pergunnah Furakabad.	10 2 5 0	12 3 4	24 6 8	
205	78	" Amon Das pergunnah Shingargao	3 0 31 0	3 9 0	7 2 0	
250	1090	" Mann Nayar pergunnah Furakabad	3 3 28 11	4 4 7	8 9 2	The purchase will take effect from 1st Bysack 1286 B.S., and the purchasers will be liable to pay the Government revenue and will be entitled to get their rents from the tenants from that date
237	1026	" Manwar Hassun, thana "	2 1 0 12½	60 6 0	120 12 0	
235	159	" Bolaki, thana " "	4 0 20 28	16 0 0	32 0 0	
215	1190	" Omed Khan, pergunnah Gunanandi	2 2 23 6	3 0 8	6 1 4	
211	1013	" Mullik Hassun, pergunnah "	3 3 1 9	3 6 3	6 12 6	
219	607	" Hassun Khan, pergunnah " "	3 0 38 0	1 10 5	3 4 10	
215	1098	" Murad Khan, pergunnah "	2 0 26 0	1 1 3	2 2 6	
260	1783	" Uzir Khan, pergunnah Moizardi	4 0 19 0	4 5 3	8 10 6	
248	761	" Kali Charan Sharma, thana Furakabad	4 0 36 0	1 10 5	3 4 10	
244	1493	" Ram Gobind Chakra thana Furakabad	4 2 16 0	2 9 6	5 3 0	
259	1370	" Ram Bonda Nath pergunnah Singergao	3 0 29 0	2 9 7	5 3 2	
256	1682	" Shib Ram Ghose, pergunnah Shakdi	21 0 19 0	17 7 6	34 15 0	
245	504	" Chand Ram Gopi, thana Furakabad	3 1 36 0	2 9 6	5 3 0	
249	38	" Azizullah, thana "	2 1 21 0	12 5 1	24 10 2	
213	902	" Mohamed Hassun, pergunnah Gunanandi	2 2 12 0	0 12 5	1 8 10	
[illegible]	288	" Chandan Hisabdi, pergunnah Gunanandi	0 1 19 12	0 7 3	0 14 6	
[illegible]	1116	" Naboo Khan, pergunnah Gunanandi	1 0 25 5	1 6 3	2 12 6	
243	1477	" Ram Krishna Shome, thana Furakabad	12 0 23 3	18 18 10	37 11 8	
193	616	" Durga Charan Mitra, pergunnah Tora	7 0 6 2	9 12 7	19 9 3	The purchase will take effect from 1st Bysak 1286 B.S., as the existing farming lease of the estate does not expire before the 30th Chyet 1285 B.S.

TIPPERAH COLLECTORATE, the 30th November 1878. F. JONES, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Monghyr, will be put up to sale at the Monghyr Collectorate on Monday, the 13th January 1879, corresponding with 5th Magh 1286 F. S.

The purchasers of these estates will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st.*—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset prices. The purchasers of those estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd.*—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the right conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd.*—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th.*—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
33	3503	Amanat Sirkar, Jalkar Mohni, pergunnah Pherkia	423 0 21	263 0 0	5,860 0 0
34	3029	Amanat Sirkar, thana Parbeta, pergunnah Pherkia	17 1 28	02 13 0	1,257 3 0
59	2396	Amanat Sirkar, Indruth, pergunnah Monghyr	6 1 22	13 9 0	271 4 0
3	986	Irazi Pathaman, pergunnah Malki	191 1 18	367 5 0	7,346 4 0
124	4454	Gouri, pergunnah Chadan Bhoka	1 3 9	11 15 0	238 12 0

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT MONGHYR, the 27th June 1878. C. F. MAGRATH, *Offg. Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10th January 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	1747	Taluk Mahomed Hayet, hissa 3 annas 5 gandas, pergunnah Chandradip.	Haro Krishna Das Babu, Damudar Das Babu, and Joy Krishna Das Babu.	1,808 15 2½	211 0 11½	The entire mehal will be put up to sale.
2	1914	Toppe Habeli Salimabad, hissa 10 gandas.	Iswar Chundra Roy, Jogat Mohini, Taramoni, Bama Sundari, Rukem, Hara Mani, Jagultara, Ram Dayal Sen, Krishna Nundi Bhottacharjea, Prasanna Kumar Roy, Shambhu Chandra Chakrabarty, Shib Ram Sen, Gunga Prosad Shaha, Guru Prosad Shaha, Kala Chand Shamadar, Ram Reddy Sen Chowdhury, Bhorab Chandra Chowdhury, Ram Reddy Sen Chowdhury, Gour Mohan Dass, Ramdhone Roy, Ram Kumar Roy, Ram Dayal Roy, Ram Charn Roy, Chandar Kumar Roy, Prosanna Kumar Roy, Surjea Kumar Roy, and Raj Kumar Roy.	1,957 3 11	23 6 2½	Ditto ditto.
3	1913	Taluk Ramdeb Sen, hissa 12 annas 10½ gandas 2 kants 3 tills, pergunnah Habeli Salimabad.	Bhogobun Chandra Bhottacharjia, Gonga Das Mukapadhya, Ramdeb Sen, Durga Charan Sen, Moheswari, Rojani Nath Sen, Kally Kumar Dass, Radha Nath Bachaspaty, Jagat Chandra Sen, Kally Prosanna Sen, Obhoy Charn Sen, Kally Charn Sen, and Ramkomal Sen.	1,401 3 3	100 12 2½	Ditto ditto.
4	1997	Taluk Fattimohamed, pergunnah Kharya Bahadurnagar.	Alladi Bebi, Amina Bebi, Nurnessa Khattan and Mir Abdul Jabbar.	793 3 9	173 9 0½	Ditto ditto.
5	3842	Pergunnah Salimabad, hissa 18½ gandas.	Mr. A. H Smith, Manager of the estate of Upendra Chandra Roy and Kiran Chander Roy; hissa 2 annas. Govinda Mala Chowdhurine, hissa 14 annas.	5,100 13 3½	1,049 12 10½	Of the estate 14 annas share being a sudder jumma of Rs. 4,463-5-4½ belonging to Govinda Mala Chowdhurine, will be sold for arrears of revenue and the remaining 2 annas share, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 637-9-10½, belonging to A. H. Smith as manager for which separate accounts were opened under Act XI of 1859, will be excluded from the sale.
6	3845	Pergunnah Salimabad, hissa 13 gandas.	Raj Kumar Roy	3,601 1 1½	406 15 7½	Entire estate will be sold.
7	4532	Osat Taluq Hari Prosad Roy in abad Debpur, pergunnah Ratandi, Kalicapur.	Shama Charn Shamadar; hissa 11 annas	1,195 8 1	17 3 0	This 11 annas share of the estate is to be sold.
8	5198	Char Kakra with Rampura.	Abdul Soban Miah, Eftekharuddin Ahmed, Kasmuranessa Bebi, Alfannessa Bebi, Shabjan Bebi, Shashi Kumar *alias* Shashi Bhusan Sen, Krishna Chandra Chakrabaty, Moulvi Ahmed Ali, Tarak Nath Sen, Amina Bebi, Moulvi Amiruddi, Abdulla Miah for Rohiman Khattan, Abdulla Miah, and Umesalima; hissa 9 annas.	Revenue. 4,413 4 0 Road fund. 44 7 0 4,465 11 0	Revenue, 964 11 0 Road fund, 9 9 0 974 4 0	This 9 annas share of the estate will be put up to sale.

BACKERGUNGE COLLECTORATE, the 20th November 1878. J. KELLEHER, *Officiating Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on Thursday, the 9th January 1879, corresponding with 25th Pous 1285 B.S., and 27th Pous 1286 U.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th September 1878.

Towji No.	No. of A register.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears for which the estates are to be sold.
			Permanently-settled Estates.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
47	76	Amigaria, pergunnah Khandar.	Doorga Prosad Dey, Petambur Koondoo, Goluck Chunder Moshanto, Luchmi Narain Roy, Ramprosad Berah, Goluck Chunder Moshanto, Gopal Hury Roy, Krishna Prosad Roy, Aukhoy Narain, Radhakanto Roy and Pitambur Koondoo.	921 9 4	3 1 6
84	86	Ahad Parah, pergunnah Gugnapur.	Khetter Mohun, Luckhinarain Moshanto and Goluck Chunder Moshanto.	1,196 15 2	
			Deduct the share of Goluck Chunder Moshanto, of which a separate account has been opened.	448 13 9	
			Balance being the joint share of Khetter Mohun and Luckinarain Moshanto, which will not be sold for this arrear.	748 1 5	33 6 9
151	245	Burdah, pergunnah Subung.	Titaram, Kameda Churn Paul, Modhoo Sudun Hazrah, Anund Lall Paul and Modhoosoodun Hazrah.	773 15 3	
			Deduct the share of Anund Lall Paul, of which a separate account has been opened ... ... Rs. A. P. 166 4 2		
			Deduct the share of Moodhoosudun Hazrah, of which a separate account has been opened 290 3 8	456 7 10	
			Balance being the joint share of Titaram, Kanunda Charan Paul and Modhosudun Hazrah, will be put up to sale for the arrears of Government revenue ... 2 7 10	317 7 5	2 7 10
333	517	Bastupore, pergunnah Uttur Behar.	Boedonath Nath Dass, Saddhoo Charan, Nemai Dass, Gokul Charan, Mokur Charan, Jana, Seyud Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassunnessa Bibee, Setul Churn Dass, Puddolochun Mitra, Shamachurun Paul, Bhugbut Charan Maity, Sheik Khoyratally, Champoda Deyee, Komul Lochun Maity, Taruck Nath Mohapattro, Ramcharan Bera, and Tilottorreah Deyee, mother of Tarucknath Dass, and Boidonath Dutto.	4,676 14 11	
			Deduct the share of Tilothoma Deyee, mother of Tarucknath Dass, of which a separate account has been opened ... ... Rs. A. P. 1,062 2 5		
			Deduct the share of Boidonath Dutto on account of which a separate account has been opened 401 15 10	1,464 2 3	
			Balance being the joint share of Boidonath Dass, Shadhoo Charan, Neemai Charan Dass, Gokul Charan, Mokurcharan Jana, Seyud Mahomed Hossein himself and father of Wassunnissa Bibee, Setul Charan Dass, Puddhoolochun Mitra, Shama Charan Paul, Bhagbut Charan Maity, Shefk Khoyratally, Chumpoka Deyee, Komul Lochun Maity, Tarucknath Mohapattro, and Ramcharan Berah, will be put up to sale for this arrear.	3,213 12 8	15 1 9
			Temporarily-settled Estates.		
203	1969	Mungulpur, pergunnah Pattashpur.	Choudhury Govendronundun Dass Mohapattro, Anund Lall Roy, and Kassinath Mitra.	2,069 7 0	
			Deduct the share of Kassinath Mitra, of which a separate account has been opened.	525 15 8	
			Balance being the joint share of Choudhury Govendronundun Dass Mohapattro and Anundo Lall Roy, which will be put up to sale for this arrear.	1,543 7 4	120 10 1
			Permanently-settled Estates.		
392	662	Bhetur Binode, pergunnah Tuppa Bate Sita.	Choudhury Lukhinarain Moshanto, Neelmoni Moshanto, Choudhury Goluck Chundro Moshanto, and Choudhury Modhoo Soodun Moshanto.	1,658 14 10	
			Deduct the share of Choudhury Goluck Chundro Moshanto and Choudhury Modhoo Soodun Moshanto of which a separate account has been opened.	829 7 5	
			Balance being the joint share of Choudhury Lukhinarain Moshanto, and Choudhury Neelmoni Moshanto which will be put up to sale for this arrear	829 7 5	0 1 8
463	850	Chakoie *alias* Bonje, pergunnah Balitaki.	Premchand Moshanto and Udhubnaram Moshanto	718 8 5	1 6 4
552	965	Duttomuttah *alias* Brenda, pergunnah Duttomuttah.	Sreebullub Choudhury and Rashika Deye	1,029 9 1	49 13 8
617	1119	Garoopatah, pergunnah Kassijorah.	Godhadhur Bera, Gungaprosad Bera, Choudhury Bera, Nilambur Bera, Boidonath Bera, Bisumbur Bera, Doorgaprosad Bera, Brojomohun Bera, and Sreemuttya Mungala mother and guardian of Nilambur Mohapattro and Nilambur Mohapattro.	1,235 8 1	
			Deduct the share of Nilambur Mohapatro, for which a separate account has been opened.	652 1 9	
			Balance being the joint share of Godadhur Bera, Gungaprosad Bera, Choudhury Bera, Nilambur Bera, Bodonath Bera, Bisumbhur Bera, Doorgaprosad Bera, Brojomohun Bera, and Sreemuttya Mungola mother and guardian of Nilambur Mohapatro, which will be put up to sale or this arrear.	583 6 4	1 11 2
620	1122	Goomai, pergunnah Kassijorah.	Kupedutun Nessa, Mochun Bibi mother of Seyud Barkhandar Hossein and Bukhtbedar Hossein, Sreemutty Fattima Bibi, Seyud Aburull Hossein, Seyud Asurul Hossein, Seyud Emamul Hossein, and Ramtarak Roy Choudhury.	570 0 8 Including police	
			Deduct the share of Ramtaruk Roy Chowdhry, for which a separate account has been opened.	101 3 0	
			Balance being the joint share of Kushkatun Nessa, Muchni Bibi, mother of Seyud Barkhardar Hossein, and Bhuktbedar Hossein, Sreemutty Fattima Bibi, Seyud Aburull Hossein, Seyud Esarul Hossein and Seyud Emamul Hossein, which will be sold for this arrear	468 13 8	0 7 7
754	1561	Jugunathpur *alias* Moosadpur, pergunnah Shahapur.	Muddun Mohun Maity	1,073 15 6	13 8 10
795	1420	Jofodia, pergunnah Khurkpur.	Darikanath Moshunto, Durponaram Moshanto, Sreemuttya Jomuna Moni Dassi, mother and guardian of Sodanund Moshanto minor, Sreemuttya Basumuty Dassi mother and guardian of Nibodipo Chundro Moshanto, minor Sreeputty Prosonomai Dassi and Woomacharan Mohapatro.	873 11 0	1 0 [illegible]
832	1467	Koottanara, pergunnah Subung.	Modun Mohun Maity	855 13 2	3 5 4
879	1557	Kasaida *alias* Shabra Ping, pergunnah Rajgurh.	Bhorut Charan Sutpati	770 0 4	0 6 0
893	1576	Kushbah, pergunnah Egra.	Lukhinarain Kar Mohapattro, Gunganarain Pahari, Sharupnarain Pahary Protapnaram Pahary and Doorgaprosad Pahary.	855 11 7	4 2 0
901	1753	Tahester Pal Selmabad *alias* Selmabad, pergunnah Umersi.	Modun Mohun Maity, Kristo Prosad Mohapattro, Koowar Narain Mycal and Mothur Mohun Maity.	1,401 6 3	16 2 3

Towji No.	No. of A register.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
960	1717	Naloos *alias* Bul Rindrepur, pergunnah Umersi.	Ramprosad Berah	924 13 1	72 12 11
971	1779	Neuna, pergunnah Shipur.	Hurinarain Chaudhury, Kassinath Pahari, Doorgaprosad Pahari, Sreemuttya Subitra Debya, Chundicharan Pahari, Nityanund Dass Mohapattro, Renuka Deyee Choudhorain, Bholanath Missree, Nilkunto Missree, Rughoonath Mitter, Kassinath Pahari, Doorgaprosad Pahari, Nittyanund Dass Mohapattro.	232 12 0	
			Rs. A. P.		
			Deduct the share of Kassinath Pahari and Doorgaprosad Pahari, for which a separate account has been opened 1,422 2 2		
			Deduct the share of Nityanund Dass Mohapatro, for which a separate account has been opened 126 7 10	1,558 10 0	
			Balance being the joint share of Hury Narain Chowdhury, Kassinath Pahary, Doorgaprosad Pahary, Sreemuttya Subitra Debya, Chundicharan Pahary, Nityanund Dass Mohapattro, Renuka Deyee Choudhoranee, Bholanath Misri, Nilkunto Missree, and Rughonath, Missri, will be sold for this arrear.	1,096 2 0	0 10 7
1101	2130	Puschim, Masarah *alias* Betal Khatian, pergunnah Bhoonyamuttah.	Annud Lall Roy, Sreemuttya Brahmonoie, widow of Nundo Lall Roy and adoptive mother of Guzendro Lall Roy minor, and Sreemutty Tarawone mother of Shorupnarain Roy minor.	3,620 11 8	170 4 1
1208	2357	Radhanuggur, pergunnah Khutnuggur.	Punchanun Kanongoi, Novonarain Dass Kanongoi, Guruprosad Dey, Punchanund Acharjee, Jeetaram Roy, Sadhoocharan Munna, Huro Charan Dass, Modhoo Sudun Dey, Guruprosad Jana, Huronarain Jana, Umaprosad Dey, Pittambur Pattro, Hury Charan Dey, Lalmohun Das, Gokulcharan Brohmo, Buloram Brohmo, Damoodur Brohmo, Sreemutty Brohmomoyee wife of Ramnarain Roy and Badul Khan.	2,654 13 2	
			Rs. A. P.		
			Deduct the share of Gokul Brohmo, Damoodur Brohmo and Bullaram Brohmo, for which a separate account has been opened 98 2 9		
			Deduct the share of Sreemutty Brohmomoyee, wife of Ramnarain Roy, for which separate account has been opened 24 8 7		
			Deduct the separate account of Badul Khan 46 14 10	169 10 2	
			Balance being the joint share of Punchanun Kanongoi, Nuronarain Dass Kanongoi, Guruprosad Dey, Punchanund Acharjee, Jeetram Roy, Sadhoocharan Munna, Harocharan Das, Madhoo Soodun Dey, Guruprasad Jana, Huronarain, Jana, Umaprosad Dey, Pittambur Pattro, Hurycharan Dey, and Lall Mohun Dass, which will be sold for arrears of revenue.	2,485 3 0	5 6 6
1366	2483	Sholarah, pergunnah Subung.	Jansrdun Dass and Mothurmohun Nundi	555 11 8	0 1 4
1372	2489	Shamsora, pergunnah Subung.	Sreekanto Ghose, Trokeer Chundro Ghose, Neelkunto Ghose, Huromon Mohun Dassy, Nundo Lall Dey, Sreemutty Dassy, mother of Jugomohun Dass minor and wife of Bhagbut Chunder Dass, Shamsunder Dass, Nilkunto Dey, Radhagobind Singh, Bhagbut Chunder Dass and Huryhur Dass.	1,495 11 8	
			Rs. A. P.		
			Deduct separate account of Radhagobind Singh ... 336 4 10		
			Deduct separate account of Bhagbut Chunder Das and Huryhur Dass 112 1 11	448 6 9	
			Balance being the joint share of Sreekanto Ghose, Trokeer Chundra Ghose, Neelkunto Ghose, Hurromon Mohun Dassy, Nundolal Dey, Sreemutty Dassy mother of Jugomohun Dass minor and wife of Bhagbut Chunder Dass, Shamsundur Dass and Nilkunto Dey, will be sold for this arrear.	747 4 11	3 3 0
1393	2513	Sheemlia, pergunnah Bhunyamutta.	Chaudhury Anundolal Roy, Sreemutya Taramoni mother of Chaudhury Sharup Narain Roy minor, Sreemuttya Brahmomoyee widow of Nundo Lall Roy and adoptive mother of Guzendro Lal Roy minor.	700 9 5	17 14 3
1394	2514	Ditto ...	Chaudhury Anund Lal Roy, Sreemuttya Taramoni mother of Chaudhury Sharup Narain Roy minor, and Sreemuttya Brahmomoyee widow of Nundo Lal Roy and adoptive mother of Guzendro Lal Roy minor.	1,070 9 6	28 4 4
1507	2735	Tildapara, pergunnah Bornl Chour.	Chundroseskur Kur, Radhakisto Das father and guardian of Raghunath Dass minor, Juddoonath Das and Jeetram Kur.	505 1 1	7 7 7
			Temporarily-settled Estate.	Including road fund.	
128	1425	Jallamutta, pergunnah Jallamutta.	Guzendro Narain Roy and Sreemutya Huripria Debya	99,227 8 0	7,215 3 6
			Permanently-settled Estate.		
1190	2158	Panjonkool, pergunnah Bhooya, Mootta.	Anundo Lall Roy, Rance Brohmo Moi, widow of Nundo Lall Roy and adoptive mother of Gozendro Lall Roy, Sreemuttee Tarumonee, mother of Chowdhery Sorup Narain Roy minor.	661 8 11	17 1 5

MIDNAPORE COLLECTORATE, the 23rd November 1878. T. D. BEIGHTON, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Noakholly will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 10th January 1879, corresponding with 27th Pous 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Number in touji.	Names of estates.	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma.	Balance due.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
46	Pergunnah Sundeep, Kismut Mohendro Narain.	Sheik Mohamed Asanullah Chowdhury and Sheik Mohamed Rehimullah Chowdhury.	637 1 11	228 14 6
88	Pergunnah Omrabad, share 6as. 0g. 2c. 2kt.	Srimati Roshan Bibi, Ohederrissa, Abkarim, Moonshi Ali Mohamed, Srimati Kayetunnessa and Moonshi Ali Karim, guardian of Moonshi Ozibuddeen Ahmed, Srimati Kafarunnessa, Srimati Bodarunnessa, Srimati Zoharunnessa, Srimati Solara Khatoon, minors, and Kali Kisor Guha Roy and Kalf Kisor Guha, manager on the part of Nanda Kisor Guha, Raj Kisor Guha, and Radha Mohan Guha.	1,716 12 10	34 12 3
202	Pergunnah Dandra, Char Shabhikary, share 4 annas.	Moonshi Mohamed Manawar Ali Chowdhury, Moonshi Mohamed Mozafar Ali and Rau Kanai Das Bhuia.	1,388 0 0	128 8 0
			One per cent. road fund. 14 0 0	1 6 0

NOAKHOLLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 2nd December 1878. A. MANSON, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Gya will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 8th January 1879, corresponding with 30th Pous 1286 F. S., for arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Description of mehal.	Number of rent roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma.	Amount of arrear for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Permanently-settled.	2009	Mohomudpoor Bhallai, pergunnah Bhallawar.	Mussamut Bhekoo and Gurbhoo, Dulmir Khan, Huruk Norain Singh.	529 1 0	10 12 0	The whole mehal will be sold.
Ditto ...	879	Jagdispore Arundi, pergunnah Goh.	Meer Kadir Ally, Raza Khan Bahadoor, Agrur Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Gungoo Singh, Jeet Singh, Deodhary Singh, Mussamut Seetakoer, Ram Lachun Singh, Deo Narain Singh, Kassee Singh, Purmeshur Singh.	503 12 0	73 11 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs 114-12-0, is to be sold.
Ditto ...	949	Goh Kusbey, pergunnah Goh.	Telukdhary Singh, Gunga Deo Singh, Bundhoo Singh, Deoki Nundun Singh, Bhagwan Dass self and guardian of Ruggoo Dass, minor brother Moonshee Ameer Ally, Mussamut Talabandi Koer.	681 1 0	24 4 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 553-6-0, is to be sold.
Moostagiri.	3100	Sarawan Talooqa 41 Kalum Dehat Warana, pergunnah Sherghatty.	Gondi Singh, auction purchaser ...	7,569 3 0 Mal, 6,728 3 0 Malikana, 841 0 0 7,569 3 0	1,419 4 0 Mal, 1,261 9 0 Malikana, 157 11 0 1,419 4 0	The only share of Gondi Singh, the auction purchaser, will be sold.
Permanently-settled.	3224	Kandi Talooqa, pergunnah Sherghatty.	Sikundur Ally Khan, Syed Habilool Hossen, Mussamut Fazeltool Nissa *alias* Janka, Goor Sahay Sahoo, Sookhdeo Sahay, Nasu Mali Koer, Gunpat Lall, Chummun Saha, Chet Lall, Kheroo Dhur Padheya, *alias* Gunoo Padhya, self and manager of Sone Narain Padheya, *alias* Deon Padheya, minor brothers Abdool Khan, Mussamut Thakooroo Koer,	2,303 5 0 Separate share, Ijmal,	35 13 0 2 11 0 33 2 0 35 13 0	The separate share of Bishoon Padheya and Turnut Padheya, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 160-13 and ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 702-10, are to be sold.
			Luchee Mahton, Saheb Ally Khan, Mussamut Monirun Bebee, Zemurun Bebee, Jahajir Bux Khan, Mussamut Zeynub, *alias* Arzani, Mussamut Dofoorzan Bebee, Gosain Mohan Geer, ijmal shareholders Bishoon Padheya, Turnut Padheya.			
Ditto ...	3265	Manikchuk Talooqa, pergunnah Sherghatty.	Afzal Bebee, Walee Hussen Bebee, Baboo Sikundar Ally, Saheb Singh, and Luchee Mahton.	658 1 0	1 10 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue Rs. 44-12. is to be sold.
Permanently-settled.	3513	Karma Misser, &c., pergunnah Seris.	Saroop Narain Singh, Jugger Nath Singh, Khajeh Ally Reza, Molvi Fozal Hussen, Meerza Dost Mohomud, father and guardian of Mussamut Mornini, Mussamut Jhona Koer, Sheo Saran Singh.	842 1 0	5 4 0	Ijmal share, of which the Government revenue is Rs. 584-13-0, is to be sold.

GYA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, *the 13th December* 1878. R. H. GREAVES, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th January 1879, corresponding with the 12th Magh 1285 B. S., on Friday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Touji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
74	Kismut turf Malunchi, pergunnah Sendoori.	Sheik Mahommed Naki and others ...	1,035 12 0	23 0 0	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Mahomed Naki and Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs. 1,140-8-0, will be sold.
115	Kismut turf Bhanura, pergunnah Bajuras Najirpore.	Anarwar Ali Khan and others	2,750 13 0	56 3 0	This mehal is under mitwara. The shares of Anar Ali Khan, Sundushi Gohhur Bibee, Sadi Khan, Azumunessa, Nuraunessa, Hassibunnessa, and Saroda Sundari Devya, from which the arrears are due, will be sold. The other shares are exempted from sale.
163	New accretions to kismut turf Sujanagar, Nischintapur, pergunnah Mahamudshahye.	Annada Govinda Choudhuri and others	1,688 5 0	62 12 0	The shares on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Annada Gobinda Chaudhuri and Nithokali Devya, mother of Sri Govinda Chaudhuri, with a revenue of Rs. 1,278-14-0, including the Road Fund from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
175	Kismut turf Shaymupur, pergunnah Amirabad.	Moonshi Mahomed Hafez and others	3,156 9 0 Police, 5 1 0 3,161 10 0	82 2 0	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares. The share of Moonshi Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs. 2,709-5-0, including police from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
205	Kismut Chuk Govindapur, pergunnah Katemulla.	Ram Sundari Devya and Govinda Lahory.	1,560 0 0 Police, 14 15 0 1,574 15 0	2 3 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
330	Debi Protab, pergunnah Katar Mahalla.	Banawarilal Roy, Umakanta Bhuttacharya minors, Lakshi Kanta, Chandra Kanta, Surja Kanta, Kumuni Kanta, Jamini Kanta Bhuttacharya, Gobinda Nath Roy, Nityananda	9,871 2 0 Police, 53 5 0 9,924 7 0	74 15 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
		Pulin Chundra, Radha Govinda, Brojo Govinda, Goli Gobinda, Krisna Nath, Broja Nath, Golokmath Nag, Gour Mohan Nanda Lal, Radha Krisna, Broja Mohan, Gopi Mohan, Krisna Das Gosvami, Sib Sundari Devya, Gaur Hari, Krisna Chundra, Ramaya Lal Gosvami, Annapurna Devya, Krisna Behary Roy, Madhu Mati *alias* Trepura Sundari, Krisna Sundar, Jaganath Nath, Jagada Nanda, Bepin Behari Gosvami, Podda Moni Devya minor, Gopal Ram Narayan Gosvami, Sasi Bhusan Gosvami, Ram Gosvami.			
276	Kismut Gunkhara and others, pergunnah Sona-bajoo.	Kashi Chundra Mattra, Indra Mani Devya and others.	1,871 3 0	58 6 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Indra Mani Devya, Shambhu Nath, Biswa Nath Talookdar, Krisna Sundar and Jadab Chandra Chundhuri Prosad Talook, Ram Sundari Devya, wife of Govinda Chandra Lahiri, Ramkissore Talookdar, Doorga Das Chaudhura, Nil Govinda Girish Chundra Talookdar, Moumayi Devya, mother of Saroda Prosad Lahiri, Jugge Mohan Kunja Mohan Talookdar, and Kali Chandra Mottra, with a revenue of Rs. 1,403-5-0 from which the arrear is due, will be sold.

W. M. CLAY, *Offg. Collector of Pubna*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 15th January 1879, corresponding with 12th Magh 1285 B. S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Permanently-settled Estates.

Touzee number.	Sudder jumma.	Name of mehal	Names of proprietors	Arrear revenue due to Government.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.
2793	1,039 8 9½	Hissa Amanullah, pergunnah Jalalpore	Chandidas Guha Govinda Chandra Basu, and Mahima Chandra Sha, joint proprietors	32 6 5
	Deduct on account of separate account, 955 10 9			
	983 14 0½			
4028	4,078 7 9½	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad hissa ten annas, zemindar Bashu Dev Ray	Guruprasad, Prem Chand Kuari Mohan, Gupi Mohan, Bankunta Mohan Harlal Roy Shita Mom Jasaki Devya, Satyabati Devya and Nagarbashi Kundu	1,550 9 5½
	Road fund . 40 13 0			
	4,119 4 9½			
4049	742 10 1	Kismat Gazipore in Char Dhupariya	Jagabandhu, Sree Nath Basu Hara Sundari Debya, widow of Kali Sanker Guha deceased Mr J P Wise Moulavi Mohammuddin *alias* Dudu Meah and Gunga Money	0 7 11
3220	597 13 4	Pergunnah Rajnagar Chakley Amirabad, mouzah Kul Chari, &c	Eight annas share Kailash Chandra Chakravarti	88 0 4½
	Deduct on account of separate account, 298 14 3½			
	298 14 3½			

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 13th December 1878. J. ANDERSON, *Collector.*

Notice of Sale.

APPLICATIONS are hereby invited for the purchase of the rights and interest of the late Baboo Purmesharry Proshad Narayon Singh, of Nurhan (whose estate is now under the management of the Court of Wards), in mehals Shadequepore, Nawada, in zillah Patna and Jagodishpore Sahash and Hurlochunpore, in the district of Morufferpore. Details of the sudder jumma and rental, &c., are given below.

2. Applications are to be made to the undersigned, the terms of purchase being subjected to sanction of the Court of Wards before the sale is completed.

3. Villages Jagodishpore Sahash and Hurlochunpore are let out on lease which will expire at the close of 1286 Fusli or September 1879.

Name of village.	Pergunnah.	District.	Area and share.	Government revenue.	Mofussil jumma.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Shadequepore Nawada ...	Gyaspore	Patna	210b., 16 annas potty ...	197 0 0	1,603 0 0
Jugodishpore Sahash	Sarrisa	Mozufferpore	46b., ditto ...	69 0 0	98 0 0
Harlochunpore	Ditto	Ditto	585b., ditto ...	888 0 0	786 0 0

(733—2) R. ABERCROMBIE, *Manager of the Nurhan Estate.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 30th December 1878.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Capital paid up		2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities		99,15,881 12 8
Reserve Fund		20,27,550 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		55 95,860 14 0
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ...Rs	65,84,360-1-2	1,82,51,367 13 11	Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches .		85,49,719 13 5
Ditto at Branches ,,	1,16,67,007-12-9		Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches .		1 92,83 713 10 7
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,95,73,004 10 2	Balances with other Banks . .		5,05 916 14 6
Bank Post Bills, &c.		8,12 485 11 9	Bullion . . .		
Sundries		10,81,833 12 11	Dead Stock . .		9,73,371 9 2
			Stamps . .		7 634 5 2
			Sundries .		1,61 461 14 6
					1,10,92,430 14 0
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office, Rs	83 41,125-2-1	2 67,03 771 2 0
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ,,	1,83,62,646-0-8	
Rupees .		7,16,96,232 0 9	Rupees		7,16 96 232 0 9

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, the 2nd January 1879.

W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accnt. & Dy. Secy.* (751—1)

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th December 1878.

PARTICULARS	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 Per Cent. Loans							4½ Per Cent. Loans					Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent Debenture for 15 years, repayable June 1892.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25	of 1828-29	of 1832-33	of 1835-36	of 1843-43.	of 1854-55	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.					
Balance of 30th November 1878	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,43,946	31,11,300	2,27,40,300	1,13,40,600	1,94,87,000	43 61,300	3,36,000	3,10,18,900	49,79,500	2,68,49,200	47,400	33,11,000	79,800	1,38,69,900	14,80,72,500
6½ per cent. Stock transferred to 4½ per cent. Stock in London	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,00,800	..	..	..	..	1,00,800
And—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th December 1878	..	..	..	..	..	50,000	1,600	..	..	..	..	2,000	1,36,100	..	..	..	500	1,90,200
Ditto at Bombay between 1st and 15th December 1878	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,000	3,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12,000	16,000
Ditto at Calcutta between 1st and 15th December 1878	..	..	..	..	6,800	81,800	24,500	65,000	..	..	..	5,000	93,93,700	..	..	..	..	95,76,800
TOTAL	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,43,946	31,18,100	2,28,72,100	1,13,67,700	1,95,55,000	43,61,300	3,36,000	3,10,18,900	49,86,500	3,64,79,800	47,400	33,11,000	79,800	1,38,82,400	15,29,59,500
Deduct—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	..	..	..	..	..	48,000	2,000	1,93,000	4,31,000	..	3,90,700	..	58,000	..	..	..	2,98,500	14,06,200
Balance on 15th December 1878	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,43,946	31,18,100	2,28,24,100	1,13,65,700	1,93,72,000	39,30,300	3,36,000	3,06,28,200	49,86,500	3,64,21,800	47,400	33,11,000	79,800	1,35,83,900	15,15,53,300

NOTE—From 9th June 1867 to 30th Sept 1878—Enfaced from India 2,823 lakhs, retransferred from London 2,818 lakhs.

"	1st Oct.	1878 to	31st Oct	"	"	"	65	"	"	238 "
"	1st Nov	" to	15th Nov	"	"	"	108	"	"	55 "
"	15th	" "	30th	"	"	"	18	"	"	10 "
"	1st Dec	" to	15th Dec	"	"	"	93	"	"	14 "
							3,108			2,935 "
							2,935			
				Balance against India			173			

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 19th December 1878.

H. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
352	O 16—14891	10	Shaik Khoda Buksh.
353	O 27—99091	500	Khettra Mohan Dutt.
353	„ 27—99091	50	Khettra Mohan Dutt.
354	„ 33—96535	100	Messrs. Shew Pershad & Co.
	L 91—46956	20	
	O 17—42368	10	
355	L 61—63086	10	The Officiating Magistrate, Gya.
	„ 95—56028	10	
	„ 76—15516	10	
356	O 33—92019	100	Lieut.-Colonel R. Moseley.
358	„ 27—77492	500	Ram Lal Pandey.
359	„ —75525	500	The District Superintendent of Police, Kangra.
360	L 93—27820	50	The District Superintendent of Police, Dacca.
361	O 34—94290	100	Lalla Sumurth Roy Bukshi Ram.
	L 93—83378	50	
364	O 42—81707 to „ —81712	10 each.	Rasbehari Banerjee.
365	O 34—50831	100	Akhil Chunder Chakravarti.
366	L 70—62233	1,000	Monybhoosan Biswas.
367	O 34—46500	100	Rajendra Kumar Ghose.
	„ —09910	100	
	„ 21—31968	20	
368	L 94—27459	100	The Collector of Rajshahye.
	O 34—66001	100	
	L 94—87999	100	
	„ —87981	100	
	O 34—50569	100	
369	L 38—55937	100	Gheesa.
	O 35—03600	100	
370	L 93—97192	50	Morgan.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

367	O 8—06951	10	Dhatree Churn Mukerjee.
368	„ 23—46809	20	F. Tuthill.
369	„ 9—50410	10	Lieut. H. E. Mitchell.
370	„ 42—11445	10	Hajee Abdul Kareem.
371	A 94—17790	20	E. O. Moses.
372	L 29—36420	5	Tiluck Chunder Chowdhuri.
373	O 7—42520	10	Color Sergeant W. Hayward.
374	„ 17—06677	10	Mirza Alijan.
375	L 30—69976	5	The Post Master-General, North-Western Provinces.
376	O 10—38165	10	W. G. Bolton.
	„ 9—46900	10	
	L 95—55506	10	
377	O 23—24105	20	Lieut. F. H. Probyn.
378	L 93—89015	50	Kunja Lal Dhur.
379	O 3—03110	20	J. E. Cearns.
380	„ 29—68398	1000	Modun Mohun Majumdar.
381	L 27—79294	5	Sasibhusan Sen.
382	O 40—21627	10	Pundit Damo Dur Joshee.
383	L 31—57323	5	Mohendra Narain Roy.
384	O 4—32522	20	Woomes Chunder Majumdar.
385	„ 23—82353	20	Moulvie Mahomed Allahadad.
	„ 9—08207	10	
	L 31—14521	5	
386	O 21—09879	20	W. Corbet.
	„ 18—91649	10	
387	O 4—24513	20	Shib Chunder Banerjee.
388	L 2—33066	10	Doorga Sahoy Balkissen.
	„ 57—83665	10	
	„ —83664	10	
389	O 24—23579	20	Benode Behari Mukerjee.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
390	O 33—73604	100	E. S. A. Cohen.
	„ 3—07374	20	
	„ 13—21441	10	
	„ 17—27451	10	
	„ 15—90647	10	
	L 86—73886	10	
391	O 27—56070	500	Samul Das and Narain Das.
392	„ 29—70914	1,000	Ibrahim Malin Ariff.
393	L 48—87574	20	Russick Lall Chatterjee.
394	L 29—90945	5	Taruck Nath Mukerjee.
	„ —60993	5	
395	O 25—51748	20	Huris Chunder Bose.
	„ —10958	20	
	O 41—32087	10	
	O 42—24155	10	
	L 30—71427	5	
396	O 20—97625	20	Leke Nath Chatterjee.
	„ 21—28795	20	
	L 7—72926	20	
	O 20—69895	20	
	„ 21—96948	20	
397	O 34—40919	100	Ram Rutton and Ram Gopal.
	„ —40918	100	
	„ —37700	100	
	„ —37949	100	
	„ —20325	100	
	„ —31285	100	
	„ —22439	100	
	O 33—79842	100	
	„ —09734	100	
398	L 28—42824	5	Jodu Nath Seal.
135	L 17—18641	5	Jadu Nath Roy.
	„ —18544		
183	„ 61—00268	10	Jadu Nath Roy.
	„ 74—01093		
	„ 16—94401	5	
	„ 15—33956		
218	L 30—10186	5	Jogendra Nath Shome.
	„ —10188		
219	O 23—46710	20	Ticca Ram.
	„ —46709		
220	L 80—61837	20	Modhoo Sooden Shaw.
	„ —65383		
221	L 90—07613	20	Surba Nundo Roy.
	O 21—19768		
222	O 23—64327	20	J. H. Bancroft.
	„ —64325		
223	O 2—37459	20	J. Robertson.
	„ 3—87493		
224	O 12—03555	10	Hridoy Nath Sircar.
	„ 17—42471		
225	L 91—70835	20	Annoda Prosad Budra.
	„ —70831		
225	L 14—69301	20	Doorga Charan Chowdhuri.
	L 36—59256		
227	L 40—20243	10	Doorga Sahoy Balkissen.
	„ 2—33071		
	„ 24—02598	5	
	„ —02597		
228	L 23—76699	5	Peary Lal Bose.
	„ —76697		
229	L 28—24725	5	J. Winston, Assistant Secretary, G. E. Hotel Co., Limited.
	„ —24726		
230	L 99—66036	10	E. S. A. Cohen.
	„ —66039		
	L 99—24265	10	
	O 5—09711		
	L 59—02668	10	
	„ —02669		
	O 5—17067	10	
	„ —77666		
	L 36—06264	20	
	„ —06274		
231	O 19—74864	20	Nilmadhub Gupta.
	„ —74867		
232	L 36—22752	20	Chidum Chunder Seal.
	„ —22754		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 31st December 1878.

INSOLVENT ESTATES.

QUARTERLY STATEMENT MADE UP TO 30TH JUNE 1878.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Alexander and Co. ...	2,91,087 1 9	2,32,373 15 3	48,899 13 8	9,813 4 10	9,008 9 8	804 11 2	Nothing further recoverable.
Adam, Scott and Co. ...	1,31,607 10 7	1,04,491 12 0	23,059 0 9	4,056 12 10	3,165 7 0	891 6 10	Ditto ditto.
Anderson and Co., William ..	2,678 8 1	0 0 0	1,845 4 3	833 3 10	0 0 0	833 3 10	Ditto ditto.
Allan, Deffell and Co. ...	1,57,531 1 1	1,26,063 13 5	30,521 2 3	946 1 5	0 0 0	946 1 5	Ditto ditto.
Asiatic Marine Insurance Office ...	8,40,353 11 1	6,89,404 9 11	1,38,903 1 7	12,045 15 7	10,410 0 0	1,635 15 7	Ditto ditto.
Arnold and Co. (Aga Mahomed Hossein Sheerajee and T. S. M. Brewer.)	6,640 12 1	0 0 0	3,303 0 6	3,337 11 7	0 0 0	3,337 11 7	Ditto ditto.
Anstruther and Co. ...	17,005 3 3	4,037 8 4	3,272 9 0	9,695 1 11	1,930 4 2	7,764 13 9	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Abendroth, J. C. R. ...	11,296 14 11	7,843 10 11	1,801 14 6	1,651 5 6	6 11 7	1,644 9 11	Ditto ditto.
Abrampvitz, J. ...	1,247 5 7	0 0 0	586 5 0	661 0 7	0 0 0	661 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Avdall, J. ...	9,797 11 6	0 0 0	1,592 12 0	8,204 15 6	0 0 0	8,204 15 6	Ditto ditto.
Alexander, Wallace & Co. ...	24,140 13 7	12,673 0 5	6,344 9 1	5,123 4 1	4,457 15 8	665 4 5	Nothing further recoverable.
Atkinson, Tilton and Co. ...	4,316 12 5	0 0 0	2,052 5 3	2,264 7 2	0 0 0	2,264 7 2	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Abbott, C. P. ...	5,843 8 0	760 7 3	509 3 5	4,564 13 4	1,371 8 0	3,193 5 4	Ditto ditto.
Apcar Alick ...	5,467 1 3	0 0 0	16 6 0	5,450 11 3	0 0 0	5,450 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Balfour and Co. ..	5,60,865 6 2	3,04,343 4 3	2,55,180 2 1	1,341 15 10	839 9 3	502 6 7	Nothing further recoverable.
Boyd and Co. ..	30,340 12 6	10,771 11 6	13,297 15 3	6,271 1 9	4,419 15 1	1,860 2 8	Ditto ditto.
Bruce, Shand and Co. ...	8,36,531 6 1	4,96,777 1 0	3,32,316 3 0	7,438 2 1	6,618 1 2	820 0 11	Ditto ditto.
Brunet, Saliz, and Latapie ...	15,235 0 0	7,721 6 11	5,553 11 4	1,959 13 9	1,251 7 3	708 6 6	Ditto ditto.
Bischoff, Beer and Co. ...	2,640 5 8	0 0 0	2,056 3 5	584 2 3	0 0 0	584 2 3	Ditto ditto.
Bodry, John (1st) ...	1,689 0 8	0 0 0	474 0 0	1,215 0 8	0 0 0	1,215 0 8	Ditto ditto.
Bagot, W. N. ...	4,149 4 9	0 0 0	3,439 4 0	710 0 9	0 0 0	710 0 9	Ditto ditto.
Bluett, James ...	873 0 0	8 13 9	164 14 1	699 4 2	641 4 1	58 0 1	Ditto ditto.
Bhoobun Mohun Mitter ...	4,000 0 0	0 0 0	2,163 7 9	1,836 8 3	1,794 12 6	41 11 9	Ditto ditto.
Baboo Loll Shaw and others ..	1,35,530 2 7	71,673 2 4	28,474 12 5	35,382 3 10	5,143 14 8	30,238 5 2	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Bodry, John (3rd) ..	4,396 5 9	709 11 1	2,295 13 4	1,390 13 4	127 6 1	1,263 7 3	Nothing further recoverable.
Buldeo Doss ...	3,759 13 8	764 10 10	959 12 7	2,035 6 3	1,842 12 2	192 10 1	Ditto ditto.
Bhoremull Gundkah ...	16,319 3 6	5,743 0 3	2,628 0 0	7,948 3 3	6,592 10 8	1,355 8 7	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Brindabun Chunder Neogy and Nundo Loll Neogy	3,851 5 6	1,109 4 11	2,056 11 10	685 4 9	342 2 10	343 1 11	Ditto ditto.

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Ewing, Aird, and Anderson ...	3,11,323 1 8	59,611 6 10	2,42,032 15 9	9,678 11 1	9,516 3 7	162 7 6	Nothing further recoverable.
Ellias, M. B. ...	7,233 3 6	3,428 10 7	1,263 5 10	2,541 3 1	2,218 0 3	323 2 10	Ditto ditto.
Eagleton and Co. ...	643 7 3	0 0 0	110 0 0	533 7 3	0 0 0	533 7 3	Ditto ditto.
Fergusson and Co. ...	1,96,005 7 4	1,48,026 1 8	32,984 13 10	14,994 7 10	12,455 8 5	2,538 15 5	Ditto ditto.
Fergusson Brothers and Co. ...	1,47,614 13 0	68,637 12 4	75,113 15 2	3,863 1 6	3,761 0 8	102 0 10	Ditto ditto.
Foster, Rogers and Co. ...	6,323 3 10	857 3 7	2,294 7 11	3,171 8 4	2,542 11 8	628 12 8	Ditto ditto.
Fabian, E. D. ...	776 10 0	263 3 3	0 0 0	513 6 9	0 0 0	513 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Fraser, W. T. ...	1,624 13 1	112 0 0	603 2 7	909 10 6	864 0 0	45 10 6	Ditto ditto.
Ferris, G. R. ...	2,650 0 0	54 15 6	813 2 8	1,781 14 3	1,304 9 6	477 4 9	Ditto ditto.
Fanshaw, R. F. ...	876 0 10	0 0 0	70 12 10	805 4 0	601 13 1	203 6 11	Ditto ditto.
Fornaro, C. (Fornaro and Huni) ...	27,288 4 3	16,746 11 2	9,001 15 7	1,539 9 6	1,088 2 6	451 7 0	Ditto ditto.
Foolchund Soorjomull (Buldeo Doss, Foolchund).	14,462 10 9	12,208 5 10	1,542 5 4	711 15 7	170 0 11	541 14 8	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Ferrier, W. A. ...	4,765 13 3	603 11 11	277 15 2	3,884 2 2	3,027 12 3	856 5 11	Ditto ditto.
Gilmore and Co. ...	47,266 0 3	23,186 11 8	19,717 13 7	4,361 7 0	0 0 0	4,361 7 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Griffiths, Curtis and Co. ...	49,455 13 8	23,262 15 3	19,201 1 0	6,991 13 5	6,991 13 5	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Gordon, Stuart and Co. ...	78,183 10 4	36,476 0 3	35,196 13 0	6,510 13 1	2,666 6 8	3,844 6 5	Ditto ditto.
Goboredhone Mullick ...	2,880 14 9	1,296 3 2	912 11 0	672 0 7	0 0 0	672 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Gibson & Co. ...	782 3 11	0 0 0	0 0 0	782 3 11	0 0 0	782 3 11	Ditto ditto.
Gubboy, A. J. ...	9,055 7 0	5,179 12 11	2,065 9 0	1,810 1 1	1,474 2 2	335 14 11	Ditto ditto.
Gordon, G. J. ...	570 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	570 0 0	0 0 0	570 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Gocooldoss Soonderjee ...	18,266 14 1	11,533 9 3	5,760 12 11	972 7 11	930 2 6	42 5 5	Ditto ditto.
Golabchund Hemchund ...	1,506 2 0	0 0 0	120 9 0	1,385 9 0	0 0 0	1,385 9 0	Ditto ditto.
Gholam Hossen Virjee ...	1,26,756 14 4	40,928 6 8	85,314 2 4	514 5 4	318 1 0	196 4 4	Ditto ditto.
Grant and Sons, G. ...	5,904 8 5	3,326 15 7	2,011 4 10	566 4 0	0 0 0	566 4 0	Ditto ditto.
Ghasseeram ...	36,783 6 10	6,030 3 5	25,604 13 5	5,148 6 0	472 15 4	4,675 6 8	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Ghose and Co., R G. ...	26,861 1 2	17,918 2 4	7,764 4 8	1,178 10 2	536 2 0	642 8 2	Ditto ditto.
Gregory, M. ...	17,166 7 6	12,057 10 9	4,104 2 1	1,004 11 7	290 6 3	714 5 4	Ditto ditto.
Gasper, N. M. ...	7,010 0 9	4,274 4 2	645 9 9	2,090 2 10	1,786 5 7	303 13 3	Nothing further recoverable.
Gubboy, E. S. ...	33,575 7 3	29,438 11 4	3,449 3 4	687 8 7	530 5 2	157 3 5	Ditto ditto.
Gilmore, J. A. G. ...	512 8 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	512 8 0	0 0 0	512 8 0	Ditto ditto.
Greesh Chunder Mozoomdar ...	2,022 10 4	921 9 4	505 1 6	596 4 1	302 7 11	293 12 2	Ditto ditto.
Gleeson, A. G. ...	1,252 9 3	0 0 0	5 6 6	1,247 2 9	0 0 0	1,247 2 9	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Greedhareeloll Kannyloll ...	5,727 13 5	0 0 0	121 2 0	5,606 11 5	0 0 0	5,606 11 5	Ditto ditto.

Hurry, W. C.	...	2,768	9	2	0	0	0	1,997	14	8	825	10	6	0	0	0	825	10	6	Nothing further recoverable.
Hoffman and Co.	...	25,170	12	11	6,933	13	9	17,650	8	0	586	7	2	356	3	4	230	3	10	Ditto ditto.
Hughesdon Brothers	...	2,44,226	5	7	34,419	0	6	2,04,190	10	6	5,616	10	7	4,750	5	7	866	5	0	Ditto ditto.
Hudson, Nathaniel	...	2,225	11	3	655	5	6	461	2	1	1,109	3	8	936	15	2	172	4	6	Ditto ditto.
Hullodhur Dey	...	1,047	8	9	73	15	10	309	6	10	664	2	1	542	4	11	121	13	2	Ditto ditto.
Hoppe, William	...	1,346	8	6	0	0	0	616	1	10	730	6	8	0	0	0	730	6	8	Ditto ditto.
Huffnagle and Co., Charles	...	1,320	4	7	0	0	0	303	5	2	1,016	15	5	896	4	5	120	11	0	Ditto ditto.
Heeralall Hunnoomuntram	...	752	14	3	0	0	0	61	0	0	691	14	3	0	0	0	691	14	3	Ditto ditto.
Holloway, William	...	1,050	0	0	0	0	0	294	8	3	755	7	9	691	3	2	64	4	7	Ditto ditto.
Holloway, William (2nd), Milliner	...	3,396	12	7	374	9	0	2,385	3	1	637	0	0	596	15	0	40	1	6	Ditto ditto.
Hughes, J. G.	...	741	6	8	0	0	0	232	0	0	509	6	8	0	0	0	509	6	8	Ditto ditto.
Honigberger, William	...	1,001	5	6	0	0	0	344	0	0	657	5	6	0	0	0	657	5	6	Ditto and Schedule not filed as yet.
Heeralall	...	19,704	0	3	7,817	10	9	6,421	6	6	5,964	15	0	2,917	7	4	3,047	7	8	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Haulon, E.	...	2,069	9	0	60	0	0	1,122	7	9	887	1	3	817	15	8	69	1	7	Ditto ditto.
Howard Brothers	...	10,405	2	4	4,269	12	2	3,316	3	1	2,819	3	1	1,544	8	9	1,274	10	4	Ditto ditto.
Hodge, G. A. (3rd)	...	840	0	0	137	7	1	144	13	3	557	11	8	445	3	10	112	7	10	Ditto ditto.
Harran Chunder Chuckerbutty	...	5,000	0	0	3,098	0	10	705	2	2	1,196	13	0	1,103	7	0	93	6	0	Ditto ditto.
Hill, James (Barham, Hill and Co.)	...	31,141	14	0	15,656	1	0	10,676	3	5	4,809	9	7	3,188	2	11	1,621	6	8	Ditto ditto.
Hurry Narain Khettry	...	10,178	5	9	452	1	5	3,623	7	11	6,102	12	5	3,626	1	2	2,476	11	3	Ditto ditto.
Huckting and Co., B. H.	...	4,265	10	6	0	0	0	1,612	1	9	2,653	8	9	0	0	0	2,653	8	9	Ditto ditto.
Hunter, H. D.	...	556	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	556	4	0	0	0	0	556	4	0	Ditto ditto.
Issure Chunder Mill	...	8,542	1	6	0	0	0	5,537	5	3	3,004	12	3	0	0	0	3,004	12	3	Ditto ditto.
Issen Chunder Sen	...	11,993	6	9	1,463	0	0	4,969	0	1	5,561	6	8	3,463	12	7	2,097	10	1	Ditto ditto.
Janssen and Co., J.	...	20,002	10	9	85	15	3	15,872	5	0	4,044	6	6	3,820	1	3	224	5	3	Nothing further recoverable.
Jeebunkissen Bose	...	924	14	0	173	0	0	204	5	0	547	9	0	333	11	5	213	13	7	Ditto ditto.
Juggeshur Laha	...	34,388	4	1	16,699	0	2	15,519	2	4	2,170	1	7	1,853	10	1	316	7	6	Ditto ditto.
Jadub Chunder Seal	...	2,094	6	7	0	0	0	907	2	9	1,187	3	10	954	14	6	232	5	4	Ditto ditto.
Jordon, J. S.	...	5,376	8	0	3,537	15	6	917	3	9	921	4	9	0	0	0	921	4	9	Ditto ditto.
Jugenpersaud	...	960	8	9	0	0	0	223	9	0	736	15	9	0	0	0	736	15	9	Ditto ditto.
Jacob, Charles	...	933	8	0	0	0	0	367	14	9	565	9	3	0	0	0	565	9	3	Ditto ditto.
Judah, S. E.	...	2,186	15	0	0	0	0	1,392	15	0	794	0	0	0	0	0	794	0	0	Ditto ditto.
Johurlall Mookeem	...	1,656	0	0	568	4	4	262	4	7	825	7	1	454	8	5	370	14	8	Ditto ditto.
Joakim, M. C.	...	7,619	4	9	871	10	6	1,822	3	6	4,925	6	9	0	0	0	4,925	6	9	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Kemp, H. C. (T. Hyde, Gardener and Co.)		33,765	12	9	27,374	0	2	5,817	5	1	574	7	6	135	0	4	439	7	2	Nothing further recoverable.
Kelly, W. S.	...	1,603	5	3	0	0	0	736	11	0	866	10	3	683	4	0	183	6	3	Ditto ditto.
Khemjeejootah Hurrydas Natha	...	1,281	10	4	534	15	1	204	4	6	542	6	9	441	10	2	100	12	7	Ditto ditto.
Kemp, H. C.	...	2,469	15	10	168	12	6	436	2	5	1,865	0	11	1,600	0	0	265	0	11	Ditto ditto.
Kunnoolall, Baneyram, and Choteelall	...	1,160	13	11	108	1	5	177	2	5	875	10	1	767	0	0	108	10	1	Ditto ditto.
Kallooram Ramsook	...	2,483	13	6	0	0	0	431	9	0	2,002	4	6	0	0	0	2,002	4	6	Ditto ditto.
Khan Mahomed Dhurrumsee	...	55,247	9	1	31,840	11	8	11,149	7	7	12,257	5	10	2,479	13	6	9,777	8	4	Ditto ditto.
Kissory Mohun Chunder	...	3,300	0	0	1,879	9	1	269	4	2	1,151	2	9	736	5	0	414	13	9	Ditto ditto.
Kistodas Day	...	983	0	0	0	0	0	448	1	0	534	15	0	0	0	0	534	15	0	Ditto ditto.

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Kissorymohun Ruckitt ...	9,405 15 3	4,909 13 6	3,542 1 5	954 0 4	229 12 11	724 3 5	Nothing further recoverable.
Kally Doss Doss and others ...	43,288 0 9	0 0 0	12,267 15 11	31,020 0 10	0 0 0	31,020 0 10	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Lyall, Matheson and Co. ..	3,68,437 8 6	2,81,648 14 7	84,761 13 2	2,026 12 9	0 0 0	2,026 12 9	Nothing further recoverable.
Larpent, Saunders and Co. ...	80,893 0 4	42,900 8 0	22,836 4 7	15,156 3 9	12,631 12 0	2,524 7 9	Ditto ditto.
Langlois and Co. ...	33,708 2 8	1,620 6 4	23,592 8 7	8,495 3 9	8,170 3 9	325 0 0	Ditto ditto.
LeTourneux, Labadie and Co. ...	7,483 10 3	884 4 10	5,399 14 8	1,199 6 9	0 0 0	1,199 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Latapie, E. D. (1st) ...	3,982 6 2	0 0 0	3,011 4 3	971 1 11	0 0 0	971 1 11	Ditto ditto.
Lake, Hamill and Co. ...	6,527 12 4	575 15 10	2,343 0 4	3,608 12 2	3,264 0 0	344 12 2	Ditto ditto.
Landeman, J. V. ...	1,008 10 1	231 3 3	192 4 4	585 2 10	0 0 0	585 2 10	Ditto ditto.
Ledlie, A. H. (2nd) ...	1,654 8 7	75 0 0	656 12 8	922 11 11	157 14 8	764 13 3	Ditto ditto.
Lindsay, D. B. ...	1,430 3 0	0 0 0	557 4 0	872 15 0	0 0 0	872 15 0	Ditto ditto.
Lemond, Campbell ...	12,578 1 10	11,077 14 5	850 12 11	649 6 6	0 0 0	649 6 6	Ditto ditto.
Lindstedt, Edward ...	1,114 12 9	0 0 0	582 4 0	532 8 9	0 0 0	532 8 9	Ditto ditto.
Lutchmeenarain Khettry ...	1,726 9 9	267 7 7	617 3 6	841 14 8	573 9 1	268 5 7	Ditto ditto.
Langlois, J. P. ...	1,448 12 0	0 0 0	532 0 0	916 12 0	0 0 0	916 12 0	Ditto ditto.
Low, Isabella Sarah ...	1,454 12 1	0 0 0	849 0 3	605 11 10	530 4 11	75 6 11	Ditto ditto.
Lokenath Shaw ...	8,323 8 6	5,069 1 8	2,359 1 7	895 5 3	0 0 0	895 5 3	Ditto ditto.
Latapie and Co., E. D. ...	2,444 10 6	234 7 10	487 6 0	1,722 12 8	1,609 11 0	113 1 8	Ditto ditto.
Luckeynarain Pyne ...	1,101 1 6	100 1 7	426 2 4	574 13 7	502 9 11	72 3 8	Ditto ditto.
Leisk, A. S. (2nd) ...	885 8 11	0 0 0	16 0 0	869 8 11	0 0 0	869 8 11	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Lindley, John ...	9,203 12 9	4,940 6 11	3,158 0 4	1,105 5 6	459 15 8	645 5 10	Ditto ditto.
Linjeebhoy Dhunjeebhoy ...	4,732 4 7	651 4 4	772 6 9	3,308 9 6	0 0 0	3,308 9 6	Ditto ditto.
Mackintosh and Co. ...	2,21,272 9 2	1,22,740 15 8	76,245 5 2	22,286 4 4	5,894 2 1	16,392 2 3	Nothing further recoverable.
Macleod, Fagan and Co. ...	17,601 12 7	4,384 1 5	10,248 13 1	2,968 14 1	2,465 13 3	503 0 10	Ditto ditto.
MacGregor, Hunter and Co. ...	10,719 11 10	0 0 0	9,875 11 3	844 0 7	0 0 0	844 0 7	Ditto ditto.
Mackey and Co., D. C. ...	1,17,853 10 2	58,372 14 3	41,916 2 8	17,064 9 3	17,064 9 3	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Martin, Pillans and Co. ...	96,126 13 10	19,123 12 4	71,924 2 4	5,078 15 2	5,078 15 2	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Minto & Co., William ...	9,560 5 4	3,938 0 5	2,759 2 7	2,863 2 4	2,863 2 4	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Maclean, L. A. ...	845 4 9	0 0 0	294 8 0	590 12 9	0 0 0	590 12 9	Ditto ditto.
Melville, William ...	1,868 8 8	0 0 0	247 1 8	1,621 7 0	0 0 0	1,621 7 0	Ditto ditto.
Morris, James, Senr. ...	662 6 9	0 0 0	146 0 0	516 6 9	0 0 0	516 6 9	Ditto ditto.
Monteath, John ...	821 0 3	20 12 0	189 4 0	611 0 3	0 0 0	611 0 3	Ditto ditto.
Murdock, Mackenzie and Co. ...	5,598 2 8	0 0 0	4,988 6 8	609 12 0	0 0 0	609 12 0	Ditto ditto.

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O'Neill, Thomas ...	1,510 13 8	0 0 0	644 5 0	866 8 8	0 0 0	866 8 8	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Oheebhoosun Banerjee ...	1,262 2 0	0 0 0	552 7 6	709 10 6	0 0 0	709 10 6	Ditto ditto.
Omrao Sing ...	2,747 15 11	1,722 6 4	391 9 2	634 0 5	476 3 5	157 13 0	Ditto ditto.
Palmer and Co. ...	5,68,976 7 7	3,99,662 2 5	1,67,330 12 10	1,983 8 4	0 0 0	1,983 8 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Palmer, John ...	7,707 7 11	6,152 6 4	949 12 2	605 5 5	3 15 2	601 6 3	Ditto ditto.
Palmer, Thomas ...	1,473 0 0	0 0 0	887 4 9	585 11 3	0 0 0	585 11 3	Ditto ditto.
Pew, P. L. ...	51,299 3 0	33,964 5 7	12,739 14 8	4,594 14 9	3,679 12 0	915 2 9	Ditto ditto.
Parry, John ...	4,996 8 11	1,597 6 10	1,504 13 0	1,894 5 1	823 13 11	1,070 7 2	Ditto ditto.
Petre, Martin ...	1,201 0 0	296 15 1	113 4 5	790 12 6	670 7 7	120 4 11	Ditto ditto.
Price, Henry ...	15,380 1 3	0 0 0	14,585 12 3	794 5 0	0 0 0	794 5 0	Ditto ditto.
Pittar, W. J. (J. Corfield and Co.) ...	5,882 6 0	4,299 10 1	1,045 10 6	537 1 5	15 0 8	522 0 9	Ditto ditto.
Posner, J. ...	7,075 8 6	2,517 7 6	2,987 1 9	1,570 15 3	1,261 4 3	309 11 0	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Payne and Co. (Bombay Firm) ...	8,025 0 0	2,078 14 3	1,263 14 5	4,682 3 4	4,283 7 0	398 12 4	Ditto ditto.
Price, C. E. ...	750 0 0	10 0 7	55 6 6	684 8 11	238 5 3	446 3 8	Nothing further recoverable.
Phillips, John ...	4,156 0 0	0 0 0	100 0 0	4,056 0 0	0 0 0	4,056 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Parbutty Churn Sircar and others ...	2,949 1 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	2,949 1 0	0 0 0	2,949 1 0	Schedule not filed as yet.
Quillet, DeGaye and Co. ...	6,539 10 4	3,148 1 11	2,380 4 6	1,011 3 11	1,011 3 11	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Runtz, Rees and Co. ...	19,490 12 2	3,468 11 5	10,031 14 8	5,990 2 1	5,990 2 1	0 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Russell, C. D. ...	8,785 14 2	7,162 15 2	1,059 0 9	563 14 3	20 15 2	542 15 1	Ditto ditto.
Rughoonath Bose ...	1,778 13 4	517 12 5	377 14 6	883 2 5	0 0 0	883 2 5	Ditto ditto.
Rogers, Alexander ...	10,642 14 5	5,963 0 4	4,136 10 9	543 3 4	0 0 0	543 3 4	Ditto ditto.
Rajkissore Dutt ...	4,683 12 2	0 0 0	665 13 6	4,017 14 8	0 0 0	4,017 14 8	Schedule not filed as yet.
Roussac, A. G. ...	12,304 10 3	8,940 2 5	1,063 11 3	2,300 12 7	2,300 12 7	0 0 0	Nothing further recoverable.
Ramdhone Mitter ...	838 5 4	0 0 0	158 0 0	680 5 4	0 0 0	680 5 4	Ditto ditto.
Rustomjee Cowasjee and Co. ...	9,414 4 5	963 12 2	5,919 9 2	2,530 15 1	2,364 1 6	166 13 7	Ditto ditto.
Rustomjee Cowasjee ...	3,790 10 10	14 8 2	314 2 10	3,461 15 10	1,479 12 2	1,982 3 8	Ditto ditto.
Ramsabuck Misser and two others ...	1,23,193 13 2	72,284 11 7	29,601 5 7	21,307 12 0	17,122 15 5	4,184 12 7	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Robinson, S. H. ...	1,129 10 9	0 0 0	132 0 0	997 10 9	0 0 0	997 10 9	Nothing further recoverable.
Ramnarain, Sreemany ...	2,164 4 6	0 0 0	1,513 9 9	650 10 9	0 0 0	650 10 9	Ditto ditto.
Robinson, J. J. (Wallace and Co.) ...	3,052 8 8	0 0 0	1,976 1 0	1,076 7 8	0 0 0	1,076 7 8	Ditto ditto.
Roop Chund Dutt ...	3,619 0 0	1,695 5 5	1,351 10 11	571 15 8	0 0 0	571 15 8	Ditto ditto.
Randolph, Henry Job ...	590 7 10	0 0 0	0 0 0	590 7 10	0 0 0	590 7 10	Ditto ditto.

Ramnath, Janokeperssaud	...	5,296	4	9	0	0	0	2,752	3	0	2,504	1	9	0	0	0	2,504	1	9	Schedule not filed as yet.
Robertson, C. A. (2nd)	...	2,500	0	0	981	1	1	809	5	0	709	9	11	237	13	5	471	12	6	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Russicklall Paul	...	702	5	3	0	0	0	23	11	6	678	9	9	0	0	0	678	9	9	Schedule not filed as yet.
Ritz, Alfred	...	1,139	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,139	0	0	0	0	0	1,139	0	0	Nothing further recoverable.
Rohomin, D. A.	...	946	12	4	0	0	0	20	6	0	926	6	4	0	0	0	926	6	4	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Ramdhone Mohesry (Nuthmull Chooney-loll).		8,914	14	6	0	0	0	232	10	0	8,682	4	6	0	0	0	8,682	4	6	Schedule not filed as yet.
Rakhal Doss Poramanick	.	2,895	6	9	0	0	0	703	15	6	2,191	7	3	0	0	0	2,191	7	3	Ditto ditto.
Ramjaun Mullick and two others	..	3,212	13	8	0	0	0	213	1	2	2,999	12	6	0	0	0	2,999	12	6	Ditto ditto.
Saunders, May, Fordyce and Co.	.	4,03,262	7	6	3,21,706	9	10	68,906	4	4	12,649	9	4	11,999	6	7	650	2	9	Nothing further recoverable.
Stewart and Co, W. C.	...	5,758	6	0	1,891	7	5	770	13	11	3,096	10	8	1,801	3	5	1,295	7	3	Ditto ditto.
Sinaes, W. DeM.	..	1,287	14	10	0	0	0	708	0	0	579	14	10	0	0	0	579	14	10	Ditto ditto.
Smith, W. S.	..	3,620	13	5	2,635	15	6	471	0	8	513	13	3	471	11	1	42	2	2	Ditto ditto.
Stocqueler, J. H.	...	7,138	0	0	0	0	0	5,425	3	1	1,712	12	11	0	0	0	1,712	12	11	Ditto ditto.
Schlatter, Michael	...	20,294	14	10	13,948	6	9	2,325	5	7	4,021	2	6	1,388	14	4	2,632	4	6	Ditto ditto.
Smoult, W. H.	..	1,976	10	3	0	0	0	219	15	8	1,756	10	7	0	0	0	1,756	10	7	Ditto ditto.
Sheppard, G. A.	.	5,598	2	10	4,014	4	5	594	5	8	989	8	9	0	0	0	989	8	9	Ditto ditto.
Sarkies and Co., P. J.	...	52,610	10	9	5,924	2	9	45,295	11	3	1,390	12	9	0	0	0	1,390	12	9	Ditto ditto.
Sarkies, P. J.	...	10,227	7	7	5,824	6	7	3,013	13	5	1,389	3	7	0	0	0	1,389	3	7	Ditto ditto.
Scott, C. C. J.	..	7,723	13	9	4,659	10	11	2,002	0	10	1,062	2	0	0	0	0	1,062	2	0	Ditto ditto.
Smith, Huffnagle and Co.	...	26,608	13	6	13,828	7	4	10,798	4	10	1,982	1	4	0	0	0	1,982	1	4	Ditto ditto.
Stubbs, W. V. G.	...	3,191	6	5	0	0	0	1,604	7	11	1,886	14	6	0	0	0	1,886	14	6	Ditto ditto.
Snook, J. V.	..	775	10	0	0	0	0	158	0	0	617	10	0	0	0	0	617	10	0	Ditto ditto.
Sutherland, Thomas	...	1,108	11	1	0	0	0	410	0	0	698	11	1	0	0	0	698	11	1	Ditto ditto.
Sreegopaul Misser	...	1,951	0	0	0	0	0	678	6	8	1,272	9	4	1,148	15	3	123	10	1	Ditto ditto.
Solomon, Malidina	...	64,023	6	10	43,080	3	5	17,498	10	0	3,444	9	5	3,181	13	6	262	11	11	Ditto ditto.
Stewart, W. M.	...	24,989	4	9	12,513	15	1	6,325	15	7	6,149	6	1	5,610	9	8	538	12	5	Ditto ditto.
Sreenath Mullick	...	17,782	7	7	13,363	13	9	3,329	2	6	1,089	7	4	265	10	3	823	13	1	Ditto ditto.
Shib Chunder Mullick and Co.	...	97,678	15	0	82,857	0	6	14,655	7	7	666	6	11	4	1	3	662	5	8	Ditto ditto.
Sewnundun Pauray	...	32,283	9	9	18,082	15	11	7,448	0	0	6,752	9	10	5,996	6	7	756	3	3	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Smith, A. M.	...	2,800	10	7	110	0	0	801	15	7	1,888	11	0	1,505	12	2	382	14	10	Ditto ditto.
Shama Churn Doss and Sons	...	5,396	6	9	3,384	0	3	1,362	12	4	649	10	2	0	0	0	649	10	2	Ditto ditto.
Shib Chunder Seal	...	13,535	3	0	2,011	6	2	9,366	15	3	2,156	13	7	736	10	1	1,420	3	6	Ditto ditto.
Solomon and Co., D.	...	16,053	12	9	6,742	11	9	4,527	12	4	4,783	4	8	2,962	11	5	1,820	9	3	Ditto ditto.
Sree Nath Dutt	...	3,238	4	0	0	0	0	142	1	9	3,096	2	3	0	0	0	3,096	2	3	Ditto ditto.
Syed Ameer Ally	...	3,143	3	6	0	0	0	164	2	9	2,979	0	9	2,121	0	0	858	0	9	Ditto ditto.
Struther, A. B.	...	961	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	961	1	6	0	0	0	961	1	6	Ditto ditto.
Tullo and Co. (1st)	...	1,21,022	7	7	68,615	10	0	50,626	7	9	1,780	5	10	1,139	10	6	640	11	4	Nothing further recoverable.
Tullo and Co. (2nd)	...	19,219	2	2	7,964	9	2	9,587	1	3	1,667	7	9	0	0	0	1,667	7	9	Ditto ditto.
Thomas and Co.	...	4,53,601	11	3	3,89,204	6	5	49,709	11	11	14,687	8	11	53	14	7	14,633	10	4	Ditto ditto.
Trower, Charles	...	2,177	9	0	240	0	0	72	0	0	1,865	9	0	0	0	0	1,865	9	0	Ditto ditto.
Twentyman and Co.	...	661	14	1	0	0	0	152	2	1	509	12	0	0	0	0	509	12	0	Ditto ditto.
Thomas, John	...	740	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	740	0	0	0	0	0	740	0	0	Ditto ditto.

ESTATES.	Whole amount of receipts.	WHOLE DISBURSEMENTS.		Balance.	Portion of balance applicable to dividends now payable.	Net balance.	Probable outturn of the dependencies.
		Dividends paid.	Other payments.				
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Tarachund Koramull and Dowlutchund...	22,970 1 11	6,210 6 9	14,187 12 0	2,571 15 2	2,199 13 3	372 1 11	Nothing further recoverable.
Teitkins, A. H. ...	5,671 12 10	3,819 12 0	1,218 0 5	604 0 5	0 0 0	604 0 5	Ditto ditto.
Turton, Sir T. E. M. ...	2,49,996 3 10	1,48,439 0 10	1,00,388 13 6	1,168 5 6	0 0 0	1,168 5 6	Ditto ditto.
Troyluckanath Roy and another ...	26,576 11 0	14,660 7 4	6,953 13 8	4,962 6 0	1,894 4 1	3,068 1 11	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Tunsook Roy ...	1,064 0 0	0 0 0	4 12 6	1,059 3 6	0 0 0	1,059 3 6	Schedule not filed as yet.
Vandenberg, J. B. (1st) ...	6,861 10 8	3,044 3 6	2,737 15 6	1,079 7 4	209 0 0	870 7 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Vandenberg, J. B. (2nd) ..	4,807 13 0	3,683 12 8	311 15 0	812 1 4	0 0 0	812 1 4	Ditto ditto.
Vancutsem, E. C. ...	3,886 1 6	0 0 0	0 0 0	3,886 1 6	0 0 0	3,886 1 6	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Wills, F. F. ...	7,102 7 11	892 13 4	2,906 1 7	3,303 9 0	2,932 2 8	371 6 4	Nothing further recoverable.
Willis, Joseph ...	1,20,189 5 1	87,680 4 0	29,841 10 4	2,667 6 9	589 14 8	2,077 8 1	Ditto ditto.
Wood, Olliffe and Co. ...	3,276 6 10	0 0 0	1,427 4 6	1,849 2 4	0 0 0	1,849 2 4	Ditto ditto.
Waring, E. S. S. ...	3,066 8 8	1,769 2 9	469 3 6	827 15 8	0 0 0	827 15 8	Ditto ditto.
Williams, Stephen ...	20,504 1 5	17,226 4 11	2,148 2 5	1,129 10 1	457 14 7	671 11 6	Ditto ditto.
Wilton, G. R. ...	1,589 15 1	530 8 1	246 10 11	812 12 1	729 2 8	83 9 5	Ditto ditto.
Watson and Co. (Gibbons and Co.) ...	1,06,519 3 0	86,129 10 5	15,806 4 2	4,583 4 8	800 0 0	3,783 4 8	Ditto ditto.
Wood, H. W. I. ...	2,539 13 0	321 8 9	885 5 3	1,332 15 0	1,176 6 7	156 8 5	Ditto ditto.
Wiseham, William ...	967 3 6	0 0 0	32 0 0	935 3 6	0 0 0	935 3 6	Ditto ditto.
Walker, Archibald ...	827 13 0	0 0 0	40 11 9	787 1 3	0 0 0	787 1 3	Ditto ditto.
Webb, John ...	4,457 8 3	1,781 12 1	1,028 3 11	1,647 8 3	655 6 11	992 1 4	Ditto ditto.
Wilcox, H. C. ...	710 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	710 0 0	0 0 0	710 0 0	Ditto ditto.
Wood, D. ...	1,414 3 0	0 0 0	698 4 9	715 14 3	0 0 0	715 14 3	Ditto ditto.
Wallis, C. B. ...	8,498 11 1	6,592 2 1	1,403 4 3	503 4 9	120 11 5	382 9 4	Ditto ditto.
Woodin, W. (G. F. Hodgkinson and Co)	25,411 5 4	875 15 3	22,444 3 9	2,091 2 4	1,695 14 8	395 3 8	Ditto ditto.
Woomesh Chunder Banerjee (G. Deleemans and Co.)	18,944 10 3	13,839 4 6	2,617 3 4	2,488 2 5	1,311 1 6	1,177 0 11	Outstandings in course of recovery.
Woomesh Chunder Bonnerjee ...	15,575 0 0	3,042 0 0	7,436 5 10	5,096 10 2	23 0 0	5,073 10 2	Nothing further recoverable.

In addition to the above there are 705 estates with balances under Rs. 500, aggregating Rs. 1,11,075-2-1, the particulars of which may be learnt at the office of the Official Assignee.
The Official Assignee has received for remuneration, for the quarter ending 30th June 1878, rupees three thousand three hundred seventy, annas five and pie five.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st July 1878.

A. B. MILLER,
Official Assignee.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' import warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
Dec. 28	1 Case, A P in a diamond	Order ...	S. S. Manora.
,, 28	2 Casks, 287 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Cases, 436 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Casks, D. B. & Co., bottom Colombo	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 14 in a diamond, bottom 4	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Cases, E. H. & Co. in a block, top R B ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, addressed	Nicol Fleming & Co.	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, H H	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 28	5 Packages, J H T	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	3 Cases, 216 in a diamond, top J O	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	7 Packages, J A in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 216 in a diamond, outside J. O. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Casks, K C M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, L. & Co., with 5 below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Cases, M L in a diamond, top B, bottom D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 487 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	4 Cases, addressed	G. F. St. A. Nixon, Esq., Calcutta.	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, N R D in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 28	10 Cases, O M with 92 below in a diamond, bottom Sitapur.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	8 Casks, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Cases, B K M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Casks, B T C in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Bale, P M C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 550 with ½ below in a diamond, top M A ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 550 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, M S with 180 below, bottom A W ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	4 Packages, 1998 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	9 Bundles Gass Pipes, 1998 in a block, top R B, or no mark.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	5 Cases, 200 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Package, addressed	M. Russell, Gowalpara, Assam, care of Sykes & Co.	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Packages, addressed	J. C. Suffrey, Esq., Debrughur.	Ditto.
,, 28	3 Cases, addressed	Revd. B. H. Skelton, Azimghur.	Ditto.
,, 28	3 Cases, S W M, bottom D...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, S M & A B in a triangle, top diamond, bottom C & B.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 534 in a diamond, top T S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	3 Copper Ingots, C W O, or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Cask, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Tin Package, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	12 Cases, addressed	Dr. J. C. Whishaw, Lucknow, care of F. Brookes.	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Cases, W T A in a triangle	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Cases, W & C in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, 525 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	77 Bars Round & 7 Square Iron, no mark, or Calcutta in yellow	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	974 Cakes Spelter, V	Ditto ...	Ship Howrah.
,, 23	9 Bundles Nail Rods, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Bar Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	24 Plate Iron, J or no mark	Ditto ...	S. S. Discoverer.
,, 27	1 Bar Angle Iron, B M with N below in a diamond, or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	2 Bars Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	4 Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	1 Bar Half-round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	1 Bar Round Iron, no mark...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Casting, O. J. M. & Co., bottom N. W. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 23	11 Packages, D H M	Ditto ...	S. S. Nepaul.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
Dec. 23	1 Case, addressed	E. Fuchs, Esq., care of Nicholls & Co.	S. S. Nepaul.
,, 23	1 Cask Anchor, right C, left F	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23	2 Cases, G F A in an inverted triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 23	2 Casks, J H S C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Cask, addressed	Officers' Mess, 54th Regiment, C. L. I.	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Case, addressed	H. B. Hederstedt, Esq., Lucknow.	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Cask, empty, J. & Co. with M below in a diamond or D H M	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Case, W. W. G. & Co. in a cross within a block	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Case, addressed or no mark	Warm Clothing, care of Nicholls.	Ditto.
,, 23	20 Cases, M & S, bottom K H	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 23	3 Cases, M E with B below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Case, addressed	Surgeon-Major Giffney, Raipur, Central Provinces.	Ditto.
,, 27	69 Flat Bars, no mark	Order ...	Ship Helen Pembroke.
,, 27	11 Bars Half-round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	5 Bundles Square Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	2 Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	8 Plate Iron, S M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	12 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Bundle Hoop Iron, O white or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Pieces Sweedish Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 27	1 Case, 500 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Duke of Buccleuch.

CALCUTTA, the 4th January 1879. (752—1) W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 2nd January 1879

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
December 27th, 1878	48 2 3	44 15 3	83 13 0	69 1 3	245 15 9	
,, 28th, ,, ...	58 10 3	52 9 9	95 12 6	89 1 3	296 1 9	
,, 29th, ,, ...	62 12 0	63 6 6	100 11 6	73 8 9	300 6 9	
,, 30th, ,, ...	59 15 9	54 4 6	74 13 9	65 8 6	254 10 6	
,, 31st, ,, ...	49 1 3	52 5 0	86 14 9	68 15 0	257 4 0	
January 1st, 1879	60 4 9	58 10 0	95 13 6	87 4 9	302 1 0	
,, 2nd, ,, ...	53 1 0	53 2 6	83 0 0	78 15 6	268 3 0	
Total ...	391 15 3	379 5 6	620 15 0	532 7 0	1,924 10 9	
Total of previous 51 weeks ...	23,338 3 9	22,691 10 3	42,876 1 3	25,570 14 6	1,14,476 13 9	
Grand Total ..	23,730 3 0	23,070 15 9	43,497 0 3	26,103 5 6	1,16,401 8 6	

The 4th January 1879. (753—1) W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

THE Seristadarship of the Sylhet Collectorate falls vacant from 1st April 1879. Candidates for the post should apply to the Deputy Commissioner on or before 31st January, with copies of testimonials, which will not be returned. Only officers of experience on the vernacular side of Commissioners' or Collectors' Offices need apply.

H. LUTTMAN-JOHNSON, *Dy. Commr.*

Notice.

FOUND in the Northern Bengal State Railway three Government Promissory Notes. Any person claiming them, must satisfy the undersigned of his *bonâ fide* ownership thereof, and give the numbers and amounts of the notes.

(723—3) P. NOLAN, *Magistrate.*

Notice.

THE Annual Chootia Fair will be held at Chootia, near Ranchee, the head-quarters of the Chota Nagpore Division, and will commence on 24th February 1879, and continue for fifteen succeeding days.

By order of the Commissioner,

RAJ GOPAL ROY, *Peral. Asst. to Commr.*

CHOTA NAGPORE, the 13th December 1878.

Burdwan Agricultural Exhibition.

NOTICE.

AN Exhibition of Agricultural Produce, Implements, and Cattle, of native arts and manufactures, and of live stock, will be held at Burdwan on January 27th, and the four following days. Copies of the rules and list of prizes may be had on application to the Honorary Secretary, Burdwan. (725—3)

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet. at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

New Beerbhoom Coal Company, Ld.

PROCEEDINGS of the Eleventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders held at the office of the Company, No. 3, Fairlie Place, on Saturday, 4th January 1879, at noon.

PRESENT:

George Yule, Esq., *Chairman.*

E. N. Grace, Esq. | Baboo Baney Madhub Sain.
Baboo Money Madub Sain. | A. R. McIntosh, Esq.
John Cowie, Esq. | R. G. Higby, Esq.

The advertisement calling the meeting having been read, and the Report of the Directors, with Statement of Accounts for the half-year ending 31st October 1878, having been submitted and taken as read—

It was proposed by George Yule, Esq.,
Seconded by John Cowie, Esq.,
and carried—

That the Directors' Report and Accounts for the half-year ending 31st October 1878, which have been printed and circulated among the Shareholders, be adopted and approved as correct.

It was proposed by Baboo Baney Madhub Sain,
Seconded by R. G. Higby, Esq.,
and carried—

That in accordance with the recommendation of the Directors, a dividend of Rs. 5 per share, for the half-year ending 31st October 1878, be declared payable on and after 6th January 1879, and that the sum of Rs. 12,482-4-0 be carried to Reserve Fund.

It was proposed by E. N. Grace, Esq.,
Seconded by Baboo Money Madhub Sain,
and carried—

That Mr. S. H. Robinson be re-elected a Director.

It was proposed by John Cowie, Esq.,
Seconded by A. R. McIntosh, Esq.,
and carried—

That Baboo Baney Madhub Sain be re-elected a Director.

With a vote of thanks to the chair the meeting separated. (754—1) GEORGE YULE, *Chairman.*

LOST the following Share Certificates in the Kursiong and Darjeeling Tea Company Limited—
Nos. 1121 and 1132,
standing in the name of
(750—4) COL. W. S. FERRIS.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. Charles Pitt Palmer in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1878.

R. MACALLISTER & Co.
1st January 1879. (745—2)

MY interest and responsibility in the firm of Messrs. R. Macallister and Co. ceased on the 31st December 1878.

CHARLES PITT PALMER.
1st January 1879. (746—2)

Notice of Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of J. Dyce Nicol and Co. will be liquidated from this date by the undersigned.

J. DYCE NICOL.
CALCUTTA, the 31st December 1878. (747—1)

New Firm.

WE have this day established ourselves as Merchants and Commission Agents as successors to the late firm of J. Dyce Nicol and Co, under the style of McKewan and Co.

W. H. MCKEWAN.
J. DYCE NICOL.
CALCUTTA, the 31st December 1878. (748—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of GEORGE ANDERSON, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 14th day of January instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

Dignam and Robinson, *Attorneys.*
Chief Clerk's Office, the 6th day of January 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	8th Jan.	*Khandalla.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	6 „	9th „	*Poonah.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	6 „	10th „	*Baghdad.*
Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon	6 „	12th „	*Comrilla.*
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports, Mauritius, Batavia, Singapore and China.	6 „	13th „	*Meinam.*
Persian Gulf	6 „	13th „	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 10th January 1879, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, Cape of Good Hope, the Comoro Islands, and Madagascar can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 9th January 1879.

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E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 6th January 1879.

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Bailey, H.
Bason, Mrs. A.
Barnes, H. B.
Barnes, F. C.
Bates, Mrs. W.
Bayne, J. D.
Beatson, W. W
Beaver, Mrs. H.
Blair, R. W.
Blanford, Miss.
Bowden, J.
Brooks, G.
Brooks, Miss L.
Brooks, Miss S.
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Fryer, W.
Gaudian, Miss.
Gaslon, L.
Garrick, Messrs.
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Smith, Miss M.
Swan, Mr
Taylor, W.
Thompson, Mrs.
Thornton, Miss E.
Toomey, Mr.
Wall, G.
Wells, Esq., E.
Wheeler, Miss J.
Wight, Esq., W. C. L.

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Ackhaya Chunder Dutta.
Adamson, Captain.
Addington, E.
Alcock, A. W.
Anderson, A.
Atkins, F. T.
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Bazagette, C. N.
Beaver, P.
Birnburg, M.
Blacus, M.
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Blanchard, Joseph.
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Burnett, R.
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Butler, S. E.
Carnegie, A.
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Cook, Capt. A. B.
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Edward, George.
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Gage, W. Quintin.
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Gilbert, T.
Gobin, Charles.
Good, E.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Grief, L.
Greme, J. T. V.
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MacWilliams, Miss.
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Nicolay, Mrs.
Nelson, H. R.
North, Miss.
O'Connor, C.
P. D. C., Esq.
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Smith, Mrs. H.
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Unwick, Revd. W.
Vander, A.
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Newspapers.

Davison, W.
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MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ranipoorhaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Asansole ...	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
	6 "	5 "	
Howrah	8 "	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 "	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 "	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Barasat	7-45 "	7-45 "	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Bebala	6 "	5 "	7 "
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 "	3-30 "	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Furreedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway	6 "	5 "	7 "
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beaulea, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 "
Ooloobarrah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Poorce, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 "	5 "	6-30 "
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M.	
		12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays	7 to 8 A.M.	
		2 to 5 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial of distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Baliaghatta	E.	6-20	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.		First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
General Post Office		8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar	N.	9-5	1-45	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla	N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla	N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-27	On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
Napit Bazar	E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Baliaghatta	E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
Wellesley st.	S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
Park Street	P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Bhowanipore	S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
Kidderpore	S. W.	8-49	1-19	4-39	
Allipore	A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Novr. 1878.

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report shewing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 3rd January 1879.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft. In.	Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.		
Entrance below Joyrampore ...	}	Closed.
Thence to Noorpore Junction. ...	}	
Entrance below Chourasia...	11 0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	6 0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3 0	Geerish.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	3 0	Kootcerampore.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	3 0	Mirzapore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3 0	Dadpore.
MATABANGAH.		
Entrance	3 0	
Thence to Tatarparah ...	1 0	Tatarparah.
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia.	1 2	Dewangange.
From Hat Bolia to Bealmaree.	2 6	Chaugbariah.
From Bealmaree to Alickdeah.	3 6	Shealmaree.
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.	4 0	Choosdangah.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.	Ft. In.	
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges. ...	}	Closed.
Thence to Junction with the Byrub. ...	}	
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	4 0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3 0	Chackjoma.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3 9	Teakatta.
From Teakatta to Nuddea	5 0	Poongah.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 6th January 1879, above zero, 2 feet 4½ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
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Bills of the Bengal Council.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 4th January 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in one month :—

A Bill to provide for the periodical inspection of Steam Boilers and Prime Movers attached thereto in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the inspection by competent inspectors of steam boilers and prime movers attached thereto in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah, with a view to the security of persons and property ; It is enacted as follows :—

Extent and commencement of Act.

1. This Act extends in the first place to the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and to Howrah ; and it shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

But Lieutenant-Governor may extend it further.

But the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may, by notification to be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend it to any district within the provinces for the time being under his control ; and this Act shall come into force in such district from the date which may be named in such notification.

Repeal of Bengal Acts VI of 1864 and III of 1875.

2. Bengal Act VI of 1864 and Bengal Act III of 1875 are hereby repealed.

But all certificates and rules in force at the commencement of this Act which were granted or made respectively under either of the said Acts, shall be deemed to have been respectively granted and made under this Act.

Interpretation.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Boiler."

"Boiler" includes any cylinder or vessel for generating steam under pressure.

"Prime Mover."

"Prime Mover" includes any steam engine, fly wheel, first driving shaft and pulley attached to any such engine.

"Owner."

"Owner" includes any agent or hirer using any boiler or prime mover.

Inspectors to be appointed for the purposes of this Act.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal shall appoint Inspectors for the purposes of this Act, who shall inspect all boilers and prime movers attached thereto in the manner hereinafter provided.

Prohibition of the use of a boiler or prime mover without a certificate under this Act.

5. No owner of any boiler or prime mover shall use the same, unless a certificate has been duly granted in respect thereof in the manner hereinafter provided ; and no owner of any boiler or prime mover shall continue to use the same after the expiration of the period for which such certificate has been granted.

On notice from owner an Inspector to examine boiler or prime mover.

6. The owner of any boiler or prime mover in respect of which a certificate is not in force in the manner hereinafter described, shall, before using the same, give notice to an Inspector appointed under this Act of his intention to use or continue to use the same. The Inspector to whom such notice is given shall appoint a time between sunrise and sunset, and within forty-eight hours after such notice, for the inspection of such boiler or prime mover, and at such time shall carefully examine such boiler or

prime-mover, and every part thereof, and the owner or person in charge thereof shall afford to such Inspector all reasonable facilities for such examination, and all such information as may reasonably be required.

Inspector may order owner to alter boiler or prime-mover.

7. If on making the inspection the Inspector is of opinion that the boiler or prime-mover requires any alteration or addition for the purpose of strengthening and improving the same, he may order the owner thereof to carry out such alteration or addition, and no certificate shall be granted in respect of such boiler or prime-mover until such alteration or addition has been made in the manner required by the Inspector.

When Inspector to grant certificate.

8. If the Inspector is satisfied that such boiler or prime-mover is in good condition, and not so exposed as to be likely to cause injury to any person,

and, in case any alteration or addition in such boiler or prime-mover has been ordered under the last preceding section, as soon as he is satisfied that such alteration or addition has been properly made,

he shall give to the owner or person in charge thereof a certificate signed by him to that effect in the form in the Schedule hereto annexed, on payment, by the owner or person in charge, of such fees as may be fixed under the rules hereinafter mentioned;

and such certificate shall state the period for which such boiler or prime-mover may be used, and shall cease to be in force on the expiration of such period.

Revocation of certificate.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, or any person authorized by him in that behalf, may revoke any certificate granted under this Act, in any case in which he has reason to believe that such certificate has been fraudulently obtained or erroneously granted, or has been granted without sufficient inspection, or in case he has reason to believe that the boiler or prime mover in respect of which such certificate has been granted has, since the granting of such certificate, sustained injury, or is not in good condition.

Fresh examination and new certificate.

10. On such revocation of a certificate, an Inspector, not being the person who granted the revoked certificate, shall again examine the boiler or prime mover in respect of which such revoked certificate was granted, in the manner prescribed in section six of this Act, and, if he is satisfied that the same is in good condition, shall grant another certificate.

No additional fee shall be paid therefor unless, in the opinion of the said Lieutenant-Governor, or person authorized as aforesaid, there shall appear to have been reasonable ground for revoking the certificate.

Power to revoke certificate if boiler is not in charge of a competent person.

11. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, or any person authorized by him in that behalf, may revoke or suspend any certificate granted under this Act, on the ground that the boiler or prime mover in respect of which it has been granted is not in charge of a person competent to have charge of the same.

Owner, if dissatisfied, may apply for a new certificate.

12. If the owner of such boiler or prime-mover, or the person so in charge as aforesaid, is dissatisfied with such revocation or suspension, he may apply to some person (not being the person who revoked or suspended the certificate) by general or special order duly authorized by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in that behalf, who may, if he is so satisfied, grant a writing under his signature to the effect that the person so in charge as aforesaid is a person competent to have charge of a boiler or prime mover; and the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, or the person who has revoked or suspended the certificate, shall accordingly grant a new certificate as far as possible in the form in the Schedule hereto annexed, or shall allow the former certificate to continue in force.

No additional fee shall be paid for a new certificate granted under this section.

Owner bound to produce certificate when called upon by Magistrate or duly authorized person.

13. The owner of any boiler or prime-mover who has obtained a certificate for the same, shall, at all reasonable times during the period for which the same may be in force, be bound to produce such certificate when called upon to do so by any Magistrate having jurisdiction in the place in which such boiler or prime-mover is situated, or by any person authorized in writing by such Magistrate to demand its production.

Penalty for using boiler or prime mover without having duly obtained a certificate.

14. The owner of any boiler or prime mover who shall use the same without a certificate duly obtained and in force in respect thereof under this Act shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees; and to continue to use the same after such fine shall have been imposed shall be held to be a separate offence, and shall be punished in like manner.

No proceeding shall be taken to enforce this penalty before such day after this Act may come into force as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal shall fix by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Act not to apply to locomotive railway engines nor to steam vessels.

15. This Act shall not apply to any locomotive engine used upon any railway, or to any steam vessel in the port of Calcutta.

Charges within what period to be brought.

16. No charge shall be brought against any person for the recovery of any penalty under this Act after the expiration of six months from the date of the commission of the offence, or without the authority of an Inspector appointed under this Act.

Disposal of penalties.

17. All penalties to be levied under this Act shall be disposed of in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal shall from time to time direct.

Lieutenant-Governor to make rules.

18. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal shall make rules consistent with the provisions of this Act for regulating the fees payable for certificates, and the duties of Inspectors appointed under this Act, and may from time to time alter, add to, or repeal the same. Such rules shall be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

SCHEDULE.

(See Sections 8 and 12.)

FORM OF INSPECTOR'S CERTIFICATE.

Name of owner.	Description of boiler and age.	Description of prime mover and age.	Power.	When and where made.	When and where last repaired.	Time for which boiler or prime mover is to be used, and certificate to be in force.	REMARKS.

I, the undersigned, certify that I have examined the above-named boiler *(or prime mover)*, and to the best of my judgment the boiler *(or prime mover)*, as shown in the above statement, is in good condition, *and is not so exposed as to be likely to cause injury to any person and (in case alterations have been ordered) that the alterations required by me have been properly made.*

A. B.,
Inspector.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE Acts of the Bengal Council which provide for the inspection of steam-boilers and prime-movers are only in force in Calcutta, the Suburbs, and Howrah. But the increasing number of factories outside these limits now renders it desirable to enlarge the area of inspection. The present Bill, which is a consolidation of the two Acts dealing with the subject, applies in the first place to the old limits, but empowers the local Government to extend the law to any other district in Bengal. Two amendments have been made in the existing law. The Inspector has been authorized to require any alteration to be made which he may think necessary for strengthening a boiler or prime-mover, and is directed not to grant a certificate if the boiler or prime-mover is so exposed as to be likely to cause injury to any person.

HORACE A. COCKERELL.

The 21st December 1878.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 4th January 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in one month:—

A Bill to place passenger boats plying within the port of Calcutta under the control of the Conservator of the Port.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to transfer the control and registration of passenger boats plying within the port of Calcutta from the jurisdiction of the Police Office to that of the Conservator of the Port: It is enacted as follows:—

Repeal of sections 63 to 65 of Calcutta Police Act.

1. Sections 63, 64, and 65 of Bengal Act IV of 1866, the Calcutta Police Act, are hereby repealed.

Passenger boats to be under the Conservator of the Port.

2. No boats shall ply for passengers in the Port of Calcutta unless duly registered at the office of the Conservator of the Port under such rules, and on payment of such fees, as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Commencement of Act.

3. This Act shall come into force on such date as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct by notification published as aforesaid.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

UNDER Bengal Act IV of 1866, the Calcutta Police Act, the control of passenger boats plying for hire within the port of Calcutta is entrusted to the Commissioner of Police. It is intended to transfer the duty of licensing and registering such boats to the Port Commissioners as Conservators of the Port, and to repeal the sections of the Calcutta Police Act which deal with the subject. This has been done in the present Bill.

A. MACKENZIE.

The 21st December 1878.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 4th January 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in one month:—

A Bill to extend Bengal Act IV of 1871.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal should have power to extend the provisions of Bengal Act IV of 1871 to places other than those specified in section 39 of the said Act; It is enacted as follows:—

Commencement of Act.

1. This Act shall come into operation from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

Lieutenant-Governor may extend Bengal Act IV of 1871.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may, from time to time, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend Bengal Act IV of 1871, or any part of it, to any town to or through which people go on pilgrimage and to the main lines of road leading thereto, and

The provisions of the said Act, or part of it, as the case may be, shall, from the date of such notification, apply accordingly with the following modifications:—

In lieu of the word "Pooree" in sections 2, 3, 7, 22, and schedule B, shall be substituted the name of the place mentioned in the notification.

In lieu of the last five words in section 14 shall be substituted the words "in the character of the vernacular of the district."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

The object of this Bill is to empower the Government to extend the Pooree Lodging-house Act. Besides the towns and villages in Orissa to which the Act can at present be extended, there are other places in Bengal visited by pilgrims in which the introduction of the Act is desired.

J. O'KINEALY.

The 21st December 1878.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

THE following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons, is, by order of the President, published for general information:—

A Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent and to amend the law relating to rent.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent and to amend in other respects the law relating to rent in Bengal: It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

Extent and commencement.

1. The provisions of this Act may be extended by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* to any districts within the provinces for the time being subject to the said Lieutenant-Governor in which Act X of 1859 or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are, or may be, in force, and shall take effect in such districts from the date which may be specified in such notification.

Repeal of sections.

2. Sections 6, 7, 20, and 21 of Act X of 1859; sections 2, 3, 4, and 5 of Bengal Act VI of 1862; and sections 6, 7, 21, 22, 44, 45, 46, and 47 of the the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are hereby repealed.

This repeal shall not affect any right of occupancy which has accrued before the commencement of this Act.

PART II.

PROCEDURE FOR SUMMARY REALIZATION OF ARREARS OF RENT.

In all suits for arrears of rent if plaintiff desires to proceed under this Part, the summon shall be in the form given in the Schedule.

3. From and after the commencement of this Act all suits for arrears of rent brought within twelve months after such arrears have become due may, in case the plaintiff shall desire to proceed under this Part, be commenced by presenting a plaint in the form prescribed by the Code of Civil Procedure, but the summons shall be in the form contained in Schedule A hereto annexed.

In any case in which the plaint and summons are in such forms respectively, the defendant shall not appear or defend the suit unless he obtains leave from the Court as hereinafter mentioned so to appear and defend;

and in default of his obtaining such leave or of appearance and defence in pursuance thereof, the plaintiff shall be entitled to a decree for any sum mentioned in the summons, and interest on the same at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the date of decree, together with the interest (if any) stipulated for as mentioned in the proviso of section 26 of this Act, and a sum for costs to be fixed by an order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, unless the plaintiff claims more than such fixed sum, in which case the costs shall be ascertained in the ordinary way, and such decree may be enforced forthwith.

Defendant shewing a defence upon the merits to have leave to appear.

4. The Court shall, upon application within the period of fourteen days from the service of such summons, give leave to appear and to defend the suit upon the defendant paying into Court the sum mentioned in the summons, or upon his satisfying the Court by his examination upon oath or affirmation that he has a defence, or can adduce such facts as the Court may deem sufficient to support the application, and on such terms as to security, framing and recording issues or otherwise, as to the Court may seem fit.

Court may, under special circumstances, set aside decree.

5. After decree the Court may, under special circumstances, set aside the decree, and, if necessary, stay or set aside execution, and may give leave to appear to the summons and to defend the suit if it shall seem reasonable to the Court so to do, and on such terms as the Court thinks fit.

Appeal only on deposit of amount of decree.

6. No appeal shall lie from any decree of the Court under section 3 of this Act on the part of any judgment-debtor unless he deposit the amount of the decree with costs in

such Court to the credit of the person who has obtained the decree.

Decree-holder may take out deposit, but, if appeal is allowed, must refund it.

7. On the application of the person who has obtained the decree the money in deposit shall be paid to him; but if the judgment-debtor appeal, and the appeal is decreed in his favor, in whole or in part, notice shall be served on the original decree-holder requiring him to pay the money aforesaid, or such portion of it as may be ordered to be refunded, into the public treasury within fourteen days from the service on him of such notice

In default deposit may be claimed as a demand

8. In default of compliance with such notice the sum referred to therein shall be deemed a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, and shall be recoverable from the decree-holder aforesaid as such.

Landlord must prove that rent at the rate claimed has been paid in former year or has been agreed to.

9. No suit shall be entertained under this Part except where it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Court that rent at the same rate as that alleged to be due has been paid in respect of the holding for which it is claimed some time within the three years immediately preceding the period for which it is claimed, or that the tenant has agreed by a written engagement which is still in force to pay rent at the rate claimed.

This Part not to apply to suits for enhancement of rent.

10. Nothing in the seven last preceding sections shall be deemed to apply to suits for rent at enhanced rates.

Provided that when in any case a decree has been given by the Court for rent at an enhanced rate, the decree shall also declare the amount of rent due at the rates current before the institution of the suit; and shall direct that in the event of execution being stayed on account of appeal against the enhanced rates, the decree-holder shall nevertheless be at liberty to execute the decree in respect of the sum so declared to be due at the rates formerly current.

PART III.

RIGHT OF OCCUPANCY AND SUB-LEASES.

What creates a right of occupancy.

11. Every ryot who shall have held land for a period of twelve years, and cultivated the same either with his own hands or by means of hired labourers, shall have a right of occupancy in the land so held and cultivated by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same.

EXPLANATION.—A person to whom the ryot makes over a portion of the produce by way of payment for his labour in cultivating the whole or a portion of the ryots' lands is a 'hired labourer' within the meaning of this section. A ryot who pays a portion of the gross produce by way of rent to the zemindar or other person from whom he holds his lands is not a 'hired labourer' within the meaning of this section.

Nothing contained in this section or in section 16 of this Act shall be held to affect the terms of any written contract for the cultivation of land entered into between a landholder and a ryot, when it contains any express stipulation contrary thereto.

Occupancy tenure heritable and transferable.

12. The holding of the father or other person from whom the ryot inherits shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot within the meaning of the last preceding section, and the tenure of a ryot who has acquired a right of occupancy shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be valid unless the whole tenure is transferred, and that the transferee shall have the right of occupancy only so long as he continues to cultivate the lands either with his own hands or by means of hired labourers in the manner contemplated by the last preceding section.

Occupancy ryot not to sublet without consent of zemindar.

13. After the commencement of this Act no ryot having a right of occupancy shall, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom his rent is payable, sublet any portion of his holding; and no court shall take cognizance of any such sub-letting.

Effect of sub-letting with consent.

14. If, after the commencement of this Act, the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder consents to the sub-letting of a portion or the whole of the holding of a ryot having a right of occupancy, the sub-tenant, if he cultivates the lands in the manner described in section 11 of this Act, shall begin to acquire a right of occupancy in the lands sublet from the date of such sub-letting. The ryot who sublets the lands shall be deemed to have become the holder of an intermediate tenure, and shall cease to have a right of occupancy in the lands sublet, but he shall not be liable to be ejected by the zemindar or superior tenure-holder otherwise than for non-payment of arrears of rent, and in execution of a decree or order of Court; and the rent which he pays for the land sublet shall not be liable to be enhanced above a sum which shall, in default of specific agreement to the contrary, in no case be less than ten per cent. below the fair and equitable rates payable for the same land by a ryot having a right of occupancy.

Saving of existing sub-leases.

15. Sub-leases for a year or for a term of years given before the commencement of this Act by any ryot having a right of occupancy shall hold good for such year or term but no longer.

No right of occupancy in zemindar's private lands.

16. No right of occupancy shall be acquired by any ryot in *khamar*, *nijjote*, or *seer* lands belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure which are held by him as such at the date of the commencement of this Act and let by him on lease for a term or year by year.

Transfers of occupancy tenures to be registered.

17. All ryots having rights of occupancy are required to register in the sherishta of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom their rents are payable all transfers of their tenures by sale, gift, or otherwise, as well as all successions thereto and divisions among heirs in cases of inheritance, within one month of each such transfer, succession, or division, and every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all transfers of whole tenures when made in good faith, and to all such successions and divisions by delivering to the applicant for registration within

fifteen days after his application a *hukumnama* or *amulnama* declaring the fact of the transfer, succession, or division having been admitted and registered.

Provided that no zemindar or other superior tenure-holder shall be required to admit to registry or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenure, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid and binding without the consent in writing of the zemindar or superior tenant.

Registry of transfer made before the commencement of the Act.

18. All ryots claiming to have rights of occupancy in virtue of transfers made before the commencement of this Act are required to register the same within one year from the said commencement, and the provisions of the last preceding section shall apply to all such transfers.

Fees may be levied on transfers.

19. Fees at the rate of two per cent. on the annual rent of the interest transferred may be levied by the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder on the registry under this Act of any transfer:

Provided that no fee shall exceed one hundred rupees; and that if the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder fails to deliver the *hukumnama* or *amulnama* as provided in section 17 of this Act to any applicant for registration any competent Court may direct delivery of the same free of all charges for fees or costs.

Execution may issue on verbal application of decree-holder.

20. The Court may, when passing a decree for arrears of rent, on the oral application of the decree-holder, order immediate execution thereof either against the person, or the moveable property, or the right of occupancy of the judgment-debtor.

Procedure in execution against occupancy tenure.

21. The provisions of sections 59 to 63 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, shall apply to the sale in execution of decree of the tenure of any ryot having a right of occupancy.

PART IV.

TENDER OF RENT AND DEPOSIT OF RENT WITH COLLECTOR.

The Court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

22. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent, if it appears to the Court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due by him, and that he has not, on or before the due date of payment of his quarterly rent instalments as fixed under section 26 of this Act tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or in case of the refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Collector within ten days of the said quarterly day of payment, the Court may award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the amount of rent decreed, as the Court may think fit. These damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of decree until payment thereof.

The Court may award compensation not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount sued for to a defendant improperly sued.

23. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent if it appears to the Court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause, or that the defendant had, within ten days of the due date of payment of his quarterly rent istalments as fixed under section 26 of this Act, duly deposited with the Collector, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, the full amount which the Court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such quarterly day of payment, the Court may award to the defendant, by way of compensation, such sum, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the Court may think fit; and such sum, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum until payment thereof shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums ordered to be paid by decrees of such Court.

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., deposit with Collector, without any action being brought against him, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

24. If any under-tenant or ryot shall at the mál cutcherry for the receipt of rents or other place where the rents of the land or other immoveable property held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to be the full amount of rent due from him on account of any quarterly instalment of rent to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full shall not be forthwith granted, it shall be lawful for the under tenant or ryot, without any suit having been instituted against him, to deposit within ten days from the said quarterly day of payment such amount with the Collector of the district to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid:

Deposit with Collector to have effect of payment to zemindar or other person entitled.

And such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him, are concerned, in all respects operate as, and have the full effect of, a payment then made by the under-tenant or ryot of the amount deposited to such zemindar or other person.

Deposit to be received by Collector.

25. Such deposit shall be received by the Collector on the application of the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, made in writing, and on the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form, or as nearly as circumstances will admit, in the form set forth in the Schedule (B) hereto annexed, and the Collector shall give a receipt for the same under his seal.

Collector to issue notice within twelve days of receiving deposit.

Within twelve days of his receiving the money so deposited the Collector shall issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited, in the form set forth in the Schedule (C) hereto annexed; and such notice shall be served by the Collector without the payment of any fee, either upon the person to whom it is addressed, or upon his naib gomastah, or other agent; and in the absence of any such agent, it shall be served by sticking up a copy of the

same in the Collector's court, and another copy upon the mál cutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents are usually paid for the land in respect of which the money has been deposited.

Drawing out of deposit.

If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear, and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him.

PART V.

MISCELLANEOUS.

What is an arrear of rent.

26. All rent of land payable by any ryot shall be deemed to be due on the dates specified below that is to say—

(1) When the ryot has agreed to pay his rent by specified monthly instalments, the amount of the instalments of the three previous months shall be deemed to be due on the first days of the months of Srabun, Kartick, Magh, and Bysack.

(2) Where no agreement has been made to pay by specified monthly instalments, the rent shall be deemed to be due in quarterly instalments on the first days of the aforesaid months; and the proportion of each instalment shall be fixed by the Collector after local inquiry with reference to the custom of the district, and shall be published by him by notices to be posted up at the court or office of the Judge, the Magistrate, and the Collector of the district;

at the court or office of every moonsiff, sub-divisional officer, and Sub-Registrar of Assurances in such district;

and at every police station in such district; and by proclamation to be made by beat of drum at the head-quarters of such district; and in every place in which a sub-divisional office is situated; and in such other places as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct.

All rent which shall be due as above, and shall remain unpaid by sunset on any of the said quarterly days of payment, shall be deemed to be an arrear of rent, and interest on the same, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, shall be awarded by any court giving a decree for the principal amount of the arrear.

Proviso.

Provided that where the payment of interest on unpaid monthly instalments has been stipulated for by any written engagement in force at the date of the commencement of this Act, any such interest which may have become due before the said quarterly day of payment may be included in any suit for arrears of rent, but the plaint must set forth a clear account showing the actual arrears and the mode in which such interest has been calculated upon them.

What kind of receipt to be given to a ryot or under-tenant.

27. Every under-tenant or ryot who shall pay at the mál cutcherry of the person to whom the rent is due any instalment of rent then payable, shall be entitled to have a receipt, of which a counterfoil shall be kept in the cutcherry of the person to whom the payment is made. Every zemindar shall keep forms of such receipts and counterfoils bound together in books of not less than fifty receipts each, and both receipts and counterfoils shall bear the same series of consecutive numbers. Each receipt shall specify the yearly rent of the tenure on account of which payment is made; and when the person taking the receipt is able to write, his signature shall be taken on the counterfoil thereof. Neglect or refusal to give such a receipt shall be deemed to be a withholding of a receipt within the meaning of section 10 of Act X of 1859, and section 11 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869.

Service of summons in suits for arrears of rent.

28. In all suits for arrears of rent the plaintiff shall direct some person to accompany the officer who serves the summons, and point out the defendant or the house in which he ordinarily resides. A statement of the service shall be endorsed on the summons and signed by such person and by the village chowkeedar, or, in places where a punchayet has been appointed under the Village Chowkeedaree Act, 1870, by some member of the punchayet; and the service shall not be deemed a good service unless the summons bears such indorsement signed as aforesaid.

Ryot when liable to ejectment.

29. When a decree is passed for any arrears of rent, whether due at the end of the year or not, against any ryot holding a non-transferable tenure, or holding under a pottah the term of which has not expired, and the plaintiff has included in his plaint a prayer for the ejectment of the defendant, such defendant shall be liable to be ejected from the land in respect of which the arrear is due, unless the amount of the decree, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into Court within fifteen days from the date of the decree. But no ryot having a right of occupancy shall be ejected otherwise than by order of Court after the sale of his tenure in execution of decree.

Crops belonging to under-tenant liable to distraint.

30. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act X of 1859, or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, all crops or products declared liable to distraint under those Acts shall be liable to distraint whether they belong to the person from whom the arrear of rent is due or to any under-tenant of such person, and no such under-tenant shall institute a suit to try the right to the possession of such crops or products, or to recover damages for the distress and sale of the same under sections 139 or 141 of Act X of 1859, or under sections 96 or 97 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869; but such under-tenant may deduct the value of the crops and products belonging to him which have been so distrained from the rent due from him to such person as aforesaid, or may recover the same by suit from such person.

Collector to exercise powers of Court where Act X of 1859 applies.

31. The powers given in this Act to the Court shall be exercised by the Collector in districts where Act X of 1859 is, or may be, in force.

32. This Act shall be read with, and taken as part of, Act X of 1859, where that Act is, or may be, in force, and of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, where the last named Act is, or may be, in force.

Act to be read as part of Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869.

SCHEDULE A.

(*Referred to in Section* 3.)

No. OF SUIT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

To

Whereas (*here enter plaintiff's name, description and address,*) has instituted a suit in this Court against you under Bengal Act 1879 for Rs. , principal and interest due to him as arrears of rent of the lands measuring situate in , held or cultivated by you under or from the said (*here enter plaintiff's name*) from the month of to the month of both inclusive, at a rental of Rs. per annum, you are hereby summoned to obtain leave from this Court within fourteen days from the service hereof, inclusive of the day of such service, to appear and defend the suit, and within such time to cause an appearance to be entered for you. In default whereof the plaintiff will be entitled to obtain a decree for any amount exceeding the sum of Rs. (*here state the sum claimed*) and the sum of Rs. for costs.

Leave to appear may be obtained on its being shown to the satisfaction of the Court that there is a defence to the suit on the merits, or that it is reasonable that you should be allowed to appear in the suit.

SCHEDULE B.

(*Referred to in Section* 25.)

I, A. B, &c., do solemnly declare that I did personally or by my agent on the day of make payment to E. F. at his mál cutcherry (or at) the place where the rent of the lands at held or cultivated by me under or from the said E. F. of the sum of Rs as and for the whole amount due from me in respect of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of both inclusive of the due on the 1st of ; I further declare that the said E. F. refused to accept the sum so tendered (or to give me a receipt in full forthwith for the same); and I do declare that to the best of my belief the sum so tendered, and which I now desire to deposit, is the full amount which I owe the said E. F. on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of both inclusive, and that I owe the said E. F. no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

SCHEDULE C.

(*Referred to in Section* 25.)

COURT OF THE COLLECTOR OF

Dated the day of 18

To E F., &c.

With reference to the within declaration you are hereby informed that the sum of Rs. therein mentioned is now in deposit in this Collectorate, and that the above sum will be paid to you or to your duly authorized agent on application; and take notice that if you have any further claim or demand whatsoever to make against the said A B. in respect of the rent of the said lands you must institute a suit in Court for the establishment of such claim or demand within six calendar months from this date. otherwise your claim will be for ever barred.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE chief object of the Bill is to provide a summary procedure for the realization of arrears of rent when the rates are undisputed. The difficulty experienced by landlords in many parts of Bengal in realizing undisputed rents under the ordinary procedure of the civil courts has frequently of late years been the subject of complaint. Now that the zemindars are bound to pay in to Government under penalty not only the land revenue but also the road cess and provincial public works cess, it is necessary that they should have some more speedy and effective mode of recovering their rents, and that portion of the cesses in question which is payable by their under-tenants and ryots. A summary procedure based upon Chapter XXXIX of the Civil Procedure Code has therefore been devised, and is set forth in Part II of the Bill.

The position of the zemindar in respect of the execution of decrees for arrears of rent is improved by making the ryot's right of occupancy transferable and amending the law with reference to ejectment. It is believed that to make the occupancy tenure transferable by law will, in fact, also strengthen the position of the ryot and tend to encourage agricultural improvements. The Bill also proposes clearly to limit the power of acquiring the occupancy status to cultivating ryots, and to prevent a ryot of this class from converting himself into a middleman without the consent of his landlord. It provides for the registry of transfers and other changes in the holders of occupancy tenures in the sherishta of the zemindar on payment of a trifling fee.

The Bill further amends the procedure in connection with the deposit of rent by under-tenants, and transfers the duty of receiving and dealing with such deposits from the Civil Court to the Collector.

To prevent undue harassment of ryots by repeated suits for rent under either the summary or the ordinary procedure, provision is made for the payment of rent in quarterly instalments; and an attempt is made to render the fact of payment and the rate of rent more capable of proof than at present by insisting on an improved system of rent receipts. The Bill also amends the law of distraint by making the crop of an under-tenant liable for the zemindar's rent, and it provides for the more careful service of process in rent cases.

The 21st December 1878.

A. MACKENZIE.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
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Legislative Department.

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PART V.

Act of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General on the 31st December 1878, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

Act No. XVIII of 1878.

An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, Section 4.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, section four, Preamble.

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

1. In the said section, for the words "local law" in each of the places where they occur, the words "any law heretofore or hereafter passed under the Indian Council's Act, 1861, by a Governor, or a Lieutenant-Governor, in Council" shall be substituted ; and for the words "landlord and tenant," the words "landholders and their tenants or agents" shall be substituted. Amendment of Act X of 1877, section 4

D FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt of India.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 4th January 1879.

Present:

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, *presiding*,
The Hon'ble G. C. Paul, *Advocate-General*,
The Hon'ble C. T. Buckland,
The Hon'ble H. A. Cockerell,
The Hon'ble A. Mackenzie,
The Hon'ble J. O'Kinealy,
The Hon'ble Ameer Ali,
The Hon'ble Moulvi Ameer Hosslin,
The Hon'ble Rajah Pramatha Natha Roy, Bahadoor,
The Hon'ble Baboo Mohini Mohun Roy,
The Hon'ble A. B. Inglis,
The Hon'ble Baboo Kristodas Pal, Rai Bahadoor, C.I.E.,
and
The Hon'ble J. B. Knight, C.I.E.

NEW MEMBER.

The Hon'ble J. B. Knight took his seat in Council.

JUTE WAREHOUSES AND FIRE-BRIGADES.

The Hon'ble Mr. Cockerell asked leave to postpone the motion which stood in his name, namely, that the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relat

to jute warehouses and fire-brigades be read in Council. At the last meeting he stated that it was intended to extend the Act to buildings used for the storage of mineral and other inflammable oils, but he found that a correspondence was still going on between the Government of Bengal and the authorities of the town regarding the best means of bringing such buildings within the scope of the Act; and he therefore proposed, with the permission of the President, to postpone the reading of the Bill.

The motion was accordingly postponed.

STEAM-BOILERS AND PRIME-MOVERS.

The Hon'ble Mr. Cockerell moved that the Bill for the periodical inspection of steam-boilers and prime-movers in the town and suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah be read in Council. In making this motion, he had little to add to what he stated at the last meeting. Sections 7 and 8 of the Bill contained two amendments which had been introduced on the recommendation of the Steam-boilers' Commission, a body of practical engineers who had had the working of the existing Act in the town and suburbs of Calcutta under their immediate supervision. Section 5 of the old Act only provided that the inspectors should be satisfied that the boilers were in good condition. Now, the object of inspection by competent officers before certificate granted was not only to prevent the use of boilers in bad condition; for, if certificates are only withheld on these grounds, the inspection of new boilers would be almost entirely unnecessary. It was now proposed to give Inspectors under the Act authority to withhold certificates for boilers which, although not unsound, were faulty in construction, and until such alterations as might be considered necessary should be carried out.

The motion was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Select Committee consisting of Messrs. O'Kinealy, Inglis, Knight, and the Mover, with instructions to report in one month.

PASSENGER BOATS (PORT OF CALCUTTA.)

The Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie moved that the Bill to place passenger boats plying within the port of Calcutta under the control of the Conservator of the Port be read in Council. The Bill, he said, was a very short and simple one, the object of which was explained on the last occasion.

The Hon'ble Baboo Kristodas Pal said he wished to point out one circumstance in connection with this Bill which appeared to have escaped the notice of the hon'ble framer of the Bill. The Bill proposed to repeal sections 63, 64, and 65 of Bengal Act IV of 1866, the Calcutta Police Act. Section 63 of that Act, amongst other things, provided a penalty for a breach of the conditions prescribed by that section. The section said—"The owner or manjee of a boat plying for passengers without being duly registered, or carrying more passengers, or with a less crew than is stated in the register, or not having the prescribed particulars painted on it, shall be liable, on summary conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees." As no provision was made in the Bill in regard to penalties, and as section 63 of the Police Act was being repealed, as far as he could see no penalty could be inflicted for any such offences. Section 2 of the Bill provided that "no boats shall ply for passengers in the port of Calcutta unless duly registered at the office of the Conservator of the Port under such rules, and on payment of such fees as the local Government may from time to time prescribe by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*." He did not know whether it was contemplated to confer power on the Conservators of the Port to prescribe penalties in the rules which they were authorised to issue. He did not think it would be consistent with the Parliamentary Statute to delegate the power to provide penalties to the executive authorities: whatever penalties were to be prescribed should, he thought, be the act of the Legislature. He therefore thought it proper to draw attention to what appeared to be an omission in the Bill.

The Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie said it would have saved the time of the Council if the hon'ble member had stated to him before the Council met the difficulty which had occurred to him. The rules for the regulation of passenger boats would be framed both under this Act and the Indian Ports' Act just as the rules for regulating cargo boats had been passed under both the Custom's Act and the Ports' Act. The Indian Ports' Act provided penalties for breach of any rules made under it, and this was considered sufficient. The only

object of the present Bill was to transfer the jurisdiction from the Police to the Port Commissioners and to enable the latter to levy fees for registration, which they could not do under the Ports' Act by itself.

The motion was then agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. O'Kinealy, the Hon'ble Ameer Ali, and the Mover.

REALIZATION OF ARREARS OF RENT.

The Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie moved that the Bill for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent, and to amend the law relating to rent, be read in Council. In doing so, he said—"I could have wished, Sir, that a measure of this magnitude had been entrusted to abler hands than mine. Of all subjects that could come before this Council, there is none more important than the Law of Rent, affecting, as it does, the whole internal economy of the province, and the well-being of the vast majority of its working population. There is at the same time no subject upon which more diverse views are held and enunciated; none upon which it is more difficult to arrive at indisputable conclusions; none around which party prejudices run more high. A discussion about Indian land rent tends generally to become as warm as a debate in Convocation. I shall hope, however, in what I have to say to-day, to deal as fairly as possible with disputed points, and to avoid the raising of any issues save such as are essential to the matter now in hand.

The Bill then which I have the honor to lay before the Council has, speaking generally, two chief ends—first, it is designed to strengthen the hands of the rent-receiver in respect of the recovery of rents really due, and the execution of decrees actually held; and secondly, it attempts to strengthen the position of the cultivating ryot, and to place his tenant right upon a sound and definite basis for the future.

When moving for leave to introduce this Bill, I said something of the difficulties felt by the landholding classes in realising their rents at the present day. I referred, it may be remembered, to the law's delays, and to the special delays experienced by plaintiff landlords in a Bengal Moonsiff's Court. It may perhaps therefore somewhat surprise the Council to find that the measure now submitted for consideration still leaves the Civil Court as the tribunal to which the zemindar must go. Hon'ble Members are doubtless aware that it has frequently been urged upon Government, and was indeed at one time proposed by the Government itself, to remove the cognizance of simple rent-suits from the Civil Courts (to which in all permanently-settled districts they were made over in 1869), and to restore such cases to the Collectors' files. That was the view embodied in the ninth section of Sir R. Temple's draft Bill to amend the substantive law of rent in Bengal, which was circulated and canvassed in 1876. When it was decided to abandon for the present the attempt to regulate by law the economic problem of enhancement, it was still proposed to simplify, as it was termed, the procedure of rent recovery by entrusting to the Revenue authorities the summary disposal of all suits for rent where the claim was undisputed, relegating the parties to the Civil Court whenever it might appear that there was really a dispute between them. Now, Sir, I for one have never been able to see how a double-barrelled procedure of this kind could be described as simple, or how it was likely to facilitate or cheapen the collection of rent. It has always appeared to me that the Civil Court is the proper tribunal to hear and dispose of what are in their essence mere breaches of contract, while the Revenue authorities are those who ought to deal with the difficult local investigations connected with the enhancement of agricultural rents. To say therefore that, where the issue was a mere question of fact as to whether admitted rents had been paid or not, the Collector should try the case, and that, when there were issues as to the capabilities of soils, the prevailing rates of the neighbourhood, the value of produce now and in former times, the Civil Court should try it, was, in the opinion of some of us, to reverse entirely the true theory of jurisdiction in such matters. The view that, if any more summary procedure for realising rent was provided, the Civil Courts should still be left to work it, was in the end formally adopted at a Conference held in July 18 7 between His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Stuart Bayley, long Commissioner of Patna and Secretary to this Government, Mr. Ravenshaw, then a Member of this Council and of the Revenue Board, my hon'ble friend

Mr. O'Kinealy, Legal Remembrancer, the Hon'ble Maharajah Jotendro Mohun Tagore, Rajah Digumber Mitter, and my hon'ble friend opposite—Baboo Kristodas Pal. It was doubtless felt by these eminent authorities that, although there are delays in the disposal of rent-suits in the Moonsiffs' Courts, these are caused in the main by circumstances for which those courts are not themselves to blame. I hope, Sir, that nothing which I have said may have seemed to cast blame upon the subordinate judiciary of this province. For purity of motive, ability, and hardwork, the Moonsiffs of Bengal will bear comparison with any other similar body of Judges in any other country. But they have very often by far too much to do, and they are hampered by a procedure which, however admirable in itself, cannot readily be adapted to the rapid disposal of petty suits. They are, moreover, powerless of themselves to make more effective the execution of decrees. The Government has already done something to increase the numbers of the Moonsiffs. It remains for this Council to provide them with a procedure that shall enable them to dispose more rapidly of the rent-suits that must come before them, and to give the decree-holder substantial assistance in realising his dues.

The Bill, which in this respect follows the suggestions of the Conference already referred to, proposes that, where a landholder has been actually in receipt of rents at a certain rate, he shall be able to recover arrears at that rate, and when they are not more than twelve months old, by moving the Civil Court to put in force a summary procedure similar to that embodied in the Bills of Exchange Act of 1866 (now Chapter XXXIX of the Civil Procedure Code). It will be seen that under this procedure the landlord has only to file his plaint to secure the issue of a notice to the defendant calling upon him to obtain leave from the Court, within fourteen days of the service of the notice, to appear and defend the suit, failing which the plaintiff will at once obtain a decree. Leave to defend will only be given on the defendant's paying into Court the sum demanded, or on his satisfying the Court that he has a defence, and on such terms as to security, framing, and recording of issues or otherwise as to the Court may seem fit. No appeal will lie from the summary decree on the part of the judgment-debtor unless he deposits its amount with costs, though the Court may, under special circumstances, set aside its own decree and go into the merits of the case.

Now, Sir, it is manifest that this is a most summary, and, as it may seem to some, even a severe procedure; and I have heard some doubt expressed as to whether, in applying in their entirety the provisions of the Bills of Exchange Act to the recovery of arrears of rent, there has not been a tendency to overlook a radical distinction between the classes of facts dealt with in either case. A dishonored bill of exchange or promissory note carries, it may be said, its history on its face; and it is only when a defence is raised, which goes absolutely to invalidate the written document itself, that a Court would hesitate about giving a decree for the sums thereby clearly shown to be due. But the mere assertion by a landholder in a plaint that the defendant owes him so many rupees as rent is, it has been urged, hardly a sufficient starting of the case to justify the disabilities under which the defendant is placed by the provisions of this Bill, or to shift so entirely the *onus* upon the ryot. The Council will, however, observe that by section 9 of the Bill it is now provided that no suit shall be entertained under it except where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Court that rent at the same rate as that alleged to be due has been paid in respect of the holding for which it is claimed some time within the three years immediately preceding the period for which it is claimed, or that the tenant has agreed by a written engagement, which is still in force, to pay rent at the rate claimed. If this section is not sufficient to show that the landlord must, with his plaint, produce *primâ facie* proof of privity between himself and the defendant, the Select Committee will doubtless amend the Bill. It will be open to them also to consider whether *primâ facie* proof of the defendant's indebtedness ought not also to be required.

I have said that the procedure provided by the Bill for the recovery of rent in those cases which it covers is summary and perhaps severe. But I must remind the Council that it is tenderness itself as compared with the powers that the Legislature thought fit to confer upon the landholders of Bengal in years gone by. Regulation XVII of 1793 declared it essential to the prosperity of the country and the punctual collection of the public revenue that landholders and farmers of land should have the means of compelling payment from defaulters,

without being obliged to have recourse to the courts of justice at all, or to incur, for the recovery of every arrear, the delay and expense necessarily attending a law process. They were vested, therefore, with the most extensive powers of distress and sale, resistance to which was made severely punishable. By Regulation XXXV of 1795 the procedure in distraint became even more summary and stringent, and fresh provisions were added, making under-tenants owing over Rs. 500 liable to confinement after three days' notice to the defaulter, and a summary inquiry in the civil court. Regulation VII. of 1799 carried the matter further by providing for the issue of *dustuck*, and the summary arrest of defaulters and their sureties, unless they paid the arrear demanded on service of the *dustuck*. That famous '*Kânûn Haftam*' contained various other 'short ways' of dealing with defaulting ryots, to which I need not refer in detail; and Construction 382 of the Sudder Court declared that the zemindar's right of compelling attendance extended to the power of punishing the recusant. Modified slightly by '*Kânûn Panjam*' (Regulation V of 1812), this law remained in force up to the passing of Act X of 1859, the only change being that the jurisdiction in summary suits for rent was eventually made over to the Collector; and in all cases (as observed by an hon'ble member now present in one of his divisional reports) the proceedings commenced by a strong presumption in favour of the zemindar, equivalent to a knock-down blow delivered upon the ryot. In 1859 the legislative pendulum swung quite to the opposite extreme. Summary arrest of defaulters was forbidden. Distraint was so fenced in with difficulties as to become quite impracticable. Zemindars were prohibited from compelling the attendance of their tenants to settle accounts or pay their rents, and both parties were relegated to formal suit in the courts, at first in that of the Collector, and since 1869 in that of the Civil Judge. It was the opinion of many competent Judges even at the time that this re-action was too violent; that sufficient consideration was not given to the difficulties of the zemindar's position; that the character of the ryot, say for instance in Backergunge, is not by any means so 'child-like and bland' as to warrant the confidence which the law places in his anxiety to pay his rent as it falls due. As I explained to the Council before, the difficulties of the landlords have become greater year by year, while the pressure put upon them by Government has become heavier, and they stand now urgently in need of assistance from the Legislature. In giving this assistance, however, it is not proposed to revive the process of *dustuck* in any shape, though I must say in passing that the Rent Law of the North-West Provinces, passed in 1874, contains provisions for arrest before judgment that might be with a very little modification shaped into an efficient and, at the same time, duly guarded procedure for compelling the personal presence of the defendant and bringing rent suits to a speedy issue. Personally I should be inclined to attach the utmost importance to this securing of the actual attendance of the ryot before a decree is given against him. Those who know most of our process-serving peons distrust *ex parte* proceedings in such cases altogether. Be this as it may, the procedure laid down in the Bill appears to the majority of those consulted sufficient to effect a radical improvement in the position of the zemindar without trenching unduly upon the liberties of the ryot, or raising opposition upon what I may term sentimental grounds. Doubtless it will effect improvement, if it is fairly and intelligently worked by the civil courts, and this we have every reason to expect.

But the zemindar is not to be allowed to turn the summary procedure of the Bill into an engine of oppression and constant harassment. By section 26 we have provided that rent shall fall due only by quarterly instalments, regulated in amount to suit the crops and harvests of each district. Not only does this provision do away with the possibility of recurring suits for petty monthly instalments, but it removes one of the most constant sources of dispute between landlords and tenants. While regulating thus the instalments of the ryot's payments, we have *per contra* allowed interest to the zemindar as a matter of course upon all overdue instalments. In section 27 we have made compulsory a proper system of rent receipts. Without attaching an overweening importance to this improvement—an improvement advocated, I am bound to say, by the zemindars themselves—I believe that it will to some extent help to make the *fact* of payment or non-payment of rent more susceptible of satisfactory proof, and diminish materially the possibility of forgery in connection with rent receipts. Section 10 is designed to remedy

the hardship felt by zemindars holding decrees for rent at enhanced rates, who are frequently, on the appeal of the judgment-debtor, kept not only out of the enhanced rent, but also out of that portion of their due which represents the former rent of the holding.

Thus far the provisions of the Bill run mainly in favor of the zemindar.

I pass on now to those sections of the Bill which seek to strengthen and define more clearly the position of the occupancy ryot. In connection with the question of improving the procedure in execution of decrees for rent arrears, it was suggested by various zemindars that it would be simpler and more satisfactory to bring to sale the tenure of the occupancy ryot than to put in force the provisions of the law for his eviction on failure to pay what was demanded of him. There can be no doubt whatever that in very many districts the occupancy tenure has, in spite of Act X of 1859, been openly recognised as possessing a transferable character—a fact accounted for, as I believe, by the practical permanence of the rights enjoyed by many cultivators whose only legal title at the present day is that of ryots having rights of occupancy. It was quite certain that to recognize the tenure as transferable by sale in execution for arrears would in course of time have the effect of making it generally transferable by the custom of the district; and the question naturally arose whether, on grounds of policy as well as of convenience, it was not desirable to declare it transferable as well as heritable by direct provision of law. Sir R. Temple wrote thus upon this subject in paragraph 14 of his minute of the 29th August 1876:—

"I find that many zemindars desire that the right and interest of an occupancy ryot shall be liable to be sold for arrears of rent, or for the amount adjudged to be due from him by a decree of court. At present a zemindar can recover such dues by distraint; he can also obtain a decree from the court for evicting the defaulter. I would not have any objection to making the occupancy right liable to sale for arrears of rent, if the zemindars desire it. This would not be prejudicial to the occupancy ryots, for the consequence must be that the occupancy tenure would have to be declared transferable by private arrangement (as well as heritable, which it already is). It has never yet been by law declared transferable, though it is believed that private transfers of the tenure are frequently made in some parts of the country. The result would be a certain strengthening of the occupancy tenure, which would in some degree be matter for satisfaction."

The Government of India having before its eyes the complications caused in Western and Central India by the relations between the money-lender and the cultivator, felt some doubt as to whether it was politic to recognise or facilitate the transfer of the ryot's rights in the manner thus proposed. But it appeared to the present Lieutenant-Governor that so long as the transfer is only from one member of the cultivating class to the other those objections of the Government of India do not in fact arise. In Bengal, as a rule, the transfers are only of this unobjectionable kind.

The following extract from a letter to the Supreme Government, written in April 1877, explains the position taken up by the Lieutenant-Governor in connection with this question:—

"The Lieutenant-Governor believes that the objections to the sale of land in execution of decrees, though in other parts of India they may be entitled to weight, are altogether inapplicable to Bengal; and in this particular instance he believes that it would be acceptable to both parties interested in the question, if the Legislature were to attach a right of transfer to an occupancy tenure. At present such a tenure is in some few cases transferable by local custom. But in the great majority of cases, if an occupancy ryot is evicted, or gives up his holding, the tenure simply reverts to the zemindar, who can dispose of it as he pleases. To make the tenure saleable would be an undoubted advantage to the ryot, who is at present sometimes compelled to sacrifice a valuable right without receiving any money equivalent. It would raise and strengthen the character of the tenure, and the occupancy ryot would approximate to the position of a small talookdar. On the other hand, it would frequently be a convenience to the zemindar to be able to realize arrears of rent by the sale of the tenure instead of resuming direct possession of the land. It may be added that there appears no ground for apprehending that this measure would have the effect of transferring the land to classes whose ownership it might not be thought desirable to encourage. It is probable that in most cases the occupancy right would be purchased by ryots of the same class and position as the former tenant. The occupancy ryot is, by the nature and terms of his holding, a resident cultivator, and to render his tenure saleable would involve nothing more than the possibility of its transfer from one resident cultivator to another.

"It appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that a decree for rent should cover every right and interest in land of which the judgment-debtor may be possessed, and that the question of the sale of tenures in execution of decrees should rest where it has been placed by the Civil Procedure Code, which has lately passed into law. There seems no valid reason for making the tenure of an occupancy ryot an exception to the ordinary rule."

The opinions of district officers, Judicial and Executive, and of the Board of Revenue, were sought for, and confirmed with remarkable unanimity the views above set forth, showing at the same time that the custom of transfer was much more general than the Government had supposed. Doubtless contrary opinions were expressed, and are still held by some; but I say that the great majority of all who have hitherto discussed the matter support the view adopted by the local Government. In deference, however, to the doubts felt by some, and especially by the British Indian Association, the Bill submitted to the Government of India in February last provided only for making the occupancy tenure transferable in execution sales for arrears of rent.

The whole question has since then been maturely re-considered. I shall hope to place in the hands of the Council very shortly a selection of papers bearing upon this point, in which will be found, I trust, sufficient vindication of the Government action in now deciding to propose that the tenure shall be generally transferable as well as heritable, provided only that the transferee is a genuine cultivating ryot. I should wish, however, upon this occasion, to be allowed to urge upon the Council, on my individual responsibility, certain considerations which seem to me to support and justify the present policy of the Government in this matter. We are constantly told now-a-days that the occupancy ryot is merely a metamorphosed squatter, an excrescence created by modern law, whose very existence is an encroachment upon the rights of the zemindar, and the recognition of whose tenure amounts to a practical confiscation of zemindari property. Now, I am perfectly willing to admit that the rule of prescriptive occupancy introduced by section 6 of Act X of 1859 had the effect of conferring valuable rights upon a class of ryots who, under the law as it stood up to that time, and under the custom of the country as it had always been, had practically no rights. I am ready to admit that the section was based upon a misconception, and was justified by a reference to a supposed state of things in the North-Western Provinces which had really no existence. But those who press this argument too often forget that, inasmuch as the only other privileged ryots recognised by Act X are those who have held or claim to hold at fixed rates from the time of the permanent settlement, it is clear that all that vast body of resident cultivators who had rights of occupancy in the soil, but who were not protected absolutely from enhancement of rent, are now comprehended within the term "ryots having rights of occupancy." I believe myself indeed that the margin of squatters and tenants-at-will incorporated with this class by the operation of section 6 is in most districts so small as to be actually inappreciable. It is absurd to suppose that all the cultivating millions of Bengal, except the few thousands having *maurusi mokurreri* rights, went wandering annually over its plains and *churs*, claiming only the rights of outside *paikashts* until they were taken up and settled by Act X of 1859. In deciding what the occupancy tenure is, and what the occupancy ryot ought to have, we must consider what position the *normal* cultivating ryot of Bengal held with reference to his zemindar. Let me define it in the words of Holt Mackenzie written in 1832:—"The great body of resident cultivators (he said) possess a fixed hereditary right of occupancy in the fields cultivated by them, or at their risk and charge, their tenure being independent of any known contract. They cannot justly be ousted so long as they pay the amount of value demandable from them; that being determined according to local usage; sometimes by fixed money rates, or rates varying with the quality of the land, or the nature of the crop grown; sometimes by the actual delivery of a fixed share of the grain produce; sometimes by an estimation and valuation of the same; sometimes by other rules; and what they so pay is in all cases to be distinctly regarded as the *Government* revenue or rent, whether assigned to an individual or not, and not depending on the mere will or pleasure of another. In Bengal Proper they are usually called khoodkasht ryots, *and by this class of persons I believe that the greatest part of the lands in the province is occupied.*"

Again, in Sir W. Muir's admirable 'Notes on Tenant Right in all parts of India,' I find that great authority stating that, after taking a comprehensive and exhaustive view of the question throughout India, excepting the Gangetic valley and adjoining tracts, he felt entitled to draw the conclusion that "over the whole country there exists the general law of ryots' right. The individual occupant is either a proprietor or a permanent holder." "Coming now to Bengal (he continues) a careful retrospect leads to two conclusions—first, that tenant right existed in Bengal very much as it did in Central and Southern

India; and second, that the zemindar of Bengal had more the features of an official than of a proprietary origin." "The limitations therefore prescribed in the Bengal regulations upon the authority of the zemindar were entirely in accord with the tenure actually prevailing * * * *." What he means is this, that although by the permanent settlement Government has changed entirely the status of this *quondam* official zemindar, and given him an estate in the soil, and proprietary rights which it would now be folly to deny, there are still other classes having estates in the soil which no Government measures can justly confiscate, and which every honest Government is bound to recognize. Its duty is to reconcile if possible the rights of all. "The strength of the resident cultivator's title in Bengal (goes on Sir William) assessed though he was at (what are sometimes termed) full market rates, and indeed at rates often higher than those of the non-resident tenant-at-will, is testified on every hand." "I am satisfied (he concludes), both from analogy and evidence, that the khoodkasht or resident cultivator of Bengal was the ordinary type of hereditary or proprietary ryot common throughout India." Dealing further on with the state of tenures in Benares, he finds that the ryots' tenure there "originally resembled in its permanency and substantial character that of Bengal." "It is possible (he says) to conceive that the two systems, that of the North-West with a strong proprietary and a weak ryottee title, and that of Bengal with a weak proprietary and a strong ryottee title, met each other in the Province of Benares." What the result was we find in another place. "In Benares (he accordingly tells us) it is common for cultivators not merely to sublet, but to mortgage, and even to sell their holdings. Act X of 1859 seems to have had a rather unexpected effect in checking the practice of sale, the idea gaining currency that under that law the transfer of a cultivating tenure was not valid without the zemindar's sanction." In fact, throughout his argument he takes the strong permanent occupancy right of the Bengal ryot as the standard by which to measure the position of the village proprietors and cultivating ryots in the North-West; and that such a course was warranted, is clear from various papers appended to his minute, which 'seem to show plainly that the right of transferring hereditary cultivating tenures prevailed in most of the permanently-settled districts both of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces.' From these and numerous other passages to which I might refer, and from a careful study of the Regulation Law, it might, I think, very fairly be inferred that Act X by lumping together these permanent resident ryots with the new prescriptive tenants created by its own terms actually did the former a very grievous wrong. The legalised squatter has been come to be taken as the type of the whole. The revenue system of Bengal to a great extent withdrew from the cognizance of Government officers the actual relations between the zemindars and their under-tenants, and we have no means of tracing accurately the history of tenant right during all the years from 1793. There is, however, a mass of evidence with which I shall not trouble the Council, especially in connection with discussions regarding the effect of revenue sales, all tending to show that in spite of the way in which Government neglected him, in spite of *Haftam* and *Panjam*, and many other regulations in which Government, fearing for its revenue, ignored his customary rights, in spite of all the grinding of his zemindar, in spite of Act X and its provisions for enhancement and eviction, the resident cultivator has maintained even to the present day a practically permanent interest in his holding, which he has in nearly every district of Bengal been able to sell and transfer. I find in the minutes of the High Court Judges upon the working of Act X (written in 1864) the following passage from the pen of Mr. Seton-Karr: "That ryotee tenures of all sorts are constantly attached in execution of decrees of the revenue and judicial courts; that such holdings, whether of tenants with absolute and hereditary rights, or of tenants with mere rights of occupancy, are put up to sale by scores and hundreds all over the country, is a fact that admits of no question whatever. It is equally certain that they have a positive marketable value and often change hands by private transfer—sometimes with the consent of the zemindar, and sometimes in spite of all his opposition" I hold in my hand returns of sales under civil court decrees which show that in every district in the Lower Provinces sales of occupancy tenures have been effected without dispute. It is true that the rent law does not specifically recognize this right, and that the civil courts interpreting the letter of Act X have frequently denied it. My contention is that, in proposing now to recognize it by law, Government is not running counter to traditionary rights and customs, but rather

seeking to establish these; restoring in fact the old common law of Bengal. I discovered only this morning that in 1865 the Government of Bengal had come to identically the same conclusion.

That the proposal is on other grounds desirable is, I think, capable of proof. We are constantly told that the crying want of the country is agricultural improvement. The great zemindars have in so many cases converted themselves into mere annuitants that it is not worth their while to attempt this. The smaller zemindars and intermediate tenure-holders have not as a rule the capital to carry out large schemes of the kind. It is mainly to the cultivators themselves therefore that we must look for the introduction of improved staples and the construction of wells, petty irrigation channels, and the like. At present the ryot has absolutely no inducement to begin any such improvements. Make, however, his holding transferable, and his view of the situation must surely change. He will spend, and even borrow to spend, having now some chance, even if he default in his rent, of recovering by the sale of his tenure some portion of his outlay. If he has to borrow from his mahajun for any purpose, he will do so on better terms, being able to offer more solid security. To those who think that human nature in India is not like human nature elsewhere, and that a cultivating ryot is never likely to seek to improve even a property that he can call in a sense his own, I would cite the facts related by Sir W. Muir of the zemindari of the Raja of Benares. Those Rajas, with far-seeing wisdom, set themselves to foster the occupancy rights of their ryots, recognizing the transferable nature of their tenures. The consequence is thus described—"The ryots' property in the soil (in the Raja's family domains) is so valuable that it fetches sometimes above Rs. 100 per beegha. The occupant expends labor and capital on his holding. The country thrives; no part of the North-West is more prosperous, and the Raja has his reward in a secure and flourishing revenue." The whole history of jungleboorie clearances in Bengal, the condition of vast tracts in Backergunge, Noakhali, Chittagong, and many other districts at the present day, proves incontestably that there is no more zealous pioneer, no more assiduous digger and improver of the soil than the Indian ryot when his tenure is assured, and that too even when his rent seems almost crushing. I need not refer to the mass of evidence showing the working of peasant proprietorship in many parts of Europe. The state of things in Bengal is not identical with that, and the comparison might lead to misconception. I do not, as I have already said, seek to blink the fact that the zemindar has in Bengal been granted an actual estate in the soil, and I should be the last to tamper with any of his known and acknowledged rights. But all history and all legislation goes to show that though an actual, he is not an absolute, proprietor, except as regards his *seer* or private lands, and my contention is at present that the resident ryot has also an estate in the soil, which it is worth our while to define and worth our while to develope. My belief is that this policy is good both for zemindar and ryot. My hope is that the zemindars will themselves admit this. We have, I say, every reason to believe that to recognize the transferable character of the occupancy ryot's tenure in Bengal will improve his position in many ways, and that he will in turn improve the land. He has now had brought to his door that system of primary education for which the name of Sir G. Campbell will be ever honored. He has throughout many parts of Bengal benefited for some years past by the famines and misfortunes of his neighbours, and by the new and growing demand for a very profitable staple. His standard of comfort bids fair in every way to rise, and it seems the duty of Government to do what it can to help and accelerate his material not less than his moral welfare.

But we hold that it is only the ryot who actually cultivates his own lands with his own hands, or by means of hired labor, who is entitled to occupancy rights. We have no desire to see the money-lender coming in and taking possession of the land, reducing the actual cultivator to the position of a serf. Nor do we wish to see the cultivator following the example of the zemindar and converting himself into an idler by sub-letting his holding to a rack-rented cottier. We believe that an infinity of mischief is being done by the encouragement given to sub-letting, owing to the construction put by the civil courts upon the law as it stands. It is bad enough to have between the zemindar and the cultivator putnidars, durputnidars, seputnidars, howladars, and so on to the tenth degree, without allowing the original cultivator to begin the process over again on his own account. We propose to recognise no sub-letting and no

sub-division of a cultivator's holding without the consent of the zemindar or other rent-receiver. And if the latter consents to sub-letting by his occupancy ryot he must accept the latter as a middleman, and the actual cultivator under that middleman will begin to acquire prescriptive occupancy rights. This part of the Bill must, however, be carefully considered in Select Committee in view of the existing practice of sub-letting in certain districts. The sections as now framed are to a great extent tentative only. The Bill also contains a provision for preventing the absorption of ryottee lands into the zemindar's home farm. The resident ryots of the village have historically and legally a preferential right to cultivate the lands within its boundaries. The zemindar is not entitled for the default of one to reduce the area available to all. The very existence of such a thing as *khamar* or *nij-jote*, and the fact that many zemindars hold jotes in their own estates without any attempt to convert them to *khamar*, supports this view. The Bill, however, in fairness to the zemindar, compels the registration of all legal transfers, successions, and divisions of occupancy tenures, and permits him to levy a moderate fee upon such occasions, compelling him at the same time to give due effect to them. This, then, is the gist and scope of Part III of the Bill which is now before the Council.

Sections 22 to 25 of the Bill amend the procedure in connection with rent deposits, limiting the time within which they must be made so as to entail penalties on the zemindar, and transferring the duty of receiving and dealing with them from the Civil Court to the Collector. This will be a relief to the Civil Courts and a boon to the zemindars.

Sections 20 and 21 and section 29 of the Bill are designed to improve the position of the landlord in respect of execution of decrees against both occupancy and non-occupancy ryots, and section 30 remedies what is felt to be a defect in the law of distraint. A section has also been added to make the service of process on ryots more certain and satisfactory than it is at present. If there is to be a summary decree for rent, there must be at least reasonable certainty that the fact of suit has been brought to the notice of the alleged defaulter. This is a point of cardinal importance.

These are the chief provisions of the Bill which I have the honor to introduce. They cover, it will be seen, a good deal of ground, and effect a very important and far-reaching change in the Rent Law as it now stands. It would perhaps have been more satisfactory had we been able to take up that Rent Law as a whole, and had we, leaving the question of the grounds of enhancement to be separately dealt with in the manner indicated by me on a former occasion, amended the rest of the law thoroughly upon all other points. It is felt, however, that this, though a most necessary, would probably be a very lengthy task, and it is deemed better to give as soon as possible assistance to the zemindar in collecting his rents and those legal cesses upon land which are realizable therewith. Next session it may, I hope, be possible to take up effectually the general amendment of Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869."

The Hon'ble Rajah Pramatha Natha Roy observed that this was a very important measure, and the Bill was only circulated on the previous day. There were many provisions in the Bill which required careful consideration, and he would therefore move that the discussion upon the Bill be postponed till the next meeting of the Council.

His Honor the President said he thought the request of the hon'ble member was a very reasonable one, because through unavoidable circumstances the Bill was delayed in preparation, and had hardly been long enough in the hands of members to enable them to give sufficient attention to its provisions, and to read through all the papers which had been circulated in connection with it. He had therefore no objection to make to the motion to defer the discussion upon the Bill to the next meeting of the Council, and he thought that course would meet the views of hon'ble members.

The motion was agreed to, and the further consideration of the Bill accordingly postponed to the next meeting of the Council.

EXTENSION OF BENGAL ACT IV OF 1871 (POOREE LODGING-HOUSES).

The Hon'ble Mr. O'Kinealy moved that the Bill to extend Bengal Act IV of 1871 be read in Council.

The motion was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Ameer Ali and the Mover.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 11th instant.

THE following is a selection of papers relating to the Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent and to amend the law relating to rent.

No. 945, dated Calcutta, the 12th April 1877.

From—H. J. REYNOLDS, Esq., Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Revenue Dept.,
To—The Secy. to the Govt. of India, Dept. of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce.

THE letter from this Government, No. 2100T, dated the 29th August 1876, submitted, for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, the outline of a measure which the late Lieutenant-Governor proposed to introduce into the Legislative Council of Bengal for the amendment of the law for the determination of rent. In the reply communicated in your letter No. 762, dated the 19th October, the President in Council assented to the preparation of a Bill on the subject, but it was added that the section which proposed to make the right and interest of an occupancy ryot liable to sale for default in the payment of rent, and also transferable by private agreement, was considered to be politically inexpedient. A draft Bill was then prepared, and was submitted to the Government of India with my letter No. 3110, dated the 29th November 1876. The Bill was also circulated for an expression of the opinions of the officers of Government and of the non-official community interested in the question.

2. The difficulties which are at present experienced in the administration of the rent law are of a twofold character, being concerned partly with the enhancement of rents, and partly with the procedure for the recovery of uncontested arrears of rents. The Bill proposed by Sir Richard Temple was intended to deal with both these classes of difficulties. But it must be evident that, while there is room for much divergence of opinion regarding the principles upon which, and the extent to which, it is equitable to enhance the rent of a cultivating ryot, there is likely to be a general agreement as to the measures which would be effectual for accelerating and simplifying the existing procedure for the realization of undisputed rents. The two branches of the question, though in some degree connected, are sufficiently distinct to allow of their being dealt with in separate legislative enactments.

3. The replies which have been received to the circular in which this Government invited an expression of opinion on the Bill sufficiently show that, under the present procedure, the recovery of rent by legal process, even when the arrear is not disputed, is so tedious and costly as practically in many cases to involve a denial of justice. If the ryots of a village combine to offer a passive resistance to the landlord by withholding all payments of rent, he can only realize his dues by a suit in the Civil Court against each individual cultivator. It is the object of the ryots to delay a final decision as long as possible, and the procedure of a civil suit affords them many facilities for doing so. In the meantime the zemindar, though thus kept out of his own dues, is compelled to pay the Government revenue on pain of losing his estate; and, under the pressure thus put upon him, he is sometimes obliged to accede to the demands of the ryots and to forego claims which he would have been able to establish under a more expeditious legal procedure, or he is forced to borrow money at ruinous rates of interest to enable him to meet the Government demand.

4. These considerations induced Sir Richard Temple, shortly before he made over charge of the administration of these provinces, to record a Minute,* in which he recommended that the portion of the Bill already submitted to the Government of India which relates to the realization of undisputed rents should at once be proceeded with, leaving the more difficult and intricate question of the enhancement of rents to be considered hereafter. The provisions referred to are contained in section 9 of the Bill which was forwarded with my letter No. 3200, dated the 8th December 1876. A copy of the Minute dated the 5th January 1877 is herewith submitted.

* Dated 5th January 1877

5. The Lieutenant-Governor desires to support this recommendation. While Mr. Eden is not prepared at present to take up the question of defining the principles upon which rents should be enhanced, he is quite satisfied that something must be done without delay to improve the system under which the zemindars can now legally recover their rents. Complaints have reached him from every part of the country of the difficulty and delay which exist under the present procedure, and both officials and non-officials are agreed that the system requires an immediate reform.

6. There is another consideration which appears to the Lieutenant-Governor to afford an additional argument in favour of the proposed legislation. The zemindar is already required to pay into the treasury the amount due as road cess (under Act X (B.C.) of 1871) upon his estate, and he is entitled to recover one-half of the amount from his subordinate tenure-holders and ryots under the procedure in force for the realization of arrears of rent. In the two Bills now before the Bengal Legislative Council, the Bill for the levy of a cess for Provincial Public Works, and the Bill for the levy of a rate upon Irrigation Lands, it is proposed to collect the rates through the agency of the zemindars in the same manner as the road cess is collected at present. But it is clear to the Lieutenant-Governor that, if responsibilities of this kind are thrown upon the landholders, the Government is bound in equity to give them corresponding facilities for realizing the amounts which they are entitled to recover from the ryots.

7. The scheme in question provides for the summary disposal of suits for rent by the Revenue authorities, where the claim is undisputed, and the trial of the suit, as at present, by the Civil Court, where it is contested. Precautions would be taken to prevent false claims being brought forward under the procedure now recommended for adoption. It is to be observed that in the great majority of cases the claims for rent are undisputed; but that even in these cases the ryots frequently refuse to pay, except under process of Court, partly in order to avoid demands for illegal cesses, and partly to secure proper receipts for their payments. It appears advisable to provide that the more summary process now suggested should be applicable only to cases in which former payments at the same rates have actually been made or decreed, and that penalties should attach to the submission of false returns in support of such claims. If, with these precautions against abuse, the procedure recommended in Sir Richard Temple's Minute were adopted, the Lieutenant-Governor believes that the great bulk of the rent suits would disappear from the Moonsifs' files. Some classes of cases which involved questions of title, or of a right to enhance, would still be tried in the Civil Court, which is the proper tribunal for the determination of such questions; but the majority of suits, in which the only issue is the question of fact whether payment of rent at an admitted rate has been made or not, would be decided in the Court of the Collector on the admission of the ryot.

8. The proposal of Sir Richard Temple to make the right and interest of an occupancy ryot liable to sale for default, and also transferable by private agreement, was objected to by the Government of India on the ground that, in the interest of the cultivating classes, it was desirable to place some restriction on the transfer of land, and to prevent the ownership from falling into the hands of those who would not be likely to prove good landlords.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor now desires to ask that this decision may be reconsidered. He believes that the objections to the sale of land in execution of decrees, though in other parts of India they may be entitled to weight, are altogether inapplicable to Bengal; and in this particular instance he believes that it would be acceptable to both parties interested in the question if the Legislature were to attach a right of transfer to an occupancy tenure. At present such a tenure is in some few cases transferable by local custom. But in the great majority of cases, if an occupancy ryot is evicted or gives up his holding, the tenure simply reverts to the zemindar, who can dispose of it as he pleases. To make the tenure saleable would be an undoubted advantage to the ryot, who is at present sometimes compelled to sacrifice a valuable right without receiving any money equivalent. It would raise and strengthen the character of the tenure, and the occupancy ryot would approximate to the position of a small talookdar. On the other hand, it would frequently be a convenience to the zemindar to be able to realize arrears of rent by the sale of the tenure instead of resuming direct possession of the land. It may be added that there appears no ground for apprehending that this measure would have the effect of transferring the land to classes whose ownership it might not be thought desirable to encourage. It is probable that in most cases the occupancy right would be purchased by ryots of the same class and position as the former tenant. The occupancy ryot is, by the nature and terms of his holding, a resident cultivator, and to render his tenure saleable would involve nothing more than the possibility of its transfer from one resident cultivator to another.

10. It appears to the Lieutenant-Governor that a decree for rent should cover every right and interest in land of which the judgment-debtor may be possessed, and that the question of the sale of tenures in execution of decrees should rest where it has been placed by the Civil Procedure Code which has lately passed into law. There seems no valid reason for making the tenure of an occupancy ryot an exception to the ordinary rule.

11. For these reasons the Lieutenant-Governor desires to request the sanction of His Excellency in Council to the introduction into the Bengal Legislative Council of a Bill to provide a more speedy procedure for the realization of rents in uncontested cases. The Bill would be based upon the 9th section of the draft Bill which has already been submitted to the Government of India; but it would contain two additional clauses—one providing that no claims shall be admissible under the Bill except on proof that rents at the same rate have actually been paid in former years, and the other enacting that the right and interest of an occupancy ryot shall be liable to sale in execution of a decree, and shall also be transferable by private agreement.

12. The Lieutenant-Governor wishes to be able to lay this measure before the Legislative Council during the present summer, and he would therefore ask to be favoured with the early orders of the Government of India.

LEGISLATIVE BILL FOR THE REALIZATION OF RENT.

Minute by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, dated 5th January 1877.

In my Minute of the 29th August 1876, I have stated at large the amendments which I consider should be made in the substantive rent law of Bengal. The substance of these amendments has been embodied in a Bill which has been published for general information. Considering, however, the importance of the subject, and the fact that the sanction of the Secretary of State to the formal introduction of the Bill has not yet been received, it is very doubtful whether the Bill could be passed during the present session. But there seems to me to be no reason why the procedure portion of the Bill—that portion which relates to the

realization of undisputed rents—should not at once be taken into consideration, as it is perhaps not so important as to render necessary a previous reference to the Secretary of State under existing orders. It appears that about 75 per cent. of the rent suits instituted in the courts of Bengal are undisputed cases, and the zemindars very naturally complain that it is hard upon them that they should incur all the delay and expense of a civil suit in these undefended cases. In the Bill which was published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th December 1876, a simple mode of procedure was suggested, which would enable the zemindars to realize rents admittedly due without delay and expense. There seems to me to be no reason why this portion of the Bill should not at once be proceeded with, as it is in no way connected with the more difficult and intricate question of the enhancement of rent.

The introduction of a simple measure to facilitate the collection of rent will be a great boon to the zemindars of Bengal, and one for which they are fairly entitled to ask.

RICHARD TEMPLE.

No. 316, dated Simla, the 28th April 1877.

From—G. H. M. BATTEN, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 945, dated the 12th instant, and in reply to state that the Governor-General in Council is pleased, in anticipation of the sanction of Her Majesty's Secretary of State, to authorize the introduction into the local Legislative Council of a Bill based upon the provisions of section 9 of the draft Bill submitted with your letter of the 8th December last, No. 3200, to provide a more speedy and effectual procedure for the realization of uncontested arrears of rent.

2. I am to request that a copy of the Bill may be furnished to the Government of India as soon as it has been framed in view to its being forwarded to the Secretary of State.

3. With reference to paragraphs 8 to 10 of your letter, I am to state that the Governor-General in Council entertains doubts as to the expediency of including in the proposed Bill a provision making the rights and interests of an occupancy ryot in his land liable to sale in execution of a decree, and also transferable by private agreement. The change proposed on this point in the law as it now stands is a very important one, and should, in His Excellency's opinion, be very fully considered.

4. His Excellency in Council will, however, be prepared to reconsider the opinion expressed in Mr. Hope's letter dated the 19th October 1876, No 762, in this matter; but, before doing so, would be glad to be furnished with the views of the Board of Revenue and of the Commissioners of Divisions and of any other selected officers whom His Honor may deem it proper to consult on this point.

5. The change in the law in this respect does not appear to be essentially connected with the proposal to provide a more speedy procedure for the realization of rents, and should, in the opinion of the Governor-General in Council, be considered separately.

No. 1180.

COPY of this letter, and of the one to which it is a reply, forwarded to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue in the Land Revenue Department, with the request that the Board, after consulting Commissioners of Divisions and such other officers as they think it desirable to refer to, will favour the Lieutenant-Governor with an expression of their opinion upon the question raised in paragraphs 8 to 10 of the letter to the Government of India.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

H. H. RISLEY,
Under-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 2nd May 1877.

No. 885A, dated Fort William, the 25th October 1877.

From—R. H. WILSON, Esq., Offg. Secretary to the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department.

WITH reference to Government order No. 1180, dated 2nd May 1877, I am directed to submit the following report on the question discussed in paragraphs 8 to 10 of Mr. Reynolds' letter No. 945, dated 12th April, as to the expediency of making the right and interest of an occupancy ryot liable to sale on default, and also transferable by private agreement.

2. Most of the officers whom the Board have consulted concur completely in the view taken by the Government of Bengal. The Commissioner of Burdwan writes as follows:—

The Commissioner of Burdwan.

"The proposal to make the right and interest of the occupancy ryot liable to sale for default and transferable by private agreement is one regarding which, as far as the Lower Provinces are concerned, there cannot, I think, be two opinions. In many cases these rights are now sold, and in some recent settlements in the south of Midnapore the Settlement Officer has applied for permission to record in his proceedings the fact that such rights have been accorded to the occupancy ryots of the estate.

"The proposal in question is one which, as pointed out in the 9th paragraph of Mr. Reynolds' letter, would be advantageous both to landlord and tenant: to the former, there is the undoubted convenience of being able to realize his arrears in cash, instead of having a holding thrown on his hands; as regards the tenant, any opposition to the proposal

as one bearing hardly on him must be founded, as pointed out by the Collector of Burdwan, on a misapprehension of the facts of the case. 'A right of occupancy is one which only endures so long as the rent is paid [section 6, Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869]. If the rent is not paid, the ryot is by the present law liable to displacement; and it is obviously to the ryot's advantage that this displacement should be effected by a sale rather than by ejectment, because in the former case he gets the surplus sale proceeds (if any), while in the latter case he gets nothing,' and, he might have added, has still the unliquidated decree hanging over him."

He also quotes the opinions of two Collectors of his division—

Mr. Harrison, Collector of Midnapore.

"As regards the question discussed in paragraphs 8 to 10 of Bengal Government's No. 945 of the 12th April 1877, I would beg to say that I cannot too emphatically urge the extreme desirability of making occupancy rights transferable: I cannot pretend to add anything to the arguments contained in paragraph 9 in the letter referred to. So far as I am competent to judge, it is a measure the advantages of which would all be on one side, for I cannot see a single real and practicable objection to it.

"I would even go further and advocate the provision of a machinery by which occupancy rights in definite tenures might be inexpensively registered, and thereby obtain some additional security, though not any more favourable rates."

Mr. Whinfield, Collector of Burdwan.

"I think the proposal to declare occupancy rights liable to sale in execution of decree a very good one. These rights are now sold constantly, and have been for years past so sold without objection on the part of anyone, and the objections raised by the Government of India in their letter No. 762, dated 9th October last, seem to have arisen from an imperfect apprehension of the facts of the case. A right of occupancy is a right which only endures so long as the rent is paid [section 6, Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869]. If the rent is not paid, the ryot is by the present law liable to displacement; and it is obviously to his advantage that this displacement should be effected by a sale rather than by an ejectment, because in the former case he gets the surplus sale proceeds (if any), while in the latter case he gets nothing."

3. The Commissioner of Bhagulpore expresses substantially the same opinion:—

The Commissioner of Bhagulpore.

"As regards the transfer of a right of occupancy by sale in execution of decree, or by private sale or agreement, I do not see any real objection otherwise than as political expediency may require to be taken into account in certain places. For example, political expediency should prevent the extension of such a law (if passed) to such portions of the district of the Sonthal Pergunnahs as are inhabited by a purely Sonthal population. If this be not done, the Bengali and Hindustani money-lending element will very soon supplant the Sonthals, and put an end to their primitive social system, as well as their agricultural arrangements.

"In other places I do not set much store upon the kind of objections that I have heard raised against the free sale of occupancy jotes, namely, that the village system, already weakened, will be destroyed and ill-will perpetuated by the introduction of strangers into villages. The best answer to this, to my mind, is that, according to local custom, occupancy rights are already the subject of transfer in many places. They are distinctly so in Purneah, and I believe frequently elsewhere. I do not see that any extraordinary or evil effects of the system are apparent. I mention what Mr. Kemble says upon this point also—

"'In this district, and I believe in almost every district in Bengal, occupancy rights are by custom liable to sale in execution of decrees, and are transferable. The law has not declared that they are not saleable, or that they are simply hereditary; so that, if a ryot has a right of occupancy, no one can prevent his creditor from attaching it and selling it for what it is worth; nor can any one prevent the occupancy ryot from selling his right and interests in his tenure.

"A law such as that proposed by Sir Richard Temple and vetoed by the Government is quite unnecessary. It would simply empower persons to sell by special enactment what they have full liberty to sell as citizens of a free country."

4. The Commissioner of Chittagong expresses himself briefly to the same effect—

The Commissioner of Chittagong.

"In reply, I beg to state that in my opinion, and it is one in which the Collector of Chittagong concurs, to make the sale of such rights for arrears of rent legal would be conferring a boon on both the parties concerned.

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"The rights of occupancy ryots are in practice regarded as both transferable and heritable in this division; there can be therefore no objection to this custom receiving legal sanction."

5. The following extract is taken from the Presidency Commissioner's report—

The Presidency Commissioner.

"The Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs states that he sees no reason for doubting that it would be a great advantage to the ryots if all occupancy tenures were by law declared to be saleable. This would at once give a definite money value to every occupancy ryot's land, and so far turn him into a man of substance. He sells his tenure now, but gets a low price, because it is uncertain whether he can legally do so, and the purchaser's title is therefore liable to dispute. If his tenure were declared by law to be saleable, he would be placed in a much safer position, and could command a better price for his land. It may be said, Mr. Wilson remarks, that the ryot's gain must be the zemindar's loss; but in reality a state of uncertainty, such as at present prevails, can hardly be really advantageous to any honest man, whether he be a landlord or a tenant.

"The Collector of Nuddea reports that it is scarcely accurate to say that such tenures are now in some few instances transferable by local custom. The tenures which are transferable and saleable are transferable and saleable independently of Act X of 1859. Since 1874 and the decision passed in the case of Norendro Narain Roy *vs.* Ishan Chunder Sen (W. R., volume XXII, page 22), the fact has been recognized that an occupancy right arising solely out of Act X is merely a personal privilege, and not a tenure.

"On looking at the proposed change which is contemplated in the law as it will affect the ryot, Mr. Stevens states that he can see nothing in it except gain to him. At present a right of occupancy has exchangeable value only as regards the landlord; he is the only person with whom an exchange can be made, and such exchanges are rare. The proposed change will give the ryot the power of exchanging with all the world, and must therefore in this respect confer a great advantage on him. Mr. Stevens considers that it has been quite correctly stated in the Government letter that rights of occupancy, when sold, would generally be bought by ryots of much the same class as those who originally held them. Where this might not be the case they would usually be bought by the zemindar under whom the tenure is held. The objection of the Government of India would, Mr. Stevens thinks, apply with infinitely greater reason to the case of zemindars, putnee and other superior tenures, which are now by law freely transferable. From what he has seen of Bengal he has not perceived much reason to believe that the persons who are now puchasing land are likely to make worse landlords than their predecessors; but unless this be so the objection has no weight. In regarding the measure from the landlord's point of view, Mr. Stevens states that it is necessary to consider how it will affect them with respect to (1) occupancy rights now existing, and (2) occupancy rights to accrue hereafter. In the case of occupancy rights accruing hereafter there is no difficulty whatever: any landlord who may not wish occupancy rights to be saleable and transferable will have the remedy in his own hands; occupancy rights will not be acquired by his ryots against his will; under section 7 of the law they may be barred by express stipulation. The future can therefore take care of itself. In the case of existing rights the landlord will derive the advantage pointed out in paragraph 9 of the Government letter. It will frequently be more convenient to him to realize his rents by sale of the tenure than to resume direct possession of the land. It is, moreover, an advantage to him to attach his ryots more firmly to their holdings, while he loses no power of enhancement which the law has given him. On the other hand, he will lose the advantage which he now possesses of resuming lapsed rights and making fresh settlements of the lands subject to those rights. This is a distinct loss to the landlord, and must be set against the advantages. In Mr. Stevens' opinion they nearly balance each other, and he believes that the landlords as a body will raise little or no objection.

"The Collector of Jessore writes that the saleable character of the occupancy tenure has been times without number recognized by the act of the zemindar in bringing it to sale for his dues. No doubt in doing so he has not acted of his own accord, but has only accepted, perforce, the decision of the courts; but as between himself and the ryots who purchased at the sales held at his instance, we can hardly now intervene and say the tenure is not saleable. Mr. Smith is of opinion, therefore, that no great harm will now result from making the right saleable, and some convenience may follow in the facility it will give for realizing rents.

"The Collector of Moorshedabad is of opinion that it is not desirable, either in the interests of the zemindar or that of the ryots, to make the occupancy right transferable by private agreement. In Mr. Hodgkinson's opinion no change in the character of this right is necessary. The most that can be firmly done, he thinks, is to make it saleable for its own arrears, provided the zemindar is left a free choice whether he will pursue that course for the realization of his rents, or enter upon the land after ejecting the occupancy holder. The convenience of realizing his rents by selling the tenure will thus be assured the zemindar. As this course will be optional, and in addition to his present remedy, no right of his will be sacrificed.

"Mr. Hodgkinson has written a very full and able report on the subject, and he has advanced some cogent reasons in support of his views. I do not think, however, that the result of the proposed measure will be to add an intermediate link in the chain of sub-infeudation, or to transfer the occupancy tenures from the hands of actual cultivators into those of petty money-dealers, as apprehended by Mr. Hodgkinson. The nature of the tenure itself, as well as competition, would, I think, obviate any such consequence."

"On the whole, I concur with the views expressed by the Government of Bengal in paragraphs 8 to 10 of their letter to the Government of India, and with the opinion of the majority of the district officers in this division, that to make the right and interest of an occupancy ryot liable to sale for default, and also transferable by private agreement, will be advantageous to the interests of both landlords and tenants, and will be acceptable to both parties."

A copy of Mr. Hodgkinson's letter* is appended to the present report, and his views are considered below.

* No. 440G., dated 24th June 1877.

6. The Commissioner of Rajshahye and Cooch Behar fully agrees with the opinions already quoted—

The Commissioner of Rajshahye and Cooch Behar.

"I am entirely in favour of making occupancy tenures transferable by sale at the will of the ryot, and liable to sale by the zemindar on failure of the ryot to pay the rent of the tenure. I can add little or nothing to what is said in paragraphs 9 and 10 of Mr. Reynolds' letter. Though the measure will certainly increase the value of these tenures

to the ryot, it is still more wanted in the interest of the zemindar, and would prove a more effectual means of realizing his dues than the other proposal, which affects uncontested cases only. Indeed, I think the latter by itself would be a very insufficient measure, and that, if we are to give the zemindar any real assistance in return for the work of collecting all these cases for us, we ought to make the occupancy tenures liable to sale.

"The measure is, in fact, Mr. Westmacott reports, in actual operation in Dinagepore by established local custom. It originates in the fact of there being more land than ryots to cultivate it, and in the ryots selling their tenures by private arrangement to their own advantage. To this the zemindars were either afraid to object, lest they should get no ryots to rent their lands, or they saw no reason for doing so as long as they received their rents from some one. The custom is now thoroughly established, and is in full force in both its phases, no zemindar objecting to a ryot selling his tenure, and the ryots both admitting the zemindar's right to sell in default of payment of rent, and claiming their own right to sell when and to whom they choose. The right is equally valued by both parties, and not long ago an incidental decision of a civil court refusing to recognize the transferable character of a tenant's right created quite a ferment, as depriving tenures of much of their value.

"I think the fact of the measure being in force by local custom in the Dinagepore district for many years, to the satisfaction of both parties, is a strong argument in favour of the view that its general introduction could do no harm whatever."

7. The Commissioner of Orissa takes substantially the same view—

The Commissioner of Orissa.

"In Orissa the practice of zemindars bringing to sale the holdings of occupancy (thani) ryots in execution of decrees for rent is not uncommon. The holding, when put up to sale, is bought in by the zemindar himself.

"Occupancy ryots also sell their holdings to other persons not unfrequently, and the right of the buyer is not disputed.

"These practices are rendered possible by the extreme ignorance of the law which so strongly characterizes the people of this province. I am of opinion that it matters little what law may be passed on this subject, as the people will go on in their old customs the same as before, and as they are averse to litigation, the courts will have no power to touch them.

"On the general question, apart from local peculiarities, I am, and have always been, in favour of rendering the holding of a thani ryot transferable, believing that the position of this class would be much improved thereby, and feeling that any measure which tends even indirectly to create a stable middle class among the rural population would be beneficial."

8. Mr. Monro, the Inspector-General of Police, expresses himself as follows—

Mr. Monro.

"On the advisability of making a right of occupancy saleable I entertain no doubt. To make the tenure saleable, as proposed, would be an advantage both to ryot and zemindar, and the village bunnia is not a political danger in Lower Bengal, as he appears to be in the North-Western Provinces."

And Mr. Field, Judge of Burdwan, writes much to the same effect—

Mr. Field.

"The settlement and history of the land in Bengal, the character of the people, and the internal relations of the community are radically different from those of the North-Western Provinces, the Punjab, and Oudh. So far as I am competent to form an opinion, I think there are strong arguments against the unrestrained sale of land in execution of decrees in those provinces. But these arguments have little application in Bengal to the sale of estates, or even of valuable tenures, and to the question of the alienability of *raiyati* holdings I think that they are wholly irrelevant. This question ought in my opinion to be decided upon other grounds."

9. Mr. Towers, Judge of Nuddea, writes as follows—

Mr. Towers.

"With regard to the question treated of in paragraphs 8 to 10 of the Government of Bengal's letter No. 945, dated 12th April 1877, I think it would be well to declare the transfers in question legal. I believe that practically they are so already by custom in many districts, but since the Full Bench ruling in Narendra Narayan Roy's case, XXII, W. R., 22, local custom is all that the parties to the transfers have to rely on, and if this cannot be proved the zemindar *may* refuse his assent, and in fact eject the transferee without compensation.

"I think the proposed change in regard to this point would be much more in the interest of the cultivating class than in that of the landlords. In districts where land was at a premium, and competition for it brisk, it would, of course, be advantageous to the landlord to refuse sanction to a transfer by sale (as he can do by the present law if the custom is not proved) except on payment of a fine to himself; or, on the death of ther yot without heirs, to be able to confiscate the jumma and let it out to another cultivator on his own terms. The ryot would in fact, as remarked in paragraph 9 of the Government of Bengal's letter, be raised to the *status* of a dependent *talookdar*. I quite agree with the opinion expressed in the same paragraph that there is no reason for apprehending that the measure would have the effect of transfering the land to a different class. In the great majority of cases no doubt the occupancy right would be purchased by people of the same class as the former tenant.

"The change would certainly be advantageous to the ryot; it will confer on him something in the nature of the Ulster tenant-right. That it would also be advantageous to the landlord would depend on circumstances. If it happened to be in a neighbourhood where

the demand for land was in excess of the supply, it would certainly not be for his advantage, for he could always make better terms with the in-coming than with the out-going tenant, and the same would probably be the case if the landlord was a man who carried on much cultivation himself as in the *nij-abad* of indigo-planters.

"Cases of this kind are, however, I believe, comparatively few in the districts of which I have any experience. I know that occupancy rights, or *jote jummahs*, are sold every day by private sale and in execution of decree, and it is very seldom that the zemindar objects; and the fact that such objections are so rare is a proof that the landlords do not consider themselves much aggrieved by the practice.

"If the contemplated change is made, rights of occupancy should, I suppose, be added to the tenures mentioned in section 26 of Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869. Perhaps this is in contemplation, but I have not seen a copy of the draft Bill.

"In conclusion, it appears to me that the enactment of the proposed change in regard to occupancy rights would have very much the same effect as the passing of the Irish Landlord and Tenant Act, 1870.

"In Ireland there was the custom, protected by public opinion alone, that mere tenants from year to year (a grade lower than occupancy ryots) might sell the interests in their farms to an in-coming tenant who entered on the same condition. That custom received by the Act the full force of the law.

"In Bengal there is a very prevalent custom that the holder of a right of occupancy can dispose of it in the same way, but that right depends upon custom only, and has been declared by the highest authority not to be sanctioned by law independent of custom. The proposed Bill will legalize the custom. In what light it will be viewed by the zemindars I do not know; but they have ample means of bringing their views on the subject before the Government. In the interest of the ryots, I have no doubt the change will be a very desirable one."

10. In the Dacca Division, where the ryots are probably better off than in any other part of Bengal, opinions are more or less divided. The Commissioner writes as follows—

The Commissioner of Dacca.

"Both the Collectors of Backergunge and Tipperah are of opinion that the sale of occupancy rights to satisfy debts due by ryots should not be legalized. It would introduce all kinds of confusion." Mr. Barton thinks that in Eastern Bengal at least ryots need no further protection nor further immunities than they have at present. In many cases, as it is, the ryots are the masters and the zemindars the servants.

"Mr. Lyall regrets that he has to differ from the view entertained by the Government of Bengal. A provision in the proposed Bill, making the rights and interests of an occupancy ryot in his land liable to sale in execution of a decree, and also transferable by private agreement, will, according to the view he takes, encourage the creation of a number of under-tenures exactly of the nature of shikmis. The result which is apprehended is that the whole land will be tied up in a number of infinitesimal tenures, incapable of redistribution, with the object of adjusting the amount of a man's holding to his family. Zemindars will thus have still less to do with their ryot, and become more than they are now, mere annuitants on the soil, defeating thereby one of the main objects of the permanent settlements.

"The proposed system will, he further considers, tend to increase the imposts on the actual cultivator of the soil, for every middleman tries to extract as large a margin of profit as possible. Mr. Lyall has found the ryots of talookdars paying two to four annas more than those of zemindars of adjoining fields, and he is of opinion that, in the ordinary course of events, the proposed new class of holders of transferable occupancy rights will dispose of their tenures not to cultivating ryots, but to those who will sub-let at a higher rate, and thus the occupancy lands now to be created will practically become small tenures, the ryots of which will be paying rack-rents. It is doubted whether the occupancy right would, as assumed by Mr. Reynolds, be purchased in most cases by ryots of the same class and position as the former tenants. Experience opposes such a probability, as it found that in many places occupancy ryots are even now sub-letting their tenures at enhanced rates. The jotedars of the Panchashazari chur, in the district of Furreedpore, have been found to be sub-letting lands which they have been paying rent for to Government at 8 annas for Re. 1-8 and Rs. 2, and, as the law now stands, they cannot be ousted in favour of the *bonâ fidê* cultivator. If this be possible now, how much more common is it not likely to be when tenures are saleable?

"Moreover, if ryottee rights are made transferable, they will come under the laws of the inheritance conveyance of real property, and will prove a fruitful source of litigation. Land will become fearfully sub-divided, which will re-act upon the ryots themselves.

"Another argument which the Collector has adduced against this proposal is that the right to a large sum as salami which the zemindars would now receive in the event of his creating a number of saleable tenures would, by the proposed law, be taken from them and given to the ryot, the equity of which Mr. Lyall ventures to question. So far, then, from allowing an occupancy ryot to sell his rights and interest, Mr. Lyall would not allow him even to sub-let his land, for, if this power is conceded, those under him must be rack-rented more or less.

"Before deciding on a step such as is now proposed, Mr. Lyall thinks that the whole history and effect of under-tenures in Bengal should be fully considered, and the question determined whether the enormous sub-infeudation which has gone on in many districts has been on the whole for the prosperity of the country or not. Until this be done, he does not think such a sweeping change as that contemplated should be entertained."

Mr. Peacock's own view is expressed thus—

"The proposal discussed in paragraphs 8 to 10 of Mr. Reynolds' letter, viz to make the right and interest of an occupancy ryot liable to sale for default, as well as transferable by private agreement, is one with regard to which much may be said on both sides. The question must be regarded from two points of view—the ryots and the zemindars. So far as the ryot is concerned, there is no question that the proposal is one that would often be a material benefit to him, as it would ensure his being able to obtain a consideration in money for the rights he possesses. It might also, as pointed out in the Government letter, be a convenience to the zemindar to realize his arrears of rent from an occupancy ryot by the sale of his tenure, rather than by resuming direct possession of the land. I confess I do not follow the Collector of Dacca through all his objections to the proposal, nor do I think with the Collectors of Backergunge and Tipperah that its adoption would give rise to all kinds of confusion.

"I do not see that necessarily the power of selling their occupancy rights will 'create millions of new tenures.' It will not create anything that does not exist now, the power of the ryot to sell alone excepted. The Collector admits that now 'nearly all ryots have occupancy rights, and those who have not are gradually acquiring them.' If so, the zemindar would seem to be little prejudiced by this extension of the privileges attaching to a right of occupancy, because the ryots will simply have the right of selling that which, if they had not sold, would have remained in their own hands. I am speaking now of the sales by private agreement, not of sales for default. On the other hand, there is no doubt that, if the zemindars were to create a saleable as well as a transferable tenure, he would get a considerable sum for doing so, and that by the proposed change in the law the possibility of his being able to do this with lands from which he has dispossessed an occupancy ryot is taken away from him and transferred to the ryot. For, with the power of sale that the ryot will have, he will of course, when driven to it, sell his tenure in preference to being evicted from it without gaining anything.

"I must say that I do not feel assured of the probability referred to in paragraph 9 of the Government letter, viz. that in most cases an occupancy right would be purchased by another resident ryot in the same village as the vendor. It is just as probable that these rights would frequently be purchased by mere speculators, who would of course proceed to make the most they could out of their bargain, and sub-let the land at the highest procurable rent. On this point, however, it is impossible to speak with any certainty till some experience has been gained.

"Having given the subject my best consideration, I am on the whole inclined to recommend that occupancy rights should be liable to be sold in execution of a decree for rent when the judgment-creditor applies for execution to issue against such right. It will then rest with the zemindar to adopt this course, if such a sale would be more convenient than the direct resumption of the holding, and not otherwise. As regards the sale by private agreement of such a holding, I see no objection to the ryot being allowed to do so with his zemindar's consent. This would prevent the latter's interests from being prejudiced in cases where he was opposed to such a sale, and, on the other hand, it would not debar such sales from being effected in cases where the zemindar was willing that this should be done.

"I have said above that it is impossible to say what the effect of conferring such a power on the ryot would be, and it is useless to speculate upon it. In the face, however, of the clear gain that it would be to the ryot, and the occasional convenience it would be to the zemindar, I am not prepared to say that such an authority ought not to be conferred, because there is a chance that the lands would pass into the hands of those who would probably impoverish the actual cultivators by a system of rack-renting. As a matter of fact, I believe the experiment to the extent mentioned above might safely be tried. I doubt much if execution would often be taken out against a ryot's occupancy rights and interests, and I think that it would be in very rare instances that a zemindar would consent to a ryot's transferring those rights and interests by private agreement."

11. Mr Edgar, Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling, also draws a distinction between sales for arrears and sales by private agreement—

"I am strongly in favour of making the occupancy right liable to sale in satisfaction of a decree for arrears As the law stands at present, a suit may be brought to eject the occupancy tenant for arrears of rent. If the tenure be a valuable one, the tenant, if able, will not fail to pay up the amount, in order to save his right; but there may be cases in which for some reason the tenant is unable to pay the rent, though much less than the letting value of the tenures. One often sees such a case when a man dies leaving a widow and young children, and debts which have to be paid by the sale of moveable property. His occupancy right might be a valuable one, and still the widow have no means of paying the rent, as under the present law she could not pledge the tenure as security for a loan. The landlord would of course bring an action to eject, and as the widow would be unable to defend the suit, a decree and execution would probably be obtained without much delay, and the widow and children deprived of everything. Now, if the tenure were made liable to sale for arrears, they would get the difference between the arrear of rent and the market value of their occupancy right. I have frequently seen cases analogous to this both here and in Cachar, where the position of the landholders in many respects resembles that of ryots with occupancy rights in a big zemindari.

"It seems to me that there would be no injustice to the landlord in taking away the right of ejecting occupancy tenant for arrears of rent and making the tenure liable to sale:

when he ejects a tenant he hopes to re-let the tenure at a higher rent, and so get back the amount of arrears in the course of time. If the tenures were sold he could bid up to the amount of the arrears, and, if no higher bid were made, buy the tenure in, putting himself in the same position in which he would have been if he had ejected the tenant. On the other hand, the substitution of sale for ejectment would be a distinct benefit to the very class of ryots whom we ought to be most anxious to protect, *i e.* those who for some reason are unable to pay the rent due on valuable occupancy tenures.

'The sale of the occupancy tenure should be well advertised, and in cases decided *ex parte* a notice should be served on the judgment-debtor, who should be allowed to save the tenure from sale by paying up the amount of decree previous to the date of sale, which should never be less than 15 days from the date of service of notice. In cases decided on appearance of the ryot, if the application for sale were made in his presence, he should be warned verbally by the court, and the 15 days might run from that date. If application were delayed till after the ryot had left the court, notice should be served as in *ex parte* cases, but at the cost of the decree-holder. In any case in which a tenure had been sold after written notice, I should allow the ryot to bring a regular suit to annul the sale on the ground that notice had not been served on him, but for no other reasons. He should not be allowed to dispute the sale if he had received the verbal notice in court.

"It seems to me that the question of making occupancy rights transferable by private sale differs in many respects from that of making them liable to sale instead of to ejectment for arrears of rent. The latter, with proper safeguards against fraud on the part of the landlord, would be, I think, an unmixed benefit to the ryot and no injury to the zemindar, while I do not see how in practice it could have a tendency to transfer the land to undesirable classes. I have much more hesitation about the former measure. There can be no doubt that the arguments in its favour contained in paragraph 4 of Bengal Government's letter No. 945 of the 12th of April are very strong—on the whole, I believe, stronger than the objections; still there seems to be some force in the objections, and it may be possible that the results would not be equally good in different parts of Bengal. Speaking from my own personal experience, I should say that in East and North Bengal the results would be decidedly good, and that there would be little danger of its having the effect feared by the Government of India. Even should the objection to making occupancy rights transferable by private sale be held to preponderate, I hope this should not be allowed to effect the question of making them liable to sale for arrears of rent."

12. Mr. Field, Judge of Burdwan, in a long and able report, questions the expediency of what are known as the occupancy clauses of the present rent law, and briefly sums up as follows the view which he takes of the question now immediately under consideration—

"The conclusion, then, to which I am led, is that a right of occupancy might, and would in all probability be beneficially made transferable if the following propositions were enacted into law:—

I.—Declare that, in passing Act X of 1859 and Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869, it was not the intention of the legislature to alter or interfere with any usage or custom of holding of land, or with any tenure, or the incidents of any tenure, founded on such usage or custom, further or otherwise than is expressly enacted in the said Act.

II.—Declare that all such usages, customs, tenures, and incidents thereof, proved to have existed since the time of the permanent settlement, and not opposed to any Regulation or Act, or to the common law of the country, shall have the force of law.

III.—Repeal the section which gives a right of occupancy to persons holding or cultivating and for twelve years, saving all rights required under the section before its repeal.

IV.—Give the *zemindar* a right of pre-emption where the *raiyat* desires to transfer his rights by private sale.

V.—Declare that a right of occupancy acquired under Act X of 1859, independent of any such usage or custom as aforesaid, and every holding let to a cultivating *raiyat* for the purpose of actual cultivation shall be voidable on proof that the tenant has converted himself into a middleman

VI.—Declare that, in the event of the sale of an estate for arrears of Government revenue, a right of occupancy, acquired under Act X and not accruing to a holding otherwise protected against avoidance upon a revenue sale, shall be voidable on proof that the tenant owed half a year's rent to his landlord and had not tendered payment thereof. This may prevent combination for the non-payment of rent.

If the above changes were made in the law, I think that the enhancement difficulty could be much more easily settled. If the question be whether, the law remaining unaltered, it be desirable to make a right of occupancy transferable, my opinion is against the expediency of such a measure."

The present state of the law with respect to the sale of occupancy rights is very clearly stated in another paragraph of his letter:—

"That a right of occupancy *per se* is not transferable is settled law,—see the case just quoted, and also *Narendro Narain Rai* vs. *Eshan Chandra Sen*, XXII, W. R., 22, both which cases* were decided by a Full Bench. But though the right is not transferable *per se*,

* Ajudhya Persad *vs.* Mussamut Imam Bandi, VII, W. R., 629.

there are many cases in which it has been decided that a right of occupancy may be transferable according to the custom of a particular district, estate, or locality. Now, I think, if all these cases be examined, it will be found what is transferable is not the right of occupancy, but the *jote jumma* or other holding, which was transferable by previous custom, and to which Act X annexed a fresh incident of protection against eviction. It is only eighteen years since the Act was passed and the right of occupancy created, and this period is too short to create a custom under any system of law. It is quite possible that some rights of occupancy, the creatures of the Act, and having no previous origin, have come to be regarded as transferable; but I am tolerably certain that this has happened only in those districts in which there were *raiyati* interests transferable by custom before the Act was passed, and the creature of the Act came to be assimilated to, and confounded with, these. I say nothing about those cases in which the land with the right of occupancy has been transferred with the consent of the *zemindar* or at his instance by an execution sale. As to the latter class of cases, it has been remarked that they cannot be evidence of any right on the part of the *raiyat* to transfer without the assent of the *zemindar* (per Phear, J., XX, W. R., 141), and the same remark applies with greater force to the former class."

13. Mr. Ravenshaw has no doubt that the occupancy sections of Act X of 1859 were intended to protect old tenures rather than to create new ones, and he feels strongly that, especially in dealing with interests in land, legislation is a clumsy and dangerous instrument compared with the gradual action of competent courts developing, defining, and asserting rights and customs of natural growth as they insensibly change to meet the changing requirements of the various classes interested. But he cannot admit that legislative change, possibly involving loss to some and gain to others, is under no circumstances desirable; and in the present case there are, he thinks, special reasons justifying interference with existing interests and relations. If our civil courts are not perfect, they are on the whole wonderfully successful in reconciling English ideas and Indian facts; but it is far from certain or probable that they have preserved and asserted all old customary rights. It was as a rough substitute for such rights—difficult to ascertain and still more difficult to prove—that Act X was intended, and it is too late now to go back from the policy of 1859. It should not be forgotten, too, that the proprietary rights of zemindars in their present unconditional form are as much the creation of English legislation as the occupancy rights of the ryot. In both cases the hard, sharp line which we have laid down has undoubtedly in many cases modified previous relations; and the right to legislate for the protection of the ryot, which must in any case have existed, was expressly reserved in the first Regulation of 1793.

14. But while maintaining the right to legislate for the protection of the ryot even at the expense, if necessary, of a certain amount of loss to the zemindar, Mr. Ravenshaw believes that in reality landlords would seldom or never lose more than they would gain from the change now proposed; for in many parts of the country, as is evident from the reports quoted above, ryottee tenures are now by custom transferable. It is said that, if occupancy rights are made transferable by law, zemindars will lose the salami which they now receive for recognizing their transfer; but Mr. Ravenshaw doubts whether this will altogether be the case, for whenever the rent is liable to enhancement the good-will of the landlord will be of very great value to the in-coming tenant; and in the present constitution of society in rural Bengal there can be little doubt that he will have to pay for it. It may be that a legal recognition of the right to transfer occupancy rights would to some extent lessen the power of the zemindar and increase the independence of the ryot. But Mr. Ravenshaw is convinced that the only practicable summary procedure for the realization of rents is one involving the sale of defaulting tenures; and he has no doubt that the gain to zemindars from a summary rent law would far outweigh any possible loss from making occupancy rights saleable where they are not so already. They would doubtless prefer a summary rent law with the option of recognizing tenures as saleable, since this would furnish a convenient machinery for realizing benevolences or raising rents; but it is certainly for their advantage to accept both the proposed measures rather than to get neither of them.

15. The gain to the ryot is a matter about which Mr. Ravenshaw sees no room for doubt. Mr. Hodgkinson is the only one among the officers consulted who has seriously questioned it, and a sufficient answer to his argument lies in the fact that, in the districts where occupancy rights are by custom recognized as saleable, the bad effects which he apprehends have not as a matter of fact resulted. Behar no doubt differs widely from other parts of Bengal, but Mr. Worsley's letter, quoted at page 45 of the Board's Land Revenue Report for the year 1876-77, shows clearly that even in Tirhoot the cultivators are not now so entirely devoid of intelligence in matters which concern their interests as Mr. Hodgkinson represents. Moreover, the poverty of Behar is undoubtedly in part the result of over-population, if the over-population be not rather the result of thriftlessness begotten by poverty and dependence. In either case the numbers of the people must be thinned by emigration or other means before any very great improvement can be hoped for, and it should certainly not be our object to tie the peasantry more closely than at present to the land. To strip a man naked is no doubt an effective means of preventing him from pawning his clothes, but the process is not necessarily to his advantage. It may be that in some cases petty capitalists will buy up occupancy rights and let out the land at a higher rate of rent to men of the class which now owns those rights; but in Behar, where alone such a result need be apprehended, the present tenants are too often so rack-rented that a holding when sold up by the landlord for arrears fetches a very low price. The ryots' profits are so small that there is, generally speaking, no room for the speculative mahajun whom

Mr. Hodgkinson fears. At all events, if Behar is likely to suffer from the change proposed, this does not seem to Mr. Ravenshaw a sufficient reason for shrinking from its introduction in happier and more advanced districts.

16. In the Dacca Division, where it is feared that to make occupancy rights saleable would introduce all kinds of confusion and still further separate the landlord from the land, the people themselves appear to be of a different opinion from the officials, as they have for some years past been exchanging in enormous numbers written engagements, not only recognizing the right of transfer, but fixing the ryots' rent permanently. It is clear, therefore, that permanent and well defined relations between landlord and tenant, with considerable independence on the part of the latter, are found to be practically convenient. As occupancy ryots already possess the power of sub-letting, there seems to be no reason why a legal recognition of their power to sell should lead to an increase in the number of tenures intermediate between the zemindar and the cultivator; and any restriction on the right of sub-letting would be much more likely to turn the korfa ryot into a day-laborer than to result in his attaining the position of a permanent occupant.

17. To make occupancy rights saleable under decree for arrears, but not transferable by private contract, would clearly be impracticable, because the ryot who wished to transfer his holding to another could always do so by allowing his rent to fall into arrear. The landlord would be in no way better off than if the tenure were admittedly saleable, but the tenant would get a lower price Moreover, if the landlord is to have a summary and rigorous rent law, it is both wise and just to strengthen at the same time the legal position of the ryot. It has also been suggested that occupancy rights should only be saleable with the landlord's consent; but as they are so saleable at present, this merely means that the law should remain as it is On the whole, therefore, Mr. Ravenshaw has no hesitation in recommending that the law should be amended as proposed.

No. 440G., dated Berhampore, the 24th June 1877.

From—G. J. S. Hodgkinson, Esq., Offg. Collector of Moorshedabad,
To—The Commissioner of the Presidency Division.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, on the 9th instant, of your circular memorandum No. 15R.L, dated 2nd instant, and to submit a report on the subject of the proposed amendation of the rent law.

2. I will first deal with the proposal to make the right and interest of an occupancy ryot—

(1) liable to sale for default;
(2) transferable by private agreement.

3. After full consideration of the very important change which this proposal involves, I am led to express a strong opinion that it is not desirable that the proposal should be carried into effect; and as to my regret I find that I have the misfortune to differ with high authorities, it is only respectful to them that I should place on record with very great deference the reasons which have led me to this conclusion, not indeed with any expectation of the views crudely set down by me having or deserving much weight with those who have studied the questions more deeply and by the light of far greater experience than I can claim, but in order to show that I really have gone into the subject.

4. It is believed that to make the tenure saleable would (1) be an undoubted advantage to the ryot, and (2) on the other hand it would frequently be a convenience to the zemindar to be able to realize arrears of rent by the sale of the tenure, instead of resuming direct possession of the land.

5. I join issue with both these conclusions.

6. That ryots who at the present moment hold land under occupancy rights will immediately gain by the proposed enactment it would be vain to deny. But the enactment is not intended for the present only; and for the ultimate effect of it on the ryot we must look ahead to a time not less than a generation distant. Will the general condition of the cultivator be improved in 1910? Will the pressure of rent on the cultivating class generally be more or less tolerable than it is at present? Will the number of ryots holding these transferable occupancy tenures be proportionately larger or smaller than the number of occupancy tenants is now? Will many of the then occupancy holders be strictly speaking cultivators at all?

7. If I can show that in the short space of one generation the general condition of the cultivator is likely to be worse than now, the pressure of rent less tolerable, the number of occupancy-tenants fewer, and of these many not strictly speaking cultivators at all, I do not think it can be contended that an enactment making occupancy rights saleable will be advantageous to the ryot.

8. It is an error to suppose that occupancy ryots as a class are superior in wealth, intelligence, and worldly wisdom to the ordinary run of ryots. They now form a very large and increasing proportion of the ordinary agriculturists. In the district of Moorshedabad there is often little or no difference between the rates at which they hold their land and those imposed on the less favoured class of ryots at will. The ordinary characteristics of the ryot are equally observable in their mode of life. They are imprudent, living from hand to mouth; always in debt to the mohajun; whatever savings they may make on occasions

is quickly squandered on a marriage or festival, or perhaps lavished on some gew-gaw for the female members of the family. The mohajan's debt once incurred is seldom or never wiped off.

9. But it may be urged the effect of making their tenure saleable will be that the ryot in want of money will be able to borrow it on the cheaper terms. That he will be able to get money on the security of his land is certain. When the mohajun knows he has that security to offer, he will probably find the pledge of that security is made a condition of the loan. It may be at first that the rate of interest at which he obtains the loan is somewhat less than he is paying at present; but when the mohajun has once got lien on the tenure, I very much doubt if the ordinary ryot will be able to insist on the continuance of this lower rate. There is practically little or no competition amongst mohajuns for constituents; they play into one another's hands, and (at least in Behar) it is almost a point of honor for a mohajun to refuse a loan to a ryot the constituent of another to whom he is still in debt, unless indeed he has a personal grudge against the latter. I take it that the saleable right of occupancy will be incredibly soon mortgaged up to its full value; and after that the transfer of the tenure to the mohajun follows as a matter of course, the ryot probably remaining on the land as his *gofur* tenant.

10. But (it will be said) this picture is altogether overdrawn. It is likely enough that in a few instances something of the sort may take place; but in an essentially agricultural community too much value will be set upon so important a right as it is now proposed to confer, to make it likely that the ryot will readily part with it. India is a country of which custom is the principal governor. The right of occupancy, as defined by Act X of 1859, is a most valuable right, particularly where there is much competition for land. Then how is it that up to date in Sarun and Tirhoot, two of the most densely-populated districts of this presidency, this right is actually dormant—the ryot hardly knows that he has it, or, if he does know, cares not to assert it. There are of course other reasons for this remarkable apathy; but the fact which underlies all the others I take to be this—that everything of the nature of a right of occupancy had entirely died out in these districts long before Act X of 1859 was passed, and now that this valuable right has been re-enacted and defined by law, eighteen years have not sufficed to make it customary to claim it. In the same way the immediate appreciation of the proposed change by the bulk of the people in its full bearing must not be looked for. The native mind will not become familiarised at once with the idea that the increased value given to the right entails increased responsibility and increased possibilities of losing it altogether. But mohajuns and the more intelligent few will very soon take in the advantages the change has for them. The first feature of the change which will be made apparent to a body of cultivators, nine out of ten of whom are in debt, is the increased facility with which they can borrow money—a feature not calculated to arrest improvidence among an improvident class. The mohajun will then take care that no other feature is allowed to present itself.

11. I believe I am guilty of no exaggeration when I say nine out of ten of the class are involved in debt, and half of these without any reasonable hope of ever escaping from it. Under these circumstances I am strongly of opinion that by the process which I have above described it will be found thirty years hence a very large number indeed of these occupancy tenures is no longer held by the cultivating classes. The capitalist will be the owner: the real cultivator his serf. The rent of the cultivator, now regulated by a law which imposes restrictions on enhancement, will then be dependent upon the will of an irresponsible master, and too often limited only by the endurance of the tenant. I fear that the change which it is now beneficially proposed to enact in the interest of the ryot will then be proved to have introduced the seeds of his undoing, and have thereby led to a grave political misfortune.

12. Nor, if the proposed change is looked at from the landlord's point of view, do I think that it has any valid recommendation. The convenience accruing to the zemindar from the ability to realize arrears of rent by the sale of the tenure, instead of assuming possession of the land, will be in most instances more specious than real, and the value of the tenure to the ryot, and the value of the land to the zemindar after the destruction of the occumpany tenure, are both alike governed by competition. Each is practically represented by the capitalized amount of the difference which exists between the rent paid by the tenure and what would be the rent of the same land if governed by competition. Under the present law, whatever that value is, the whole of it falls to the lot of the zemindar on transfer of the land by ejectment of the tenant. But by the proposed enactment anything in excess of the zemindar's dues under his decree will, after the transfer of the land by an execution sale, belong to the late tenant. This will be a distinct loss to the zemindar—a loss for which he can hardly be considered to obtain a sufficient equivalent in the convenience which will be afforded him in the immediate realization in hard cash of his rents and costs, when covered by the money value of the tenure. For at present, where competition is brisk, the zemindar in want of ready cash can always, after ejecting the former tenant, obtain a *bonus* by letting the land for a term at something less than full rates, and it is only where there is brisk competition that the anticipated convenience will exist. When land is not at a premium the value derived from the sale of the tenure will go as short a way to cover the rent due as the zemindar may find difficulty in letting it on favourable terms.

13. I think I have fairly shewn that the proposition to make the occupancy tenure saleable involves in certain cases a distinct loss to the zemindar. But is it not entirely at his expense that the character of the tenure is to be raised and strengthened? Whatever

accession of right is given, the tenant represents a corresponding diminution of the powers of the landlord. If this is to be effected by legislative enactment, I submit that, in order to justify the measure, it ought to be shewn that there will be a corresponding advantage at least equivalent to the sacrifice, or that a change in the terms of the existing contract between the parties is a public necessity. No reasons for the latter alternative have been suggested; the change is proposed as likely to be acceptable to both zemindars and ryots, because advantageous to both.

14. What advantage is likely to accrue to the zemindar? I have already given reasons for considering the convenience he will have of recovering rents by sale of the tenure to be generally a specious rather than a real advantage, counterbalanced as it is by the possibility of a distinct loss. But it must be conceded that in proportion as the character of the tenure is raised and the money value of it enhanced, the zemindar will in all probability find less difficulty in collecting his rents. This so far is a distinct advantage; but if I am at all correct in my expectation of seeing the tenures one by one pass out of the hands of the actual cultivator into those of the capitalist, the zemindar will no longer have to deal with a poverty-stricken class, but with men who are in a position to know and value their rights. They will indeed pay up their rents, but the power in the village exercised by the zemindars will pass out of his hands—so far (looking to the mode in which it is too often abused) a desirable circumstance enough—only to be exercised over the actual cultivator by pettier and perhaps more unscrupulous and rapacious masters The result of the change will, I believe, merely be to add an intermediate link in the chain of sub-infeudation, already too long and strong for Bengal zemindars in districts where it exists, and regarded with suspicion and dislike in districts where (as in most parts of Behar) it has not been introduced. Thus, although the zemindar may be able to recover his rents more readily from the intermediate tenure-holder, the realization of rent from the actual cultivator will be eventually but little affected by the change.

15. In districts where industries are carried on by European or native capital, requiring for the production of the subject-matter of the industry an amount of land more or less under the control of the capitalist, there would be a great danger of his becoming a large monopolist of land in neighbourhoods where he required it, were occupancy tenures transferable. In the three principal indigo districts of Behar tenures would be bought up all around the factories, the good land put into indigo, the bad land made over to cultivators at comparatively high rates. There would be thus no small advantage, that the planter would get his land legally instead of by oppression or undue influence, as is now too often the case; but the zemindar would distinctly be a loser of the advantages which the ticcadaree system enables him to secure from the factory. It may be—it is—that the zemindar has no right to these advantages; he is paid for a power and influence which he ought not to have did the ryot know his rights; and very desirable it is that this power and influence should be curtailed. Teach the ryot to know his rights; confirm and strengthen him in them by placing him in a position to prove them; the zemindar has no valid reason to complain of this. But extend and enhance these rights at the zemindar's expense by legislative enactment, and he has at once a grievance which there is nothing in the present state of the country to justify, and may be a source of political danger.

16. In the important questions of enhancement which have lately been brought up I am by no means an advocate on the zemindar's side; the unearned increment should in my opinion as a matter of economy be made to find its way, not into the pockets of the upper few, but into a course of expenditure beneficial to the lower classes, the multiplication of whom has been the main cause of existence. But as I would show no favour to the zemindar in matters unsettled, so in justice to him I am disinclined to see any curtailment of his defined rights, even though in some respects abuses may have arisen in his relations to his ryots. By all means let the causes of the abuses be eradicated as far as may be; but I do not think the causes are to be found in the rights themselves, but rather in the ignorance and apathy of the ryot to his own rights, his poverty and state of utter dependence, and the exorbitant cost of litigation.

17. The proposal to make the right of occupancy transferable by private agreement for the above reasons (somewhat loosely expressed I fear) appears to be undesirable both as regards ryots and as regards zemindars. In my own opinion no change in its character is necessary. The most that can fairly be done is to make it saleable for its own arrears, provided the zemindar is left a free choice whether he will pursue that course for the realization of his rents, or enter upon the land after ejecting the occupancy holder. The convenience of realizing his rents by selling the tenure will thus be assured the zemindar, as this course will be optional, and, in addition to his present remedy, no right of his will be sacrificed."

No. 503, dated Calcutta, the 22nd February 1878.

From—H. J. Reynolds, Esq., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Revenue Department,
To—The Secy. to the Govt. of India, Dept. of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce.

In your letter No. 316, dated the 28th April 1877, the Government of Bengal was informed that the Governor-General in Council had been pleased to authorize the introduction into the local Legislative Council of a Bill to provide a more speedy and effectual procedure for the recovery of uncontested arrears of rent. It was requested that a copy of the Bill might be furnished to the Government of India, and it was added that His Excellency in Council entertained doubts as to the expediency of including in the Bill a provision making the rights and interests of an occupancy ryot liable to sale in execution of decree or transferable by private agreement. Upon this point it was desired that an expression of the opinion of the Board of Revenue and of Commissioners of Divisions should be submitted for the consideration of the Government of India.

2. The delay which has occurred in replying to this letter has been caused by the anxious wish of the Lieutenant-Governor to frame a measure which, while it should carefully maintain the just rights of all parties interested in the question, should at the same time be generally accepted by the landholding class as a satisfactory settlement of the difficulties which they now experience in realizing their just dues. That in a large portion of the Lower Provinces, and especially in Central and Eastern Bengal, this class of the community have substantial grounds of complaint against the present system, is a fact which it is at once painful to admit and impossible to deny. The ordinary procedure of the courts of law, admirable as it is where questions of right and title are concerned, admits of many obstacles being placed in the way of a plaintiff who has to recover a number of small debts from a numerous body of defendants who have a common interest in resisting the claim. For the recovery of other classes of debts, the machinery of the Small Cause Court affords a cheap and speedy procedure; but the Small Cause Court is not open to the landlord. When a combination of ryots is formed against him, and such combinations are now not uncommon, the zemindar, even if he has succeeded in obtaining a decree, finds it difficult to get his decree executed; every advantage is taken of the technicalities of the law to raise objections and to interpose delays, and in the end he is often compelled to abandon the prosecution of his claim, or to effect a compromise by the surrender of a portion of his rights. The mischief produced by this state of things is of a very serious character. It is not too much to say that the present system tends to bring the administration of justice into contempt, that it is a hindrance to true economic progress, and that it keeps alive feelings of mutual animosity between different classes of the community—feelings which occasionally find vent in acts of lawless oppression on the one side, and of vindictive retaliation on the other. To these evils it is hoped that the Bill now submitted will in some measure afford a remedy.

3. It appears unnecessary to trouble the Government of India with a detailed account of the suggestions and consultations which have led to the elaboration of the Bill in its present form. The question has been very fully considered and discussed, and reports on it have been furnished by two committees which were successively convened to consider in what manner the accepted principles of the measure could be best embodied in a legislative enactment. The Lieutenant-Governor desires, however, to submit, for the consideration of the Government of India, copies of the communications noted in the margin, the former of which may be taken as expressing the views of the landholding class upon the points which are defective in the existing law, while the latter gives the opinion, called for in your former letter, of the Board and some selected officers on the question of making the occupancy tenure of a ryot liable to sale in execution of decree and transferable by private agreement.

* From Secretary, British Indian Association, No. 62, dated 8th October 1877.
† From Board of Revenue, No 886A, dated 25th October 1877.

4. It will be seen that the procedure for the hearing of cases under the Bill is partly based upon the Act (No. V of 1866) which provides a summary procedure for dealing with bills of exchange. This appears to be well adapted to secure a trial of the case upon the merits to the exclusion of technical and frivolous defences; while, if proper precautions are taken for the service of the summons, there is no reason to apprehend that any substantial answer which the defendant may have to offer to the claim will fail of being duly considered. The sections regarding quarterly days of payment, and the granting of counterfoil receipts, have been introduced in accordance with the suggestions of the British Indian Association. The special procedure of the Act is confined to cases in which rent has previously been paid, or has been agreed to be paid, at the rate claimed in the suit, and arrears of more than one year's standing are excluded from the operation of the Bill.

5. The sections which provide for the registration of transfers of occupancy tenures are regarded by the landlords as of great importance, while at the same time this registration will afford a valuable and permanent record of the rights of this class of ryots. The registration will be an acknowledgment by the zemindar of the validity of the tenure, and if he refuses to register, the law will enforce registration.

6. The procedure with regard to the execution of decrees is a matter upon which the British Indian Associaiton lay more stress than upon any simplification of the procedure

* Not printed. † Printed at page

for the hearing of the suit. It has been sought to render the procedure in execution cases more speedy and efficient by providing that execution may issue on verbal application; that ejectment may be directed for arrears other than those at the end of the year; that an occupancy right may be sold in execution of decree; and that crops belonging to subordinate tenants shall be held liable to distraint. The Lieutenant-Governor has, with some reluctance, withdrawn the proposal that the occupancy right shall be generally transferable by private sale or other agreement. The weight of opinion is in favour of this proposal as will be seen by a reference to the letter of the Board of Revenue, and His Honor is satisfied that such transfers would not have the bad effect which has been sometimes apprehended, and that they would not tend to transfer the land to classes whose ownership it might not be thought desirable to encourage. He believes that such a right of transfer would be much to the benefit of landholder and ryot. It appears, however, that the landlord class are strongly opposed to the concession of any general right of transfer, and the Governor-General in Council has expressed serious doubts as to the expediency of including such a provision in the Bill. The Bill therefore only proposes to recognize sales of occupancy tenures at the request of the landlord in execution of decrees of court, and to this the Lieutenant-Governor believes that no objection will be made.

7. The Lieutenant-Governor is advised that it is expedient that the Bill should be introduced in the Legislative Council of the Governor-General and not in the local legislature. He therefore requests that, with the approval of the Government of India, the measure may be introduced into the Legislative Council of the Governor-General. The Hon'ble Mr. F. R. Cockerell would, as His Honor thinks, be the Member who should have charge of the Bill.

No. 504.

COPY, with a copy of the Bill, forwarded to the Honorary Secretary to the British Indian Association for information, with reference to his letter dated 8th October 1877.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

H. J. REYNOLDS,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd February 1878.

A Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent: It is enacted as follows:—

Extent and commencement. 1. The provisions of this Act may be extended by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* to any districts within the provinces for the time being subject to the said Lieutenant-Governor in which Act X of 1859 or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are, or may be, in force, and shall take effect in such districts from the date which may be specified in such notification.

What is an arrear of rent. 2. All rent of land payable by any ryot shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be due on the dates specified below, that is to say—

(1.)—When the ryot has agreed to pay his rent by specified monthly instalments, the amount of the instalments of the three previous months shall be deemed to be due on the first day of the months of Srabun, Kartick, Magh, and Bysack.

(2.)—Where no agreement has been made to pay by specified monthly instalments, the rent shall be deemed to be due in quarterly instalments on the first days of the aforesaid months of Srabun, Kartick, Magh, and Bysack; and the proportion of each instalment shall be fixed by the Collector after local inquiry with reference to the custom of the district, and shall be published by him by notices to be posted up at the Court or office of the Judge, the Magistrate, and the Collector of the district;

at the Court or office of every Moonsif, Sub-Divisional Officer, and Sub-Registrar of Assurances in such district;

and at every police station in such district; and by proclamation to be made by beat of drum at the head-quarters of such district; and in every place in which a sub-divisional office is situated; and in such other places as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct.

All rent which shall be due as above, and shall remain unpaid by sunset on any of the said quarterly days of payment, shall be deemed to be an arrear of rent, and interest on the same, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, shall be awarded by any Court giving a decree for the principal amount of the arrear in a suit on application under this Act.

Proviso. Provided that where the payment of interest on unpaid monthly instalments has been stipulated for by any written engagement, any such interest which may have become due before the said quarterly day of payment shall, on the application of the plaintiff or applicant under this Act, be added to the interest awarded under the last preceding clause of this section.

What kind of receipt to be given. 3. Every ryot who, on or before such quarterly day of payment, shall pay, at the mál cutcherry of the person to whom the rent is due, any instalment of rent then payable, shall be entitled to have a receipt, of which a counterfoil shall be kept in the cutcherry of the person to whom the payment is made.

Such receipts and counterfoils shall bear consecutive numbers, and shall be bound together in books of not less than fifty receipts each. Neglect or refusal to give such a receipt shall be deemed to be a withholding of a receipt within the meaning of section 10 of Act X of 1859, and section 11 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869.

In all suits for arrears of rent if plaintiff desires to proceed under this Act, the summon shall be in the form given in the Schedule.

4. From and after the commencement of this Act all suits for arrears of rent brought within twelve months after such arrears have become due may, in case the plaintiff shall desire to proceed under this Act, be commenced as hereinafter is mentioned, (that is to say) the plaint shall be in the form prescribed by the Code of Civil Procedure, but the summons shall be in the form contained in the Schedule to this Act; and in any case in which the plaint and summons shall be in such forms respectively, it shall not be lawful for the defendant to appear to defend the suit unless he shall obtain leave from a Judge as hereinafter mentioned so to appear and defend; and in default of his obtaining such leave or of appearance and defence in pursuance thereof, the plaintiff shall be entitled to a decree for any sum mentioned in the summons, and interest on the same at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the date of decree, together with the interest (if any) stipulated for under section 2 of this Act, and a sum for costs to be fixed by an order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, unless the plaintiff claims more than such fixed sum, in which case the costs shall be ascertained in the ordinary way and such decree shall be enforced forthwith.

Defendant showing a defence upon the merits to have leave to appear.

5. The Court shall, upon application within the period of fourteen days from the service of such summons, give leave to appear and to defend the suit upon the defendant paying into Court the sum mentioned in the summons, or upon his satisfying the Court by his examination upon oath or affirmation that he has a defence, or can adduce such facts as the Court may deem sufficient to support the application, and on such terms as to security, framing and recording issues or otherwise, as to the Court may seem fit.

Court may, under special circumstances, set aside decree.

6. After decree the Court may, under special circumstances, set aside the decree, and, if necessary, stay or set aside execution, and may give leave to appear to the summons and to defend the suit if it shall seem reasonable to the Court so to do, and on such terms as to the Court may seem just.

Appeal only on deposit of amount of decree.

7. No appeal shall lie from any decree of the Court under section 4 of this Act, unless the judgment-debtor deposit the amount of the decree with costs in such Court to the credit of the person who has obtained the decree.

Decree-holder may take out deposit, but, if appeal is allowed, must refund it.

8. On the application of the person who has obtained the decree the money in deposit shall be paid to him; but if the judgment-debtor appeal, and the appeal is decreed in his favour in whole or in part, notice shall be served on the original decree-holder requiring him to pay the money aforesaid, or such portion of it as may be ordered to be refunded, into the public treasury within fourteen days from the service on him of such notice.

In default deposit may be claimed as a demand.

9. In default of compliance with such notice the sum referred to therein shall be deemed a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, and shall be recoverable from the decree-holder aforesaid as such.

Landlord must allege that rent at the rate claimed has been paid in former year or has been agreed to.

10. No suit shall be entertained under this Act, except where it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Court that rent at the same rate as that alleged to be due has been paid in respect of the holding for which it is claimed for the year immediately preceding the period during which it is claimed, or that the tenant has agreed by a written engagement which is still in force to pay rent at the rate claimed.

Act not to apply to suits for enhancement of rent.

11. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to apply to suits for rent at enhanced rates.

Occupancy rights to be saleable in execution of decree.

12. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act X of 1859, or in the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, the tenure of any ryot having a right of occupancy shall be liable to sale in execution of a decree against such ryot for an arrear of rent.

Registry of transfers of occupancy rights.

13. All ryots having rights of occupancy are required to register in the sheristah of the zemindar, or superior tenant to whom the rents of their lands are payable, all transfers of their tenures by sale, agreement, or otherwise, which have been made after the commencement of this Act. Every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all transfers of whole tenures when made in good faith; and no ryot claiming a right of occupancy which has accrued after the commencement of this Act shall be entitled to prefer his claim unless the transfer of the tenure has been registered under this section.

Fees may be levied on transfers.

14. Fees at the rate of two per cent. on the annual rent of the interest transferred may be levied by the zemindar or superior tenant on the registry under this Act of any transfer: provided that no fee shall exceed one hundred rupees.

Execution of judgment.

15. In the execution of any decree for arrears of rent due in respect of the tenure of a ryot having a right of occupancy, if satisfaction of the judgment cannot be obtained by execution against the right of

occupancy or the person or the movable property of the debtor within the district within which the suit was instituted, the judgment-creditor may apply for execution against any immovable property belonging to such debtor.

Sections substituted for sections 44, 45, 46, and 47 of Act VIII of 1869.

16. For sections 44, 45, 46, and 47 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, the following sections shall be substituted :—

"44. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent under the provisions of this Act, if it shall appear to the Court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due by him, and that he has not, before the institution of the suit, tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or in case of the refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Collector before the institution of the suit in manner hereinafter mentioned, it shall be lawful for the Court to award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount of rent decreed, as the Court may think fit. These damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum from the date of decree untill payment thereof."

The Court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

"45. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent under the provisions of this Act, if it shall appear to the Court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause, or that the defendant had before the institution of the suit duly deposited with the Collector, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, the full amount which the Court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such deposit, it shall be lawful for the Court to award to the defendant, by way of compensation, such sum, not exceeding 25 per cent. on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the Court may think fit; and such sum, with interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum until payment thereof, shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums ordered to be paid by decrees of such Court."

The Court may award compensation not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount sued for to a defendant improperly sued.

"46. If any under-tenant or ryot shall at the mâl cutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents of the land or other immovable property held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to be the full amount of rent due from him at the date of the tender to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full shall not be forthwith granted, it shall be lawful for the under-tenant or ryot, without any suit having been instituted against him, to deposit within ten days from the date of the tender such amount with the Collector of the district to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid; and such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him, are concerned, in all respects operate as, and have the full effect of, a payment then made by the under-tenant or ryot of the amount deposited to such zemindar or other person."

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., pay into Court, without any action being brought against him, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

Payment into Court to have effect of payment to zemindar or other person entitled.

"47. Such deposit shall be received by the Collector on the application of the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, made in writing, and on the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form, or as nearly as circumstances will admit, in the form set forth in the Schedule (A) hereto annexed, and the Collector shall give a receipt for the same under his seal. If the declaration shall contain any averment which the person making the declaration shall know or believe to be false, or shall not know or believe to be true, such person shall be subject to punishment according to the law for the time being in force for the punishment of giving or fabricating false evidence. Upon receiving the money so deposited, the Collector shall issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited in the form set forth in the Schedule (B) hereto annexed; and such notice shall be served by the Collector without the payment of any fee, either upon the person to whom it is addressed, or upon his naib, gomastah, or other agent; and in the absence of any such agent, it shall be served by sticking up a copy of the same in the Collector's Court, and another copy upon the mâl cutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents are usually paid for the land in respect of which the money has been deposited. If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him."

Proceedings on making a payment into Court and drawing out the money.

17. The Court may, when passing a decree for arrears of rent, on the oral application of the decree-holder, order immediate execution thereof either against the person, or the movable property, or the right of occupancy of the judgement-debtor.

Execution may issue on verbal application of decree-holder.

18. No order for the sale of a right of occupancy shall be made in execution of a decree passed in any suit for arrears of rent when a warrant of execution has been previously issued in the same suit against the person or movable property of the judgement-debtor, so long as such warrant remains in force.

Right of occupancy not to be sold so long as warrant against person or movable property remains in force.

Sections substituted for section 21 of Act X of 1859 and section 22 of Act VIII of 1869.

19. For section 21, Act X of 1859, and section 22 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, the following section shall be substituted:—

"When a decree is passed for any arrears of rent, whether due at the end of the year or not, and the plaintiff has included in his plaint a prayer for the ejectment of the defendant, such defendant shall be liable to be ejected from the land in respect of which the arrear is due, unless the amount of the decree, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into Court within fifteen days from the date of the decree: provided that no ryot having a right of occupancy, or holding under a pottah the term of which has not expired, shall be ejected otherwise than in execution of a decree or order under the provisions of this Act."

Ryot where liable to ejectment.

Crops belonging to under-tenant liable to distraint.

20. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act X of 1859, or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, all crops or products declared liable to distraint under those Acts shall be liable to distraint whether they belong to the person from whom the arrear of rent is due or to any under-tenant of such person, and no such under-tenant shall institute a suit to try the right to the possession of such crops or products, or to recover damages for the distress and sale of the same under sections 139 or 141 of Act X of 1859, or under sections 96 or 97 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869; but such under-tenant may deduct the value of the crops and products belonging to him which have been so distrained from the rent due from him to such person as aforesaid, or may recover the same by suit from such person.

Collector to exercise powers of Court where Act X of 1859 applies.

21. The powers given in this Act to the Court shall be exercised by the Collector in districts where Act X of 1859 is still in force.

Act to be read as part of Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869.

22. This Act shall be read with, and taken as part of, Act X of 1859, where that Act is in force, and of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, where the last-named Act is in force.

SCHEDULE.

(Referred to in Section 4.)

No. OF SUIT.

IN THE COURT OF AT

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

To

Whereas (*here enter plaintiff's name, description and address*) has instituted a suit in this Court against you under Bengal Act 1877 for Rs. , principal and interest due to him as arrears of rent of the lands measuring situate in , held or cultivated by you or from the said (*here enter plaintiff's name*) from the month of to the month of both inclusive, at a rental of Rs. per annum, you are hereby summoned to obtain leave from this Court within fourteen days from the service hereof, inclusive of the day of such service, to appear and defend the suit, and within such time to cause an appearance to be entered for you. In default whereof the plaintiff will be entitled to obtain a decree for any amount exceeding the sum of Rs. (*here state the sum claimed*) and the sum of Rs. for costs.

Leave to appear may be obtained on its being shown to the satisfaction of the Court that there is a defence to the suit on the merits, or that it is reasonable that you should be allowed to appear in the suit.

No. 3060, dated Calcutta, the 11th December 1878.

From—A. MACKENZIE, Esq., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, Revenue Department,

To—The Secy. to the Govt. of India, Dept. of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce.

WITH Mr. Reynolds' letter No. 503 of the 22nd February last, the Lieutenant-Governor laid before the Government of India the draft of a Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent. This was a measure the grounds of proposing which had been fully explained to the Government of India in a previous letter, No. 945 of the 12th April 1877; and the Lieutenant-Governor had hoped that in giving his consent to the preparation of such a Bill,* the Governor-General in Council had been convinced of its necessity and of the pressing call which existed for its very early enactment. No reply has, however, been received to the communication of February last, and, so far as this Government is aware, no steps have yet been taken for the introduction of the Bill in the Legislative Council of the Governor-General. This Government is pledged to very early legislation on the subject of increased facilities for the recovery of rents. The policy of Government has been to throw on the landholder the responsibility of collecting the cesses and taxes which have of late been imposed on the agricultural classes: and in introducing these measures, the Lieutenant-Governor has promised from time to time to pass an Act for

* In Mr. Batten's letter No. 316, dated 28th April 1877.

the purpose above referred to. It is only just and reasonable that this should be done. Unfortunately the Local Council is held now to have no power to deal with such matters.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor, while regretting the delay that has taken place in dealing with a measure which is anxiously looked for by the whole landed interest in Bengal, has taken advantage of it to elicit further opinions upon the details of the Bill as laid before the Government of India, and further discussion of one important question of principle, referred to in paragraph 6 of Mr. Reynolds' letter of the 22nd February, viz., the propriety of making the occupancy tenure generally transferable by sale or otherwise.

3. Taking the last-mentioned matter first, I am directed to forward, for submission to the Government of India, a copy of a letter addressed to the British Indian Association, and of their reply, in which the arguments both for and against the proposal are set forth and discussed. It will be seen that on re-consideration the majority of the Association are disposed to agree with the view taken by the Lieutenant-Governor, and by almost every officer of Government who has been consulted on the subject, that the occupancy tenure might be made generally transferable with advantage both to the ryot and the zemindars, provided the actual transfers be restricted to members of the cultivating class The Association naturally view the question chiefly from the point of view of the landlord, and therefore devote a considerable amount of preliminary argument to minimising the strength of the cultivator's position before the passing of Act X of 1859, and the extent and value of the local custom which already recognizes in very many districts the transferability of the occupancy right. The Lieutenant-Governor does not propose to follow them into either of these arguments, on the first of which there always have been, and probably always will be, great and irreconcilable differences of opinion, while the contention involved in the second is sufficiently met for present purposes by the testimony of the local officers, embodied in the Board's letter of the 25th October 1877, already quoted.

No. 250T, dated 18th May 1878.

† See the Board's letter No. 885, dated 25th October 1877.

4. In paragraph 9 of their letter the Association urge with great fairness the considerations which tell in favour of the legal recognition of the rights of transfer, and express themselves in favour of such a recognition on condition that the transferree shall always by law be a person who will cultivate the land either with his own hands or by hired labour. The Lieutenant-Governor has always recognized the danger of allowing the occupancy tenures to pass into the hands of non-cultivating middlemen or into those of the zemindar himself. In connection with this part of the question the Association point out, in paragraph 10 of their letter, that, under the present Rent Law, as interpreted by the courts, the practice of subletting for rent by the occupancy ryot has grown up and is extending. The sub-tenant of such a ryot has no rights, though he has often all the risk and all the labour of cultivation, and the occupancy ryot becomes really, where such sub-tenants exist, a mere middleman or petty talookdar. The Lieutenant-Governor is of opinion that the law on this point should be amended, and should only recognize as a ryot the man who, paying rent for his holding, either cultivates the soil with his own hands, or with the assistance of his hired labourers, or who, while paying rent himself for his land, sublets a part or the whole of it in such manner as that he still retains a direct risk and interest in the outturn of the crop. (This last provision seems necessary to meet the case of ryots having no capital, or where the widow of a ryot is left with a young family unfit to work themselves and too poor to pay for labour. Such a sub-tenant of a ryot is in fact only a hired labourer receiving a deferred wage in kind.) No undertenant subletting his lands at a fixed rent, to be paid irrespective of vicissitudes of season, should be looked upon as a ryot. Only cultivating ryots as above defined should be able to acquire occupancy rights. Transfers of occupancy tenures should only be recognized when the transferree is, or consents to become, a ryot of this class, and his rights should depend on his continuing to hold that position. The sub-tenant of a middleman, or of any ryot who converts himself into a middleman, should always be able to acquire occupancy rights so long as he remains a cultivator in the sense above described. The Lieutenant-Governor would in fact forbid all subletting for rent by an occupancy ryot without the consent of the zemindar or other superior landlord. If an occupancy ryot sublets his whole tenure without such consent, he should be held to have transferred it absolutely. If he sublets part of it, he should be held to have transferred his rights in that part of it; but as the landlord should not be bound to recognize any division of the *rent* of an entire holding, the transferree in this case would in effect become a co-parcener of the original ryot, unless the zemindar consented to admit him to separate registration. If an occupancy ryot sublets with the consent of the zemindar, he should be held to have become a middleman; but some provision of law is required to protect him from ejectment and to determine the rent which he should pay, this being necessarily something less than the full, fair and equitable rates demandable from an occupancy ryot. (The absence of any definite rule in the Rent Law for enhancing the rents of middlemen is a source of constant inconvenience to superior landlords.) The last thing necessary to protect and establish the occupancy tenure is that the zemindar himself should be barred from absorbing ryotee lands into his own *seer*, *khamar*, or *nij-jote*.

5. The Lieutenant-Governor would strongly urge upon the Government of India the advisability of taking up seriously this question of making occupancy tenures transferable in Bengal and Behar. The only districts in which it might be undesirable to recognize such a right are the Sonthal Pergunnahs and similar tracts, where it is, for political reasons, necessary to exclude Bengali or alien settlers. Elsewhere the measure would be a boon to

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the cultivators, and would in the end benefit the landlords. It seems to the Lieutenant-Governor the only way in which to secure any real and permanent improvement of the status of the cultivating classes from which Bengal derives all her wealth. What is much required in Bengal and Behar is a well-defined tenant-right, under which the actual cultivator shall have a direct interest in the improvement of the land, while the landlord has, at the same time, every facility given him for collecting his just dues and sharing in the unearned increment of the profits of the soil.

6. In paragraphs 12 *seq.* of their letter the Association state the objections that are still urged against the proposal by a small section of their body. The objectors contend that the occupancy ryot has practically even now a permanent tenure, being liable to eviction only if he fail to pay his rent, while his tenure cannot be sold-up for ordinary debts. The result of the proposed recognition of the transferable nature of the tenure would be, in their opinion, that the ryots would be sold-up for debt by the mahajuns and converted into mere labourers, their lands being taken over and worked through hired labour either by the mahajuns themselves, or by indigo-planters, or by the zemindars.

7. There are various considerations which seem to the Lieutenant-Governor to rob these objections of much of their apparent force. The transferability of his tenure will in the first place improve the financial position of the ryot, enable him to raise money when he requires it on easier terms, and go some way towards delivering him from his present state of indebtedness. He will have some security to offer which will enable him to get into the market and obtain on favourable terms such advances as are at times absolutely necessary for his maintenance, and will thus be relieved of the exorbitant conditions on which he now has to borrow from his landlord or the mahajun. He will, in any case, be no more at the mercy of his landlord than he is at present, for, as the law now stands, if he is so overwhelmed with debt as to be unable to meet the landlord's demand, he can be evicted without receiving anything whatever for the right which he loses; while, if his tenure were transferable, he would get something which might perhaps set him free of debt altogether, and enable him to start again in some other pursuit or in some other village. On the other hand, the encouragement which would be given to a thrifty and judicious ryot by an improvement in his status and position, and the introduction into the cultivating class of men who having learnt carefulness in trade wish to acquire rights in land, would be decidedly advantageous to the country at large. The idea that large mahajuns and indigo-planters would take up ryottee tenures generally, and work them through hired labour, appears to the Lieutenant-Governor to be very far-fetched. If the definitions by which it is above proposed to limit the meaning to be attached to the term occupancy ryot be accepted, this danger would be practically non-existent. The moment a planter or mahajun began to take rent from a cultivator, the latter would begin to acquire occupancy rights; and it would be perfectly impossible, as a general rule, for any large capatalist to work to a profit by means of hired labour lands scattered all over an estate or district. Planters, moreover, do not care to undertake general cereal cultivation on an extensive scale. Their one object is to have a power of selecting lands fit for indigo, and they would get this on easier terms by dealing with a well-to-do peasantry, independent of the zemindars, than by taking over the whole of the ryots' lands, and being compelled to work the whole through hired agency, or on the system of sharing the risks of seasons. But it is urged that the zemindars themselves would buy up the occupancy tenures in order to convert the ryots into tenants-at-will. This supposition is not, however, warranted by the facts of experience. Zemindars can even now, if they choose, prevent the accrual of occupancy rights and evict defaulting occupancy ryots, replacing them by tenants-at-will holding under special written agreements so framed as to bar the accrual of occupancy ryots. But they seldom ever dream of doing so. A zemindar does not object to substantial permanent tenants, provided it is possible to enhance, and easy to collect, their rents. (Hence it is that transfers of occupancy tenures are in fact already so generally recognized.) A zemindar buys up any permanent tenures held at *fixed* rents that he can, because it is his interest to do so, but he has not the same motive for resuming mere occupancy tenures. Again, if it is clearly laid down that land formerly or usually let on ryottee tenure cannot be incorporated with a zemindar's *nij-jote*, *khamar*, or *seer*, the ryot to whom a resumed occupancy tenure is let will begin at once to acquire fresh occupancy rights, and will generally be allowed to perfect these without interference on the part of the zemindar.

8. It has been suggested above that an occupancy ryot might be allowed to cultivate his lands not merely with his own hands, or by ordinary hired labour, but also on the system of sharing the risks of season with a sub-tenant, always provided that he did not take a fixed rent from such sub-tenant. It was said that the sub-tenant of a ryot might be in fact looked upon as a hired labourer, receiving for his labour deferred payment in kind, and having no rights of his own in the soil. In some parts of Behar the zemindar or his subordinate talookdars and thikadars often take rent from their ryots on the *dana-bundee* or *bhatai* system of sharing the actual crop. It might be feared that, under this system, there would be some denger of *all* ryots being looked upon as mere sub-tenants of the lowest middleman, who might claim therefore to be regarded as absorbing the occupancy ryot's rights. There would, however, be no difficulty practically in discriminating between a ryot and a middleman under these circumstances. The *first* person in the descending chain of sub-infeudation who pays a rent either in cash or kind, which is assessed *field by field*, is the ryot who may acquire occupancy rights, and who may divide his own share of the produce with any other, without injuring his own position as the ryot recognized by law.

9. The Lieutenant-Governor considers that the weight of opinion is entirely in favour of the suggestions made by the majority of the Association, which, as already noticed, have the strong support of the Board, and of nearly all the Commissioners and district officers in Bengal. I am to submit with this letter a draft of those modifications in the Rent Law and in the draft Bill now before the Government of India, which would seem to meet the foregoing proposals. They are of course in their present shape merely tentative, and have not been subjected to any professional scrutiny. But this appeared a convenient way of exhibiting the general drift of the suggestions now laid before the Government of India.

10. Coming now to the further detailed criticisms of the provisions of the Bill laid before the Government of India in February last, I am directed to forward a copy of a letter from the British Indian Association, of the 26th August last,* and of a letter from the Board, No. 796 of the 7th November,* commenting upon the same, and to submit the following remarks of the Lieutenant-Governor upon the points raised in this correspondence:—

(1.) *Section* 1 *of the Bill.*—The Association object to the provision enabling the Lieutenant-Governor to extend the Bill to such districts as he may think fit. The law should, they urge, be universally applicable. The section was framed in this way, because it is doubtful whether the provisions of the Bill relating to the summary recovery of rents are altogether suited to the circumstances of Behar. The question of legislating specially for rent questions in Behar is now under the consideration of this Government, and the Lieutenant-Governor agrees with the Board that the section should stand as at present framed. If the Bill becomes law, it will certainly be extended to all districts, to the circumstances of which it is really applicable.

(2.) *Section* 2, *clause* 1.—The Bill provides for monthly instalments of rent and quarterly latest days of payment. The Association would save the terms of written agreements as to instalments. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees with the Board that it is of great importance to maintain the principle of the Bill in its entirety. The object of the Bill is twofold, to give the zemindar increased facilities for recovery of rents, but at the same time to limit his opportunities of harassing his ryots by suits. The quarterly accrual of arrears is a cardinal point in the Bill. In the close of this section it is provided that when interest in monthly instalments is stipulated for by written agreement, the Court shall, on plaintiff's application, add this to the penal interest awarded under the Bill on unpaid quarterly arrears. The Association desire that the zemindar may be allowed to include such interest in his plaint, and there can, as the Board say, be no objection to to this so long as the items of his account are clearly set forth and distinguished.

(3.) *Section* 16 *of the Bill* makes the Collector, instead of the civil court, the recipient of deposits of rent. With reference to sections 45 and 47 of Act VIII, which are modified by this section, the Association urge that the date before which the ryot must make the tender to his landlord should be fixed, and that then a limitation should be put on the time within which he must subsequently make the deposit, and also on the time within which the Collector must issue notice. They would allow no ryot to plead a tender made after the due date of the quarterly instalment, would recognise no deposit unless made within ten days of that; and would cause notice to be served on the zemindar within five days of deposit. Failing compliance with all this, the landlord should not, they say, be liable to damages. The sections, as they stand, compel the tenant to deposit within ten days from the date of tender, and tender may be made any time before the institution of the suit. The Board are disposed to make the concession sought for by the Association, extending, however, to 12 days, the term to be allowed for service on the zemindar of the notice of deposit. The Lieutenant-Governor has no objection to these proposals. He does not, however, agree with the Board in their further suggestion to allow deposits at the Moonsiff's and other civil courts. It was the opinion of all consulted in framing the Bill that it was better that all deposits should be made at the Collectorate. No fee for the service of notices of deposits is charged under the existing law, and there is no necessity for imposing one, as suggested by the Board.

(4.) *Section* 4 restricts the special procedure of the Bill to suits for arrears not more than 12 months due. The Association propose to extend it to the full three years of the Rent Act, *i. e.*, to make it apply to all arrears of rent, and the Board are inclined to agree with them The Lieutenant-Governor, however, adheres to the principle of the Bill. The object of the Bill is to compel zemindars to more method and smartness in the management of their estates, and to bring their disputes with their ryots to speedy issue and decision. This may bring more suits into court at first, but it will reduce litigation hereafter. When ryots know that they must pay up quickly, the chances are that they will so pay. Any conflict of limitation between the wording of this Bill and the Rent Act can be overcome by proper drafting.

* Not printed.

(5.) *Section* 6.—The Association next object to the power of the court, under special circumstances, to set aside a decree already made. They would only allow *appeal* after deposit of the amount of decree. The Board very rightly support in this respect the provisions of the section as it stands. These are absolutely necessary to prevent injustice.

(6.) *Section* 7.—This section provides that no appeal will lie until the judgment-debtor deposits the amount of decree with cost. The Association ask if the plaintiff is not to have a right of appeal against the decree or order? It was of course not intended to take away this right. The drafting of the section should be amended.

(7.) *Section* 10.—It is here provided that rent at the rate claimed must be shown either to have been paid in the year preceding the period of claim, or to have been excepted by written agreement. The Association urge that difficulty would arise if the rent of the year previous had not been collected, and would prefer that the annual rent, as determined by the collection papers of three years, should be made the criterion. The Bill is meant to help the recovery of rents where *rates* are *undisputed*. Actual payment by the tenant of the rate claimed, or his written engagement to pay it, must, the Lieutenant-Governor thinks, be insisted on. But the section may be modified so as to allow the zemindar to sue if he can show that the tenant had actually paid at the rate claimed any time within the three years preceding the institution of the suit.

(8.) *Section* 11.—The Association ask that provision should be made authorising the Court in suits for arrears at enhanced rates to decree immediate payment of the current (and admitted) rent to mitigate the effect of delays caused by appeals with reference to the *enhanced* rate. The Board support the Association's proposal, and the Lieutenant-Governor has no objection to its adoption.

(9.) *Section* 13.—The Association propose a procedure for registration of transfers of tenures, and their proposals are reasonable. The Lieutenant-Governor recommends that their suggestions be incorporated in the Bill.

(10.) *Section* 19.—The Association point out correctly enough that the proviso to this section is, as *the section has been altered*, surplusage. But the proviso should be re-enacted as a separate section. It is a most important right of the occupancy ryot.

(11.) Lastly, the Association say that the Bill does not provide a procedure to be followed if the defendant takes the plea of non-service of summons. If the defendant does *not* appear, and service is proved to have been made, the Court, under section 4, will give a decree *ex parte*. If the defendant comes in afterwards and says no summons was served, the onus is on him to show this before the Court can take action under section 6. The Board's suggestions upon this head, in paragraph 13 of their letter, have the Lieutenant-Governor's concurrence. As regards the mode of service of summons, the Lieutenant-Governor has no objection to the proposals made by the Association in the last paragraph of their letter.

11. I am to take this opportunity of suggesting that section 3 of the Bill should be amended so as to make it necessary for the receipts to specify the yearly rent: and that the signature of the person to whom the receipt is given should be taken on the counterfoil, if he is able to write. Again, if the transfer of occupancy tenures is *not* to be recognized generally, section 13 should be worded so as to show that the zemindar is then only bound to register transfers when valid by custom or made in sales under the Act. If eviction is to be the penalty for non-payment of arrears, some provision is also necessary with reference to crops on the ground. The outgoing tenant should be declared entitled to cut the crop when ripe, and to retain the surplus after payment of the landlord's demand.

Draft of modifications in the Rent Law (Bengal Act VIII of 1869*) and in the draft Bill submitted with Bengal Government's letter No.* 503, *dated* 22*nd February* 1878, *to meet suggestions in Bengal Government's letter No.* 3060, *dated* 11*th December* 1878.

I.—For section 6 of Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869 the following sections shall be substituted:—

VIA.—Every ryot who shall have held land for a period of twelve years, and cultivated the same either with his own hands or by means of hired labourers, shall have a right of occupancy in the land so held and cultivated by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same.

EXPLANATION.—A person to whom the ryot makes over a portion of the produce by way of payment for his labour in cultivating the whole or a portion of the ryot's lands is a 'hired labourer' within the meaning of this section. A ryot who pays a portion of the gross produce by way of rent to the zemindar or other person from whom he holds his lands is not a 'hired labourer' within the meaning of this section.

VIB.—The holding of the father or other person from whom the ryot inherits shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot for purposes of the last preceding section, and the

tenure of a ryot who has acquired a right of occupancy shall be heritable, and transferable by sale, gift, or otherwise, provided, in case of transfer, that the whole tenure is transferred, and that the transferee is a person who will *bonâ fide* cultivate the lands either with his own hands or by means of hired labourers in the manner contemplated by the last preceding section.

VIC.—After the commencement of this Act no ryot having a right of occupancy shall, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom his rent is payable, sublet any portion of his holding to a sub-tenant at a fixed rent payable either in cash or kind, or make over any part of his interest in the produce of such holding otherwise than by way of payment for assistance rendered in the cultivation of the same.

Any ryot having a right of occupancy, who shall, after the commencement of this Act, sublet the whole or any portion of his holding to a sub-tenant without the consent as aforesaid of the zemindar, or superior tenure-holder, shall be deemed to have transferred all his rights in the lands sublet to the said sub-tenant.

VID.—If, after the commencement of this Act, the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder consents to the sub-letting of a portion or the whole of the holding of a ryot having a right of occupancy, the sub-tenant, being the actual cultivator, shall begin to acquire rights of occupancy in the lands sublet from the date of such sub-letting. The ryot who sublets the lands shall be deemed to have become the holder of an intermediate tenure, and shall cease to enjoy any rights of occupancy in the lands sublet, but he shall not be liable to be ejected by the zemindar or superior tenure-holder otherwise than for non-payment of arrears of rent, and in execution of a decree or order of Court; and his rent shall not be liable to be enhanced above a sum which shall, in default of specific agreement to the contrary, in no case be less than 10 per cent. below the fair and equitable rates payable for the same land by a ryot having a right of occupancy.

VIE.—Any ryot having a right of occupancy, who may have sublet the whole or any portion of his holding to a sub-tenant before the commencement of this Act, may terminate such sub-tenancy by six months' notice given at any time within one year from the date of the said commencement, and no sub-tenant holding from before the date of the commencement of this Act shall begin to acquire rights of occupancy under the last preceding section until after the expiry of one year from the date of such commencement. After the expiry of one year from the said date, and in default of any such notice, the provisions of sections VID and VIE shall apply to the case of such sub-tenants.

VIF.—No rights of occupancy shall be acquired by any ryot in *khamar*, *nij-jote* or *seer* lands belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure and let by him on lease for a term or year by year. But no lands which have been held by a ryot having a right of occupancy shall on any pretext be amalgamated with the *khamar*, *nij-jote* or *seer* lands of the proprietor of the estate or tenure so as to prevent the acquisition of a right of occupancy by any ryot to whom they may subsequently be relet.

II.—For section 13 of the draft Bill, submitted to the Government of India in February 1878, the following sections should be substituted:—

XIIIA.—All ryots having rights of occupancy are required to register in the sherishta of the zemindar or superior tenant to whom their rents are payable all transfers of their tenures by sale, gift, or otherwise, as well as all successions thereto and divisions among heirs in cases of inheritance, and every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all transfers of whole tenures when made in good faith, and to all such successions and divisions. Provided that no zemindar or superior tenant shall be required to admit to registry or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenure, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid and binding without the consent in writing of the zemindar or superior tenant.

XIIIB.—All ryots claiming to have rights of occupancy in virtue of transfers made before the commencement of this Act are required to register the same within six months from the date of the passing of this Act, and the provisions of the last preceding section shall apply to all such transfers.

No. 250T., dated Darjeeling, the 18th May 1878.

From—A. Mackenzie, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in charge of the Revenue and General Departments,

To—The Secretary, British Indian Association.

In your letter No. 62 of the 8th October last, objections are taken to making a ryot's occupancy tenure generally transferable, on the ground that to do so would "vest the ryot with the status of co-proprietor;" but it is proposed by the Association to legalize the sale of occupancy tenures in satisfaction of decrees for rent at the option of the zemindar; and it is suggested that, where a zemindar does adopt this remedy, a tenure once so sold should be declared to have become a transferable tenure. I am to ask for a further expression of the views of the Association in connection with this question.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor will not enter into a discussion of the theory enunciated by the Association, to the effect that the creation of the occupancy tenure by Act X of 1859 was an encroachment upon the rights of the landlords under the permanent settlement, though he considers this open to question, both historically and legally: but he desires me

to point out that, as a matter of fact, the transferable character of these tenures has been affirmed by local custom in very many districts; nor has it ever been held or alleged that such a transfer implies the recognition in the ryot of any rights amounting, as the Association put it, to co-proprietorship. The tenure is transferred as an occupancy tenure, and the landlord has the same remedies against the new tenant, and the same powers of enhancement that he had against the old.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor does not understand that the Association propose to interfere with local custom where this has recognized the transferable character of occupancy tenures; but they propose to limit the recognition in other cases to tenures sold in execution at the request of the zemindars. Now, apart from the fact that the existence in many places of a local custom of wider application than the direct provisions of the law is likely to lead to conflicts of evidence in the courts, the Lieutenant-Governor thinks that the suggestions of the Association are open to question from another point of view. It is probable that in most instances occupancy tenures sold in execution of decrees will be bought in by the decree-holder, the zemindar himself. In that case the tenure would practically lose its characteristics and lapse into the residuum of the zemindar's "khamar" or "nij-jote" being broken up and relet in portions on such terms as the zemindar chose to exact. A large landlord persistently following out the policy of buying up such tenures would probably very soon change the whole face of his property, and reduce his tenantry generally to the condition of mere tenants-at-will. The Lieutenant-Governor is not satisfied that this is a policy which the Government can properly be asked to support. In many parts of the country the consequences might be serious both for Government and the zemindars.

4. On the other hand, it does not appear that the general recognition of transferability of the occupancy tenure would have any injurious effect upon the position of the zemindars, while it would certainly tend to improve the condition of their tenantry, and to give them a greater interest in the improvement of their lands. The Lieutenant-Governor can imagine nothing so calculated to improve the system of cultivation and the value of an estate as permanency and security of the ryot's tenure. The zemindars fully appreciate the value of security of their own tenure, and justly attribute to it the most beneficial results, but appear to be unable to see the advantage of extending it to the lower grades of holding. The provision that all such transfers must be registered in the zemindar's sherista, and that no transfer of a fractional part of a jote need be recognized, would protect the landlord's legitimate rights, while, as before remarked, the transfer would carry with it all the liabilities and incidents of the occupancy tenure.

5. If, after securing transferability of tenure to the occupancy ryot (a right which he already possesses by custom in many parts of the country), provision were made in the law to prevent his converting himself into a mere middleman, and for strictly regulating the character of the subletting to which an occupancy ryot must limit himself, it would seem that a great improvement would be effected in the law of tenant right in Bengal, such as would tend to raise the value of property and increase the landlord's security for his rent.

6. I am to ask that the Association will reconsider the last part of their letter under notice with reference to the foregoing remarks.

Dated Calcutta, the 20th November 1878.

From—The Hon'ble Maharajah Jotendro Mohun Tagore, Bahadoor, Honorary Secretary to the British Indian Association,

To—The Offg. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, Revenue Department.

I have the honor to acknowledge, by desire of the Committee of the British Indian Association, the receipt of your letter No. 250T, dated the 18th May last, inviting a further expression of the views of the Association in connection with the question of the transferability of the occupancy tenure.

2. The Committee have carefully considered the question, and desire me to submit the following in reply.

3. As His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor does not wish to enter into a discussion of "the theory enunciated by the Association, to the effect that the creation of the occupancy tenure by Act X of 1859 was an encroachment upon the rights of the landlord under the Permanent Settlement Regulations," the Committee will abstain from it, as such discussion is not calculated to lead to any practical result. His Honor is, however, pleased to remark that the theory is "open to question both historically and legally." On this point the Committee venture to think that it is sufficient for them to invite the attention of His Honor to the opinions recorded by eminent judges of the High Court and revenue officers, who take objection to section 6 of Act X of 1859 creating the occupancy right, because, in the words of Sir Barnes Peacock, it "interferes with the just rights of the zemindars, at least in the permanently-settled districts, by vesting rights of occupancy in the ryots which had no previous existence."

4. It is true that under section 105, Act X of 1859, and section 59, Act VIII of 1869 (B.C.), an under-tenure, "which by the title-deeds or the custom of the country is transferable by sale," may be attached and sold in execution of a decree for arrears of rent. But the "custom" referred to was what existed before the year 1859, and what could not fairly be construed to apply to the occupancy tenure, inasmuch as the occupancy ryot, as

defined by Act X of 1859, according to high judicial and revenue authorities, had no previous existence. There could have been no "custom" when the substantive right to which it relates had no existence. The "custom" had reference to khoodkast kudmee ryots, or to tenures of hereditary resident ryots, which were recognized prior to the permanent settlement. It is true that tenures other than khoodkast used also to change hands before Act X of 1859 came into operation; but that practice obtained only through the sufferance of zemindars. These did not object to such transfer, inasmuch as they had the power to oust any tenant after due notice, except khoodkast ryots, istomrardars and lease-holders. The transferability of tenure, so far as it obtained before 1859, did not thus affect the rights of the landlord. In 1859 the legislature, with a view to benefit the cultivating classes, created for the first time the occupancy tenure; it was declared heritable, but not transferable; but owing to conflicting decisions of the courts as to the significance of the "custom" adverted to above, the original intentions of the legislature have been departed from, and the transfer of the occupancy tenure is proceeding apace. A custom to have the validity of law, the Committee respectfully submit, ought to be equitable in its nature and one of a long standing to have the assent of the class or community which it affects, and to be of such authority as not to admit of dispute. When the occupancy tenure was for the first time created by Act X of 1859, the antecedent condition of "custom" could not apply to it. Whatever the practice in some districts, it has not had the sanction of a sufficiently long time, which would command public respect; it has frequently been the subject of dispute; it has in not a few cases been recognized under special conditions, such as the payment of a consideration to the landlord or some particular advantage to him.

5. It has been repeatedly ruled by the highest court in the land that the occupancy right is heritable, but not transferable, except under special agreement. The judgment of the Full Bench of the High Court, Surendranarayan Roy *versus* Eshan Chunder Sen, is, the Committee submit, conclusive. As Chief Justice Couch remarks—"It is a right to be enjoyed by the person who holds or cultivates and pays the rent, and has done so for a period of twelve years. It does not speak of his acquiring a right which he might, having acquired it, transfer or make use of as a subject of property; but it seems intended to secure to a ryot, who has cultivated or held for twelve years as continuance of his cultivation or holding as long as he pays the rent." Where an individual landlord has given his consent to the transfer, it is his own act which cannot bind others. Even where a court, having regard to particular circumstances, has judicially recognized such transfer, that decision, the Committee respectfully submit, cannot alter the positive law on the subject.

6. Such being the case, the stress laid upon custom in regard to the transferability of the occupancy tenure is necessarily not well grounded. At the same time, the Committee admit that the practice of the sale of the occupancy right is extending from various causes, that is to say, from the negligence of the landlord, collusion with the zemindar's amlah, imperfect evidence as to "custom," and conflicting decisions of the courts. In this way many middlemen have taken possession of occupancy tenures, and the decisions of the High Court recognizing the subletting of such tenures, to which the Committee will refer immediately, have facilitated the creation of middlemen with occupancy rights.

7. The uncertainty which at present exists on the subject, owing to conflicting decisions of the courts and the haziness surrounding the "custom" relied upon, is a source of in security for both the landlord and tenant, and it is therefore highly desirable, as His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor seems to think, to remove that uncertainty; and it would, they submit, be consistent with the original intentions of the legislature, and just to both parties, to restrict the transfer of the occupancy tenure to the cultivating class. The object of the legislature in creating the occupancy right was to protect the actual cultivators of the soil from wholesale or arbitrary eviction; it provided that, so long as the ryot with the right of occupancy paid the rent, he would not be liable to ejectment from his tenure, nor to enhancement of his rent, except under certain conditions specified in the Act. The position of the occupancy ryot was thus assured, and the intention of the legislature to protect the cultivating class was fulfilled. Although the legislature, as the Committee believe, did not then contemplate that the occupancy right should be transferable, they are of opinion that, if this concession is to be made, it ought to be strictly confined to the cultivating class for whose sole benefit the right was created. To make it generally transferable would be inconsistent with the intentions of the legislature and detrimental to the interests of both the landlord and tenant.

8. Looking at the question from the landlord's point of view, a general recognition of the right of transfer, it cannot be denied, is open to objection. It will, the Committee submit, be admitted that the landlord ought to have the right to choose his own tenant; but, if the transferability of the occupancy right be legalized, he will be deprived of this inherent right. He might be put to no end of trouble if a wicked tenant should come in. His position as a landlord might be jeopardized by the proposed law. His tenants might combine and set up men of straw, and thus drive him into court in every instance of default. Again, designing persons might give them bad counsel, or take their position by *benami* transfer, and thus put the landlord to the greatest inconvenience, hardship, loss and trouble. Rival landlords might also play against each other with this weapon.

9. But there are considerations which ought to have due weight with a considerate landlord. There are many circumstances which may compel a ryot to part with his tenure. Providential visitations, ill-health, domestic afflictions, hopeless poverty or prospects of improvement elsewhere, may lead the ryot to think of relinquishing his holding, and if he has

not the power of transfer, he loses the value which his tenure undoubtedly possesses. Under the operation of the law as it stands, if he cannot pay rent, he is liable to be ejected. In the case of ejectment he will of course get nothing for the land, but if his right of transfer be recognized, he is sure to get something. Then, again, under the law of inheritance, the holding may be sub-divided into small fragments, so much so that it will not pay any one to cultivate each small fragment; for when it is remembered that the area of an occupancy tenure generally ranges from 10 to 30 beegahs of land, the sub-division of such small quantity of land under the Indian law of inheritance can hardly leave in one or two generations a sufficient margin to any one shareholder for profitable cultivation. There may in all likelihood be left some member of the family with means and inclination to carry on cultivation, but the lands being infinitesimally sub-divided under the partition law and no separate piece being worth cultivation, even hereditary agriculturists must give up the profession of their forefathers, because the lands so divided could not be transferred and thus made a compact block, not to say that occupancy tenures not being saleable other lands will not be available to him. If the ryot could transfer his right, the evil of the partition law would be avoided. But, in conceding this right, it is necessary that it should be so guarded as not to prove injurious either to the landlord or the tenant. If the transfer were not restricted to the cultivating class, middlemen would come in and take away the land from the cultivating class, which would be a disaster to the country. It might be said that such a restriction would not give the ryot the advantage of an open market. The Committee are of opinion that this advantage may be more imaginary than real, for it is well known that in almost every district there are many ryots who are well-to-do and have acquired capital, and among them there is sure to be competition in the case of the sale of a tenure. This competition is already observable when a settlement of a tenure is made by the landlord. But when the Committee suggest that the transfer should be confined to the cultivating class, they do not mean that persons who are not cultivators at the time of the transfer should be shut out. The condition should be that the transferree should cultivate the land either with his own hands or by hired labour, and that if he does not fulfil that condition, he should forfeit his right to the land. It is said that, if the right of transfer be recognized, money-lenders and persons of that class will take possession of the land; but the Committee cannot conceive what reasonable objection could there be to a money-lender or a small capitalist betaking himself to agriculture. The possession of land always gives a status to the holder among his own class; it is also considered the safest mode of investment of money. A man does not think that he has made some provision for his children if he does not leave some lands to them; and if by the proposed mode of transfer small capitalists could be attracted to the profession of agriculture, the land would certainly rise in value and the country would decidedly gain. By making cultivation a condition of transfer, a direct interest in the improvement of the soil would be created in the tenant. It would stimulate cultivation, and as struggle for existence is becoming keen among the middle-classes, perhaps many among them may be induced to invest their small capital in land with a view to maintain themselves by cultivation, which they may carry on with hired labour. A class of gentlemen agriculturists, if the Committee may so express themselves, would thus arise, who would find a fitting scope for their small capital, and would be able to bring their knowledge and intelligence to bear upon the improvement of agriculture. On the other hand, the recognition of the right of transfer, though restricted to the cultivating class, would, as observed above, increase the marketable value of land, and would consequently tend to lower the rate of interest when money might be raised upon it. At present the ryot has to pay a high rate of interest, because the land is not transferable and the crop is hypothecated for rent; but if it be declared transferable, the security will be greater, and the market value of money upon such security will be necessarily lower. And if the rate of interest could be thus affected, a new incentive would be held out to poor agriculturists to borrow money for the improvement of their lands.

10. The Committee have already stated that the conflicting decisions of the courts have been the cause of the uncertainty as to the transferability of the occupancy tenure. The vague wording of the present law has also been a source of much mischief. Thus the law says that "every ryot who shall have cultivated or *held* for a period of twelve years shall have a right of occupancy;" but the occupancy right has been recognized in many cases in which the ryot does not cultivate the land with his own hand or by hired labourers. This, as the Committee conceive, is a reversal of the order of things contemplated by the legislature in creating the occupancy right. Its object was to confer the right on the cultivating ryot, but the effect of the decisions of the High Court has been that a ryot who has acquired an occupancy right may sublet his tenure, and that, though the actual cultivator may hold it for twenty years, he will not derive the benefit of the law on the principle that two persons possessing the same tenure cannot acquire equal right. The subletting of a tenure, it has been held by the High Court, does not necessarily make a ryot a middleman. A ryot who holds land under cultivation by others holding under him is not a middleman (7, W. R., 7, Ramgopal Ghose *versus* Luckhynarain Shaha; T. W. R., 15, Hurrolal Thakoor *versus* Luchmiput Doogar). Again, no right of occupancy is created by a sub-lease from a ryot of occupancy (7, W. R., 81, Moonshee Abdool Jubbar *versus* Kally Churn Dutt). By holding for twelve years a ryot does not acquire a right of occupancy if the land has been sublet to him for a term, or year by year, by a ryot having a right of occupancy (15, W. R., 469, Nilcomul Sen *versus* Dannesh Shaik; Gop. No. W. R., Act X, 72, Gilmore *versus* Surbessaree Dassee; 7, W. R., 114, Hurry Churn Mookerjea *versus* Jodunath Ghose;

6, W. R., 168, Kotal Gain *versus* Nudar Mistree; 18, W. R., 19; Iman Chunder Ghose *versus* Hurrish Chunder Banerjee; 19, W. R., 95, Unnopoorna Dassee *versus* Radhamadhub Patra). A ryot with a right of occupancy does not by subletting his land lose his right, nor does the sub-lessee thereby gain the right (9, W. R., 344, Kally Kishen Chatterjea *versus* Ram Churn Shaha). In other words, subletting of the occupancy tenure is recognized by judge-made law, though the Committee believe that, in creating the occupancy right, nothing was further from the intentions of the legislature than to deprive the zemindar of his just right and to confer it upon middlemen. A ryot who sub-lets his land and lives upon the rent necessarily becomes a middleman, whether the High Court chooses to give him that name or not. It would be, therefore, quite consistent with the original intentions of the legislature if the present complications could be prevented by restricting the transfer of the occupancy right to the cultivating class, as proposed by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

11. While the Committee concur with His Honor that the transfer of the occupancy tenure should be restricted to the cultivating ryot, they consider it highly necessary that the actual cultivator should be accurately defined. The absence of such an accurate definition has, as the Committee have already remarked, been the primary cause of dispute and litigation. The actual cultivator is he who tills the land with his own hands or by hired labour, and has an immediate connection with agriculture and the produce of the soil by taking part in agricultural operations. But the question is—If, the status of the occupancy ryot were defined in this sense would it prevent him from converting himself into a middleman? His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor remarks—"If, after securing transferability of tenure to the occupancy ryot (a right which he already possesses in many parts of the country) provision were made in the law to prevent his converting himself into a mere middleman, and for strictly regulating the character of the subletting to which an occupancy ryot must limit himself, it would seem that a great improvement would be effected in the law of tenant-right in Bengal, such as would tend to raise the value of property and increase the landlord's security for the rent." It is not explained how subletting by an occupancy ryot would be regulated. Should he be allowed to sub-let his tenure and to live upon the rent of his lands and not require to establish his position as an actual cultivator by his immediate connection with the tillage of the soil, either with his own hands or by hirer. labour, then he would become to all intents and purposes a middleman, and in that case the objections which are taken to the absolute transfer of the occupancy right would remain in full force Further, the sale of the land would not then be restricted to the cultivating class The Committee make no doubt that His Honor in framing the law will guard against the possible conversion of the cultivating ryot into a middleman. With proper safeguards the Committee have no objection to the proposal that the transferability of the occupancy tenure, restricted to the cultivating class, should be recognized by law.

12. In submitting these remarks, the Committee deem it due to observe that there are some members of their body who do not subscribe to the above. As the subject is one of vital importance affecting the mass of the population, and as it is surrounded by many practical difficulties, they think it right that both sides of the question should be placed before His Honor. They will therefore give below the views of the minority.

13. If the object of the proposed measure be to hold out to the ryot stimulus to cultivation by conferring on him permanency and security of tenure, that object, the minority maintain, is already attained under the existing law. As the law stands, the occupancy ryot can hold his tenure as long as he wishes, and can transfer it from generation to generation, if he and his successors continue regularly to pay the rent. The liability as to payment or enhancement of rent His Honor does not propose to alter. Even if the transferability of tenure be recognised, the transfer, His Honor remarks, "would carry with it all the liabilities and incidents of the occupancy tenure."

14. Thus the cultivator practically enjoys the advantages of permanency which the decennial settlement assigns to the zemindar only—the one is liable to sale, and the other to eviction, in default of payment of his dues. He has also another advantage which the zemindars would be only too happy to obtain, and that is perfect immunity under the law from sale for debts. His tenure, being non-transferable, cannot be sold either voluntarily or by order of a court. He may be sent to jail, but his tenure remains with his family, and he enjoys the fruits thereof, subject, as His Honor remarks, to "all the liabilities and incidents of the occupancy tenure." By making the tenure saleable, this advantage will be withdrawn from him, and, instead of bettering his condition, he will be deprived of an advantage which cannot but seriously lower his position. The incentive to improved agriculture cannot prove very effectual where the property in the tenure is made more easily liable to transfer than it is now. However indebted ryots may be—and as a matter of fact the majority are indebted—they know that improvements made by them at their own expense in their fields will always remain with them; but by making the tenure saleable, the indebted ryots will know that the benefits derivable by such improvement will most probably go to their creditors, who will sell them out. Doubtless the desire to hold land will induce many to come forward to buy, and by making the tenures transferable more land will be brought to the market to meet their wants; but the permanency which His Honor wishes to bestow refers to the present class of holders and not to outsiders, who are to replace them in the right of occupancy and convert them into mere labourers. Such outsiders might become gentlemen agriculturists and improve the land more effectively than what the present class of ryots can do; but the good cannot be secured without converting the present class of ryots into day-labourers.

15. The other advantage expected from the proposed measure is the increase of the marketable value of the tenure; but this cannot result if the sale be open only to cultivating ryots. Persons who have no capital, and the majority of whom are more or less indebted, cannot possibly bid so high as money-lenders and other propertied classes. There are unquestionably some well-to-do ryots who are able and willing to buy occupancy rights, but their number is small, and they can never compete with capitalists and money-lenders, and sales under the restriction proposed cannot, under any circumstances, realize the full market-value of the tenures. The object can be attained by making the sales open to all classes, and as this is not contemplated, the effect of the proposed change in the law cannot be in the interest of the ryot. He would be exposed to the imminent risk of losing his permanent, heritable, inalienable property, and being reduced to the condition of a tenant-at-will.

16. It would be a serious matter if the proposed law should thus prove an engine for the pauperization of ryots. In this country the land maintains the people; there are so few manufactures or remunerative industries that the bulk of the population depend upon agriculture; the legislature seems to be so well alive to this fact that it has exempted implements of husbandry from attachment from debt, but if the land goes, there will be no room for the employment of those implements. The ryot would be then reduced to the position of day-labourer, or at least kurfa ryot or tenant-at-will—a result much to be regretted. With periodical drought and famine in the land this evil would be greatly intensified. Two consecutive seasons of scarcity or famine would suffice to transfer one-half of the ryots' occupancy tenures to money-lenders, not to say that the lands could never be expected to be so well cultivated by ticca men as they would be by those who had permanent interest in them as occupancy ryots. The Government has lately taken steps to establish a famine insurance fund by imposing new cesses and taxes; but that is intended as a provision for a calamity which may occur at long intervals. Its responsibility, however, will be seriously increased if the people be reduced through the action of the law to a state of chronic pauperism, and that such would be the case the minority greatly apprehended. At present the money-lenders support the ryot in the time of difficulty, knowing that his only security is the crop of the ryot; he advances him money and rice when the ryot has none of his own for his support, provides seed-grain for cultivation, defrays the cost of cultivation, and helps him on through every difficulty till the crops are ripe for division. This aid is extended in many cases to two or three consecutive bad years, and the ryot preserves his self-respect, his homestead, and his field. In Bengal he is rarely driven to seek the support of the Government or of the public in times of scarcity. This money-lender helps him through sheer self-interest to protect what he has already advanced in times of prosperity to enable a ryot to celebrate a marriage or sradh; but remove that self-interest, let the money-lender know that he need not wait for years and make further advances to protect his first venture; let him be but once satisfied that he can sell out a ryot in three months and at once recover his dues, the ryot's doom would at once be sealed. From an owner of a permanent farm he will soon become a pauper. The majority are aware that the sale of occupancy tenure is taking place here and there contrary to the strict interpretation of the law, but they are of opinion that in the interest of the peasantry such sale should be prohibited and not facilitated. A law which would give such facility would necessarily be detrimental to the best interests of society.

17. It has been urged that it would be a hardship to oblige a man to give up his occupancy right when he is incapacitated by providential visitation, ill-health, domestic affliction, helpless poverty, or other causes to enjoy it. As an expression of sentiment, the minority respect the feeling which has prompted this expression of opinion, but legally they fail to see its weight. A right accrues under certain conditions, but the person to whom it accrues is unable from causes utterly unconnected with the right from enjoying it, and, as a matter of course, he must forego it. A man is condemned to three years' imprisonment for some cause or other, and being unable to pay the usual rent is ejected, losing thereby his occupancy right, and the fault in the case is his own, not of another. The misapprehension in the case arises from supposing that there is an inherent right in the soil, which there is not, but which it is proposed to award to him. A man may have a right of passage over another's property, but he leaves his village for his own good, and after twelve years' stay in another village loses his right of way; but no one under the circumstances thinks it a hardship, or insists upon his having the power of selling the right of way. The mistake in such cases arises from confounding a right with property. Similarly, when, the right becomes valueless from extreme partition under the Hindoo law of inheritance, it ceases to be a right worth having, and no hardship whatever is entailed by a person being obliged to forego it. If it is a hardship, it is common to the Hindoo and the Mahomedan communities, and the remedy, if required, lies in changing the law of inheritance. As a matter of fact, however, the difficulty is overcome by joint cultivation, until by lapses the whole field or large tracts of it come back to the possession of single owners.

18. Supposing that the right of transfer were restricted to the cultivating class, the question is—how could the difficulties which beset the measure be fairly avoided? In the first place, if a tenure be declared to be saleable, it would be apparently inconsistent to say that it would be saleable only to a particular class and no other, and that class the least able to bid the full marketable value of the property. It is true that in the Civil Procedure Code a mortgagee is debarred from bidding for a property mortgaged to him without the permission of the court, but that only partially shuts out one and leaves the public at large to bid; whereas in the proposed measure all those who are to pay high prices are put out and only those who have no capital, and will have to borrow at a high rate of interest the

money wherewith to buy occupancy tenures, will have to be declared fit to bid. In the next place, it would be extremely difficult to prevent other than cultivating ryots retaining the tenures. A person, for instance, might purchase an occupancy tenure and comply with the conditions of the law either by cultivating the land with his own hand or by hired labour, but in the course of years he might lift himself above the position of a mere cultivator; he might become a capitalist and, instead of cultivating the land himself, might let it to others. The question is—how would the legislature deal with such a case? Of course, logically, when a person acquires a statutory right under certain conditions, he forfeits that right the moment he fails to fulfil those conditions. Again, the desire to have tenants-at-will, instead of men who have a legal permanent right to the soil, cannot but be general among landowners. In the one case they can claim no enhancement except under very grave restrictions; whereas in the other they derive the full market value of their land every season, while the contingency of a deterioration in the value of the land invariably falls on him, for he cannot prevent a ryot from throwing up his lease. Under these circumstances, a zemindar, talookdar, ticcadar, gantidar, or planter, disposed to resume all occupancy tenures, has only to buy them up to reduce all his ryots to the position of tenants at-will, and he will be enabled to do so at the cheapest cost, for he will have no capitalist to bid against him. Khoodkast and other permanent tenures are now being so bought in, and the practice will readily extend to occupancy tenures to the utter pauperization of the cultivating classes. The opportunity would be particularly used by indigo-planters and other large capitalists engaged in cultivation or manufacture of the agricultural products, and in their hands the law will prove a powerful weapon to convert occupancy ryots into hired labourers. It is well known that nizabad is infinitely more beneficial to planters than contracts with ryots for cultivation; but under the present law the system of nizabad cannot be carried out. All the good lands are in the hands of ryots, and they cannot be ousted; consequently planters are obliged to have recourse to diverse expedients for the purpose of acquiring landlord-power from cultivators, and they do not always succeed to get it. Let it but be known that permanent occupancy right may be easily acquired, and they will not be slow in acquiring it. Indigo ryots, as a class, are all more or less heavily indebted to planters. It would not be difficult to find inhabitants of entire villages in the books of the planters, and that in such a way as they can never get out. With the proposed law on his side, a planter so disposed would be able to sell out every one of such inhabitants from his house and ancestral occupancy tenure and reduce the ryots to mere labourers The ryots would no longer be free agents, for, deprived of the lands, they must have some means for making their livelihood, and they would consequently take what they can get. The planters, who will thus acquire occupancy tenures, will bring themselves within the purview of the law as recommended above by carrying on cultivation by hired labour or by contract, and the law, which is intended for the furtherance of the independence of the tenantry, will practically eventuate in the reduction of indigo ryots and other tenants in their position to pauperization and serfage. It is true that money-lenders, as a class, are not given to employ hired labour in the cultivation of land, but there is nothing to prevent their adopting that course. Profit from land is not high, but the prestige of a landowner is sought by all classes, both in India and England, and to secure it they will agree to have recourse to hired labour, and thereby defeat the object of the law and hasten the transfer of all occupancy tenures to themselves. They have now to look to crops as their security for the money they have advanced to the ryots, but if they can get the land which bears those crops, they will naturally seek its transfer, and try their utmost to obtain this end. Such a consummation cannot be looked upon with other than the greatest disfavour by all who wish for the good of the cultivating classes, and yet it will be brought on under the operation of the proposed law. It has been suggested that money-lenders may be permitted to buy if they agree to cultivate the land themselves or by hired labour; but this would bring in a discord which should never be permitted. It will enable a zemindar to harass the purchaser whenever so disposed by bringing actions against him on the ground of his having let a portion of his land instead of cultivating it himself. Besides, the principle of giving absolute proprietary right, and then declaring that a man may cultivate his own land, but never let it out for a pecuniary consideration, or a rent in kind, cannot be consistent. It would, moreover, be in direct opposition to the arguments urged in paragraph 8. A moneyed man, cultivating through hired labour, may prove quite as troublesome as he who lets out his land. It is not the mode of cultivation, but the means at the command of the cultivator that can make him an unwelcome tenant.

19. The policy of the Government in other parts of the country has been quite different from what is proposed to be laid down for Bengal in this respect. There the utmost discouragement is shown to the transfer of landed property, large or small. In the new Bill for the relief of the indebted ryots of the Deccan the same policy is recognized. The ryots in Bengal, though they are in many districts now better off than before, are still much in the hands of the mahajun or the money-lender, and the greater the facility given to the transfer of their tenure, the more readily will they fall into the grip of the money-lender. There are also other capitalists who would be only too glad to have the opportunity of buying up ryottee tenures of this kind, and form large estates by small accretions, The greatest security against general pauperization in this country lies in the circumstance that the people, being for the most part agricultural, have, in the majority of cases, landswhich they can call their own, subject to the payment of rent, which they can cultivate from generation to generation, and which do not, as a rule, admit of alienation. But if facilities be offered to the sale of the tenure, it is not at all unlikely that, poor and ignorant as the ryots are, they will be tempted to fall into debt deeper and deeper, and will be ultimately doomed to lose their lands. Such a law will also offer a facility to designing and fraudulent men to prey upon those ignorant persons.

REPORT ON THE STATE OF THE SALT MARKET FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF THE YEAR 1878-79.

No. 10338, dated Fort William, the 16th December 1878.

From—W. H. GRIMLEY, Esq., Secy. to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces,
To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department.

I AM desired by the Board to submit the following report on the state of the salt market for the second quarter of the year 1878-79, comprising the months of July, August, and September 1878.

2. The quantity of salt consumed (*i.e.* the quantity of total clearances of salt of every description) in the quarter under report amounted to 25,97,649 maunds 37 seers 8 chittacks, against 19,94,767 maunds 29 seers 3 chittacks in the previous quarter, and 24,66,463 maunds 35 seers 2 chittacks in the corresponding quarter of the previous year; and the total amount of duty levied was Rs. 71,94,349-0-10, against Rs. 57,68,314-7 and Rs. 76,07,460-1-1 in the previous and corresponding quarters respectively.

3. The quantity of excise salt sold in Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and 24-Pergunnahs during the present quarter, from the stock of the different seasons' manufacture, and the quantity which remained in store at the close of the quarter, are shewn in the following Table I :—

TABLE I.

	CUTTACK.	BALASORE.					POOREE.					24-PERGUNNAHS
	Manufacture of—	Manufacture of—					Manufacture of—					Manufacture of—
	1877-78.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1873-74.	1874-75.	1875-76.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1876-77
	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.	M. s. c.
Balance at close of last quarter.	18,729 0 0	864 0 13	882 19 0	6,612 32 8	1,755 12 0	1,15,121 16 8	1,119 10 0	324 25 0	1,851 15 1	4,795 39 8	*2,74,585 30 0	23,589 0 0
Imported or added during the quarter.	1,074 10 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,128 9 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,15,231 30 0	..
Total ...	19,803 10 0	864 0 13	882 19 0	6,612 32 8	1,755 12 0	1,18,249 25 8	1,119 10 0	324 25 0	1,851 15 1	4,795 39 8	3,89,817 20 0	23,589 0 0
Deduct—												
Sales during the quarter.	4,165 0 0	320 20 12	.....	148 39 15	91 7 0	36,856 0 0	....	...	18 0 0	3,957 20 0	76,709 20 0	7,000 0 0
Wastage ..	174 8 0	534 11 1	.....	2,010 1 9	852 12 0	3,116 8 4	.....	..	1,605 12 0	752 14 8	.. ..	.....
Total ...	4,279 8 0	864 1 13	.....	2,159 1 8	443 19 0	39,973 8 4	.. .	....	1,623 12 0	4,710 14 8	76,709 20 0	7,000 0 0
Balance at close of the quarter	15,524 2 0	.....	882 19 0	4,453 31 0	1,311 33 0	78,277 17 4	1,119 10 0	324 25 0	228 3 1	85 25 0	3,13,108 0 0	16,589 0 0

* The difference of 29,971 maunds is due to the receipt of revised figures from the Collector of Pooree. This amount was wrongly shewn as manufactured in the returns for the last quarter.

It will be seen from the above that the total clearances or sales of excise salt during the quarter under review amounted to 1,29,215 maunds 36 seers 11 chittacks, against 90,055 maunds 1 seer in the previous quarter and 1,17,372 maunds 11 seers in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

4. The subjoined Table II shows comparatively the total importations into the port of Calcutta and the total clearances of sea-imported salt during the quarter under review and the corresponding quarter of the previous two years.

TABLE II.

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	1876-77.		1877-78.		1878-79.	
	Second quarter.		Second quarter.		Second quarter.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Pungah	15,09,418	17,66,796	13,15,532	17,20,144	16,13,850	18,60,816
Foreign Kurkutch	3,72,603	2,43,867	1,56,175	3,98,256	2,53,822	3,40,697
Indian do.	3,40,309	2,18,466	2,14,154	1,89,345	2,09,656	1,62,611
Ceylon do.	52,068	3,450	... ..	12,250	55,797	12,155
Total ...	22,74,398	22,52,579	21,67,861	23,18,995	21,93,125	23,76,479

5. The following are the details of the Indian Kurkutch salt shown above:—

TABLE III.

	1876-77.		1877-78.		1878-79.	
	Second quarter.		Second quarter.		Second quarter.	
	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.	Imported.	Cleared.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Bombay	1,75,890	1,04,576	2,06,954	1,39,504	2,01,856	1,48,861
Goa	.....	3,967	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	26,962	.....	28,513	.....	.....
Covelong	1,49,100	58,411	.....	15,878	.....	.....
Cocanada	.....	.....	.....	4,350	.....	.....
Tuticorin	8,100	24,550	7,200	1,100	7,800	7,800
Bate	7,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thepothoray	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,150
Total ...	3,40,300	2,18,466	2,14,154	1,89,345	2,09,656	1,62,811

6. Table IV shows the quantity of sea-imported salt remaining in the warehouses at the close of the quarter, as compared with the results of the previous four quarters:—

TABLE IV.

WHERE STORED.	Second quarter of 1877-78.	Third quarter of 1877-78.	Fourth quarter of 1877-78.	First quarter of 1878-79.	Second quarter of 1878-79.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Sulkea Government golahs	21,09,961	19,24,330	16,59,963	9,82,667	7,19,507
„ private „	7,07,259	5,17,806	2,13,121	1,99,723	22,284
Chittagong Government golahs	73,654	1,16,670	71,654	41,499	62,770
Balasore private „	3,615	5,448	4,998	4,248	3,689
Total	29,84,469	25,66,263	19,49,735	11,28,137	8,08,250

7. Table V shows the despatches of salt from Calcutta by water and the three railways passing the several salt pass-stations into the interior of the country, both east and west of the river Hooghly, during the quarter under review and the corresponding quarters of the previous two years:—

TABLE V.

PERIOD.	*Vid* Balikhal.	*Vid* Sankrail.	*Vid* Gewakhally.	*Vid* Kidderpore.	*Vid* Ballaghatta.	By East Indian Railway.	By E. B. C. and S. E. state Railway or Chitpore.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Second quarter of 1876-77 ...	10,33,153	1,30,952	28,655	4,20,366	1,11,314	4,57,097	1,22,251
Ditto 1877-78 ...	10,43,108	1,29,534	32,744	1,34,375	3,53,180	5,07,776	1,19,453
Ditto 1878-79 ...	11,01,715	1,63,300	41,819	1,75,143	3,26,781	4,80,477	1,30,084

The quantity of salt despatched by the East Indian Railway to stations beyond Buxar in the quarter under review amounted to 12,690 maunds, as noted in the margin, against 21,826 maunds in the previous quarter and 38,306 maunds in the corresponding quarter of the previous year.

	Maunds.
July	2,790
August	3,808
September	6,092
Total ...	12,690

8. The shipments of Liverpool salt for the port of Calcutta, according to published market reports, were as follow:—

	Tons.
July	9,258
August	17,204
September	24,442
Total ...	50,904

There were no shipments during the quarter under report for the port of Chittagong.

9. The market prices per 100 maunds of Liverpool and other descriptions of salt at the close of each fortnight during the quarter, as compared with those obtaining during the same period last year, are shown in the following Table VI:—

TABLE VI

DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	Prices on the 15th July		Prices on the 31st July		Prices on the 15th August		Prices on the 31st August.		Prices on the 15th September		Prices on the 30th September	
	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Liverpool Pungah	44	81	40	80	38	86	43	88	39	93	40	85
French Kurkutch	52	81	52	81	53	80	54	80	54	80	44	80
Jeddah ditto	58	81	57	82	57	78	55	83	52	81	42	81
Bombay ditto	47	42	47	43	42	50	38	55	31	51	30	38
Madras ditto	49	71	49	71	50	71	51	71	51	71	51	71
Italian ditto	52	82	53	80	53	80	54	80	54	80	44	80
Muscat ditto	45	58	44	58	43	63	42	63	42	63	40	64
Rock	86	130	85	130	85	130	90	130	100	130	100	130
Ceylon	38	71	38	71	38	71	38	71	38	69	42	70

10. The total quantities of salt that were available for private export trade at the several depôts in the Madras Presidency on the first day of each of the three months constituting the quarter under report are not known, as no returns have been received from the Board of Revenue, Madras. The last column in Table VII is therefore blank. The quantities available for export on the first day of the corresponding quarters of 1876-77 and 1877-78 are, however, shown—

TABLE VII.

MONTHS.	1876-77.	1877-78.	1878-79.
	Mds.	Mds.	The statements from which the figures for this table are compiled have been discontinued by the Madras Board of Revenue.
July	4,78,473½	4,12,638	
August	6,21,662	4,04,838	
September	6,77,030	3,78,940	

11. The following table shows the quantities of sea-imported salt admitted into bond and cleared from bond and shipboard at Chittagong and Balasore during the quarter under review and the corresponding quarter of 1877-78 respectively:—

TABLE VIII.

PORT.	DESCRIPTION OF SALT.	ADMITTED INTO BOND.		CLEARED.	
		Second quarter of 1877-78.	Second quarter of 1878-79.	Second quarter of 1877-78.	Second quarter of 1878-79.
		Mds s.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds. s.
CHITTAGONG ..	Liverpool Pungah	.....	97,148	29,963	90,567 10
	Madras Kurkutch	.....	... ..	.....	828 0
BALASORE	Ditto ditto	3,708 20	.....	93	560 0
	Total ...	3,708 20	97,148	30,056	91,955 10

No transactions in sea-imported salt have been reported for the quarter from the ports of Cuttack and Pooree.

CONDITIONS OF THE ADMISSION OF NATIVE APPRENTICES TO THE CENTRAL FOREST SCHOOL IN THE NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES.

The 2nd January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following Resolution for general information :—

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

CIRCULAR No. 70F.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, dated Calcutta, the 14th December 1878.

[FORESTS.]

READ—

Paragraphs 4 and 8 of the Resolution by the Government of India, in this Department, No. 34F, dated the 1st July 1878, relating to the establishment of a Central Forest School in India.

Paragraph 45 of a report by the Inspector-General of Forests, dated the 1st September 1877, on the establishment of a Central Forest School in India.

RESOLUTION—The Hon'ble the President in Council deems it expedient now to state, for general information, the conditions under which native apprentices will be admitted to the Central Forest School established in the North-Western Provinces. They are stated in the Memorandum of Conditions for the admission of native apprentices to the Forest School, which is appended to this Resolution.

2. Ordinarily, Conservators should not forward applications from any candidate to whom they have not been able to give a trial of at least six months in a subordinate post, during which time his intelligence, active habits, and general fitness for out-door and active forest duty should be observed and tested, and as much insight as possible into practical work in forests, plantations, and timber depôt should be given. If this time of preliminary probation can be extended beyond the minimum of six months, it will be an advantage. Attention to this will prevent disappointment both to the candidate himself, who will thus be under no mistake as to the nature of the work he will have to do, and to his employers, who will be enabled to judge practically of his aptitude and taste for the work.

3. It will be in the power of Conservators generally to appoint promising candidates on the occurrence of vacancies in their sanctioned subordinate staff. When such a vacancy is not available, the Conservator may apply to the Government to which he is subordinate to appoint any qualified candidate under the rules regulating the entertainment of temporary establishments.

4. When sending up the application, the Conservator should submit a report to the Government of the province regarding the results of the trial given to the candidate, and this report must shew that in point of physical activity, intelligence, and general capacity, the applicant is likely to profit by the course of the Forest School, and eventually to become a useful forest officer in the grade of forest ranger.

The application must also be accompanied by a certificate from the Civil Surgeon, stating that the candidate has good eyesight and bodily health, fitting him for the active duties of a forest ranger.

5. All applications should be submitted by Conservators to Local Governments, who will, if they deem fit to do so, instruct the Conservators to communicate with the Director of the Forest School regarding the admission of candidates, and with the Inspector-General of Forests regarding the grant of scholarships.

Memorandum of conditions for the admission of Native Apprentices to the Forest School at Dehra Dun.

Candidates for appointments in the subordinate staff of the Forest Department, who desire to be received as apprentices at the Central Forest School will be selected by Conservators of Forests acting under such orders as may from time to time be given by the Local Governments or Administrations under which they are serving.

2. As a rule, no apprentices will be received at the Forest School who have not proved their fitness for forest work by service in the subordinate staff of the Department during a period of not less than six months.

3. Successful apprentices who have received a forest ranger's certificate at the close of their course of instruction will, as a rule, return to and be employed in the province from whence they were sent to the Forest School.

4. The minimum standard of general education required of candidates for admission to the school will be as follows :—

(i). Ability to read fluently and write correctly their own language.
(ii). Arithmetic, including vulgar and decimal fractions.
(iii). A good knowledge of vernacular accounts.

A knowledge of English is considered an advantage.

The above are the attainments which are at present considered indispensable for each candidate, but it is intended gradually to raise the standard of educational requirements.

5. Candidates for admission to the School must be not less than 18 or more than 25 years of age; and, as a good constitution and active habits are indispensable, each candidate

will be required to furnish a certificate of sound health, good vision, and hearing, from the Civil Surgeon of the station nearest to his place of residence.

6. Candidates who are annually selected for admission to the School will commence their course of duties on the 1st June in each year.

During the course of training, apprentices will be employed in practical forest work, and will be instructed in forestry and surveying and in other subjects connected with their profession.

The course of training will extend over two years; and at the close of the course, qualified apprentices will receive a certificate stating that they are competent to hold the position of a forest ranger.

7. Apprentices who have obtained the certificate will, in the first instance, be appointed within three months of the date of their certificate to the class of foresters; and will, if they give satisfaction, and on the occurrence of vacancies, be promoted to the class of forest rangers. As a rule, apprentices who have obtained the certificate will be appointed in the province from which they were sent; but in the event of there being no vacancies available in that province, they may be required to commence their career in some other province.

8. The Director of the School has power to dismiss any apprentice for misconduct, and a man thus dismissed will not again be admitted to the School

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the local Governments and Administrations noted in the margin, and to the Superintendent of Forest Surveys, for information and guidance; also to the Governments of Madras and Bombay, the Financial Department, the Comptroller-General, and the Surveyor-General of India, for information.

Bengal.	British Burmah.
North-Western Provinces and Oudh.	Mysore and Coorg.
Punjab.	Ajmere.
Central Provinces.	Assam.
	Hyderabad.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE STOCKS OF RICE IN AND AROUND CALCUTTA.

NAMES OF MARTS.	STOCKS IN HAND AS COMPILED ON—									
	1st week of April 1878.	1st week of May 1878.	1st week of June 1878.	1st week of July 1878.	1st week of August 1878.	1st week of September 1878.	1st week of October 1878.	1st week of Nov 1878.	1st week of Dec. 1878.	1st week of Jan. 1879
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds
Sealdah	7,31,700	5,90,200	4,69,200	4,16,100	3,28,700	2,76,000	3,20 600	2,61,200	2,18,900	2,08,200
Coltadanga	52,500	47,700	42,000	36,500	32,500	33,750	29,500	29,400	26,300	29,600
Chitpore, Golabaree, Coomertooly, Hatkhola, and Culpy Ghât.	4,47,200	4,25,400	4,48,100	3,64,200	4,02,100	4,65,050	4,64,100	4,24,900	2,60,400	2,04,600
Pathuriaghatta, Posta, and Jorabagan	15,500	16,400	11,500	14,300	12,700	8,950	13,600	13,600	9,900	10,100
Tollygunge, Chitlah, Kidderpore, and Moonshigunge.	1,60,000	1,79,200	1,62,100	90,500	1,05,900	97,700	79,000	87,000	49,800	74,600
21 Minor Bazars (estimated) ..	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000
Other retail shops, 3,139 in number (estimated).	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000
Boidyabatty, Nowabgunge, Bhuddreswar, and Chandernagore	29,294	46,402	66,329	74,611	1,57,074	58,698	1,12,996	73,894	1,62,412	93,563
Total ...	19,26,294	17,95,302	16,80,229	15,12,211	15,28,974	14,30,748	15,09,786	13,49,994	11,52,712	12,60,663
On Railway premises both sides the river.	26,716 (on 1st April.)	9,910 (on 3rd May.)	6,558 (on 3rd June.)	9,414 (on 1st July)	3,716 (on 5th August)	1,174 (on 2nd Sep)	4,386 (on 1st Oct.)	7,906 (on 2nd November.)	25,694 (on 2nd December)	23,410 (on 3rd Jan 79)
On boats unloaded as by Port Commissioners' returns	65,140 (30th March to 1st April.)	22,338 (1st to 3rd May)	36,067 (1st to 3rd May)	56,575 (1st to 3rd July.)	32,277 (2nd to 4th August)	27,328 (30th Aug. to 1st September)	18,220 (28th to 30th September)	34,456 (1st to 3rd November)	58,770 (29th Nov. to 1st Dec.)	83,944 (1st to 3rd Jan. 79.)
On boats unloaded as by Canal returns ..	12,538 (30th March to 1st April.)	15,940 (1st to 3rd May.)	33,603 (1st to 3rd May.)	20,799 (1st to 3rd July.)	26,116 (2nd to 4th August.)	25,900 (30th Aug. to 1st September.)	13,177 (28th to 30th September)	5,261 (1st to 3rd November)	11,646 (29th Nov. to 1st Dec.)	73,788 (1st to 3rd Jan. 79)
Grand Total of Stocks ...	20,37,697	18,46,489	17,55,462	15,98,999	15,91,083	14,85,150	15,45,363	13,97,617	13,48,612	14,41,775
Probable stocks available for exportation by sea.	9½ lakhs.	8 lakhs	7 lakhs.	5½ lakhs.	5½ lakhs	4½ lakhs.	5 lakhs.	3½ lakhs.	3 lakhs.	4 lakhs

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 4th January 1879.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following Statement shows the quantities of the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta from the interior during the month of October 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Whence imported.	FOOD-GRAINS.							FIBROUS PRODUCTS.		OILSEEDS.		Ten, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	SUGAR.	
	RICE AND PADDY.			Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Total.	Jute.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard seed.				Refined.	Unrefined.
	Rice.	Paddy.	Total (in rice).													
BENGAL.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Burdwan	1,77,193	6,040	1,74,968	.....	1,170	3,779	1,79,917	.....	.....	190	175	50	.....	33	.....	.....
Beerbhoom	48,431	.....	48,431	.....	.....	248	48,679	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	171	.....	.....
Nuddea	45,737	31,155	65,209	.....	.....	.....	65,209	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	231	.....	248
Hooghly	44,459	3,578	46,693	9,332	2,949	12,830	71,806	55,902	385,924	11,110	4,272	.....	922	4	4,893	5,968
24-Pergunnahs	1,52,220	15,836	1,62,158	103	20	.....	1,62,281	1,09,566	170,286	80	.....	.....	889	.....	2,883	10,607
Jessore	14,827	.....	14,827	3,305	21,066	3,150	42,350	44,619	1,035	5,396	.....	416	427	470	1,005	2,873
Moorshedabad	1,455	.....	1,455	.....	80	.....	1,535	11,309	.....	1,034	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	10,852
Dinagepore	37,544	.....	37,544	6,166	5,085	18	48,813	1,236	.....	5,158	.....	.....	.....	264	.....	.....
Rajshahye	58,190	.....	58,190	.....	.....	277	58,467	10,734	751,550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rungpore	5	.....	5	.....	3,493	.....	3,498	87,380	.....	.....	1,692	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bogra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,553	20,520	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pubna	14,869	.....	14,869	.....	.....	.....	14,869	121	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dinajpore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,07,655	259,825	2,476	1,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maldah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	761	4,700	.....	.....	437	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	3,737	.....	3,737	.....	.....	.....	3,737	6,06,914	2,225	.....	.....	.....	1,120	.....	.....	.....
Furreedpore	3,352	.....	3,352	.....	200	2	3,554	4,55,688	325	232	5,020	181	.....	.....	.....	.....
Backergunge	1,03,569	.....	1,03,569	.....	.....	.....	1,03,569	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mymensingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82,534	.....	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tipperah	4,846	.....	4,846	.....	.....	.....	4,846	1,580	37,750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sylhet	9,600	.....	9,600	.....	.....	.....	9,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Bengal ...	7,14,103	56,659	7,49,515	18,906	34,065	20,304	8,22,790	17,92,740	1,634,140	25,676	13,259	1,079	3,440	1,173	8,781	30,548
BEHAR.																
Patna	266	.....	266	7,988	26,859	7,941	43,054	.....	.....	1,01,897	24,498	.....	.....	.....	3,707	1,135
Gya	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88
Shahabad	.....	.....	.....	618	792	934	2,344	.....	.....	263	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,522	.....
Mozufferpore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,893	4,196	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Durbhunga	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47,294	4,483	.....	.....	.....	928	.....
Sarun	.....	.....	.....	4,069	.....	207	4,276	.....	.....	36,286	4,532	.....	6	.....	.....	.....
Monghyr	1,055	.....	1,055	14,908	20,981	3,444	40,388	.....	.....	9,150	1,632	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bhagulpore	9,281	.....	9,281	38,813	2,841	4,262	55,197	.....	.....	13,522	1,850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Purneah	2,626	.....	2,626	1,951	.....	976	5,553	2,700	24,100	945	2,394	2,764	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maldah	5,444	.....	5,444	12,198	.....	862	18,504	7,456	.....	1,630	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	63,075	.....	63,075	3,015	1,804	4,311	72,205	.....	.....	728	262	.....	.....	28	.....	.....
Total of Behar ...	81,747	.....	81,747	83,560	53,277	23,937	2,41,521	10,156	24,100	2,32,608	43,827	2,764	6	28	6,157	1,223
ORISSA.																
Cuttack	4,523	4,354	7,214	.....	.....	.....	7,244	41	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balasore	18,653	7,445	23,306	.....	.....	.....	23,306	340	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Orissa ...	23,176	11,799	30,550	.....	.....	.....	30,550	381	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
CHOTA NAGPORE.																
Hazaribagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	.....
Manbhoom	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	239	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Chota Nagpore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	263	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand total of supplies from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	8,19,026	68,458	8,61,812	1,02,466	87,342	43,241	10,94,861	18,03,277	1,658,440	2,58,284	57,086	4,106	3,468	1,201	14,938	31,771
OTHER PROVINCES.																
Assam	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	..	330	44,358	98	11	.....	.....
North-Western Provinces	.....	.....	.....	1,86,038	65,071	3,705	2,55,714	.....	.....	1,51,963	99,288	1,201	20,579	9	1,704	.....
Punjab	.....	.....	.....	19,978	1,03,138	1,440	1,24,556	.....	.....	.....	12,222	518	1,099	134	.....	.....
Central Provinces ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,725	.....	.....	.....
Rajpootana States ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	932	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	41	.....	41	.....	.....	.....	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madras	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	157	138,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other places	4	.....	4	10	11	.....	31	.....	42,400	792	.....	.....	559	..	.....	.....
Total Imports in October ... { 1878	8,19,071	68,458	8,61,857	3,08,492	2,56,463	48,386	14,75,304	18,03,434	1,838,840†	4,11,039	1,68,925	50,183 Not	29,505	1,355	16,642 Not	31,771 Not
1877	20,01,965	83,711	20,53,665	1,81,230	2,84,795	23,323	25,13,011	20,97,437	Not available.	6,32,489	2,52,030	available.	21,247	2,537	available.	available.

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of October 1878 *was as follows:—*

EXPORTED FROM CALCUTTA—	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
To Indian Ports, viz.—																
Bombay	5,630	.....	5,630	16,683	2,500	3	24,831	3,475	911,500	.....	.....	3	.....	18	5,929	.....
Madras	32,502	.....	32,502	3,446	5,809	20	41,837	486	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	484	537	.....
Other ports in Madras	35,790	.....	35,790	3,326	13,459	20	52,595	.....	68,788	.....	4	2	.....	83	1,467	.....
British Burmah ...	94	.....	94	1,502	5,099	... ..	6,495	150	460,000	.....	80	24	.....	24	1,888	120
Other Indian ports ..	.....	.....	.....	115	30	.....	175	.....	36,704	.....	.....	1	.....	19	405	.....
Total of interportal trade	74,085	.....	74,085	24,902	26,843	43	1,25,933	4,111	1,479,691	.....	84	33	.....	573	10,302	120
To Foreign Ports—																
United Kingdom ...	5,448	...4...	5,448	1,40,009	2,994	.. .	1,49,051	7,89,632	1,254,678	1,52,507	1,06,728	45,773	4,528	721	.....	.....
Other foreign ports...	4,71,338	501	4,71,645	8,510	20,342	7,770	5,14,267	1,75,443	3,160,289	1,19,288	19,356	221	21,913	803	732	... ..
Total of foreign trade	4,76,781	501	4,77,093	1,48,119	23,336	7,770	6,63,318	9,65,075	4,414,967	2,71,795	1,26,084	45,994	26,570	1,524	732	.....
Grand total { 1878 ...	5,50,866	501	5,51,178	1,74,021	50,179	7,813	7,89,251	9,39,186	5,894,658	2,71,795	1,26,168	46,027	26,570	2,194	11,041	120
in Oct. { 1877 ...	15,20,846	40,590	15,40,315	1,51,502	2,77,014	51,328	20,20,059	14,55,765	7,765,799	6,09,545	1,22,030	88,990	1,161	2,755	1,03,637	1,678

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
† Exclusive of bags obtained by local manufacture.

The following Statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta during the month of October 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Specification of routes.	Food-grains.					Fibrous products.		Oilseeds.		Tea, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	Sugar.	
	Rice.	Paddy.	Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Jute, raw.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard seed.				Refined.	Unrefined.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
By country boats	4,54,043	51,462	91,797	40,850	6,863	11,06,270	1,416,103	2,18,656	49,171	.....	9,106	235	8,085	24,94
„ river steamers	... ...	.....	... ...	1	... ...	1,95,055	.....	... ...	330	44,358	93	11	.....	.....
„ rail { East Indian	2,58,634	.....	2,16,582	2,00,871	39,087	... ...	.....	1,89,784	b,14,465	4,796	30,197	639	6,645	1,22
„ rail { Eastern Bengal ...	11,803	.....	.....	8,710	1,536	4,29,159	233,880	2,519	5,020	1,029	.....	470	801	3,77
„ road	78,298	5,447	103	20	.....	72,412	8,257	80	.....	.....	108	.....	1,051	2,32
„ sea	15,893	11,549	16	11	.....	538	180,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand total of Imports in October ... ... { 1878...	8,19,071	68,458	3,08,498	2,50,463	48,386	18,03,434	1,838,840	4,11,039	1,68,986	50,183	39,505	1,355	16,642	31,771
{ 1877...	20,01,905	83,711	1,51,230	2,84,795	23,323	20,97,437	Not available.	6,32,489	2,52,630	Not available.	21,247	2,537	Not available.	Not available.

The following Statement shows the quantities, values, and numbers, of the principal staples of Traffic exported inland from Calcutta during the month of October 1878.

EXPORTS FROM CALCUTTA.

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
BENGAL.	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
Burdwan	2,09,710	643	24,635	64,935
Beerbhoom	26,640	304	12,748	40,355
Midnapore	2,758	480	651	7,135
Hooghly	1,24,413	1,651	878	47,815
24-Pergunnahs	1,84,926	806	13,746	40,076
Nuddea	2,97,736	1,463	6,362	8,857
Jessore	.....	125	11,840	.....
Moorshedabad	1,29,240	138	14,341	31,865
Dinagepore	2,26,000	187	3,310	.....
Rajshahye	1,26,980	63	1,600	1,500
Rungpore	2,11,986	41	800	.....
Bogra	50,160	.....	...	.....
Pubna	1,35,760	323	29,151	2,158
Julpigoree	1,97,760	216	1,000	.....
Dacca	4,11,246	1,426	41,647	11,850
Furreedpore	1,29,800	641	14,435	.....
Backergunge	1,78,124	190	11,515	.....
Mymensingh	1,200	.....	21,928	.....
Tipperah	.....	.....	2,200	.....
Chittagong	77,590	313	... ...	.....
Noakholly	19,250	160	2,800	.....
Total of Bengal ...	27,82,959	9,080	2,15,525	256,547
BEHAR.				
Patna	17,76,080	582	83,113	114,040
Shahabad	3,09,040	271	9,134	2,025
Mozufferpore	1,72,160	.....	3,715	2,815
Durbhunga	5,04,640	194	21,691	21,695
Saruu	.....	.....	2,000	12,400
Monghyr	1,99,200	259	4,855	16,025
Bhagulpore	2,61,800	505	5,208	24,735
Purneah	3,58,320	525	1,500	5,192
Maldah	.....	.....	300	.....
Sonthal Pergunnahs	1,71,040	510	7,033	54,455
Total of Behar	38,12,080	2,846	1,38,411	253,982
ORISSA.				
Cuttack	46,958	1,020	27	15,900
Balasore	10,500	550	.....	25,054
Total of Orissa ...	57,458	1,570	27	40,954

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
CHOTA NAGPORE.	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
Hazaribagh	36,800	37	3,293	315
Manbhoom	76,720	254	2,792	560
Total of Chota Nagpore ...	1,13,520	291	6,084	875
Grand total of supplies into the provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	67,66,017	13,787	3,60,047	552,358
OTHER PROVINCES.				
Assam	4,46,764	481	13,176	.....
N.-W. Provinces	29,19,680	3,371	1,770	361,370
Punjab	10,35,920	1,651	.....	227,490
Central Provinces	1,02,800	552	.....	8,785
Rajpootana States	1,99,200	27	.....	210
Nizam's Territory	1,440	.....	.....	.....
Bombay	82,040	21	.....	911,500
Madras	21,759	113	.....	66,788
British Burmah	3,50,722	1,094	.....	460,690
Other places	2,94,965	43	.....	4,423,092
Grand total of exports in Oct. ... { 1878 ...	1,28,21,316	20,945	3,74,993	7,074,223
{ 1877 ...	1,32,66,132	24,742	5,91,058	Not available.

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of October 1878, *was as follows :—*

	Rs.*	Mds.	Mds.	No.
IMPORTED INTO CALCUTTA—				
From Foreign Ports—				
United Kingdom	1,18,93,527	21,732	4,38,819	.....
Other foreign ports	3,392	644	1,15,118	2,000
Total of foreign trade ...	1,18,96,919	22,376	5,53,937	2,000
From Indian Ports—				
Bombay	52,049	4	48,420	.....
Madras	8,713	15	.....	137,400
Other ports in Madras	978	.....	.....	900
Other Indian ports	.....	.....	.....	40,300
Total of interportal trade ...	61,740	19	48,420	178,600
Grand total in Oct. { 1878 ...	1,14,58,659	22,395	6,02,357	180,600
{ 1877 ...	1,22,26,957	18,936	4,27,226	103,984

The following Statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic exported from Calcutta during the month of October 1878.

Specification of routes.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
By country boats	60,856	1,559	1,84,587	156,493
„ river steamers	8,95,634	1,766	5,001	.....
„ rail ... { East Indian	95,50,080	9,834	1,58,576	1,906,670
{ Eastern Bengal	15,04,500	2,830	19,952	.....
„ road	2,69,543	1,940	5,950	16,501
„ sea	5,00,703	3,016	27	5,994,556
Grand total of Exports in October ... { 1878 ...	1,18,21,316	20,945	3,74,993	7,074,223
{ 1877 ...	1,32,66,132	24,742	5,91,058	Not available.

* As per tariff declaration value.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 4th January 1879.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 4th January 1879.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Div. 1	Burdwan, Jan. 4 '79	Nil	Weather—chilly and fair, but sometimes cloudy. The *amun* crop is still being reaped. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are favourable. Fever and small-pox are prevalent in some parts of the Jehanabad sub-division.
2	Bankoora, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—clear, but warmer. No change in the state and prospects of the crops since last report.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 5 „	Nil	Weather—somewhat warmer than last week. No change to report in the excellent prospects of the crops.
4	Midnapore, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—not so cold as in the previous week. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. Public health is still bad, owing to the prevalence of malarious fever.
5	Hooghly, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—clear throughout the week, except on the 30th December, when it was cloudy. Cold, the wind blowing from the north. The harvesting of *amun* paddy is in progress. The prospects of the cold-weather crops are generally good. Fever has somewhat abated.
	Howrah, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—rather too warm for the season The harvest is nearly complete. Prices still keep up in spite of the good outturn. Much fever prevails.
	Central Districts.		
Presidency Div. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Jan. 4 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. Cholera and fever are abating.
7	Nuddea, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—much warmer than last week. The prospects of the winter crops are on the whole good. The *amun* harvest is nearly completed. Fever is still prevalent in many places, and cholera to a less degree, except in and about the town of Kishnaghur, where it is very bad.
8	Jessore, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold. The *amun* harvest is going on with fair outturn. The prospects of the winter crops are favourable. Fever is very prevalent. Sporadic cases of cholera are reported.
9	Moorshedabad, „ 4 „	Nil	Clouds have been hanging about for the last few days, and the weather has been getting warmer. The *amun* harvest is finished. The yield is very good. A considerable quantity of the new rice is being exported by rail to Calcutta. The river is probably carrying still more. The *rubbee* crops are doing well.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Div. 10	Dinagepore, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—fine generally, but cloudy for one or two days. The *rubbee* sowings have been completed. The prospects of the winter crops remain good. *Haimanta* rice is selling at 18 to 19 seers the rupee.
11	Rajshahye, „ 4 „	Nil	The *dhan* and *teel* crops are still being harvested. The *rubbee* crops are thriving, but some rain is required. Fever is reported from all the police stations.
12	Rungpore, „ 3 „	Nil	The weather was cloudy on the 2nd, with a few drops of rain. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory. Cholera is still prevalent in parts of the district.
13	Bogra, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops. The reaping of *amun* is nearly finished. Sporadic cases of cholera prevail in the district, and small-pox has appeared in Adamdighi station.
14	Pubna, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—fine, but cloudy. No change in the prospects of the crops. Public health is generally good.
15	Darjeeling, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—very cold. Cloudy atmosphere, threatening rain or snow. Nearly half of the *haimanta dhan* has been gathered in and the outturn is very good. The minor crops are progressing favourably.
16	Julpigoree, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—bright, with hot sun. The mornings and evenings are cool. The *haimanta dhan* is now nearly all gathered, as well as the early sugarcane. The transplanting of tobacco is nearly completed. *Teel* and *kalai* have been gathered and the outturn has been very fair. Mustard is in flower.
	Cooch Behar, „ 2 „	Nil	Weather—getting colder. A little rain is now needed, but not heavy. Rice is getting dearer. The *haimanta* outturn is, however, very fair. The cold-weather crops are looking well.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Div. 17	Dacca, Jan. 4 '79	Nil	Weather—cloudy and close towards the end of week. The state and prospects of the crops are good. The ryots complain of some damage by insects which always accompany the cloudy weather, but it is slight. Prices keep very high.
Dacca Div. 18	Furreedpore, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy at intervals The state and prospects of the crops are good. The reaping of the *amun* paddy is finished in some and nearly finished in all the stations of the sudder sub-division. No news from Goalundo. In Madaripore some cases of small-pox are reported.
Dacca Div. 19	Backergunge, „ 2 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy and seasonably cold. The *amun* crop has been reaped on the higher lands. The harvest is still progressing in the south of the district The outturn is very satisfactory. New rice is selling at Rs. 3-8 a maund. Health is fair.
Dacca Div. 20	Mymensingh, „ 3 „	Nil	Temperature high for the season. The cold-weather crops promise fairly.
Dacca Div. 21	Tipperah, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—fair and cold during the first part of the week. Warm and cloudy during the last part. Very little of the *amun dhan* remains to be reaped.
Chittagong Div. 22	Chittagong, „ 2 „	0 16	Weather—cloudy at the time of report. Showers on the nights of the 31st ultimo and 1st instant. The harvesting of the late rice crop continues. The threatening wet weather may cause some damage. Small-pox and cholera have broken out in the Cox's Bazar sub-division.
Chittagong Div. 23	Noakholly, „ 2 „	Nil	Mornings foggy. Weather more or less cloudy and cold. The reaping of the *amun* crop is nearly completed. The outturn is good.
Chittagong Div. 24	Chittagong Hill Tracts Dec 31 '78	Nil	Very cold throughout the week. Cloudy on the morning of the 31st December. The mustard is in flower. Tobacco is thriving well.
Chittagong Div.	Hill Tipperah, Jan 1 '79	Nil	Weather—dry and cold. No change in the state and prospects of the crops since last report. Public health is good.
BEHAR			
Patna Div. 25	Patna, Jan. 4 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change in the state and prospects of the crops since last report.
Patna Div. 26	Gya, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 77°. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops continue to be favourable The public health is good. The health of the plough-cattle is also good.
Patna Div. 27	Shahabad, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—rather warm for the season. No change since last week. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops continue good. Public health is normal.
Patna Div. 28	Durbhunga, „ 5 „	Nil	Weather—dry and becoming warmer. The rice harvest has been almost completed The outturn is on the whole good The *rubbee* crops promise well, but rain is everywhere wanted.
Patna Div. 29	Mozufferpore, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—cold and clear. The state of the *rubbee* crops continues favourable. Large flights of locusts passed through the district in the early part of the week, but without doing much harm.
Patna Div. 30	Sarun, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold. West wind is prevailing. The cold-weather crops are, still doing well, but rain is urgently required to promote their growth. Irrigation from wells is steadily going on where practicable. The poppy is everywhere backward. Prices are stationary. The public health is good.
Patna Div. 31	Chumparun, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of all crops north of Motihari are very promising. The *rubbee* crops in the remaining portion of the district are very poor. The Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Motihari reports that 20,000 beegahs out of 75,000 are a failure.
Bhagulpore Division. 32	Monghyr, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—warm for the time of year. The state and prospects of the crops are very good.
Bhagulpore Division. 33	Bhagulpore, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—cool and seasonable. The rice crop is nearly harvested in the south. The harvest is in full swing in the north. The outturn is beyond the most sanguine expectations. Exportation is going on largely and prices perhaps are falling a little. The *rubbee* is in a very promising state.
Bhagulpore Division. 34	Purneah „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy at times, but no rain. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are generally good Rain is wanted in places.
Bhagulpore Division. 35	Maldah, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy and foggy. The harvesting of the rice crop is not yet completed. The cold-weather crops are doing well. A few sporadic cases of cholera are reported. Fever is still prevalent.
Bhagulpore Division. 36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—fine, but warmer. The state and prospects of the crops are very satisfactory. The reaping of the late rice is still going on. Sugarcane is being cut.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
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ORISSA DIVS. 37	Cuttack Jan. 4 '79	Nil	Weather—cold. The reaping of the rice and *rubbee* crops is going on briskly. Cholera and fever are prevalent.
ORISSA DIVS. 38	Pooree, „ 2 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* rice is being harvested. *Dalua* rice is being sown. The winter crops are progressing tolerably well. Common rice is selling at 15¾ to 26¼ seers for the rupee. One native coasting vessel is being loaded with rice for shipment, and two more are waiting for cargo. Public health is good.
ORISSA DIVS. 39	Balasore, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—cool and seasonable. The rice crop is now seen to be a decidedly fair one, but the late and untimely rains in November and December have prevented it from being a bumper harvest as was at one time expected.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Jan. 3 '79	Nil	Weather—fine and cold. The rice crop has been cut. The outturn is about 12 annas. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are satisfactory.
41	Lohardugga, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change to report. The cold-weather crops promise well.
42	Singbhoom, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—inclining to change and warmer than last week. The paddy is all harvested. The *rubbee* crops are doing fairly. Prices are high owing to exportation. Fever is prevalent in the interior.
43	Manbhoom, „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Nothing new to report. If the weather keeps up, a good *mohwa* harvest may be expected a month hence.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

QUANTITIES PER RUPE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MUR AND CHEENA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return
	BENGAL.																					
	Western Districts	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S
1	Burdwan ..	A 12 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	13 10	13 8	15 8	14 8	14 4	16 0		.		..	...		.	.	
2	Baukoora ..	B 10 12	11 4	13 8	14 0	14 0	24 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	15 0	14 8 to 17 8	17 0	18 12				.	.	.	.	.	
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 11 0	11 0	13 0	..	...	20 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	13 8	13 8	16 0		..	..	.	..	.	.	..	
4	Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	..	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	16 0		..	.	..	..	..	.	.	
5	Hooghly ...	12 0	12 0	13 0	.	...	.	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 8 to 11 0	10 8	13 0 to 13 8	.	.	.	...	..	.	..	..	
	Howrah ..	10 8	11 0	13 0	...	.	.	9 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	11 0	13 0			.	..	.	.	.		
	Central Districts.																					
	Calcutta	10 8	11 4	12 4	14 0	16 0	20 0	6 3	6 3	7 8	10 0	10 0	11 12	..		...	..	.	.	..	..	
6	24-Pergunnahs	D ..		..	...	...	...	6 8	6 0	7 4	9 0	8 0	13 4	..	...	...	..	..	..	.	..	
7	Nuddea	12 5	12 5	13 15	16 0	...	32 0	10 0	9 7	12 5	10 10	10 5½	13 5	...		..	.	..	...	..	.	
8	Jessore ...	E 11 0	11 8	11 0	..		...	8 0	7 8	9 12	12 8	11 8	14 0		..	..	.	..	...	...	..	..
9	Moorshedabad...	F 12 0	12 8	14 0 to 15 0		..	35 0 to 37 8	10 0	12 0	10 0 to 14 0	12 0	13 0	14 0 to 16 0		..	..	...	..	...	...	...	
10	Dinagepore .	G 10 13	10 13	12 2	16 0	16 0	11 6	12 0	11 6	18 3	14 6	14 6	22 12	..	...	...	..	..	..	.	.	..
11	Rajshahye ..	H 12 0	12 0	16 12	10 8	13 8	26 12	9 0 to 11 4	9 12 to 10 0	9 4	13 2 to 14 4	12 0 to 13 12	16 0 to 17 4							.	..	..
12	Rungpore	I 8 0	11 0	15 13	..	...	...	8 0	8 0	11 5½	14 12	11 4	22 8	.	...	..	...	..	...	...	..	...
8	Bogra ...	12 0	10 14	12 0	...	...	..	9 3	9 0	13 8	15 0	13 8	22 8	...	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	
4	Pubna ...	J 15 0	13 8	13 0 to 16 0	.	...	..	6 4	6 4	8 0	13 0	13 8	16 0	.	.	...	.	.	.	.		
5	Darjeeling ...	K 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	.	.	..	..		..	.	12 0	9 0
3	Julpigoree	L 8 8	8 0	9 5	..	...	.	8 0	8 0	13 0	12 3	10 6	19 0	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Eastern Districts.																					
	Dacca ..	M 0 11	11 4	11 7		.	32 0	8 12 to 10 0	8 12 to 9 12	11 7 to 15 4	11 7 to 13 0	11 7 to 13 0	17 10	...	..	...	..	..	.	...	...	
	Furreedpore ...	N 13 0	13 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	..	6 0	6 8	8 0	12 8	13 0	15 0	.	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	
6	Backergunge	O			..	..	.	11 0	9 0	14 0	13 8	12 0	17 0	..	..	...	.	...	..	...	..	..
	Mymensingh ..	P 10 0	9 8	10 0	..	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 0	11 0	11 0	15 12	...	...	..	...	.	..	..	..	...

* Return of wages of labour not received

A In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 13 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice 10 to 14½ seers, common rice 12 to 16 seers, and gram 9½ to 11½ seers

B In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 14 to 15 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 34 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers

C In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 13 seers, best rice 11 to 15½ seers, common rice 12½ to 17½ seers, and gram 8½ to 11½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 seers, barley 15½ to 16 seers, best rice 5½ to 7½ seers common rice 7½ to 13 seers, and gram 10½ to 16 seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 13 seers, common rice 10 to 15 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers

F In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11½ seers, barley 13 to 26 seers, best rice 9 to 11½ seers, common rice 13 to 14½ seers, and gram 10½ to 12 seers.

G In Rangunge the prices are—Wheat 11½ seers, best rice 12½ seers, and common rice 15 seers and gram 10 seers.

H In Natore the prices are —Wheat 15 seers, best rice 8½ seers, common rice 12 seers, and gram 9½ seers.

ndermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st December* 1878.

HE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

DISTRICTS	MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH. ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Ch. S.	Ch. S.	Ch. S.	Ch. S.	Ch. S.	Ch. S.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
BENGAL.																					
Western Districts.																					
Burdwan.	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	16 8	100 0	100 0	140 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	9 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	10 0 to 15 0	10 4 to 12 0	10 4 to 12 0
Bankoora.	3 0	25 0	32 0	10 8	10 0	14 12	360 0	300 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 8	4 8 to 5 8	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 9 8	7 8 to 9 8	7 8 to 8 0
Beerbhoom.	3 8	26 8	30 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	200 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
Midnapore	...	...	...	9 0	9 8	16 0	160 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 8 to 10 0	6 0 to 7 0
Hooghly.	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0 to 14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8 to 12 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0
Howrah.	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	15 4	105 0	110 0	120 0	10 0	9 12	9 8	10 0	10 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	13 0	13 0	13 0
Central Districts.																					
Calcutta.	0	20 0	18 0	10 4	11 0	18 0	66 0	66 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	9 10½	9 5	12 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	12 0	12 0	15 8
24-Pergunnahs.	...	...	...	10 8	10 4	15 8	90 0	90 0	100 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	16 0	16 0	16 0
Nuddea.	...	...	...	10 0	10 14	17 4	120 0	120 0	100 0	9 6	9 11	9 2½	7 8	6 0	6 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0
Jessore.	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0	10 0 to 15 0	15 0
Moorshedabad.	...	...	...	10 0	10 4	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	4 8	3 12 to 4 11	3 12 to 4 11	4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 15 0	6 8 to 7 8	7 8
Dinagepore.	...	...	...	6 8	8 0	13 0	180 0	160 0	180 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rajshahye.	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	18 0	200 0 to 240 0	200 0 to 240 0	240 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 7 0	4 5½	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	4 8 to 5 0	6 0 to 20 0	6 0 to 20 0	6 0 to 10 0
Rungpore.	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	13 8½	107 0	107 0	107 0	6 0	6 0	8 1	6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0
Bogra	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 4	8 4	7 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pubna.	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0 to 18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling.	0	16 0	20 0	6 0	6 8	10 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 0	4 0	5 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0 to 10 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0
Julpigoree.	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 5	64 0	64 0	80 0	6 3	6 4	7 4	7 8	7 1¼	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	7 0	6 0 13 0 to 10 0 15 0	14 0	10 0 to 20 0	
Eastern Districts.																					
Dacca.	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 4	100 0	106 0	80 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	6 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 6 0	10 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 15 0
Furreedpore.	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 12 0
Backergunge.	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	100 0	100 0	100 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 25 0
Mymensingh.	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 25 0	12 0 to 25 0	10 0 to 25 0

I In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 4½ to 2½ seers, best rice 10½ to 12 seers, common rice 12½ to 14½ seers, and gram 6½ to 8 seers.
J In Serajgunge the prices are :—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 8 seers, common rice 12½ seers, and gram 8 seers.
K In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 5 to 12 seers, common rice 13 to 14 seers, and gram 6 to 8 seers.
L In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 8 seers, best rice 6 to 14½ seers, common rice 11 to 16 seers, and gram 6½ to 8 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat (at Jaffergunge) 13 seers, barley (at Jaffergunge) 20 seers, best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 11½ to 13 seers, and gram 10 seers.
N In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10 to 10½ seers, common rice 13 to 14 seers, and gram 8 to 12 seers.
O In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 11 to 12 seers, common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram 5 to 12 seers.
P In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 9 to 10 seers, best rice 6 to 12 seers, common rice 10 to 14 seers, and gram 7 to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in t

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
21	Chittagong ...	9 0	0 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Tipperah ...	10 8	10 8	11 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	.	...	...	...	11 7	10 0	10 6	13 5	13 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah ...	7 5	7 5	9 5	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	15 0	12 5	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																					
25	Patna ...	13 0	14 12	17 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	17 8	19 8	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26	Gya ...	12 8	12 0	17 8	13 8	11 8	24 0	9 0	9 0	11 8	16 0	16 8	14 8	..	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	28 0	
27	Shahabad ...	R 14 0 to 15 0	14 0 to 15 0	14 0	17 0 to 18 0	17 0	20 0	13 0 to 14 0	12 0 to 12 8	11 0	15 0 to 16 8	15 0 to 16 8	12 8	...	...	..	26 8 to 28 0	27 0 to 28 0	...	...	...	...
28	Durbhunga* ...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Muzufferpore ..	S 12 0	13 0	14 0	20 0	16 0	...	8 0	9 0	9 0	14 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	
30	Sarun ...	12 4	12 0	13 0	20 6	19 8	19 0	7 8	7 12	7 8	14 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	..	29 4	30 4	18 0	26 0	26 6	20
31	Chumparun ...	T 11 0	11 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	21 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	17 8	18 0	12 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
32	Monghyr ...	U 13 6	15 7	15 7	14 7	13 6	21 0	9 4	9 4	9 4	13 6	14 7	12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Bhagulpore ...	V 12 0	12 10	13 14	12 10	15 2	20 8	12 10	13 14	12 10	15 2	15 2	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Purneah ...	W 13 0	15 0	16 0 to 18 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 0 to 18 0	18 0 to 21 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Maldah ...	12 0	12 8	15 0	...	...	35 0	12 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	X 10 0	10 0	...	...	...	..	16 0	10 8	12 0	17 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																					
37	Cuttack ...	12 7	13 2	14 7	...	...	..	10 8	9 3	9 3	14 7†	13 2	14 7	.	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	18 9	17
38	Poorie* ...	...	..	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Balasore ...	8 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	...	8 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	12 12	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																					
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																					
40	Hazareebagh ...	Y 11 0	10 8	15 8	...	...	22 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	17 8	17 4	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	27 0	28 0	22
41	Lohardugga ..	Z 9 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	18 0	16 0	17 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	32 0	32 0	30
42	Singbhoom ...	8 0	7 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	16 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
43	Manbhoom ...	Z1 9 12	8 8	13 0	...	...	32 0	12 0	11 0	16 0	19 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64

a Return of wages of labor not received.
* Returns not received.
† In the interior the price of common rice varies from 18¾ to 23¾ seers per rupee.
‡ 1½ to 2 annas a day for each ticca coolly.
§ 2½ to 5 annas a day for each ticca one.
Q In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8 to 18 seers, and common rice 11 to 21 seers.
R In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12½ to 15 seers, barley 15 to 16 seers, best rice 8 to 9 seers, common rice 15 to 15½ seers, bulrush millet 19 to 20 seers, great millet 24 to 5 seers, lessor millets 22 to 23 seers, maize or Indian-corn 23 to 24 seers, and gram 10½ to 11 seers.
S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 2[illegible] seers, barley 16 to 25 seers, best rice 10 to 25, common rice 10 to 30 seers, lessor millets 25 to [illegible] seers, maize or Indian corn 27 to 60 seers, and gram 10 to 28 seers.
T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 13 seers, barley 13¾ to 18 seers, best rice 9 to 12½ seers, common rice 17 to 22½ seers, maize or Indian-corn 34 to 45 seers, and gram 8¾ to 12 seers.
U In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 15·7 seers, barley 13·6 to 21 seers, best rice 10 to 17·8 seers, common rice 17·8 to 18·90 seers, jowar 16·8 to [illegible] seers, murwa 31·5 to 40 seers, maize or Indian-corn 27·3 to 31·5 seers, and gram 12 to 13·6 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th January 1879.

...mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st December 1878.—(Contd.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.												AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
...E OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON CARPENTER, OR, BLACKSMITH.			
Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
																				Eastern Districts—(Contd.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	6 0	6 0	9 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 9 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	9 0 to 15 0	Chittagong.
...	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	...	...		8 0	8 0	8 0	... a	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Noakholly.
...	...	7 8	7 8	12 0	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 12	... a	...	...	...	...	.	...	.	...	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	..	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	.	...	...	..	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	8 0	8 5	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 4	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	11 0	9 12	10 0	Hill Tipperah.
																				BEHAR.
32 0	20 0	11 8	13 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 0 to 10 0	5 10 to 7 8	Patna
24 0	21 0	10 0	10 0	21 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0		a	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gya.
26 0	18 0	8 0 to 9 8	10 8 to 11 0	18 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	3 0 to 3 8	3 0 to 3 8	3 0 to 3 8	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 12 0	7 0 to 12 0	7 0 to 12 0	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
32 0	21 0	10 0	9 0	16 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	2 0 to 3 0	4 0 to 5 0	2 0 to 3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 8 to 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	Muzufferpore
28 12	18 0	10 0	11 0	17 8	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	2 8 to 3 12	2 8 to 3 12	2 8 to 3 12	4 0 to 4 8	4 0 to 4 8	4 0 to 4 8	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Sarun.
36 0	...	8 0	9 8	17 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	2 13	2 13	2 13	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 13	5 0	5 0	Chumparun.
30 4	18 9	12 6	12 6	16 8	147 0	126 0	126 0	8 4	8 4	8 4	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	Monghyr.
29 0	21 7	11 6	12 0	20 3	138 12	126 4	151 9	8 13	8 13	8 3	3 0 to 4 0	2 13 to 3 12	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 10 0	5 10 to 9 6	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	10 0 to 11 0	10 0 to 11 0	14 0 to 18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	... a	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		Purneah.
...	32 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	110 0	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 8	7 8	3 0	5 0	6 0	4 0	6 0 to 15 0	5 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 12 0	Maldah.
30 0	..	9 0	10 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	... a	.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	Sonthal Pergns.
																				ORISSA.
...	...	13 2	13 12	17 0	300 0	300 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	Pooree.
...	...	6 8	6 8	11 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	.. a	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore.
																				CHOTA NAGPORE.
																				South-Western Frontier Agency.
26 0	20 0	10 0	8 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareeagh
...	30 0	9 0	10 0	20 0	180 0	160 0	160 0	7 0	6 8	7 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	Lohardugga
...	...	10 0	10 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	3 0	3 0	3 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	Singbhoom
26 0	40 0	9 4	9 8	18 0	180 0	130 0	160 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	5 0	4 0	5 0	9 6	9 6	7 8	Manbhoom

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 13 to 16 seers, barley (at Banka) 18 seers, best rice 14 to 18 seers, common rice 15 to 20 seers, lesser millets to 35 seers, and gram 11 to 13 seers.

W In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 16 seers, best rice 16 to 18 seers, common rice 17 to 24 seers, and gram 8 to 11 seers.

X In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, best rice 17 to 21 seers, common rice 18 to 23 seers, maize or Indian-corn 28 to 30 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

Y In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 13 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 10 seers, common rice 18 to 20 seers, lesser millets 30 to 40 seers, maize or Indian-corn 26 to 28 seers, and gram 10 to 11½ seers.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 11·25 seers, barley (at Daltongunge) 13·50 seers, best rice 14·6 to 22 seers, common rice 16·88 to 23·44 seers, mohwa (at Daltongunge) 15·18 seers, murwa (at Lohardugga) 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 27 seers, and gram 8 to 13 seers.

Z1 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 6 to 10 seers, best rice 16 to 21 seers, common rice 18 to 23 seers, maize or Indian-corn 24 to 40 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, Common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A P	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta .	3 12 6	3 8 6	3 4 0	2 12 6	2 7 6	2 0 0	6 7 9	6 7 9	5 4 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 6 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ..	4 0 0	...	3 8 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	...	4 8 0	3 12 0	...	2 2 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 3 0	...	...	1 8 0	3 6 0 to 4 8 0	4 0 0 to 4 9 0	3 4 0	3 0 0 to 3 7 0	3 1 0 to 3 7 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 3 0	2 9 0	3 5 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
6	Patna .	3 1 3	2 12 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 13 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	2 4 6	2 1 0	2 5 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	4 15 0	4 6 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 6 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 3 6	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	3 3 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	4 3 0	4 2 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th January 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st December 1878.

OF 40 SEERS

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN			GRAM			FIREWOOD			SALT			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	
R. A P.	R A P	R A P	R. A P.	R A P	R A P.	R A. P.	R A P	R A P	R A P	R. A P.	R A P	R A P	R. A P	R. A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	
...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 3 6	3 11 9	3 9 9	2 3 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 6 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	.	5 0 0	..	3 0 0	...	...	..	4 6 0	.	4 6 6	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	..	..	.	..	4 5 0	4 5 0	3 2 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	4 2 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	3 15 0	3 13 0	2 9 0	0 13 0	0 12 0	0 8 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 3 6	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...		..	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 7 3	1 4 0	2 0 0	3 8 0	3 1 3	1 13 0	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	4 13 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 6 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	..	...	.	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Poorea.*
...	...	...	1 11 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	..	...	.	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 3 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 15th to 21st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	0·18	Nil	62·22	28th Dec.	
		Cutwa	Nil	ditto	59·23	ditto	
		Culna	Not recd.	ditto	62·68	ditto ...	Not received 15th to 21st Dec.
		Bood-Bood	Nil	ditto	56·10	ditto	
		Raneegunge	0·02	ditto	48·98	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·12	ditto	73·68	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	0·20	ditto	54·83	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	Nil	Not recd.	63·41	21st Dec.	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	72·42	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	72·06	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	0·24	Nil.	47 95	28th Dec.	
		Tumlook	0·08	ditto	55·66	ditto ...	Not received 8th to 14th Dec.
		Ghattal	Nil	ditto	61 80	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	53 02	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	53·01	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	0·34	ditto	89·30	ditto	
		Serampore	0·20	ditto	80·01	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	Nil	ditto	62·07	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	ditto	67·58	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	0·10	ditto	64·99	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	0·28	ditto	57·70	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	0·29	ditto	65·68	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	0·26	ditto	65·34	ditto	
		Busseerhat	0 03	ditto	66·48	ditto	
		Barasot	0·43	ditto	77·59	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	Nil	ditto	62·91	ditto	
		Barripore	0·12	ditto	69·37	ditto	
		Satkhira	0·09	0·18	76·02	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
		Barrackpore	0·22	Nil	77·95	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	0·36	ditto	70·22	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	0·38	ditto	65·92	ditto	
		Bongong	0·42	ditto	68·41	ditto	
		Meherpore	Nil	ditto	55·24	ditto	
		Chooadanga	0·40	ditto	86·90	ditto	
		Koosbtea	Nil	ditto	74·59	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	79·72	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	0·44	ditto	71·32	ditto	
		Narail	0·48	ditto	51·16	ditto	
		Khoolna	0·40	ditto	65·16	ditto	
		Jhenidah	0·11	ditto	67·03	ditto	
		Bagirhat	0·10	ditto	68·54	ditto	
		Magoorah	0·19	ditto	70·20	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ..	Berhampore	Nil	ditto	68·92	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	68·53	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	55·05	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	ditto	55·52	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	59·91	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	57·93	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	65 38	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	71 81	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	70·78	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	ditto	56·43	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	59·18	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Baulesh	ditto	ditto	73 02	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	83 70	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	121·65	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	91·78	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	132·46	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	142·24	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	82·03	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	90·79	ditto	
		Nowbhilla	ditto	ditto	73·18	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	84·76	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	0·05	ditto	76·11	ditto	
		Serajgunge	0·10	ditto	57·77	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	Nil	ditto	123·81	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	116·18	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	142·95	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	Not recd.	119·52	21st Dec.	
		Buxa Civil Surgeon's Office .	ditto	ditto	209·96	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	182 10	ditto ...	Not received 1st to 7th Dec.
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	Nil.	194·96	28th Dec.	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 15th to 21st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	0·45	ditto	64·13	28th Dec.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	0·50	ditto	82·04	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	0·50	ditto	90·15	ditto	
		Manickgunge	0·22	ditto	65·87	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	0·32	ditto	67·27	ditto	
		Goalundo	0·23	ditto	76·74	ditto	
		Madaripore	0·08	ditto	78·55	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	0·06	ditto	73·67	ditto	
		Perozepore	0·20	ditto	85·87	ditto	
		Patoakhally	0·18	ditto	78·06	ditto	
		Bhola	0·19	ditto	83·03	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	0·02	ditto	104·05	ditto	
		Jamalpore	0·30	ditto	101·17	ditto	
		Atia	Nil	ditto	65·84	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	0·11	ditto	58·70	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	Nil	1·10	110·67	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	Nil	102·64	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	114·15	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	0·17	ditto	105·97	ditto	
		Feuny	Nil	ditto	119·63	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	0·15	ditto	87·73	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	0·58	ditto	74·50	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	0·22	ditto	99·30	ditto	
		Kuma	0·40	ditto	98·57	ditto ...	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	0·39	ditto	78·87	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	Nil	ditto	40·65	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	40·15	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	45·39	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	38·53	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	44·36	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	40·72	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	33·35	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	41·85	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	38·21	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	35·03	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	25·74	ditto	
		Bhuboosh	ditto	ditto	37·65	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	ditto	Not recd.	35·41	21st Dec.	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	30·81	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	44·86	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	ditto	Nil	35·39	28th Dec.	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	42·95	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	47·27	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	ditto	29·18	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	33·26	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	ditto	ditto	40·23	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	35·14	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	44·03	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	ditto	47·79	ditto	
		Begoosera	ditto	ditto	41·05	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	43·96	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	49·57	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	54·10	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	62·04	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	61·58	ditto	
		Sonburea	ditto	ditto	58·77		
	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	ditto	64·37	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	84·85	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	80·99	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	59·58	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	ditto	100·23	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	ditto	64·59	ditto	
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	39·15	ditto ...	From 30th June, and not received 11th to 17th August.
		Pakour	ditto	Not recd.	43·82	21st Dec.	From 8th July.
		Godda	ditto	Nil	67·08	28th "	

Division.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 15th to 21st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack Hospital ...	Nil	Not recd.	54·57	21st Dec.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	29·50	ditto ...	Not recorded from 28th July.
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	55·90	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	69·42	ditto	Not received, 8th to 14th Dec.
		False Point	0·22	ditto	60·12	ditto	Not received, 24th to 30th Nov.
	Pooree ...	Pooree	Nil	ditto	54·66	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	48·57	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	Nil	61·89	28th Dec.	
		Bhadrack	ditto	Not recd.	68·09	21st ,,	
		Jellasore	ditto	Nil	57·76	28th Dec.	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	69·70	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	67·13	ditto	
		Barrcepudda	0·24	ditto	0·73	ditto ...	From 8th December.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	0·49	Not recd.	44·06	21st Dec.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	Nil	Nil	43·36	28th Dec.	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	ditto	ditto	44·39	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	53·68	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	23·85	ditto ...	From 4th August.
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	ditto	7·80	ditto ...	From 2nd September, and not received, 8th to 14th December.
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	47·80	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	48·29	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	0·26	ditto	50·75	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	0·09	ditto	61·11	ditto	
		Goviudpore	Nil	ditto	51·62	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	0·18	ditto	165·17	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	0·03	Not recd.	85·57	21st Dec.	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto	81·38	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	70·19	ditto	
		Akyab	0·08	0·41	123·74	28th Dec.	Not recorded, 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	Nil	Nil	24·98	ditto ...	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	23·77	ditto ...	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto ...	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 29th Dec. 1878 to 4th Jan. 1879.

Stations.	Date	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea level	Hygrometer: Dry	Hygrometer: Wet.	Humidity, sat = 100	Wind: Directions.	Wind: Velocity.	Rain	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Akyab.	Dec. 29th	10	30·097	30·120	62·9	54·0	53	N by W	1 8	...	.....	b
		16	29 976	29·998	70 0	58·0	36	W by N	3·0	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30·069	30 091	65·0	57·7	62	N by E	2 3	...	CK	c, g
		16	29·970	29 992	71 1	60 5	52	N W by N	7·3	...	.....	b
	31st	10	30 084	30·107	64·0	58·7	72	Calm.	0	...	PC	c, g
		16	29 977	29 999	72·9	59·1	40	W S W	3 1	...	.....	b
	Jan. 1st	10	30 127	30 149	66·4	60 3	68	Calm.	0	...	.....	b
		16	30·063	30·035	74 1	62·0	47	N by E	2·3	...	.....	b
	2nd	10	30·160	30·182	69·9	62·4	63	N by W	0 3	...	.....	b
		16	30 021	30 043	76·1	64·0	40	W by N	5·0	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	30·115	30·137	69 1	62·0	65	N W by N	1·3	...	.....	b
		16	29 988	30·010	76 2	63·6	47	W N W	5 7	...	CS	c
	4th	10	30 131	30·153	68·8	61·0	62	N by W	2·8	...	.....	b
		16	30·007	30·029	75·1	63·1	48	N W by N	5 8	...	K, C.S	c
Saugor Island.	29th	10	30 014	30·100	65·5	58·5	64	N	3	...	.....	b
		16	29·989	29·995	70·5	58	43	N	4	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30 075	30 081	66·5	59	62	N	4	...	.....	b
		16	29·997	29 999	71	62	57	N W	6	...	.....	
	31st	10	30 103	30·109	68	61	65	N	3	...	.....	b, c
		16	29 991	29 997	74	64	55	W S W	4	...	.....	b, c
	1st	10	30·128	30 134	68 5	63 0	73	N N W	3	...	.....	b, c
		16	30·024	30·040	74 5	66 5	63	N W	4	...	.....	b, c
	2nd	10	30 ·154	30·160	70·5	64 5	71	N	3	...	.....	b, c
		16	30 033	30·039	76·5	66	55	N	4	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	30 123	30·129	71	65 5	73	N N W	3	...	.....	b
		16	30·006	30·012	77	66	53	N N W	4	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	30 133	30 139	73·5	60	41	N E	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	30 025	30 031	77	67	57	N N W	2 7	...	.....	c, b, c
Chittagong.	Dec. 29th	10	30 095	30 091	66	61	73	E	2	...	.....	Foggy.
	30th	10	Not received									
	31st	10	3 ·089	30·083	74	66·5	66	N N E	4	..	.....	Foggy.
	Jan. 1st	10	3 ·019	30·144	72·5	67 5	76	N N E	4	0·31	.....	
	2nd	10	30·065	30 160	70 5	68·5	90	N N E	2	...	.....	Foggy.
	3rd	10	30·021	30·116	72 5	68·5	81	Calm.	3	...	.....	Foggy.
	4th	10	30 045	30·140	72	68 5	83	Calm.	3	..	.....	Foggy.
Kyaik Khami.	Dec. 29th	10	30·038	30·060	71·5	63 5	62	N	3	...	.....	b, c
	30th	10	30 029	30·051	73	67	76	N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	31st	10	30 077	30·049	70	68	90	E S E	2	...	.....	c, b, c
	Jan. 1st	10	30·105	30·127	76	71	77	E	2	...	.....	b, c
	2nd	10	30·114	30·136	77	71	73	N E	1	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	30·078	30·100	76	71	77	E N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	30·107	30·129	76·5	69	67	N E	1	...	.....	b, c
False Point.	Dec. 29th	10	30·099	30·115	70	58	44	N N E	6	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30·087	30·103	66·5	57·5	55	N W	5	...	.....	b
	31st	10	30·102	30 118	67	60	64	N W	4	...	.....	b
	Jan. 1st	10	30·128	30·144	70	60	53	N N W	4	...	.....	b
	2nd	10	30·142	30 158	73	64·5	65	N	4	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	30·120	30·136	73	65	63	N N E	5	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30·143	30·159	72	65	67	N N W	5	...	.....	b
Vizagapatam.	Dec. 29th	10	30·064	30·096	77·5	73	75	W N W	0	...	.....	b, c
	30th	10	30·068	30 095	75·5	64·5	53	S S E	0	...	.....	b, c
	31st	10	30 083	30·116	73 5	64 5	59	W	0	...	.....	b
	Jan. 1st	10	30 114	30·147	72 5	60 0	44	N	0	...	.....	b
	2nd	10	30·092	30·125	74	63	51	N E	0	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	30·070	30·102	76 5	65·0	51	S S E	2	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	30·082	30·114	77 5	68·5	61	S E	2	...	.....	b, c
Colombo.	Dec. 29th	10	29·983	30 034	82·5	76	73	W N W	7	...	.....	b, c
	30th	10	29·961	30·002	82	76·5	77	N N W	6	...	.....	b, c
	31st	10	29·960	30 001	80 5	73	68	E N E	11	...	.....	b, c
	Jan. 1st	10	29·964	30·005	79·5	72·0	68	N	11	...	.....	b, c
	2nd	10	29 944	29 985	79 5	73	72	N N E	15	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	29 916	29·957	79·5	74	76	N N W	19	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	29·934	29·975	80	72·5	68	N E	?	0·48	.....	p

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
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Abstract of Observations as received in the Office of the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal during the month of November 1878.

N. B.—The Barometric data are reduced for temperature and not for height above sea-level.

STATIONS.	Height above sea-level.	BAROMETER. Mean.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Range.	RADIATION THERMOMETER. Solar. Mean.	Solar. Above max. in shade.	Solar. Max. Day.	Solar. Max. O	Gross Nocturnal. Mean.	Gross Nocturnal. Below min. in shade.	Gross Nocturnal. Min. Day.	Gross Nocturnal. Min. O	TEMPERATURE OF AIR. Mean of max.	Mean daily range.	Mean of min.	Mean.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Highest Max. Day.	Highest Max. O	Absolute range.	Lowest Min. Day.	Lowest Min. O	VAPOUR TENSION. Mean.	From minima.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	HUMIDITY. Mean.	From minima.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	RAIN-FALL. In inches	Number of days.
Seebsaugor ...	332	29·662	29·682	29·547	·135	136·6	55·2	11th	157·1	60·1	3·8	29th	51·6	81·4	17·4	63·9	71·7	73·8	78·4	13th	84·6	27·8	30th	56·8	...	·582	·696	·684	...	96	87	70	1·03	4
Goalpara ...	386	·535	·594	461	·133	132 5	51·5	4th	140·5	61·8	4·1	17th	54·2	81·0	15·0	66·0	73·0	74·1	78·9	4th	84·6	23·5	30th	61·1	...	·564	·652	·637	...	88	77	64	0 31	3
Darjeeling ...	6912	23·454	23·497	23 417	·080	120 8	58·6	15th	133·0	40·8	6 1	17th	35·9	62·2	15 3	46·9	52·7	55·3	56 9	10th	66 3	21·8	17th	42·5	...	·268	·325	·358	...	83	74	77	...	...
Purneah ...	125	29·788	29·857	29·728	·127	137·9	53 3	1st &2nd	150 7	55·3	7·7	17th	43·8	84·5	21·5	63·0	73 5	77 2	81·5	5th	89·1	35·1	17th	54·0	...	·526	·627	·605	...	90	67	56	0·89	2
Durbhunga ...	166·33	·761	·831	·702	·119	139 8	57·6	5th	147·0	52·3	12·1	16th	35·5	82·2	17·9	64 3	72·2	75·3	80·1	1st	86·5	31·9	25th	54·6	...	·403	·601	·582	...	65	68	58	0·10	1
Patna ...	179	·751	·820	·694	·126	144·8	62 3	1st	157·6	56 8	4 1	25th	44·1	82 5	21·6	60 9	72·3	75·9	81·3	3rd	87·6	40·5	26th	47·1	...	·434	·569	·568	...	78	63	53	0·80	1
Gya ...	395	·555	·612	·503	·109	131·1	47·4	1st	154·2	54·0	7·8	27th	42·9	83·4	21·6	61·7	73·1	78·1	80·6	2nd	89·8	39·6	26th	50·2	...	·470	·493	·500	...	83	51	48	...	...
Hazareebagh...	2010	27·898	27 950	27·854	·096	136·5	58·0	2nd	152 2	51·2	7·9	26th	38·6	78 5	19·4	59·1	68·7	73 9	76·1	2nd	83 6	32·8	17th	50·8	...	·399	412	·402	...	76	48	44	1·02	5
Berhampore ...	66·45	29 846	29·919	29·789	·130	137·8	53·6	1st	151·7	..	...	.....	...	84·2	16 7	67·5	74·6	77·1	81·8	8th	88 6	30·9	26th	57 7	...	·623	·637	·607	...	91	68	55	2 71	2
Burdwan ...	99·09	·810	·877	·758	·119	147·8	64·1	6th	161·2	57·3	10·6	18, 19 & 26th	44·9	83·7	16·1	67 6	75 4	78 4	82·6	7th	89 4	32·0	17th	57·4	...	·635	·688	·717	...	92	70	64	1·33	4
Jessore ...	33·3	·873	·933	·825	·108	139·3	55 2	8th	150·0	61·5	6·2	26th	46 8	84·1	16·4	67·7	75·4	80·5	80·4	6th	87·7	31·1	18th	56·6	...	·634	·673	·674	...	91	64	64	1·13	3
Dacca ...	35	·865	·924	·809	·115	141 8	56·2	23rd	159 8	60·6	8·7	17th	43·3	85 4	16·1	69 3	77·7	81·5	82·5	19 & 20th	88·6	30·6	17th	58·0	...	·647	·716	·676	..	89	67	61	1·00	5
Silchar ...	87 4	·823	·887	·762	·125	140·5	57·4	8th	154·3	...	...	.....	...	83·1	15·6	67·5	75·5	77·9	82·7	19th	88 9	27·0	26th	59 9	...	·637	·725	·716	...	93	76	65	4·54	8
Chittagong ...	99	·814	·867	·763	·104	138 9	52 9	2nd & 3rd	150 8	63·4	6·0	26th	51·9	85 9	16 5	69 4	78 2	81·2	83 4	1st	93·9	35·2	26th	58·7	...	·668	·785	·789	...	91	73	69	4 69	3
Demagree ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	..	...	.....	...	83·1	13·8	69·3	75·2	78·1	81·2	2 & 4th	86 0	20·6	30th	65·4	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	3·45	4
Ahpore ...	21 38	·894	·955	·839	·116	136 8	54·4	8th	147·2	62·3	5·6	26th	50·6	82·4	14·4	68·0	74·0	77·6	80·4	8th	86 4	29·6	17th	56·8	679	·647	·656	·653	80	93	68	63	1·13	7
Sangor Island	6	·895	·955	·843	·112	144·2	61·9	8th	163 5	64·0	6·0	18th	59·1	83·3	12·1	70·2	76·8	79 6	81·7	6th	84 5	25·4	18th	59·1	767	·684	727	·723	78	88	71	66	2·85	7
Cuttack ...	90	·820	·876	·764	·112	144·9	58 2	8th	156·6	61·7	7·8	18th	44 7	86·7	17 2	69·5	77.6	80·6	83·3	8th	96·4	39·1	18th	57·3	...	·695	·849	·642	...	94	61	56	2 96	5
False Point ...	15 3	·897	949	·845	·104	148·6	65 3	4th	158·1	65 2	6·9	18 & 30th	51·9	83·3	11·8	71·4	77·4	80·1	80 7	9th	89 5	29 9	18th	59·8	...	·694	·735	·697	...	89	71	66	3·79	9
Vizagapatam...	24	·841	·901	·789	·112	116 5	33·4	10th	130·0	68·2	9·9	18th	55·2	82·8	4·7	78·1	80 5	80 8	82·0	10th	88·6	15·1	18th	73 5	741	·507	·726	·729	71	52	68	66	6·80	11
Akyab ...	20 44	·873	·919	·821	·100	144·4	55·6	13th	153·5	69·0	4·9	25 to 27th	62·3	85·8	14·9	73·9	81·3	84·4	84·5	1 & 2nd	91·6	24·3	26t	67·3	...	·812	·916	·902	...	97	77	76	0 23	2
Port Blair ...	61·16	·782	·829	·735	·094	141·7	55·3	4th	153·9	73·2	8·7	26th	70·4	86·4	9·6	76·8	79·6	83 1	83·5	25th	89·1	14·4	14th	74·7	...	·918	·881	·920	...	100	84	83	10·29	16
Nancoury ...	78	·794	·841	·746	·095	139·2	54·7	21st	154·5	71·1	5·1	20th	68·3	83·6	7·3	76·2	78·8	81·9	81·4	5th	87·8	14·1	18th	73·7	...	·884	·891	·881	...	91	82	82	15·82	24

CALCUTTA (ALIPORE)—NOVEMBER 1878.

Mean barometric pressure of 25 years ...	29·970	Mean temperature of 25 years ...	74·8	Mean humidity of 25 years ...	73	Mean rainfall of 50 years ...	0 65
Ditto ditto of 1878 ...	·894	Ditto ditto of 1878 ...	74·0	Ditto ditto of 1878 ...	80	Actual fall in 1878 ...	1·13
Defect in 1879	·076	Defect in 1878	0 8	Excess in 1878	8	Defect in 1878	0·48

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Mean Pressures and Temperatures of the preceding Table reduced to sea-level, with Anemometric Results and Cloud Observations.

Stations.	Mean barometric pressure reduced to sea-level.	Mean temperature reduced to sea-level.	Wind											Mean clouds.
			North.	North-east.	East.	South-east.	South.	South-west.	West.	North-west.	Calm.	Percentage and resultant.	Mean velocity daily.	
Seebsaugor	29·964	72·4	8	21	17	1	...	..	1	1	16	59 N 60° E	21·8	6·00
Goalpara	·932	73·9	1	2	35	4	...	1	...	...	17	18 S 88° E	99·4	3·05
Darjeeling	.. ...	...	...	...	...	1	4	12	13	1	29	41 S 60° W	15·7	5·18
Purneah	29·917	73·8	...	13	17	1	1	4	20	3	...	12 N 16° E	37·5	1·75
Durbhunga	·933	72·6	3	5	10	4	...	6	19	13	...	30 N 69° W	...	2·00
Patna	·937	72·7	3	12	7	3	1	3	16	8	7	22 N 27° W	6·1	2·47
Gya	·945	73·9	1	4	2	...	...	9	2	5	37	12 N 82° W	19·0	2·00
Hazarebagh	·953	73·2	5	9	6	1	3	...	10	24	2	47 N 39° W	119·5	3·27
Berhampore	·915	74·7	17	9	5	3	2	4	6	14	...	46 N 11° W	55·5	3·45
Burdwan	·913	75·6	23	10	5	3	3	...	3	13	...	57 N 3° E	51·0	3·73
Jessore	·907	75·5	25	15	2	9	1	...	1	7	...	60 N 21° E	27·3	3·95
Dacca	·901	77·8	6	4	4	2	5	1	6	6	24	14 N 19° W	55·8	3·18
Silchar	·914	75·7	3	16	17	5	1	...	...	1	17	55 N 71° E	41·2	4·65
Cuttack	·907	78·4	16	6	1	1	...	6	14	6	10	43 N 40° W	77·5	4·68
Pamagrua	...	...	10	16	6	6	3	10	3	6	...	22 N 38° E	..	1·10
Akyab	·916	74·0	53	11	19	4	6	7	5	13	2	48 N 11° E	82·0	3·31
Saugor Island ...	·901	76·8	47	28	15	3	7	4	2	9	...	54 N 27° E	139·0	3·76
Cuttack	·903	77·8	9	31	...	2	3	3	6	6	...	51 N 21° E	64·0	3·02
False Point .. .	·913	77·4	5	27	10	3	2	3	1	3	6	55 N 62° E	145·6	1·78
Vizagapatam ...	·873	80·6	3	14	22	47	11	2	3	13	...	46 S 70° E	32·3	3·78
Akyab	·895	81·2	3	13	10	5	4	4	7	3	...	24 N 30° E	44·2	4·30
Port Blair	·845	79·7	2	11	13	3	9	10	5	2	...	28 S 51° E	174·2	7·30
Nancoury	·875	79·0	...	6	4	13	1	28	5	3	...	42 S 22° W	117·6	7·97

NOTE.

Barometric Pressure.—The pressures in column 2 of the above table for all stations below 500 feet are reduced from those given in column 3 of the table on the previous page, by adding the weight of a column of air of the temperatures given in column 18. For stations above 500 feet elevation the reduction is made by Captain Allan Cunningham's table, "Prof. Papers on Indian Engineering, No. CXIII." The temperatures at the sea-level are taken from column 3 of the above table.

Temperature.—The temperatures in column 3 are reduced from those in column 18 on the preceding page, by adding 1° Fahrenheit for every 450 feet.

Wind Resultant.—The resultant wind direction and its comparative predominance are calculated from the whole number of wind observations recorded during the month. The relative predominance in the direction of the resultant is given as percentage of the whole number of observations. The direction is computed in the usual way by Lambert's formula.

Cloud.—This column gives the average proportion of clouded sky, a cloudless sky being indicated by *o*, and one completely overcast by 10.

The above, being all comparable, afford the data for constructing a meteorological chart for the month, which will show the isothermal lines and the resultant wind directions, which last may be represented by arrows of varying length, proportioned to the prevalence of the wind. To these may be added the rainfall from the previous tables.

Alexander Pedler,

Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta,

The 4th January 1879.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 29th December 1878 to 4th January 1879.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain	Weather.
				Mean	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1878.		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Dec.	29th	129·5	30·023	57·0	71·1	26·1	45·0	51·7	0·316	46·4	68	Till 8-30 A.M. W by N, till 8 P.M. chiefly N N W, till midnight W by N.	55	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	30th	128·7	·016	61·4	72·1	21·8	50·3	56·5	·392	52·2	72	Till 6-15 A.M. W by N, till 2 P.M. chiefly N N W, till midnight N W.	80	„	Chiefly cloudy, *o*, *g*, *f*, and *w*.
„	31st	128·7	·026	62·8	73·5	14·5	59·0	57·6	·410	53·5	72	Till 10-30 A.M. N W, till midnight chiefly W by S.	47	„	Mostly cloudy, day and night clear, *o*, *g*, *f*, and *w*.
1879.															
Jan.	1st	126·9	·062	62·3	74·6	22·6	52·0	58·1	·432	54·9	77	Till 10 A.M. calm, till midnight N E through W, N W and N.	27	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	2nd	132·6	·072	64·2	76·3	23·4	52·9	59·8	·455	56·3	76	Till 9-45 A.M. calm, till midnight chiefly W by N through N and N W.	43	„	Day clear, night partly cloudy, *f* and *w*.
„	3rd	128·7	·016	64·7	77·0	21·7	55·3	60·4	·471	57·3	77	Till 8 A.M. W by N, till 5 P.M. chiefly W N W, till midnight N W by N.	61	„	Chiefly clear, *f* and *w*.
„	4th	130·5	·065	65·2	76·4	19·2	57·2	60·1	·455	56·3	73	Till 0-30 A.M. N W by W, till midnight N W by N.	73	„	Chiefly clear, *f* and *w*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		30·044
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 25 to 26 years, S. G. Office ...		30 027
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days		62·5
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 25 to 26 years, S. G. Office ...		66 8
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days		32·0
The maximum temperature during the seven days		77·0
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days		74
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 25 to 26 years, S. G. Office		71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 29th December 1878 to 4th January 1879		Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 to 26 years, S. G. Office ...		0·09
The total fall from 1st January 1878 to 4th January 1879		58·55
The average fall of the corresponding period for 25 to 26 years, S. G. Office ..		65·31

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o, overcast; *g*, gloomy; *f*, fog; *w*, dew.

		Inches.
Total rainfall in the year 1878		58·55
Average rainfall of 25 years		65·31

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 6th January 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
For Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts.

No. 17.

Last return received	Name of Railway	Length open	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878	Total decrease in 1878
			24th November 1877	23rd November 1878	To 24th November 1877	To 23rd November 1878.		
1878.		Miles	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
23rd November	Northern Bengal	219	2,198 0 0	17,141 0 0	20,093 0 0	7,85,748 0 0	7,65,655 0 0	
30th "	Tirhoot	76	7,241 0 0	11,756 0 0	2,56,438 0 0	3,83,751 0 0	1,27,313 0 0	
14th December	Calcutta and South Eastern	28	2,[illegible]3 0 0	2,185 0 0	1,01,[illegible]21 0 0	1,13,064 0 0	11,743 0 0	
23rd November	Nalhati	27½	1,002 0 0	1,535 0 0	78,510 0 0	81,131 0 0	2,621 0 0	
	Total	350½	13,[illegible]4 0 0	32,[illegible]0 0 0	4,56,362 0 0	13,63,694 0 0	9,07,[illegible] 0 0	

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 265A.

GENERAL.—*The 8th January* 1879.—Mr. N. S. Alexander, who returned from furlough on the 27th ultimo, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Mymensingh, and is allowed subsidiary leave for twenty-five days to enable him to join his appointment.

Mr. R. H. Pawsey, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Mymensingh, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Sarun.

Mr. J. F. Bradbury, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, on being relieved of his present duties as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Sarun.

The 9th January 1879.—Baboo Gobind Chunder Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is transferred temporarily to Serampore.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred temporarily to Hooghly

Baboo Shyamadhub Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for twenty-one days under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

The 10th January 1879.—Baboo Bunkim Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is promoted to the Second Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. J. A. Ricketts, deceased.

Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nuddea, is promoted to the Third Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Bunkim Chunder Chatterjee.

Baboo Hursahoy Sing, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Shahabad and Patna, is confirmed in the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Bose.

Baboo Poorno Chunder Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manickgunge, Dacca, is promoted to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. G. C. M. Smith, deceased.

Baboo Bemola Churn Bhuttacharjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Behar, Patna, is promoted to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Rash Behary Bose, deceased.

Baboo Rungo Lall Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is promoted temporarily to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Hursahoy Sing.

Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Raha, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chandpore, Tipperah, is confirmed in the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Hursahoy Sing.

Mr. J. F. Harrison, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is confirmed in the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Poorno Chunder Ghose.

Mr. Harrison will continue to officiate as First Inspector of Registration Offices, until further orders.

Mr. C. F. Manson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamtara, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is confirmed in the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Bemola Churn Bhuttacharjee.

Baboo Parbutty Churn Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on settlement duty in Dacca, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. J. F. Harrison.

Baboo Romesh Chunder Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nuddea, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. C. F. Manson.

Baboo Otool Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jungipore, Moorshedabad, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Rungo Lall Banerjee.

Baboo Kristo Kumar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Parbutty Churn Roy.

Mr. A. C. Mackertich, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Romesh Chunder Mookerjee.

Mr. Mackertich will continue to be employed in the Durbhunga Raj, until further orders.

Baboo Kali Pudo Mookerjee, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. A. C. Mackertich.

Mr. C. N. Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chooadanga, Nuddea, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Otool Chunder Chatterjee.

Baboo Rajendra Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, is confirmed in the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Raha.

Baboo Bepin Behary Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is confirmed in the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. J. F. Harrison.

Baboo Bepin Behary Mookerjee will continue to be employed as manager of the estate of the late Baboo Ram Kishore Acharjee in Mymensingh, until further orders.

Baboo Mohesh Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is confirmed in the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. C. F. Manson.

Baboo Chunder Coomar Dutt, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensing, is confirmed in the Seventh Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Rajendra Nath Roy.

Baboo Ishan Chunder Sen, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serajgunge, Pubna, is confirmed in the Seventh Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Bepin Behary Mookerjee.

Baboo Radha Shyam Sing, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is confirmed in the Seventh Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Mohesh Chunder Sen.

The 11th January 1879.—Baboo Juggomohun Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is allowed furlough for one year, under Section 7, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Annada Persad Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Kendraparah Division of the Cuttack district, is transferred to the Sudder Station of that district.

Mr. K. G. Gupta, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Kendraparah division of the Cuttack district.

Baboo Radha Madhub Bose, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhoom, is transferred to Lohardugga.

Mr. H. S. Beadon, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, is allowed furlough for ten months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for 21 days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from the 17th proximo.

The 13th January 1879.—Mr. F. W. Badcock, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, who reported his return from furlough on the 31st ultimo, is posted to the district of Dacca.

Mr. W. C. Muller, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870, for the purpose of acquiring land required for a new Jail at Julpigoree.

In supersession of the orders of the 30th ultimo, Mr. L. D. Colledge, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nuddea, is transferred to Purneah.

Mr. C. A. S. Bedford, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, in charge of the Pachumba Division of the Hazarcebagh district, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870, for the purpose of acquiring land required for a Railway Bungalow at Giridhi.

Baboo Obhoy Chunder Dass, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Dacca, is allowed leave for two months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo, or such subsequent date as he may be relieved of his duties.

Baboo Koilash Chunder Chatterjee, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed on settlement duty, Midnapore, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Mr. E. E. Lowis, Officiating Secretary to the Board of Revenue, who reported his return from furlough on the 27th ultimo, is allowed subsidiary leave from that date to the 7th instant, inclusive, under Section 24(*b*) of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. W. M. Smith, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Doomka, is allowed leave from the 1st to the 18th December 1878, inclusive, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Sree Nath Chatterjee, Sub-Deputy Collector, Durbhunga, is allowed leave for twenty-three days, with effect from the 5th ultimo, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Tarini Kumar Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870, for acquiring land for the Danga Narsingdi Road.

Mr. J. Kennedy, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is allowed leave for five days under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which his services were replaced at the disposal of this Government by the Government of Madras.

Baboo Kali Prosono Sircar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, is allowed leave for three months under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 12th ultimo.

Mr. C. A. Kelly, Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Bhagulpore and Monghyr, is appointed to be a District and Sessions Judge of the Second Grade, *vice* Mr. H. C. Sutherland, deceased.

The orders of the 8th November 1878 granting one month's privilege leave to Baboo Huri Pudo Ghose, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Chittagong, are cancelled at his own request.

The 14th Januáry 1879.—Mr. D. B. Allen, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, who has reported his return from furlough, is appointed to have charge of the Jehanabad Division of the Gya District.

Mr. D. W. M. Testro, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rungpore, is allowed furlough for nine months under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for twenty-five days, from the 18th proximo, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Mr. E. B. Harris, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Begoo Serai Division of the Monghyr District, is transferred to the Sudder Station of that district.

Mr. J. Kennedy, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to have charge of the Begoo Serai Division of the Monghyr District.

Baboo Surendra Nath Pal Chowdry, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X (B C.) of 1871 in that district.

Baboo Raj Krishna Mookerjee, M.A., B.L., is appointed to be Bengali Translator to this Government.

Moulvie Abdool Wahab, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, on leave, is transferred temporarily to the Sudder Station of the Julpigoree District.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 14th January* 1879.—With the sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor re-appoints the Hon'ble G. C. Paul, C.I.E., under the provisions of the 29th, 30th, and 45th sections of the Indian Council's Act of 1861, to be a member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations in the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William.

POLICE.—*The 8th January* 1879.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. Gordon, District Superintendent of Police, who reported his return from furlough on the 20th ultimo, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Lohardugga, and is allowed subsidiary leave for twenty days, under Section 24(*b*) of the Civil Leave Code, to enable him to join his appointment.

Colonel W. T. Fagan is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Sarun, on being relieved of his duties as Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Police by Mr. E. B. Baker.

The 9th January 1879.—Mr. G. R. K. Meares, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Sarun, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District Superintendent of Police, Backergunge, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present appointment.

The 14th January 1879.—The Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India has granted an extension of furlough for six months to Mr. R. H. G. Irvine, District Superintendent of Police, Bengal.

REGISTRATION.—*The 27th December* 1878.—Baboo Gooroo Dass Burman, Sub-Registrar of Nawabgunge, Maldah, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Indas, in Burdwan, *vice* Baboo Shama Churn Deb Roy.

The 13th January 1879.—Baboo Kristo Hurry Bose, Special Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is allowed leave for one month and twenty-five days, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 27th September last.

EDUCATION.—*The 3rd January* 1879.—Baboo Sarat Chunder Das, Head Master of the Bhooteah Boarding School, Darjeeling, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools for *British* Sikkim, or for the Darjeeling District.

The 13th January 1879.—Mr. F. LeFeuvre, Second Master, Patna Collegiate School, is allowed leave from the 16th May to the 30th June 1878, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

MEDICAL.—*The 26th December* 1878.—Assistant Surgeon Kristo Churn Bose, now doing duty at the Presidency, is appointed to have medical charge of the Seetamurhee Dispensary, Mozufferpore, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Baney Madhab Tagore.

The 3rd January 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Rampore Hat, in the district of Moorshedabad:—

Baboo Jodu Nath Roy, Accountant, East Indian Railway Engineer's Office.
„ Gopi Nath Dutt, Merchant and Landholder.

The 11th January 1879.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Omrito Lall Mookerjea, are placed at the disposal of the Governors of the Mayo Hospital, with effect from the date on which he reported himself to the Superintendent of that institution.

The 13th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Rojonee Lal Sett, in charge of the Motiharee Charitable Dispensary, Chumparun, is allowed leave for six months under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Assistant Surgeon Debendro Nath Roy, in temporary charge of the Bettiah Charitable Dispensary, Chumparun, is appointed to have medical charge of the Motiharee Charitable Dispensary during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Rojonee Lal Sett, or until further orders.

Assistant Surgeon Juggessur Roy (whose term of duty as House Physician in the Medical College Hospital has expired) is allowed leave for two years under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The services of Assistant Surgeon Hari Das Mitter, doing duty at the Presidency General Hospital, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh.

The 14th January 1879.—The orders of the 25th November last, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem, appointing Surgeon J. F. Mullen to act temporarily as Second Resident Surgeon, Presidency General Hospital, are cancelled.

Assistant Surgeon Nobin Chunder Ghose, attached to the Julpigoree Charitable Dispensary, was, in addition to his own duties, in medical charge of the Civil Station of Julpigoree from the 19th to the 30th October last.

Surgeon-Major H. W. Spry, of the 18th Regiment, Native Infantry, is appointed temporarily to have medical charge of the Civil Station of Julpigoree, in addition to his other duties, with effect from the 30th October last.

SALT.—*The 14th January* 1879.—Mr. H. Thompson, Superintendent of the Sulkea Salt Golahs, is allowed leave for three months, with effect from the afternoon of the 13th ultimo, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 28th December* 1878.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves, under Section 30, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the election by the Commissioners of the Howrah Municipality of Mr. A. A. Wace, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Howrah, to be their Vice-Chairman.

The 30th December 1878.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Motiharee Municipality :—

Mr. S. Cooper, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent.
„ E. Sealy, District Engineer.
„ A. V. Knyvett, District Superintendent of Police.
Baboo Sheo Churn Sahoo, Banker.
„ Bhagwant Sahoo, Banker.
„ Bhicken Lall, Mooktear.

ROAD CESS.—*The 13th January* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be additional members of the District Road Cess Committee of Gya :—

Moulvie Woozir Ali, Zemindar. | Baboo Byjnath Sing, Zemindar.
Baboo Woomesh Chunder Sircar, Zemindar and Pleader.

ERRATUM.—*The 14th January* 1879.—In the orders of the 10th December 1878, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem, appointing Messrs. M. F. Beamish and R. F. Guise to act in the First Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, *for* "21st instant and 14th instant," which appeared opposite their names, respectively, *read* "21st November and 14th November 1878" respectively.

The following notification is republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 1.—*The 2nd January* 1879.—Mr. L. E. F. Tonnerre, Assistant District Superintendent of Police, Bengal, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, is posted to the district of Lakhimpur.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct, as an experimental measure, that the following scale of diet for emigrants, while in transit to Assam on board of steamers, shall be substituted for the scale appended to the rules for regulating Labour Transport under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1874 :—

SCALE.

		Per diem. Chittacks.
Maize or atta may be substituted for any portion of the rice for flour-eaters	Rice	9
Meat or fish two chittacks twice a week in lieu of one chittack of dâl *for dhangurs only* ...	Dâl	2
In the proportion of half yams and half potatoes, and, when obtainable at the stations, sâg or some such vegetables may be substituted for a portion of the yams or potatoes...	Vegetables	3
	Mustard oil	½
	Salt	½
Condiments, &c.		½
		Kuncha.
Consisting of—		
Onions		1/16
Garlic		1/16
Tamarind		1/16
Turmeric		1/16
Coriander seed		1/16
Chillies		1/16

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th January 1879.—It is hereby notified that, under Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the ferry over the Barrakur river on the road from Girhidi to Doomree in the District of Hazareebagh to be a public ferry.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th January 1879.—It is hereby notified that, under Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare the twenty-one ferries in the District of Purneah mentioned below to be public ferries:—

Rajghat.	Dulmulpore.	Kazeegunge.
Sonapur.	Tajpore.	Belowri.
Ranigunge (Ludhoona).	Taribeeta.	Mungarah.
Bembhag.	Loghonia	Chonapur.
Munjhaili.	Raneegunge.	Kukirjan.
Barsoi.	Geedwas.	Moorsundah.
Bhuptia.	Duraiya.	Peergunge.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION

The 14th January 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 314 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the bye-laws stated at foot of this Notification, which were made by the Commissioners of the Chuprah Municipality, in the district of Sarun, at a meeting convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given; and, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 315 of the same Act, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the penalties for breaches of the said bye-laws which have been declared by the Commissioners.

BYE-LAWS OF THE CHUPRAH MUNICIPALITY,

For regulating the time and mode of collecting taxes

1. Every collecting officer shall be provided with a certificate of his authority to collect, and every such certificate shall bear the seal of the municipality and the signature of the Chairman. Every collecting officer, at the time of demanding payment, shall be bound to show this certificate if required.

2. Every person required in writing to furnish any schedule or return which the Commissioners may lawfully require him to furnish shall send such schedule or return to the office of the Commissioners within one week from the date of the service of the requisition in the manner described in section 367 of the Act. Any person failing to do so shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 5 for the omission, and to a penalty not exceeding Rs. 2 for every day the omission shall after warning continue. Any person submitting a false or incorrect schedule or return, knowing it to be such, shall be liable to a penalty of Rs. 20; provided that nothing in this bye-law shall be held to prevent the institution of a criminal prosecution under the Penal Code should the facts appear to warrant such a proceeding.

3. Payment of purchase money for property sold, and delivery of the property, shall be made immediately after the sale; and, if the purchaser fail to pay the full amount of his bid, it shall be lawful for the distraining officer, at his discretion, to sell the property again on the same or any other day, and the first purchaser shall in such case be responsible to the Commissioners for any loss, which shall be recoverable as a debt due to them.

For regulating the conduct of persons employed by the Commissioners.

4. All persons employed by the Commissioners, whose services may be no longer required, shall be liable to discharge after receipt of previous notice or pay in advance for the period of one month; and no such person shall withdraw from the duties of his office without having given previous notice for the period of one month, on pain of forfeiture of an amount which may extend to one month's salary.

5. All persons now holding, or who may hereafter be appointed to, any office under the Commissioners shall, when required to do so, furnish good security to such amount as the Commissioners may from time to time fix, and any person failing to furnish such security within such time as the Commissioners may appoint shall be held thereby to have forfeited his appointment, and may be removed from office.

For regulating the disposal of offensive matter, rubbish, and dead bodies of animals.

6. Every person within whose premises any animal may die shall within four hours after its death, or, if death occurs at night, within two hours after daylight, either remove at his own expense the carcass to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the reception of such carcasses, or report its death to the conservancy overseer of the division within which such premises may be situated, and in such latter case shall pay to the said overseer the expense of removing the carcass at such rate as the Commissioners may determine. And in cases where the said person is not the owner of the animal, and the owner is known, the owner shall alone be responsible for the payment of such expense, and such expense shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners. No overseer, when called upon, shall neglect to remove the carcass.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

7. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, any carcass, or any part of a carcass, in any place other than such places as may from time to time be appointed by the Commissioners for the reception of such carcasses.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

8. All dust, dirt, and rubbish of every kind, the removal of which is undertaken by the Municipal Commissioners, shall be deposited on the side of the road near the entrance of the premises from which it has come between midnight and two hours after sunrise.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For the regulation and management of privies.

9. Every owner or occupier of any house, land or premises, from which offensive matter is not removed by the said owner or occupier, shall allow the servants of the municipality free access to his house, land or premises, for the removal of any night-soil or filth, within such hours as may have been fixed by the Municipal Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

10. Every person shall construct his privy above ground, and shall provide his privy or premises with a suitable movable receptacle of metal or earthenware.

The penalty for infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

11. On receipt of a notice from the Municipal Commissioners, every owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in or on which any well-privy, or other noxious or improperly constructed privy, may be situated, shall fill up, close, or otherwise alter the construction of the said privy, as may be directed in the notice; and if the orders contained in the notice be not carried out within 15 days, the Commissioners may fill up, close, or otherwise alter the said privy in the manner directed in the notice, and any expense incurred in so doing shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

12. No owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in or on which any privy may be situated shall allow night-soil or filth of any kind to flow or be discharged from such privy into any drain, water-course, river, tank, hollow, or excavation (or any place containing waste and stagnant water), or into any other receptacle but one of the nature described in bye-law No. 10.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

13. No person shall throw, deposit, or discharge any night-soil, sewage, or the contents of any drain, privy, or cesspool into any river, tank, khal, water course, or receptacle for water, or dispose of the above-mentioned kinds of offensive matter in any other way than as the Municipal Commissioners may from time to time direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

14. No person shall carry night-soil through the streets otherwise than in a closely covered receptacle of such description and pattern as shall be required from time to time by the Municipal Commissioners, and between such hours as the Municipal Commissioners may from time to time direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs 5.

For regulating traffic in the streets.

15. Every carriage or cart plying on the streets after one hour past sunset and proceeding out of a walk shall carry a light or lights, except when in the opinion of the Magistrate there may be sufficient moonlight to render such light unnecessary.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

16. No owner of any carriage or cart shall allow it to be driven by a driver under twelve years of age.

The penalty for disobedience on the owner's part shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

17. Except between the hours of 8 P. M. and 4 A. M., no person shall without the written permission of the Commissioners take an elephant along any of the following roads:—

Main station road,
Lower ditto,
Main city road.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 50.

18. Any person breaking in a horse or horses harnessed to a gheesa on the public road shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 10.

19. Any person picketting animals, or unnecessarily keeping carriages, carts, or palkees on the public road or drain, without the permission of the Commissioners, shall be liable to a fine which may extend to Rs. 5.

20. No person shall in any way obstruct, or allow to be obstructed, any of the lanes, walks, bye-ways, or other thoroughfares in any bazar, by exposing for sale or accumulating anything, or by sleeping, on any such lane, walk, bye-way or thoroughfare.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For regulating or prohibiting the use of fire-balloons, fire-works, fire-arms, or missiles in the vicinity of public roads.

21. No one shall let off any fire-balloon, fire-work, fire-arm, or any missile in or near a public street without the consent of the Municipal Commissioners, previously obtained.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

General Bye-laws.

22. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, in or by the side of any public drain any substance or thing whereby the said drain is or may be in any way obstructed.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

23. No person shall construct or place over, or by the side of, any public drain, any bridge, platform, building or structure of any kind, except by and with the written permission of the Commissioners, and in such manner as they shall direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

24. If any house, wall or other erection, or any part thereof, fall upon any public highway or into any public drain, the owner of such house, wall, or erection shall remove it after notice within the time prescribed by the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 daily.

25. No person shall dig, or make, or cause to be dug or made, in any place, any tank, pond, well, ditch water-course, or other excavation without the written permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily.

26. No person shall steep in any tank, well, or ditch within municipal limits any jute, hemp, or other vegetable matter likely to render the water of such tank, well, or ditch offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 2 daily.

27. The owner or occupier of any part of the bank of any nullah, well, or water-course shall keep it free from filth, dense vegetation, or other obstruction, and shall at all times allow the Commissioners, or any of their servants duly authorized, to have access to such nullah, well, or water-course for any purpose of public conservancy.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10; the penalty for continued infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5 daily.

28. No person shall let loose, or cause or allow to be let loose, or allow to get loose any diseased or worn out animal on any highway.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

29. No person shall bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse, or part of a corpse, in any burial-ground in a grave constructed of masonry in such manner that the top of the coffin, or the body where no coffin is used, shall be at a less depth than four feet from the surface ground.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs 10.

30. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, any grave in any burial-ground at a less distance than two feet from any existing grave

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

31. No grave once used shall be opened for the burial of another body without the permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

32. No one shall carry a corpse or part of a corpse through any highway unless it be decently covered and totally concealed from public view.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th January 1879.—The following programme of a visitation tour of the Lord Bishop of Calcutta in the district of Kishnaghur is hereby published for general information:—

	Arrival.	Departure.
Calcutta	January ...	... January 10th
Kishnagur	„ 10th ...	... „ 13th
Chupra	„ 13th ...	... „ 14th
Bollobpur	„ 14th ...	... „ 16th
Joginda	„ 16th ...	... „ 17th
Tolo	„ 17th ...	... „ 18th
Kapatdanja	„ 18th ...	... „ 21st
Ramnugger Station ...	„ 21st (morning) ...	
Calcutta	„ 21st	

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th January 1879.—The declarations published at pages 1695 and 1696 respectively of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th December 1877, for the acquisition of lands at Rungpore and Kurigram for erecting cholera sheds for coolies, are hereby cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 2nd January 1879.—It is hereby notified under paragraph 2 of section 8, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, that, in compliance with the recommendation of the local authorities, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the town of Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling, to be a second class municipality, with effect from the 1st of April 1879, unless good reasons to the contrary be shown within one month from the publication of this notice within the town.

2. The boundaries of the proposed municipality shall be as follows :—

On the East.—Dhobi Jhora, from the head of Sundook Jhora, to the 20th mile-post on the Cart Road.

On the South.—A straight line from the 20th mile-post on the Cart Road to the old Punkabaree Road at the southern angle of Eagles' Craig; thence the old Punkabaree Road to the south-east angle of Kempside location; thence the south-east boundaries of locations called Lloyd's location and Boon's Court; thence a straight line through Lloyd's and Makaibaree lands to the Punkabaree Road at the east corner of Murray field location.

On the West.—The south-east and south-west boundaries of Murray field; thence the west boundaries of Dell, Devonshire Bexley, Weenburgh, Helensburgh and Rose Bank locations; thence a line from the north-west angle of Rose Bank through the estate called Springside to the south-west angle of the Barrack location; thence the western boundary of the Barrack and Government reserve lands to where it joins the south-east corner of S. Smith's lands; thence the south and east boundaries of S. Smith's lands to Singlee Nuddy; thence a straight line passing through Singlee or Dookdahoo to the bridge on the Sepring Jhora thence the Sepring Jhora to the Cart Road; thence the Cart Road to the Sundook Jhora.

On the North.—The Sundook Jhora from the Cart Road to Dhobi Jhora ridge.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th December 1878.—Under Section 3, Act V (B.C.) of 1875, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has determined that a survey shall be made of the lands from base lines to be laid down by the Dearah Survey party along the banks of the river Megna through the districts of Dacca and Tipperah. Commencing from the points where the line of survey notified in the *Calcutta Gazette* of 21st June 1876, page 677, ends in the Megna, this survey will extend northwards till it reaches Bhyrub Bazar, in the sub-division of Kishoregunge, in the district of Mymensingh. The boundaries of all mouzahs will be demarcated, and those of estates where considered necessary by the Collector.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 266A.

The 9th January 1879.—Baboo Grish Chunder Ghose is allowed leave for three months under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date in which he was relieved of his duties as an Officiating Judge of the Calcutta Court of Small Causes.

The 11th January 1879.—Baboo Dwarka Nath Mitter, B.L., Moonsif of Sealdah, in the 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Judge, Small Cause Courts of Hooghly, Serampore, and Howrah, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Mohendra Nath Bose, or until further orders. Baboo Dwarka Nath Mitter is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge in the district of Hooghly.

In supersession of the orders of the 6th ultimo, Baboo Hur Mohun Bose is appointed to act as Moonsif of Howrah, with effect from the date on which he joined that appointment during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Bulloram Mullick, or until further orders.

Baboo Rash Behary Bose is appointed to act as First Moonsif of Dukhin Shabazpore, in Backergunge, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Koruna Das Bose, or until further orders.

Baboo Khetter Mohun Mitter is appointed to act as Moonsif of Moheshrekha, Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Mohendra Nath Mitter, or until further orders.

Baboo Benode Behary Chowdry, Moonsif of Baripore, 24-Pergunnahs, is promoted to the Second Grade of Moonsifs, *vice* Baboo Gobind Chunder Ghose, deceased.

Mr. Rajkishen Sen (Barrister-at-Law), Moonsif of Azimgunge and the Sudder Station of Moorshedabad, is promoted to the Third Grade of Moonsifs, *vice* Baboo Benode Behary Chowdry.

Baboo Mohendra Nath Mitter, Additional Moonsif of Burdwan, on leave, is appointed to be First Moonsif of Mohesrekha in Hooghly.

Mr. P N. Banerjee, First Moonsif of Moonsheegunge, in Dacca, is appointed to be Second Moonsif of Serampore and Howrah.

Baboo Bimola Churn Mozoomdar is appointed to act temporarily as Second Moonsif of Serampore and Howrah, in the district of Hooghly, till relieved by Mr. P. N. Banerjee.

Baboo Jodu Nath Dass, Moonsif of Jajpore, on leave, is appointed to be First Moonsif of Moonsheegunge, in Dacca.

Baboo Jodu Nath Dass is vested with the powers of a Small Cause Court Judge for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs 50.

Baboo Trigunna Prosunna Bose, Second Moonsif of Cutwa, in Burdwan, is appointed to be Moonsif of Jajpore, in Cuttack.

Baboo Trigunna Prosunna Bose is vested with the powers of a Small Cause Court Judge for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 50.

The 13th January 1879.—Baboo Kali Nath Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mymensing, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The 14th January 1879.—Mr. D. B. Allen, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to have charge of the Jehanabad Division of the Gya District, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

Baboo Denonath Ghose, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Tumlook, Midnapore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 6th January* 1879.—In supersession of the order of the 11th November 1878, Baboo Kally Kumar Bose, Second Sudder Moonsif of Dinagepore, has been allowed fifteen days' privilege leave of absence in extension of that previously granted to him on the 19th September 1878 under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 7th January 1879.—Baboo Shoshee Bhushun Mookerjee, Second Moonsif of Moheshrekha, in Hooghly, has been allowed leave of absence for two months and five days under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th January 1879, or from such date on which he may avail himself of it.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1878.—Under section 79 of Act III of 1877 (the Indian Registration Act), it is hereby notified for general information that with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the omission of the words "or authority to adopt (such authority being executed before the 1st January 1872)," from Article C (*a*) of the schedule of fees published under section 77 of Act VIII of 1871.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1878.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 641 of Act X of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to exempt Rajah Komul Krishna, of Sobha Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, from personal attendance in civil courts.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th December 1878.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the provisions of section 34 of Act V of 1861 to the town of Hausua, in the Nowada sub-division of the district of Gya.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 8th January 1879.

No. 9.—*Notification (Medical).*—The orders marginally noted, replacing the services of Honorary Surgeon Major P. A. Minas, Civil Medical Officer, Dehree, at the disposal of the General Department of this Government, with effect from the forenoon of the 5th February 1878, are hereby cancelled.

No. 134, dated 25th April 1878.

No. 10.—*Leave.*—Honorary Surgeon Major P. A. Minas, Civil Medical Officer, Dehree, is allowed leave for two years under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 5th February 1878.

No. 11.—*Notification.*—The position of Mr. A. FitzGibbon, V.C., and Doctor W. Owen, while they held the appointment of Civil Medical Officer at Dehree, is hereby declared to be that of Acting Officer only. Similarly the position of Doctor Forsyth who now holds the appointment is also declared to be that of an Acting Officer during the absence, on leave, of Doctor Minas, or until further orders.

The 13th January 1878.

No. 12.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

"*No.* 14, *dated the 6th January* 1879.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 71 of 23rd April 1878, transferring Mr. J. L. Parker, Superintending Engineer, Second Grade, Bengal, Irrigation Branch, to the Pension Establishment, *for* "from 26th September 1877," *read* "1st January 1878."

No. 13.—*Posting.*—Mr. A. C. C. Rogers, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade (on leave), on return from Madras Famine Relief Works, is posted to the Orissa Circle.

No. 14.—*Leave.*—Mr E. A. Parsick, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, South-Western Circle, is granted privilege leave for one month and 16 days, under Chapter VII, Section 32 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 15.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

"*No.* 9, *dated 4th January* 1879.—Major J. G. Forbes, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Second Grade, Bengal, Irrigation Branch, who was transferred temporarily to North-Western Provinces and Oudh, Irrigation Branch, by Public Works Department Notification No. 276 of 28th June 1878, was placed on special duty under the Government of India, with effect from 1st November 1878."

No. 16.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a distributary, to be called the Dinapore distributary, to take off from the Patna Branch Canal in its 74th mile, and to terminate at a point in mouzah Munpoora, pergunnah Foolwary, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land, measuring about six miles and 4,500 feet in length, and averaging from 50 to 215 feet in breadth, more or less, and containing 99 acres and 36 poles, more or less, is required in the district of Patna:

The said strip of land is for the most part situated in mouzahs Moradpore, Moosa Chuck, Koorjee Sufdarabad, Mohemedpore, Jalal Oodee Chuck, Sararee, Khuzurpore, Nasree Chuck, Mokdompore, Sundulpore, Oosree, Jamsout, Mobarakpore, Tara Chuck, and Munpoora, in pergunnah Foolwary, zillah Patna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

RAILWAY.

Fort William, the 9th January 1879.

No. 1.—*Notifications.*—Mr T. E. Owen, Executive Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), is placed in charge of the office of the Superintendent of Works, Northern Bengal State Railway, during the time that Mr. W. B. Carter, Executive Engineer, First Grade holds charge of the office of the Engineer-in-Chief, Northern Bengal Railway, or until further orders.

No. 2.—Referring to notification No. 1 of the 9th instant, Mr. T. E. Owen, Executive Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), made over, and Mr. T. W. Grant, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, assumed charge of the Mahanaddi Division, Northern Bengal State Railway, on the afternoon of the 4th December 1878. Mr. Grant will, in addition to the present charge, continue to hold charge of the open line from mile 112 to Julpigoree.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secretary.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz for Government Railway Policemen's accommodation of the East Indian Railway Company in the town of Howrah, pergunnah Boror, zillah Hooghly;

It is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 acre 1 rood 3½ poles, or 3 beeghas 16 cottahs 15 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Tindal Bagan Road; on the south by Chandmaree Road; on the east by Mr. George Jones' house and Baboo Hurry Mohun Bose's house; and on the west by New Street, is required in the aforesaid Town of Howrah.

This declaration is made, under the provision of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 146, *dated 9th January* 1879.—Surgeon W. F. Murray made over charge of the Gya Jail to Surgeon J. F. Mullen in the forenoon of the 23rd December 1878.

No. 256, *dated 11th January* 1879.—Mr. H. M. Tobin, C.S., made over charge of the Burdwan Jail to Surgeon W. F. Murray in the forenoon of the 1st January 1879.

S. S. LYNCH,
Depy. Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৫ জানুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তা জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই ফেব্রুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের দ্বিতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাঁহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Dacca and Moonshigunge will sit again in the latter Court on the dates mentioned below:—

Wednesday, the 29th January 1879.
Thursday, the 30th " "
Friday, the 31st " ".

AMIRTO LAL CHATTERJEE, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

MOONSHIGUNGE SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 8th January 1879.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Narail will, in addition to the ordinary sittings, sit again in that Court on the dates mentioned below :—

Wednesday, the 29th January 1879. | Monday, the 17th February 1879.

Tuesday, the 18th February 1879.

JOHN WESTON, *Judge.*

NARAIL SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 11th January 1879.

TREASURY NOTICE.

BABOO GOPAL CHUNDER SEIN, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Hooghly treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

T. E. RAVENSHAW, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'s OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., the 11th January 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Examination of Candidates for Pleadership and Mookhtarship in Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court.

NOTIFICATION.

THE above examination will take place on the 24th and 25th instant, at Calcutta, Patna, Cuttack, and Gowhatty.

The Calcutta examination will be held at the Presidency College, and will commence at 10 A.M. on each of the above days.

No candidate will be admitted to the examination room after that hour.

The candidates will be required to produce at the examination the extracts from the register, which will be furnished to them by the District Judges, through whom their applications were sent to the Board of Examiners.

The candidates will also be required to produce the receipts for the portion of their fees not paid at the time of sending in their applications.

E. T. TREVELYAN,

Secretary to the Board of Examiners for Pleadership and Mookhtarship.

The 10th January 1879.

Gilchrist Scholarship Examination.

NOTIFICATION.

WITH reference to the Government notification of the 12th December 1868, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, page 2044, it is hereby notified that an examination for the Gilchrist Scholarships will be held on Monday, the 20th January 1879, at the Presidency College, Calcutta, at 10 A.M.

The 24th December 1878. A. W. CROFT, *Dir. of Public Instruction.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1632B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd February 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th February 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th February 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th February 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th March	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 3rd April	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total	...	25,000	25,000	50,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 31st December 1878.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on 1st January 1879.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	3,47,983	22,284	6,42,917	10,13,184
French Kurkutch	25,350	.....	15,397	40,747
Italian ditto	19,162	.....	.....	19,162
Bombay ditto	1,15,906	.....	47,529	1,63,435
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ..	2,14,042	.....	30,925	2,44,967
Ceylon Kurkutch	39,186	.....	.....	39,186
Egyptian ditto	35,312	.. ...	.....	35,312
Total ...	7,96,941	22,284	7,36,768	15,55,993

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 7th January 1879.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1879.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.—*Fort William, the 10th January* 1879.

No. 19.—Mr. H. Sankey, of Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, reported his arrival at Rangoon on the 26th ultimo to the Chief Commissioner of British Burma

No. 21.—Mr. A. H. Collins, of Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service, reported to the Government of Bengal his arrival at Calcutta on the 1st instant.

EXAMINATIONS.—*The 6th January 1879.*

No. 1.—The following Regulations for the Examination of Candidates for the Civil Service of India, to be held in June and July 1879, are published for general information :—

REGULATIONS FOR THE OPEN COMPETITION OF JUNE AND JULY, 1879.

N.B.—The Regulations are liable to be altered in future years.

1. On June 17th, 1879, and following days, an Examination of Candidates will be held in London. At this Examination not fewer than Candidates will be selected, if so many shall be found duly qualified. Of these, will be selected for Presidency of Bengal [for the Upper Provinces, and for the Lower Provinces,] for that of Madras, and for that of Bombay.*—Notice will hereafter be given of the days and place of Examination.

2. Any person desirous of competing at this Examination must produce to the Civil Service Commissioners, before the 1st of April, 1879, evidence showing :—

(*a*) That he is a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

(*b*) That his age will be above seventeen years on the 1st of June, 1879, and under nineteen years on the 1st of January, 1879.† [*N. B.—In the case of Natives of India this must be certified by the Government of India, or of the Presidency or Province in which the Candidate may have resided.*]

(*c*) That he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Civil Service of India.‡

(*d*) That he is of good moral character.‡

He must also pay such fee as the Secretary of State for India may prescribe.§

3. Should the evidence upon the above points be *primâ facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the Candidate will, upon payment of the prescribed fee, be admitted to the Examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion, at any time prior to the grant of the Certificate of Qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries, in the case of any Candidate, should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects, he will be ineligible for admission to the Civil Service of India; and if already selected, will be removed from the position of a Probationer.

4. The Examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge :—

	Marks.
** English Composition	300
†† History of England—including a period selected by the Candidate	300
†† English Literature—including books selected by the Candidate	300
Greek	600
Latin	800
French	500
German	500
Italian	400
‡‡** Mathematics (pure and mixed)	1,000
Natural Science: that is, the Elements of any two of the following Sciences, *viz.* :— Chemistry, 500; Electricity and Magnetism, 300; Experimental Laws of Heat and Light, 300; Mechanical Philosophy, with outlines of Astronomy, 300.	
Logic	300
Elements of Political Economy	300
§§ Sanskrit	500
§§ Arabic	500

Candidates are at liberty to name, before April 1st, 1879, any or all of these branches of knowledge. No subjects are obligatory.

* The number of appointments to be made, and the number in each Presidency, &c., will be announced hereafter

† At the Open Competition to be held in 1880, Candidates will be required to be above 17 on the 1st June, and under 19 on the 1st January, of that year. At subsequent competitions, they will be required to be above 17 and under 19 on 1st June of the year in which the competition is held.

‡ Evidence of health and character must bear date not earlier than the 1st March 1879.

§ The Fee for this Examination will be £5 payable by means of a special stamp according to instructions which will be communicated to Candidates.

** Marks assigned in English Composition and Mathematics will be subject to no deduction

†† A considerable portion of the marks for English History and Literature will be allotted to the work specially prepared In awarding marks for this, regard will be had partly to the extent and importance of the periods or books selected, and partly to the thoroughness with which they have been studied

‡‡ The Examination will range from Arithmetic, Algebra, and Elementary Geometry, up to the elements of the differential and integral calculus, including the lower portions of applied Mathematics

§§ The standard of marking in Sanskrit and Arabic will be determined with reference to a high degree of proficiency, such as may be expected to be reached by a Native of good education.

5. The merit of the persons examined will be estimated by marks; and the number set opposite to each branch in the preceding regulation denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

6. The marks assigned to Candidates in each branch will be subject to such deduction as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary, in order to secure that "a Candidate be allowed no credit at all for taking up a subject in which he is a mere smatterer."**

7. The Examination will be conducted by means of printed questions and written answers, and by *vivâ voce* Examination, as may be deemed necessary.

8. The marks obtained by each Candidate, in respect of each of the subjects in which he shall have been examined, will be added up, and the names of the Candidates who shall have obtained a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining Candidates, will be set forth in order of merit, and such Candidates shall be deemed to be selected Candidates for the Civil Service of India, provided they appear to be in other respects duly qualified. Should any of the selected Candidates become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus created shall be filled up or not. In the former case, the Candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified, shall be deemed to be a selected Candidate. A selected Candidate, declining to accept the appointment which may be offered to him, will be disqualified for any subsequent competition.

9. Selected Candidates, before proceeding to India, will be on probation for two years, during which time they will be examined periodically, with a view of testing their progress in the following subjects:—*

	Marks.
1. Law	1,250
2. Classical Languages of India—	
Sanskrit	500
Arabic	400
Persian	400
3. Vernacular Languages of India (each)	400
4. The History and Geography of India	350
5. Political Economy	350

In these Examinations, as in the open competition, the merit of the Candidates examined will be estimated by marks, and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it at any one Examination. The Examination will be conducted by means of printed questions and written answers, and by *vivâ voce* Examination, as may be deemed necessary. The last of these Examinations will be held at the close of the second year of probation, and will be called the "Final Examination," at which it will be decided whether a selected Candidate is qualified for the Civil Service of India. At this Examination Candidates will be permitted to take up any one of the following branches of Natural Science, *viz.*—Botany, Geology, and Zoology, for which 350 marks will be allowed.

10. Any Candidate who, at any of the periodical Examinations, shall appear to have wilfully neglected his studies, or to be physically incapacitated for pursuing the prescribed course of training, will be liable to have his name removed from the list of selected Candidates.

11. The selected Candidates who, at the Final Examination, shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 9, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of age, health, and character, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force, at the time, for that Service.

12. Applications from persons desirous to be admitted as Candidates are to be addressed to the "Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners, London, S. W.," from whom the proper form for the purpose may be obtained.

October, 1878.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements:—

(1.) Selected Candidates will be permitted to choose,† according to the order in which they stand in the list resulting from the open competition, as long as a choice remains, the Presidency (and in Bengal the Division of the Presidency) to which they shall be appointed, but this choice will be subject to a different arrangement, should the Secretary of State, or the Government of India, deem it necessary.

(2.) The Probationers, having passed the necessary Examination, will be required to report themselves to their Government in India not later than the close of December, 1882.

(3.) The seniority in the Civil Service of India of the selected Candidates shall be determined according to the Order in which they stand on the list resulting from the Final Examination.

(4.) An allowance of £150 a year will be given during each of the two years of their probation to all Candidates who pass their probation at some University to be approved beforehand by the Secretary of State, provided such Candidates shall have passed the required Examinations to the satisfaction of the Civil Service Commissioners, and shall have complied with such rules as may be laid down for the guidance of selected Candidates.

(5). All selected Candidates will be required, after having passed the second periodical Examination, to attend at the India Office for the purpose of entering into an agreement binding themselves, amongst other things, to refund in certain cases the amount of their allowance in the event of their failing to proceed to India. A surety will be required.

(6.) After passing the Final Examination, each Candidate will be required to attend again at the India Office, with the view of entering into covenants. The stamps payable on these documents amount to £1.

(7.) Candidates rejected at the Final Examination of 1881 will in no case be allowed to present themselves for re-examination.

* Full instructions as to the course of study to be pursued will be issued to the successful Candidates as soon as possible after the result of the open competition is declared.

† This choice must be exercised immediately after the result of the open competition is announced, on such day as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

FORM OF APPLICATION; TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES.

*** *This Form must be sent so as to be received at the Office of the Civil Service Commission before the 1st of April, 1879.*

*Date*_____

SIR,

Being desirous to offer myself as a Candidate at the Examination for the Civil Service of India, which is appointed to commence on the 17th of June, 1879, I transmit herewith, as required by the Regulations—

(1.) A certificate of my birth, showing that I was born on the day of 18 , and that therefore my age will be above 17 years on the 1st of June, 1879, and under 19 years on the 1st of January, 1879.

(1) If a General Register Office certificate cannot be obtained, the instructions printed on the other side will show what evidence should be supplied. If evidence is already in the hands of the Commissioners, strike out "A certificate of my birth," and insert "Evidence is already in the possession of the Commissioners."

(2.) A certificate signed by

of my having "no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me for the Civil Service of India."

(2) The terms indicated by the marks of quotation must appear in the certificate, which must be given after personal examination, and bear date not earlier than 1st March 1879.

(3.) Proof of my moral character, *viz.*:—

(1.) A testimonial from

(2.) A testimonial from

(3.) Two testimonials must be sent bearing date not earlier than 1st March 1879. One of them should be given by an intimate acquaintance (not a relative) of not less than three or four years' standing; the other, if the Candidate has recently left school, should be given by his late schoolmaster, or if he has had employment of any kind, by his late employer. If the Candidate has been at any University, he should send a certificate of good conduct from his College tutor.

(4.) A statement of the branches of knowledge in which I desire to be examined, *viz.*:—

(4.) If Mathematics be named, state whether pure or mixed, or both are intended; if natural science be mentioned, state which two branches. If the History of England or English Literature be named, the annexed schedule should be filled up.

I have also to state, with reference to Section 2, Clause (*a*.) of the Regulations, that I am a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

I am, SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

*Name in full*_____

*Address*_____

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To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

I.—Every Candidate born in England or Wales should produce a Certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial Officers. This Certificate may be obtained at Somerset House, or from the Superintendent Registrar of the District in which the birth took place.

II.—A Candidate who is a Native of India must have his age certified by the Government of India, or of the Presidency or Province in which he may have resided.

III.—Every other Candidate *not producing the Certificate* mentioned in Clause 1, must prove his age by Statutory Declaration, and should also, if possible, produce a record of Birth or Baptism from some official Register; under which term may be included the Parochial Registers of Baptisms, the non-Parochial Registers of Baptisms and Births deposited at Somerset House under Acts of Parliament, the Register kept at the India Office of persons born in India, &c., &c. This Regulation applies—

1. To all Candidates not born in England or Wales.
2. To Candidates, who, though born in England or Wales, cannot produce the Registrar-General's Certificate.

The Civil Service Commissioners reserve to themselves the right of deciding in each case upon the sufficiency of the evidence produced, but they subjoin the following general rules for the guidance of Candidates:—

(*a.*) The Declaration should specify precisely the date and place of birth, and should, if possible, be made by the father or mother of the Candidate. If made by any other person, it should state the circumstances which enabled the Declarant to speak to the fact. If an entry in a Bible or other family record be referred to, the Bible or other record must be produced at the time of making the Declaration, and must be mentioned in the Declaration as having been so produced.

(*b.*) If the Candidate was born in England or Wales, the Declaration must contain a statement, that after due inquiry no entry has been found in the books of the Registrar-General; or a separate Declaration must be made to that effect.

(*c.*) If no extract from any Register is produced, the Declaration must contain a statement, that after due inquiry no such Record is believed to exist; or a separate Declaration must be made to that effect.

(*d.*) Statutory Declarations must be exactly in the form prescribed by the Act of 5 and 6 William IV., c. 62. A printed Form, if required, will be supplied on application to the Civil Service Commissioners.

N. B.—Clergymen, as such, are not qualified to take Declarations.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF JUNE AND JULY, 1879.

HISTORY OF ENGLAND.—Period selected by the undersigned Candidate:—

ENGLISH LITERATURE.—Books selected by the undersigned Candidate:—

*Signature*_____

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1879.

For the guidance of Candidates who may have a difficulty in making their selections under the heads of English History and Literature, the following lists are given as indicating the character and amount of reading that would be regarded as satisfactory :—

HISTORY OF ENGLAND.

Any one of the following periods, to be studied specially in the Text-books named :—

1. HENRY II. TO EDWARD III., A.D. 1154–1377.—Stubbs' Select Charters; Stubbs' Constitutional History of England.

2. THE TUDORS, A.D. 1485–1603.—Hallam's Constitutional History of England; Froude's History of England.

3. THE STUARTS, A.D. 1603–1714.—Hallam's Constitutional History of England; Macaulay's History of England.

4. A.D. 1714–1805.—Lord Stanhope's History; Sir T. E. May's Constitutional History; *either* Massey's Reign of George III. *or* Lord Stanhope's Life of Pitt.

ENGLISH LITERATURE.

POETRY.

SHAKESPEARE.—Three plays, one from each of the following groups :—

(a) Macbeth, Othello, Lear, Hamlet.

(b) Coriolanus, Julius Cæsar, King John, Henry V.

(c) Tempest, Merchant of Venice, Romeo and Juliet, As You Like It.

And any two of the following :—

1. CHAUCER.—Prologue to the Canterbury Tales, with the Prioress' Tale, and the Clerk's Tale.

2. MILTON.—First four books of Paradise Lost *or* Paradise Regained, *or* Comus and Samson Agonistes.

3. DRYDEN.—Absalom and Achitophel, and The Hind and Panther.

4. POPE.—Imitations of Satires and Epistles of Horace.

5. GRAY.—Poems.

PROSE.

BACON.—Essays, *or* Advancement of Learning.

And any two of the following :—

1. MILTON.—Areopagitica; *and* LOCKE.—On the Conduct of the Understanding.

2. CLARENDON.—History of the Rebellion, from the Treaty between the King and the Parliament at the end of Book VI., to the Death and Character of Falkland in Book VII.; and DE FOE.—Memoirs of a Cavalier (ch. viii. to the end).

3. ADDISON.—Coverley Papers, Essay on Imagination, and Criticisms on Milton.

4. JOHNSON.—"Six Chief Lives of the Poets," *viz.* :—of Milton, Dryden, Swift, Addison, Pope, and Gray; with Macaulay's Biography of Johnson.

5. BURKE.—Reflexions on the French Revolution; *or* Appeal from New to Old Whigs, with Speech on American Taxation.

6. MACAULAY.—Essays on Addison, Byron, Walpole, Mackintosh, Temple, and Madame D'Arblay.

MEDICAL.

The 7th January 1879.

No. 24.—The services of 3rd Grade Assistant Surgeon Syama Pada Ghosh, who was temporarily lent to the Government of Madras for famine duty, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 28.—The services of 3rd Grade Assistant Surgeon Bhagabut Chundra Rudra, who was temporarily lent to the Government of Madras for famine duty, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

POLICE.

The 7th January 1879.

No. 3.—Extraordinary leave of absence for five days is granted to Mr. J. M. E. Gouldsbury, District Superintendent of Police, Assam, in extension of the last special leave for four months obtained by him from the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 8th January 1879.

No. 10.—The Reverend H. C Spring, B.A., Junior Chaplain on the Bengal Ecclesiastical Establishment, reported his arrival in Calcutta on the 28th ultimo.

Mr. Spring's services are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information :—

POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 10th January 1879.

No. 140 *P.*—The following extract from the "London Gazette," dated 29th November 1878, is republished for general information :—

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 27th day of *November*, 1878.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amending the Law relating to the Extradition of Criminals," and also by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the thirty-sixth and thirty-seventh years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the Extradition Act, 1870," it was, amongst other things enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Act shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, between Her Majesty and the King of Spain, for the Mutual Extradition of Fugitive Criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following :—

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the King of Spain, having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice and the prevention of crime, that persons charged with, or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up, have resolved to conclude the present Treaty, and have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries, namely :—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honorable Robert Arthur Talbot Gascoyne Cecil, Marquis and Earl of Salisbury, Viscount Cranborne, Dorset, and Baron Cecil of Essendine, a Peer of the United Kingdom, a Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Her Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs :—

And His Majesty the King of Spain, Don Manuel Rancés y Villanueva, Marquis of Casa-Laiglesia, a Senator of the Kingdom, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal and Distinguished Order of Charles III, and Knight of the First Class of the Civil Order of Beneficence of Spain; Knight Grand Cross of the Papal Order of Gregory the Great; Knight of the First Class of the Royal Order of the Red Eagle of Prussia; Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Orders of the Crown of Italy, of Frederick of Wurtemburg, and of Albert the Valorous of Saxony; of the Grand Ducal Orders of Philip the Magnanimous of

SU Majestad la Reina del Reino Unido de la Gran Bretaña é Irlanda, y Su Majestad el Rey de España, habiendo juzgado conveniente, á fin de contribuir á la mejor administracion de la justicia y á la prevencion del crimen, que las personas acusadas ó sentenciadas por los crímenes ó delitos mas abajo enumerados, y fugitivas de la justicia, sean recíprocamente entregadas en determinadas circunstancias, han resuelto estipular el presente Tratado y nombrado por sus Plenipotenciarios, á saber :

Su Majestad la Reina del Reino Unido de la Gran Bretaña é Irelanda, al Muy Honorable Roberto Arturo Talbot Gascoyne Cecil Marqués y Conde de Salisbury, Vizconde Cranborne, Dorset, y Baron Cecil de Essendine, Par del Reino Unido, Miembro del Muy Honorable Consejo Privado de Su Majestad, y Su Principal Secretario de Estado para los Negocios Extranjeros.

Su Majestad el Rey de España á Don Manuel Rancés y Villanueva, Marqués de Casa Laiglesia, Senador del Reino, Caballero Gran Cruz de Su Real y Distinguida Orden de Carlos III, y Caballero de Primera Clase de la Orden Civil de la Beneficencia de Espana, Caballero Gran Cruz de la Orden Pontificia de San Gregorio el Magno, Caballero de Primera Clase de la Real Orden del Aguila Roja de Prusia, Gran Cruz de las Reales Ordenes de la Corona de Italia, de Federico de Wartemberg, y de Alberto el Valoroso de Sajonia, de las Gran Ducales de Felipe el Magnánimo de Hesse-Darmstadt, del Halcon Blanco de Sajonia

Hesse-Darmstadt, of the White Hawk of Saxe-Weimar, of the Crown of Vandalia of Mecklenburgh-Schwerin, and of the Ducal Order of Adolphus of Nassau; Knight Grand Cross of the Lion and the Sun of Persia, &c., His Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, and found them in good and due form, have agreed upon the following articles:—

ARTICLE I.

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland engages to deliver up, under the circumstances and on the conditions stipulated in the present Treaty, all persons, and His Majesty the King of Spain engages to deliver up, under the like circumstances and conditions, all persons, excepting his own subjects, who, having been charged with or convicted by the Tribunals of one of the two High Contracting Parties, of the crimes or offences enumerated in Article II, committed in the territory of the one party, and who shall be found within the territory of the other.

ARTICLE II.

The extradition shall be reciprocally granted for the following crimes or offences:—

1. Murder (including assassination, parricide, infanticide, poisoning, or attempt to murder).
2. Manslaughter.
3. Administering drugs or using instruments with intent to procure the miscarriage of women.
4. Rape.
5. Aggravated or indecent assault. Carnal knowledge of a girl under the age of 10 years; carnal knowledge of a girl above the age of 10 years and under the age of 12 years; indecent assault upon any female, or any attempt to have carnal knowledge of a girl under 12 years of age.
6. Kidnapping and false imprisonment, child stealing, abandoning, exposing, or unlawfully detaining children.
7. Abduction of minors.
8. Bigamy.
9. Wounding, or inflicting grievous bodily harm.
10. Assaulting a magistrate or peace or public officer.
11. Threats by letter or otherwise with intent to extort money or other things of value.
12. Perjury, or subornation of perjury.
13. Arson.
14. Burglary or housebreaking, robbery with violence, larceny or embezzlement.
15. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, director, member, or public officer of any company, made criminal by any law for the time being in force.
16. Obtaining money, valuable security, or goods by false pretences; receiving any money, valuable security, or other property, knowing the same to have been unlawfully obtained.
17. (*a*) Counterfeiting or altering money, or bringing into circulation counterfeited or altered money;

(*b*) Forgery, or counterfeiting or altering or uttering what is forged, counterfeited, or altered;

Weimar, y de la Corona de Vandalia de Mecklemburgo Schwerin, y de la Ducal de Adolfo de Nassau, Gran Cruz del Leon y el Sol de Persia, &c., Su Enviado Extraordinario y Ministro Plenipotenciario cerca de Su Majestad la Reina del Reino Unido de la Gran Bretaña é Irlanda;

Quienes, despues de haberse comunicado sus plenos poderes respectivos, y de hallarlos en buena y debida forma, han convenido en los Artículos siguientes:—

ARTICULO I.

Su Majestad la Reina del Reino Unido de la Gran Bretaña é Irlanda se obliga á entregar en las circunstancias y con las condiciones estipuladas en el presente Tratado, todas las personas, y Su Majestad el Rey de España se obliga á entregar en las mismas circunstancias y con las mismas condiciones todas las personas con excepcion de sus propios súbditos, que habiendo sido encausadas ó sentenciadas por los Tribunales de Una de las dos Altas Partes Contratantes por los crímenes ó delitos enumerados en el Articulo II, y cometidos en Su Territorio, sean halladas en el territorio de la Otra.

ARTICULO II.

Se concederá recíprocamente la extradicion por los siguientes crímenes ó delitos:—

1. Asesinato, parricidio, infanticidio, evenenamiento, ó tentativa de asesinato.
2. Homicidio.
3. Aborto.
4. Violacion.
5. Atentado contra el pudor consumado ó intentado sobre persona de uno ú otro sexo, menor de 12 años.
6. Secuestro, robo, abandono, exposicion, ó retencion ilegal de niños.
7. Sustraccion de menores.
8. Bigamia.
9. Heridas ó lesiones corporales graves.
10. Desacato ó violencia contra autoridades, magistrados, ó funcionarios publicos.
11. Amenazas verbales ó escritas con intencion, de rober dinero ó valores.
12. Falso testimonio y soborno de testigos, peritos, ó intérpretes.
13. Incendio voluntario.
14. Hurto y robo.
15. Abuso de confianza ó defraudacion por un banquero, comisionista, administrador, tutor, curador, liquidador, síndico, funcionario público, director, miembro ó empleado de una sociedad, ó por cualquiera otra persona.
16. Estafa, ocultacion fraudulenta de dinero, valores ú objetos muebles, y adquisicion de los mismos con conocimiento de que han sido ilegalmente obtenidos.
17. (*a*.) Fabricacion y expendicion de moneda falsa ó alterada.

(*b*.) Falsificacion de documentos ó empleo de los mismos; falsificacion de los sellos del Estado, punzones, timbres ó papel sellado, ó empleo de sellos, punzones, ó timbres falsificados.

(*c*) Knowingly making without lawful authority any instrument, tool, or engine adapted and intended for the counterfeiting of coin of the realm.

18. Crimes against Bankruptcy Law.

19. Any malicious act done with intent to endanger persons in a railway train.

20. Malicious injury to property, if such offence be indictable.

21. Crimes committed at sea.

(*a*) Piracy by the law of nations.

(*b*) Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or attempting or conspiring to do so.

(*c*) Revolt or conspiracy to revolt by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas against the authority of the master.

(*d*) Assault on board a ship on the high seas with intent to destroy life, or to do grievous bodily harm.

22. Dealing in slaves in such manner as to constitute an offence against the laws of both countries.

The extradition is also to take place for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes as an accessory before or after the fact, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both Contracting Parties.

ARTICLE III.

The present Treaty shall apply to crimes and offences committed prior to the signature of the Treaty; but a person surrendered shall not be tried for any crime or offence committed in the other country before the extradition, other than the crime for which his surrender has been granted.

ARTICLE IV.

No person shall be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove to the satisfaction of the competent authority of the State in which he is that the requistion for his surrender has in fact been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE V.

In the States of His Majesty the King of Spain, excepting the provinces or possessions beyond sea, the proceedings for demanding and obtaining the extradition shall be as follows:—

The Diplomatic Representative of Great Britain shall send to the Minister for Foreign Affairs (Ministro de Estado) with the demand for extradition, an authenticated and legalized copy of the sentence or of the warrant of arrest against the person accused, clearly showing the crime or offence for which proceedings are taken against the fugitive. This Judicial document shall be accompanied, if possible, by a description of the person claimed, and any other information or particulars that may serve to identify him.

These documents shall be communicated by the Minister for Foreign Affairs to the Minister of Grace and Justice by whose Department, after examining the documents and finding that there is reason for the extradition, a Royal Order will be issued granting it, and directing the arrest of the person claimed and his delivery to the British authorities.

In virtue of the said Royal Order the Minister of the Interior (Ministro de la Gobernacion) will adopt the fitting measures for the arrest of the fugitive, and when this has taken place, the person claimed shall be placed at the disposal of the

(*c*) Fabricacion ilegal de instrumentos para la falsificacion del cuño de la moneda.

18. Quiebra fraudulenta.

19. Actos cometidos con intencion de poner en peligro la vida de los viajeros en un tren de camino de hierro.

20. Destruccion ó deterioro de cualquiera propiedad mueble ó immueble penado por la ley.

21. Crímenes que se cometan en la mar:—

(*a*) Pirateria.

(*b*) Destruccion ó pérdida de un buque causada intencionalmente, ó tentativa y conspiracion para dicho objeto.

(*c*) Rebelion ó conspiracion por dos ó mas personas para rebelarse á bordo de un buque contra la autoridad del capitan á bordo de un buque en alta mar.

(*d*.) Actos cometidos con intencion de matar ó de causar daño material á personas á bordo de un buque en alta mar.

22. Trata de esclavos, con arreglo á las leyes de cada uno de ambos Estados respectivamente.

La extradicion tendrá tambien lugar por complicidad en cualquiera de los crímenes y delitos enumerados en este Artículo, con tal de que sea punible por las leyes de Ambas Partes Contratantes.

ARTICULO III.

El presente Tratado será aplicable á los crímenes y delitos cometidos anteriormente á su celebracion; pero en ningun caso podrá la persona que haya sido entregada en virtud de sus estipulaciones ser encausada por ningun otro crimen ó delito cometido en el pais que la reclama, que aquel por el cual se concedió la extradicion.

ARTICULO IV.

No se hará la entrega de persona alguna si el delito por que se pide su extradicion es de carácter político, ó si dicha persona prueba á satisfaccion de la Autoridad competente del Estado donde se halla que la demanda de entrega ha sido hecha en realidad con objeto de perseguirla ó castigarla por un delito de carácter político.

ARTICULO V.

En los Estados de Su Majestad el Rey de España, con excepcion de las Provincias ó Posesiones de Ultramar, el procedimiento para pedir y obtener la extradicion sera el siguiente:

El Representante Diplomático de la Gran Bretaña dirigirá al Ministro de Estado, con la demanda de extradicion, una cópia auténtica y legalizada de la sentencia ó del auto de prision contra la persona acusada, estableciendo claramente el crimen ó delito por el cual se procede contra el fugitivo. A este documento judicial se acompañarán, si es posible, las señas de la persona reclamada y cualesquiera otras noticias ó datos que puedan ser útiles para identificarla.

Estos documentos serán comunicados por el Ministro de Estado al de Gracia y Justicia, por cuyo Ministerio, despues de examinarlos y de reconocerse que hay lugar á la extradicion, se expedirá una Real Orden concediéndola y ordenando el arresto de la persona reclamada y su entrega á las Autoridades Británicas.

En virtud de dicha Real Orden, el Ministro de la Gobernacion adoptará las medidas oportunas para el arresto del fugitivo, y, verificado que sea, será este puesto á disposicion del Representante Diplomático que pidió su extradicion y conduc-

Diplomatic Representative who has demanded his extradition, and he shall be taken to the part of the frontier or to the seaport where the Agent appointed for the purpose by Her Britannic Majesty's Government is ready to take charge of him.

In case the documents furnished by the said Government for the identification of the person claimed, or the information obtained by the Spanish authorities for the same purpose, should be considered insufficient, immediate notice thereof shall be given to the Diplomatic Representative of Great Britain, and the person under arrest shall be detained until the British Government shall have furnished fresh evidence to prove his identity or to clear up any other difficulty relative to the examination and decision of the affair.

ARTICLE VI.

In the dominions of Her Britannic Majesty, other than the Colonies or Foreign Possessions of Her Majesty, the manner of proceeding, in order to demand and obtain extradition, shall be as follows :—

(A.) In the case of a person accused—The requisition for the surrender shall be made to Her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the Diplomatic Representative of His Majesty the King of Spain. The said demand shall be accompanied by a warrant of arrest or other equivalent judicial document, issued by a Judge or Magistrate duly authorized to take cognizance of the acts charged against the accused in Spain, and duly authenticated depositions or statements taken on oath before such Judge or Magistrate, clearly setting forth the said acts, and containing a description of the person claimed, and any particulars which may serve to identify him.

The said Principal Secretary of State shall transmit such documents to Her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, who shall then, by order under his hand and seal, signify to some Police Magistrate in London that such requisition has been made, and require him, if there be due cause, to issue his warrant for the apprehension of the fugitive. On the receipt of such order from the Secretary of State, and on the production of such evidence as would, in the opinion of the Magistrate, justify the issue of the warrant if the crime had been committed in the United Kingdom, he shall issue his warrant accordingly.

When the person claimed shall have been apprehended, he shall be brought before the Magistrate who issued the warrant, or some other Police Magistrate in London. If the evidence to be then produced shall be such as to justify, according to the law of England, the committal for trial of the prisoner, if the crime of which he is accused had been committed in the United Kingdom, the Police Magistrate shall commit him to prison to await the warrant of the Secretary of State for his surrender; sending immediately to the Secretary of State a certificate of the committal and a report upon the case.

After the expiration of a period from the committal of the prisoner, which shall never be less than fifteen days, the Secretary of State shall, by order under his hand and seal, order the fugitive criminal to be surrendered to such person as may be duly authorized to receive him on the part of the Spanish Government.

(B). In the case of a person convicted—The course of proceeding shall be the same as above indicated, except that the warrant to be trans-

hasta el punto de la frontera, ó hasta el puerto de mar, donde, para hacerse cargo de él, se halle el comisionado al efecto por el Gobierno de Su Majestad Británica.

En el caso de que los documentos suministrados por este Gobierno para la identificacion de la persona reclamada, ó de que los datos obtenidos por las Autoridades Españolas con el mismo fin se considerasen insuficientes, se dará inmediato aviso de ello al Representante Diplomático de la Gran Bretaña, quedando detenida la persona arrestada hasta que el Gobierno Británico haya suministrado nuevas pruebas para establecer la identidad de aquella ó para esclarecer cualquiera otra dificultad relativa al examen y resolucion del asunto.

ARTICULO VI.

En los Estados de Su Majestad Británica, con excepcion de las Colonias ó Posesiones extranjeras, el procedimiento para pedir y obtener la extradicion será el siguiente :—

(*a.*) En el caso de una persona acusada, la demanda será dirigida al Principal Secretario de Estado de Su Majestad Británica para los Negocios Extrangeros por el Representante Diplomático de España. A dicha demanda acompañará un auto de prision ú otro documento judicial equivalente expedido por un Juez ó Magistrado competentemente autorizado para conocer en la causa formada al acusado en España, y las declaraciones hechas con arreglo á las leyes ante dicho Juez ó Magistrado, manifestando claramente el crimen ó delito de que se le acusa; y por último, si es posible, las señas de la persona reclamada, y cualesquiera otros datos que puedan ser útiles para establecer su identidad.

Dicho Principal Secretario de Estado trasmitirá los documentos enunciados al Principal Secretario de Estado de Su Majestad Británica para los Negocios Interiores (Home Department), quien, por una órden de su puño y provista de su sello, someterá la demanda de extradicion á un Magistrado de Policia de Londres, requiriéndole que expida, si ha lugar, un mandato de prision contra la persona reclamada. Este Magistrado expedirá el mandato requerido si las pruebas presentadas fuesen en su opinion bastantes á justificar igual medida en el supuesto de haberse cometido el crimen ó delito en el Reino Unido.

Verificada la aprehension de la persona reclamada, se la conducirá ante el Magistrado que dictó el auto de prision ó ante cualquier otro Magistrado de Policia de Londres. Si las pruebas presentadas justificasen con arreglo á la ley de Inglaterra la formacion de causa al detenido, en el caso de que el acto por el cual se le acusa hubiese sido cometido en el Reino Unido, el Magistrado de Policia ordenará su prision, hasta que el Secretario de Estado expida la órden para que la extradicion se verifique, y dirigirá inmediatamente á este certificacion de que así lo ha hecho, juntamente con un informe sobre el asunto.

A la terminacion de un plazo que no podrá exceder de quince dias desde que se ordenó la prision y sujecion á juicio del preso, el Secretario de Estado mandará, por médio de una órden de su puño y provista de su sello, que sea aquel entregado al Comisionado autorizado para recibirlo por el Gobierno Español.

(*b.*) En el caso de una persona condenada, el procedimiento será el mismo que queda indicado, salvo que el auto ó mandato que haya de ser

mitted by the Diplomatic Representative of Spain in support of his requisition shall clearly set forth the crime or offence of which the person claimed has been convicted, and state the place and date of his conviction.

The evidence to be produced before the Police Magistrate shall be such as would, according to the law of England, prove that the prisoner was convicted of the crime charged.

(C.) Persons convicted by judgment in default or *arrêt de contumace*, shall be, in the matter of extradition, considered as persons accused, and, as such, be surrendered.

(D.) After the Police Magistrate shall have committed the accused or convicted person to prison to await the order of a Secretary of State for his surrender, such person shall have the right to apply for a writ of *habeas corpus*; if he should so apply, his surrender must be deferred until after the decision of the Court upon the return to the writ, and even then can only take place if the decision is adverse to the applicant. In the latter case the Court may at once order his delivery to the person authorized to receive him, without the order of a Secretary of State for his surrender, or commit him to prison to await such order.

ARTICLE VII.

Warrants, depositions, or statements on oath, issued or taken in the dominions of either of the two High Contracting Parties, and copies thereof, and certificates of or judicial documents stating the facts of conviction, shall be received in evidence in proceedings in the dominions of the other, if purporting to be signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or officer of the country where they were issued or taken, provided such warrants, depositions, statements, copies, certificates, and judicial documents are authenticated by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of State.

ARTICLE VIII.

A fugitive criminal may be apprehended under a warrant issued by any Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or other competent authority in either country, on such information or complaint, and such evidence, or after such proceedings as would, in the opinion of the authority issuing the warrant, justify the issue of a warrant if the crime had been committed or the person convicted in that part of the dominions of the two Contracting Parties in which the Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, or other competent authority exercises jurisdiction: provided however, that, in the United Kingdom, the accused shall, in such case, be sent as speedily as possible before a Police Magistrate in London. He shall, in accordance with this Article, be discharged, as well in Spain as in the United Kingdom, if, within the term of thirty days, a requisition for extradition shall not have been made by the Diplomatic Agent of his country, in accordance with the stipulations of this Treaty.

The same rule shall apply to the cases of persons accused or convicted of any of the crimes or offences specified in this Treaty, and committed on the high seas on board any vessel of either country which may come into a port of the other.

presentado por el Representante Diplomático de España en apoyo de la demanda de extradicion expresará claramente el crimen ó delito por el que la persona reclamada haya sido condenada, mencionando al mismo tiempo el lugar y la fecha de la sentencia.

La prueba que en ese caso deberá ser presentada al Magistrado de Policia ha de ser de naturaleza que establezca que segun la Ley de Inglaterra el detenido ha sido condenado por la infraccion de que se le acusó.

(*c.*) Los sentenciados en rebeldía ó *in contumaciam* se considerarán para los efectos de la extradicion como acusados, y serán entregados en este concepto.

(*d.*) Despues de verificada por mandato del Magistrado de Policia la prision de la persone acusada ó condenada, hasta que el Secretario de Estado expida la órden de extradicion, dicho persona tendrá el derecho de reclamar un mandato de *Habeas Corpus*. Si hiciese uso de este derecho, la extradicion se diferirá hasta que el Tribunal falle sobre el incidente, y no podrá llevarse á cabo sino cuando el fallo sea adverso al reclamante.

En este caso el Tribunal podrá mandar, sin la órden de un Secretario de Estado, la immediata entrega del acusado al Comisionado autorizado para hacerse cargo de él, ó mantenerle en prision hasta que dicha órden del Secretario de Estado sea expedida.

ARTICULO VII.

Los autos, mandatos, declaraciones juradas, expedidos ó tomadas en los Estados de una de las Altas Partes Contratantes, las cópias de esos documentos, así como las certificaciones ó documentos judiciales en que se funde la condena, serán recibidos, como pruebas en el procedimiento de los Estados de la otra, si estan provistos de la firma ó de la certificacion de un Juez, de un Magistrado ó de un funcionario del pais en que hayan sido expedidos ó tomadas, y siempre que dichos autos, mandatos, declaraciones, cópias, certificaciones y documentos judiciales sean certificados por el juramento de un testigo ó por el sello oficial del Ministro de Gracia y Justicia ó algun otro Ministro de la Corona.

ARTICULO VIII.

Todo criminal fugitivo podrá ser detenido por mandato de cualquier Magistrado de Policia, Juez de Paz, ó Municipal ú otra Autoridad competente en cada uno de los dos Estados, expedido en virtud de informe, demanda, prueba ó todo otro acto de procedimiento que en opinion de la Autoridad que expidiere el mandato fuese bastante á justificar este, si el crimen ó delito hubiese sido cometido ó la persona hubiese sido condenada en la parte de los Estados de ambos Contratantes en que el Magistrado, Juez de Paz ú otra Autoridad competente ejercen jurisdiccion; á condicion sin embargo en el Reino Unido de que se haga comparecer al acusado tan pronto como sea posible ante un Magistrado de Policia de Londres. Así en España como en el Reino Unido, el detenido, con arreglo á este Artículo, será puesto en libertad si en un término de treinta dias no ha sido formulada demanda de extradicion por el Representante Diplomático de su pais, con arreglo á las estipulaciones de este Tratado.

La misma regla se aplicará á los casos de personas acusadas ó condenadas por cualquiera de los crímenes ó delitos especificados en este Tratado, y cometidos en alta mar á bordo de un buque de uno de los dos paises que llegase á un puerto del otro.

ARTICLE IX.

If the fugitive criminal who has been committed to prison be not surrendered and conveyed away within two months after such committal, or within two months after the adverse decision of the Court upon the return to a writ of *habeas corpus* in the United Kingdom, he shall be discharged from custody, unless sufficient cause be shown to the contrary.

ARTICLE X.

In the Provinces beyond sea, Colonies and other Possessions beyond sea of the two High Contracting Parties, the manner of proceeding shall be as follows:—

The requisition for extradition of the fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in an over-sea Province, Colony, or Possession of either of the two Contracting Parties, shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such Province, Colony, or Possession by the chief Consular Officer of the other State in such Province, Colony, or Possession; or, if the fugitive has escaped from an over-sea Province, Colony or Possession of the State on whose behalf the extradition is demanded, by the Governor or chief authority of such Province, Colony or Possession.

In these cases the provisions of this Treaty shall be observed as far as possible by the respective Governors or chief authorities, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the extradition or to refer the decision of the matter to the Governments of their respective countries.

ARTICLE XI.

In cases where it may be necessary, the Spanish Government shall be represented at the English Courts by the Law Officers of the Crown, and the English Government in the Spanish Court by the Public Prosecutor (*Ministerio Fiscal*).

The respective Governments will give assistance to the Diplomatic Representatives who claim their intervention for the custody and security of the persons subject to extradition.

ARTICLE XII.

The claim for extradition shall not be complied with if the individual claimed has been already tried for the same offence in the country whence the extradition is demanded, or if, since the commission of the acts charged, the accusation or the conviction, exemption from prosecution or punishment has been acquired by lapse of time, according to the laws of that country.

ARTICLE XIII.

If the individual claimed by one of the two High Contracting Parties, in pursuance of the present Treaty should be also claimed by one or several other powers, on account of other crimes or offences committed upon their respective territories, his extradition shall be granted to that State whose demand is earliest in date; unless any other arrangement should exist between the different Governments to determine the preference, either on account of the gravity of the crime or offence, or for any other reason.

ARTICLE XIV.

If the individual claimed should be under prosecution, or have been condemned for a crime or offence committed in the country where he may have taken refuge, his surrender may be deferred until he shall have been set at liberty in due course of law.

ARTICULO IX.

Si el criminal fugitivo constituido en prision no ha sido entregada cuando hayan trascurrido dos meses despues de haber sido expedida la órden de su prision, ó dos meses despues del fallo del Tribunal negativo de su reclamacion de un mandato de *Habeas Corpus*, en el Reino Unido, será puesto aquel en libertad, á menos que haya causa suficiente para lo contrario.

ARTICULO X.

En las Provincias de Ultramar, Colonias y demás Posesiones de las dos Altas Partes Contratantes el procedimiento será el siguiente:

La demanda de extradicion del criminal fugitivo que se hubiese refugiado en una Provincia Ultramarina, Colonia ó Posesion de una de las dos Partes Contratantes, se dirigirá al Gobernador ó á la Autoridad Superior de dicha Provincia, Colonia ó Posesion por el Agente Consular de mayor categoría del otro Estado en dicha Provincia, Colonia ó Posesion; ó si el criminal se ha fugado de una Provincia Ultramarina, Colonia ó Posesion del Estado en cuyo nombre se pide la extradicion, por el Gobernador ó Autoridad Superior de esta Provincia, Colonia ó Posesion.

En estos casos se observarán en cuanto sea posible las disposiciones del presente Tratado por los respectivos Gobernadores ó Autoridades Superiores, pero se reserva á estos la facultad de conceder la extradicion ó de someter la resolucion del caso á los Gobiernos de sus respectivos paises.

ARTICULO XI.

En los casos en que fuere necesario, el Gobierno Español será representado ante los Tribunales Británicos por los Oficiales Legales de la Corona, y el Gobierno Británico ante los Tribunales Españoles por el Ministerio Fiscal.

Los Gobiernos respectivos prestarán asistencia á los Representantes Diplomáticos que la reclámen para la custodia y seguridad de las personas sujetas á extradicion.

ARTICULO XII.

No se dará curso á la demanda de extradicion cuando la persona reclamada hubiese sido juzgada por el mismo crimen ó delito en el Estado al cual aquella demanda se dirija; ni tampoco cuando despues de los actos que constituyen el crimen ó delito de que se le acuse, despues de la acusacion ó despues de la condena, tenga derecho al beneficio de la prescripcion, segun las leyes de dicho Estado.

ARTICULO XIII.

Cuando la persona reclamada por una de las Altas Partes Contratantes, en virtud del presente Tratado, fuese reclamada asimismo por uno ó varios otros Estados á causa de crímenes ó delitos cometidos en sus territorios respectivos, su extradicion será concedida al Estado cuya demanda sea de fecha anterior; á menos que no exista entre los diferentes Gobiernos un arreglo para determinar la preferencia, ya por la gravedad del crimen ó delito, ya por cualquier otro motivo.

ARTICULO XIV.

Cuando la persona reclamada estuviese encausada, ó hubiese sido condenada por un crimen ó delito cometido en el Estado en que se hubiese refugiado, su extradicion podrá diferirse hasta que haya sido puesta en libertad con arreglo á las leyes.

In case he should be proceeded against or detained in such country, on account of obligations contracted towards private individuals, the extradition shall nevertheless take place.

ARTICLE XV.

Every article found in the possession of the individual claimed at the time of his arrest, shall, if the competent authority so decide, be seized, in order to be delivered up with his person at the time when the extradition takes place. Such delivery shall not be limited to the property or articles obtained by stealing or by fraudulent bankruptcy, but shall extend to everything that may serve as proof of the crime or offence, and shall take place even when the extradition, after having been granted, cannot be carried out by reason of the escape or death of the individual claimed.

The rights of third parties with regard to the said property or articles are nevertheless reserved.

ARTICLE XVI.

The High Contracting Parties renounce any claim for the reimbursement of the expenses incurred by them in the arrest and maintenance of the person to be surrendered, and his conveyance as far as the frontier; they reciprocally agree to bear such expenses themselves.

ARTICLE XVII.

The present Treaty shall be ratified and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London as soon as possible.

It shall come into operation ten days after its publication, in conformity with the laws of the respective countries, and each of the Contracting Parties may at any time terminate the Treaty on giving to the other six months' notice of its intention to do so.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seals of their arms.

Done at London, the fourth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.) SALISBURY.
(L.S.) MARQUES DE CASA LAIGLESIA.

En el caso de que dicha persona reclamada se hallase acusada ó detenida en el pais en que se hubiese refugiado por obligaciones contraidas respecto de personas particulares, la extradicion se llevará sin embargo á cabo.

ARTICULO XV.

Si la autoridad competente lo dispusiese así, los objetos hallados en poder de la persona reclamada serán aprehendidos para ser entregados con ella cuando la extradicion se verifique. Compréndense en esta disposicion no solo los objetos robados ó procedentes de quiebra fraudulenta, sino tambien cualesquiera otros que pudiesen servir para la comprobacion del crimen ó delito.

Dichos objetos serán igualmente entregados despues de ser acordada la extradicion, si no se pudiera llevar esta á cabo por la fuga ó la muerte de la persona reclamada.

Lo dispuesto en el presente Artículo se entiende sin perjuicio del derecho de terceros.

ARTICULO XVI.

Las Altas Partes Contratantes renuncian al rembolso de los gastos ocasionados por ellas para la detencion, manutencion, y conduccion hasta su frontera de las personas entregadas, conviniendo en sufragar cada una dichos gastos en sus territorios respectivos.

ARTICULO XVII.

El presente Tratado será ratificado, y las ratificaciones se cangearán en Londres, tan pronto como sea posible.

Empezará á regir diez dias despues de verificada su publicacion con arreglo á las leyes de los Estados respectivos, y cada una de las Partes Contratantes podrá en cualquier tiempo darlo por terminado, participando á la otra su intencion de hacerlo así con seis meses de anticipacion.

En fé de lo cual los respectivos Plenipotenciarios lo han firmado y sellado con el sello de sus armas.

Fecho en Londres, á cuatro de Junio de mil ochocientos setenta y ocho.

(L.S.) SALISBURY.
(L.S.) MARQUES DE CASA LAIGLESIA.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at London on the twenty-first instant:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Acts, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, the said Acts shall apply in the case of the said Treaty with the King of Spain.

C. L. Peel.

No. 141P.—The following extract from the *London Gazette* dated 3rd December 1878, is republished for general information:—

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 27th day of *November 1878*.

PRESENT:

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.
Lord President.
Lord Privy Seal.
Mr. Secretary Cross.

Whereas by section 18 of "The Extradition Act, 1870," it is among other things enacted, "that if by any law made after the passing of the said Act by the Legislature of any British Possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in, or suspected of being in such British Possession, Her Majesty may, by the Order in Council applying the said Act in the case of any Foreign State, or by any subsequent Order, either

Suspend the operation within any such British Possession of the said Act, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such Foreign State, and so long as such law continues in force there and no longer;

Or direct that such Law or Ordinance or any part thereof shall have effect in such British Possession with or without modifications and alterations, as if it were part of the Act:

And whereas by an Act enacted by the Legislature of Barbadoes, the short title of which is "The Extradition Act of Barbadoes, 1878," it is provided that "all powers vested in and acts authorised or required to be done by a Police Magistrate, or any Justice of the Peace in relation to the surrender of Fugitive Criminals in the United Kingdom 'under the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873,' are thereby vested in and may in the Island be exercised and done by any Resident Police Magistrate in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals under the said Acts."

And whereas it is further provided by the said Act that the said Act shall not come into operation until Her Majesty shall by Order in Council direct that the said Act shall have effect within the Island as if it were part of the "Extradition Act, 1870," but that the said Act shall thereafter come into operation as soon as such Order in Council shall have been publicly made known in the Island;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of "The Extradition Act, 1870," and in exercise of the power in that behalf in the said Act contained doth by this present Order, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, direct that the said Act shall have effect in the Island of Barbadoes, without modification or alteration, as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870."

And the Right Honourable Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

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Suspend the operation within any such British Possession of the said Act, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such Foreign State, and so long as such law continues in force there and no longer;

Or direct that such Law or Ordinance or any part thereof shall have effect in such British Possession with or without modifications and alterations, as if it were part of the Act;

And whereas by an Ordinance enacted by the Legislature of Sierra Leone, the short title of which is "The Extradition Ordinance Sierra Leone, 1878," it is provided that "all powers vested in and acts authorised or required to be done by a Police Magistrate, or any Justice of the Peace in relation to the surrender of Fugitive Criminals in the United Kingdom 'under the Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873,' are thereby vested in and may in the Settlement be exercised and done by any Police Magistrate or Officer acting in his stead, in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals under the said Acts."

And whereas it is further provided by the said Ordinance that the said Ordinance shall not come into operation until Her Majesty shall by Order in Council direct that the said Ordinance shall have effect within the Settlement as if it were part of the "Extradition Act, 1870," but that the said Ordinance shall thereafter come into operation as soon as such Order in Council shall have been publicly made known in the Settlement;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of "The Extradition Act, 1870," and in exercise of the power in that behalf in the said Act contained, doth by this present Order, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, direct that the said Ordinance shall have effect in the Settlement of Sierra Leone, without modification or alteration, as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870."

And the Right Honourable Sir Michael Edward Hicks-Beach, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 10th January 1879.

No. 139.—The Governor General in Council directs the publication of the following Addendum to the Civil Leave Code of the Financial Department:—

CIVIL LEAVE CODE.

SUPPLEMENT H.

Bengal Pilot Service.

Section 1.—For the purposes of these Rules, the pay of the several grades of the service shall be taken to be as follows:—

	Rs.
Branch Pilot	1,000 a month.
Master Pilot	700 „
Mate Pilot	450 „

Section 2.—Furlough may be taken to the extent of four years during the entire period of service in the following instalments, *viz.*, after ten years' service two years, and after every subsequent eight years, one year, on an allowance of half the average pay for the last three years.

Section 3.—Leave on medical certificate may be taken to the extent of three years during the whole period of service, but not for more than two years at a time, and not more than twice out of India. Such leave cannot be taken for more than one year except after three years' continuous service immediately preceding. Leave on medical certificate cannot be counted as service for furlough, and no leave on medical certificate can be taken while any furlough is due. An Officer on leave under this Section is entitled to half of his average salary for the first fifteen months of each period of absence, but not for more than thirty months in all. For the rest of his leave under this Section

he is entitled to a quarter of his average salary. The minimum allowance during leave on medical certificate to the Officer to whom any allowance is due shall be Rs. 100 a month.

Section 4.—(*a*). Special leave on urgent private affairs may be granted at any time for not more than six months, provided that an Officer who has had special leave must render six years' active service before he can again have such leave.

(*b*). For the first six months for which an Officer is on special leave, whether the six months be included in the same leave or not, he is entitled to leave allowance of half his average pay for the last three years.

(*c*). Thereafter he is entitled to no leave allowance.

Section 5.—Privilege leave may be taken either—

(*a*). As provided for Officers in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code*; or

(*b*). For a period of two months in every twelve, on half pay (which cannot be accumulated) on a medical certificate showing that the applicant requires, through sickness, more leave than he could take under the ordinary privilege rules in the Code. When such leave is taken in extension of ordinary privilege leave, the period of ordinary privilege leave first taken under clause (*a*) must be commuted to double the period on half pay under clause (*b*). Leave taken under this clause shall be reckoned as active service. Provided that if leave taken under this clause be extended under medical certificate the whole of the leave shall be treated as sick leave under Section 3.

Section 6.—A Pilot who is at present in the service of the Government may be allowed the option of remaining subject to the rules which regulated his leave and allowances before this date, provided that such option is declared before the 10th July 1879.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

Fort William, the 10th January 1879.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 27.—Major Gordon Robb, Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps, who resigns his commission at his own request, is permitted to retain the rank of Captain, and to continue to wear the uniform of his regiment on retirement.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 30.—With the sanction of Her Majesty's Government, it is notified that the thirty-five (35) retirements under the provisions of G. G. O. No. 1 of the 1st January 1878, which remained unallotted on the 31st December last, will be held available for officers of all three Presidencies up to the 31st March 1879.

2. This offer is restricted to officers who are qualified under Clause 11 of the G. G. O. of 1st January 1878, and who completed 28 years' service on or before the 31st December 1878.

3. Applications will be disposed of by the Government of India according to priority of proposed dates of retirement, preference being given, if necessary, to the senior applicant, should there be more than one for retirement on the same day.

4. Officers of the Madras and Bombay Armies should submit their applications in the usual manner to their respective Governments for communication to the Government of India.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 24th January 1879, corresponding with 12th Magh 1285 B. S, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee number.	Sudder jumma.	Name of mehal.	Names of proprietors.	Arrear revenue due to Government.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.
2793	1,939 8 9½	Hissa Amanullah, pergunnah Jalalpore.	Chandidas Guha, Govinda Chandra Basu, and Mahima Chandra Sha, joint proprietors.	32 6 5
	Deduct on account of separate account, 955 10 9			
	983 14 0½			
4028	4,078 7 9½	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad, hissa ten annas, zemindar Bashu Dev Ray.	Guruprasad, Prem Chand, Kisari Mohan, Gupi Mohan, Bankanta Mohan, Harlal Roy, Shita Moni Janaki Devya, Satyabati Devya and Nagarbasini Kundu.	1,350 9 8½
	Road fund ... 40 13 0			
	4,119 4 9½			
4049	742 10 .1	Kismat Gazipore in Char Dhupariya.	Jagabandhu, Sree Nath Basu, Hara Sundari Dasya, widow of Kali Sanker Guha, deceased, Mr J. P Wise, Moulavi Mohasinuddin *alias* Dudu Meah and Gunga Money.	0 7 11
6220	597 13 3	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad, mouzah Kul Chari, &c.	Eight annas share Kailash Chandra Chakravarti ...	88 0 4½
	Deduct on account of separate account, 298 14 1½			
	298 14 1½			

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 13th December 1878. J. ANDERSON, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Balasore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 30th day of January 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of November 1878

Number on the roll.	Name of pergunnah.	Name of estate	Name of zemindar.	Sudder jumma.	Arrear of revenue due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	
1288	Senouth .	Darra ...	Hansa Mani Dei and others	535 4 0	22 12 5	
125	Ditto ...	Muraldhagar...	Chowdhury Madhusudan Rai and others.	1,452 6 6	1 0 7	
331	Dhamnagar	Mahura ...	Chowdhuri Nilkantha Mohapatra and others.	2,279 4 2	53 14 3	Separate accounts under Act XI (B.C.) of 1859 having been opened, the share of the defaulting zemindar, to the extent of 14 annas and odd, should be sold.
1189	Bhelora Chour	Chorpado .	Kisnore Narain Choudhuri and others.	546 3 1½	3 14 8½	

BALASORE COLLECTORATE, the 3rd January 1879. J. WHITMORE, *Contd. Dy. Collector, in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 24th day February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of September 1878.

Number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8434	Government resumed estate Chur Baktabaly.	Prasanna Kumari Debya and Pranath Parey Sabait of Lakshimarayan Thakur	584 0 0	278 0 0	These are resumed estates and are settled with the proprietors. The proprietory and the settlement rights will be sold.
2	8672	Chur Oolail	Gagaichandra Datta ...	1,092 0 0	549 0 0	
3	9084	Kismat Hargoz, within Chur Jalna Kamta.	Bharat Chandra, Harish Chandra, Nilmadhab and Prasanna Kumar Roy Chowdhuri and Draupady, Kubja Sundari Chowdhurani and Nandalal Shaha Ray Chowdhury.	1,390 12 0 R F. 13 6 0	177 15 10	
4	9422	Chur Bagutya	Ballabhikant Bhattacharjya	1,388 0 0	756 0 0	
5	9675	Chur Dighaldy, pergunnah Uttarsahpur.	Srimati Kamal Kamini, Sonamani, Ananda mayi, Chandrakala, Rajmani, Dayamayi, Jaytara, Chandra Nath, and Kali Das Mukerjea and Mr. M David.	1,121 0 0	485 0 0	
6	9762	Chur Dalowarpur, pergunnah Bardakhat	Munshi Golam Mowla Moulavi, Reza Robbani for self and as trustee of the estate of Asmatunnessa Bibi, Dewan Emdad Ali Karimunnessa Bibi *alias* Nanee Bibi, Dewan Azimdad Khan	4,196 0 0	1,752 0 0	
7	10499	Surplus alluvial accretion to estate Mahaddinagar in Tuppoh Khalsi, pergunnah Sultanpratab.	Rajah Syama Sankar Ray Bahadur and Parvati Sankar Chowdhury.	1,100 0 0	400 0 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 8th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th January 1879, corresponding with the 12th Magh 1285 B S., on Friday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Towji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
114	Kismut turf Malanchi, pergunnah Sendoori.	Sheik Mahommed Naki and others ...	1,634 12 0	23 0 0	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the jmali share of Mahomed Naki and Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs. 1,140-8-0, will be sold.
115	Kismut turf Bhanrara, pergunnah Bajuras Najirpore.	Anarwar Ali Khan and others	2,760 13 0	56 3 0	This mehal is under butwara. The shares of Anar Ali Khan, Sandashi Gobbur Bibee, Sadi Khan, Azimunnessa Nurunnessa, Hasibunnessa, and Saroda Sundari Devya from which the arrears are due, will be sold. The other shares are exempted from sale.
163	New accretions to Kismut turf Sujanagar, Nischintapur, pergunnah Mahamudshahye.	Annada Govinda Choudhuri and others	1,688 5 0	62 12 0	The shares on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the jmali share of Annada Gobinda Chaudhuri and Nithokali Devya, mother of Sri Govinda Chaudhuri, with a revenue of Rs. 1,278-14-0, including the Road Fund from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
175	Kismut turf Shayampur, pergunnah Amirabad	Moonshi Mahomed Hafez and others	3,156 9 0 Police, 5 1 0 3,161 10 0	81 2 0	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares. The share of Moonshi Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs 2,709-5-0, including police from which the arrear is due, will be sold
205	Kismut Chak Govindapur, pergunnah Ratermulla.	Ram Sundari Devya and Govinda Lahory.	1,560 0 0 Police, 14 15 0 1,574 15 0	3 3 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
230	Dehi Protab, pergunnah Katar Mahalla.	Banawarilal Roy, Umakanta Bhuttacharya minors, Lakshi Kanta, Chandra Kanta, Surja Kanta, Kamini Kanta, Jamini Kanta Bhuttacharya, Gobinda Nath Roy, Nityananda Puhn Chundra, Radha Govinda, Brojo Govinda, Goti Gobinda, Krisna Nath, Broja Nath, Goloknath Nag, Gaur Mohan Nanda Lal, Radha Krisna, Broja Mohan, Gopi Mohan, Krisna Das Gosvame, Sib Soondari Devya, Gaur Hari, Krisna Chundra, Kanava Lal Gosvami, Annapurna Devya, Krisna Behary Roy, Madhu Mati *alias* Tropura Sundari, Krisna Sundar, Janoki Nath, Jagada Nanda, Bepin Behari Gosvami, Podda Moni Devya minor, Gopal Ram Narayan Gosvami, Sasi Bhusan Gosvami, Ram Gosvami.	9,871 3 0 Police, 53 3 0 9,924 7 0	74 15 0	Entire mehal will be sold,
270	Kismut Guakhara and others, pergunnah Sona-bajoo.	Kashi Chundra Maitra, Indra Mani Devya and others.	1,871 3 0	58 6 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The jmali share of Indra Mani Devya, Shambhu Nath, Biswa Nath Talookdar, Krisna Sundar and Jadab Chandra Chaudhuri Prosad Talook, Ram Sundari Devya, wife of Govinda Chandra Lahiri Ramkissore Talookdar, Doorga Das Chaudhurs, Nil Govinda Girish Chundra Talookdar, Moomayi Devya, mother of Saroda Prosad Lahiri, Juggo Monan Kunja Mohan Talookdar, and Kali Chandra Mottra, with a revenue of Rs 1,401-5-0 from which the arrear is due, will be sold.

W. M. CLAY, *Offg. Collector of Pubna.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1878 :—

Number.	Towjee number.	Name of estate.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8678	Julkar Nayanadi Rath Khola, pergunnah Bikrumpore.	Ramkristo, Kallykristo, Shoshi Mohun for self and as guardian of Lal Mohun and Kristo Mohun, Mukundalal for self and as guardian of Horendralal and Shyamlal, Chandra Benode Pal for self and as guardian of Prem Benode, Radha Benode Pal, and Chitto Benode Pal.	1,128 0 0	25 11 0	The entire mehal will be sold.

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 9th January 1879. D R. LYALL, *Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1878.			
Dec. 30	1 Sheet Iron, no mark	Order ...	S. S. Manora.
,, 30	3 Cakes Spelter, P H, bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	1 Bar Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	34 Bars Flat Iron, D X X or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	7 Packages, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Venice.
,, 31	1 Case, B S in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, J G H in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Cases, J S in a diamond, top L S, bottom D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Kegs, M L K, bottom H. S. K. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	3 Kegs, M L K, bottom H. S. K. & Co. or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, P S C L, bottom J C & W L	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, R T C, bottom Phanaicherra	Williamson, Magor & Co.	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Cases, S M in a triangle	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, 614 in a diamond, bottom W L	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	3 Packages, addressed	Dr. W. Mior, Meerut, North-Western Provinces.	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Sample Parcel, M G, bottom F	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 31	3 Bars Flat Iron, X in red, or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Bar Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1445 Cakes Spelter, J. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
1879.			
Jan. 3	3 Cases, 121 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Duke of Buccleuch.
,, 3	2 Cases, 681 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	3 Packages, B. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	5 Packages, L 424 in a diamond, bottom B. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	2 Cases, D P, bottom C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Bag, D S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, addressed	V. A. Eden, Esq. ...	Ditto.
,, 3	44 Packages, F. D. & B., top H C	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 3	17 Cases, H. J. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, H in a diamond, bottom R C D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Bag Gunny, H V J, bottom B R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, I G in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, J C L in a diamond	Care of Gillanders, Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, J L N in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 3	6 Packages, L B with H below in an inverted triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, N & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, 500 in a diamond, bottom W L	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	2 Cases, addressed	A. R. Wigram, Esq., care of Colvin, Cowie & Co.	Ditto.
,, 3	3 Cases, addressed	E. H. Whenfield, Esq., care of Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 3	19 Packages, G W in a diamond, bottom Colombo ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 3	6 Packages, G W in a diamond, bottom Colombo, or no mark.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	3 Bales, B C M, bottom W & S	Ditto ...	S. S. Pleiades.
,, 2	4 Cases, B C D in a diamond, top H. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Package, addressed	M. Baines ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, C H in a double triangle, bottom C ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, F. G. J. M. & Co., bottom R. M. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, addressed	C. Hudson ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, K. & Co. in a diamond, outside W C S K ...	Order ...	Ditto.
	8 Bundles Rope, M in a triangle, top E P ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, addressed	General Nation, Assam.	Ditto.
,, 2	2 Cases, O. J. M. & Co.	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 2	2 Cases, O. J. M. & Co., bottom M G	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	2 Cases, O. J. M. & Co., bottom R. M. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, O. J. M. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	2 Casks, P in a triangle, top B. H. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, R T C, bottom R. M. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, R T C, bottom W H	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Case, addressed	R. Maccallister & Co.	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Jan. 2	10 Cases, S M E C in a cross...	Order ...	S. S. Pleiades.
„ 2	3 Cakes Spelter, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 2	2 Cases, U R D in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 2	1 Cask, V R D in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 2	1 Case, 532 in a diamond, bottom W L... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 2	1 Sample Parcel, S M F C in a cross, or addressed	H. G. Tipp ...	Ditto.
„ 2	1 Sample Parcel, S M F C in a cross, or addressed	F. W. Heilger & Co.	Ditto.
„ 2	1 Sample Parcel, S M F C in a cross, or addressed	C. R. English, Esq.	Ditto.
„ 2	2 Cases, R T C, bottom R & O	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 2	712 Bundles Hoop Iron, S. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 2	3 Bags Square Iron, X X white	Ditto ..	Ditto.
„ 3	12 Cases, 315 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ship Sierra Navada.
„ 3	41 Packages, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	1 Case, 221 in a diamond, top C. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	1 Case, 295 in a diamond, top C. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	10 Cases, M N N in a diamond, bottom M B ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	10 Kegs, M L K, bottom H. S. K. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	1 Case, 493 in a diamond, top R S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	48 Cases, S D S & M S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	16 Crates, S B B, bottom H. S. K. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	3 Packages, T D D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 2	1 Keg, 200 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	3 Cases, F in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 3	1 Cask, N D	Ditto ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 11th January 1879. (757—1) G. H. SIMMONS, for *Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 9th January 1879.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
January 3rd, 1879	50 12 3	48 12 3	80 9 0	56 7 9	236 9 3	
„ 4th, „	79 13 0	74 6 0	64 11 3	65 5 3	284 3 6	
„ 5th, „	60 8 3	65 5 6	78 6 0	64 7 9	268 11 6	
„ 6th, „	58 10 6	60 7 9	88 0 9	78 15 3	286 2 3	
„ 7th, „	55 11 0	55 11 3	92 7 9	66 12 6	270 10 6	
„ 8th, [illegible]	60 11 9	56 14 3	100 14 3	95 0 0	313 14 3	
„ 9th, [illegible]	63 6 9	61 8 6	89 3 0	90 15 0	305 1 3	
Total ...	429 9 6	423 1 6	594 4 0	518 5 6	1,965 4 6	

POST COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, the 11th January 1879. (756—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
364	O 42—81707 to „ —81712	10 each.	Rasbehari Banerjee.
365	O 34—56831	100	Akhil Chunder Chakravarti.
366	L 70—62233	1,000	Monybhoosan Biswas.
367	O 34—46500	100	Rajendra Kumar Ghose.
	„ —09910	100	
	„ 21—31968	20	
368	L 94—27459	100	The Collector of Rajshahye.
	O 34—60001	100	
	L 94—87999	100	
	„ —87981	100	
	O 34—50569	100	
369	L 38—55937	100	Gheesa.
	O 35—03600	100	
370	L 93—97192	50	Morgan.

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
371	O 30—02020	50	Gopal Chunder Sircar.
	„ —02021	50	
372	O 30—01757 to „ —01776	50 each	Soobba Ozah.
378	O 29—57902	1,000	Thacoor Sing Rai.
379	L 31—80764	5	Messrs. Ullmann, Hirschhorn & Co.
380	O 29—95895	1,000	Ramdutt Hursookdas.
	O 35—12202	100	
	„ —15090	100	
	„ —26370	100	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

390	O 33—73604	100	E. S. A. Cohen.
	„ 3—07874	20	
	„ 13—21441	10	
	„ 17—27151	10	
	„ 15—90647	10	
	L 86—73886	10	
391	O 27—56070	500	Samul Das and Narain Das.
392	„ 29—79014	1,000	Ibrahim Malin Ariff.
393	L 48—87574	20	Russick Lall Chatterjee.
394	L 29—90945	5	Taruck Nath Mukerjee.
	„ —60993	5	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
395	O 25—51748	20	Huris Chunder Bose.
	,, —10958	20	
	O 41—32087	10	
	O 42—24155	10	
	L 30—71427	5	
396	O 20—97625	20	Loke Nath Chatterjee.
	,, 21—28795	20	
	L 7—72026	20	
	O 20—69895	20	
	,, 21—96948	20	
397	O 34—40919	100	Ram Rutton and Ram Gopal.
	,, —40918	100	
	,, —37700	100	
	,, —37949	100	
	,, —20325	100	
	,, —31285	100	
	,, —22439	100	
	O 33 —79842	100	
	,, —09734	100	
398	L 28—42824	5	Jodu Nath Seal.
399	O 29—56975	1,000	Colonel J. Burn.
	,, 27—73702	500	
	L 93—67634	50	
	,, 86—25565	10	
	,, —25567	10	
	,, —25568	10	
	,, —25566	10	
400	O 12—32219	10	Messrs. Duncan Brothers & Co.
401	,, 25—33806	20	Biprodas Mitter.
	,, —26991	20	
402	O 25—38961	20	Gocool Chand.
403	L 94—00322	100	Monower.
	,, 88—20505	10	
404	O 24—06907	20	Sham Lal Audhicary.
405	L 29—02202	5	Nanda Lal Banerjee.
	,, —01736	5	
	,, —29626	5	
406	O 40—21651	10	Ram Kumar.
407	L 31—77428	5	Mrs. M. C. Duval.
408	O 3—81939	20	Bhoodhur Mul Kalooram.
	,, 22—20961	20	
409	,, —46741	20	Hursook Das Doobee Chand.
410	L 31—43936	5	Ajodhya Pershad.
411	,, 29—72193	5	Shib Sahai.
412	,, 29—50192	5	Luckhi Narain Mullick.
228	L 23—76699	5	Peary Lal Bose.
	,, —76697		
229	L 28—24725	5	J. Winston, Assistant Secretary, G. E. Hotel Co., Limited.
	,, —24726		
230	L 99—66036	10	E. S. A. Cohen.
	,, —66039		
	L 99—24265	10	
	O 5—09711		
	L 59—02668	10	
	,, —02669		
	O 5—47067	10	
	,, —77666		
	L 36—06264	20	
	,, —06274		
231	O 19—74864	20	Nilmadhub Gupta.
	,, —74867		
232	L 36—22752	20	Chidum Chunder Seal.
	,, —22754		
234	L 29—77089	5	Nilrutton Bose.
	,, 30—02381		
235	L 28—39943	5	Sham Lal Audhicary.
	,, —39945		
236	L 20—22583	5	J. Smith.
	,, —22584		
237	L 86—42928	10	Prosanno Kumar Mitter.
	,, —42927		
238	O 14—13144	10	Kali Prosanno Mitter.
	,, —13143		
239	L 74—44406	10	Mohes Chunder Santra.
	,, —44409		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 7th January 1879.

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that the Midnapore Canal, Ranges III, IV, V, and VI, from Dainan to Midnapore, will be closed for silt clearing from 15th February to 31st March 1879.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

Dated the 13th January 1879.

Notice.

THE Annual Chootia Fair will be held at Chootia, near Ranchee, the head-quarters of the Chota Nagpore Division, and will commence on 24th February 1879, and continue for fifteen succeeding days.

By order of the Commissioner,
RAJ GOPAL ROY, *Pers. Asst. to Commr.*

CHOTA NAGPORE, the 13th December 1878.

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer for the Road Cess Works of Pubna. Salary, including travelling allowance, Rs. 65.

None need apply who have not passed the Overseer's examination, and have not had at least two years' experience in the Public Works Department.

Applications to be made to the undersigned not later than the 30th instant.

W. M. CLAY, *Chairman, D. R. Cess, Pubna.*

PUBNA, the 8th January 1879. (758—3)

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sál beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 ,, ,, 2-12 ,,
23 ,, ,, 2-14 ,,
24 ,, ,, ,,

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at ,, 2-4 ,,
Under 7 feet, at ,, 2 ,,

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

Labor Transport Company, "Limited."

THE adjourned Fifth Annual General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 13, Clive Street, at 4 P.M., on the 31st January 1879.

BENNERTZ & Co., *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 13th January 1879. (760—2)

LOST the following Share Certificates in the Kurseong and Darjeeling Tea Company Limited—
Nos. 1121 and 1132,
standing in the name of
(750—4) COL. W. S. FERRIS.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 034705, 4 per cent. of 1854-55, for Rs. 1,000, and 093935, 4 per cent. of 1865, for Rs. 500, both standing originally in the names of J. H. Belchambers, W. L. Wenger, G. S. Sykes, and R. Williamson, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped in the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors.

R. SCOTT MONCRIEFF.

10, STRAND ROAD. (759—3)

TO be sold, pursuant to an order of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, made in suit No. 35 of 1874 (wherein Sreemutty Bhuggobutty Dossee, widow and administratrix of the estate and effects of Debender Chunder Dutt, deceased, late of 17, Shibtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, Attorney-at-law, is the plaintiff, and Burroda Persaud Bysack, of Burranagore, in the suburbs of Calcutta, executor of the last will and testament of Kistomohun Bysack, deceased, is the defendant), and dated the 5th day of September last, by the Registrar of the said Court, at his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 18th day of January next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, at noon, the following property, that is to say :—

Lot No. 1.—Containing, more or less, 11 beeghas 12 cottahs and 6 chittacks of garden land and a tank, situate at Ultadinghee, 24-Pergunnahs, being the western portion of the land numbered 39, Ultadinghee Road, and bounded on the north by Ultadinghee Road; on the south by garden land of Ram Chunder Moitree; on the east by lot No. 2; and on the west by the garden land of Munnoo Ameen.

Lot No. 2.—Containing, more or less, 8 beeghas 9 cottahs 14 chittacks and 39 feet of garden land, situate at Ultadinghee, aforesaid, being the middle portion of the said land numbered 39, Ultadinghee Road; and bounded on the north by Ultadinghee Road; south by the garden land of Ram Chunder Moitree; on the east by lot No. 3; and on the west by lot No. 1.

Lot No. 3.—Containing, more or less, 12 beeghas 15 cottahs 41 feet of garden land and 3 tanks, situate at Ultadinghee, aforesaid, being the eastern portion of the said land numbered 39, Ultadinghee Road; and bounded on the north by Ultadinghee Road; on the south by garden land of Ram Chunder Moitree; on the east by the land of Hem Chunder Mitter; and on the west by lot No. 2.

The conditions of sale and the abstract of title may be seen at the Office of the Registrar of the High Court in its original jurisdiction, or at the Office of Mr. John Owen Moses, Attorney for the defendants, at No. 12, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, where the original title deeds also may be seen on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

J. O. MOSES, *Defendant's Attorney.*

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION,
The 3rd December 1878. (719—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of SOORJEECOOMAR BHUR, an INSOLVENT.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Sittanauth Doss, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of SOORJEECOOMAR BHUR, of No. 35-1E., Beadon Street, in the Town of Calcutta, lately carrying on trade and business in copartnership with Nundolall Rukhit as Cloth Merchants, Tailors, Out-fitters, &c., under the style and firm of "Soorjeecoomar Bhur & Co." at No. 20, Old China Bazar, in the Town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sittanauth Doss, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of MOHABEER SURRUN, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 6th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Carruthers and Jennings, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of GEORGE ANDERSON, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 6th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Dignam and Robinson, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of GEORGE ANDERSON, of No. 5, Dhurrumtollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, comedian, lessee, and proprietor of the Corinthian Theatre at Dhurrumtollah Street aforesaid; and also carrying on business in partnership with Samuel Joseph Tucker, of No. 39, Bentinck Street, Calcutta, Gas fitters, at Tivoli House and Garden, No. 22, Lower Circular Road, in 24-Pergunnahs, as proprietors of the Alexandra Palace public pleasure-gardens, under the style of "The Alexandra Palace Company;" formerly and up to March 1874, of the Theatre Royal, Chowringhee, a Member of Lewis' Dramatic Company; afterwards, and up to May 1874, carrying on business in partnership with J. H. Turner at Esplanade Row, Calcutta, as wine and general dealers, under the style of "Turner and Anderson;" afterwards, and from December 1874 to December 1875, carrying on business as Draper and Milliner at No. 41, Bentinck Street, under the style of "R. Stewart and Company;" also from July 1874 up to September 1875 Manager of the Corinthian Theatre Company "Limited;" afterwards, and up to January 1876, carrying on business in partnership with Maurice Treyberger of Calcutta aforesaid as contractor for illuminations; afterwards, and from September 1876, to 14th August 1877, lessee and proprietor of the Corinthian Theatre aforesaid; afterwards, and from the 15th August 1877 up to 11th January 1878, carrying on business in partnership with Edwin James Shepherd, of London, comedian, as proprietors of the said Corinthian Theatre, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 6th day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Dignam and Robinson, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of KANHYALOLL SAROWGEE, lately carrying on trade and business as a dealer in piece-goods and other clothes at No. 98, Khangraputty Street, in the Town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 6th day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sittanauth Doss, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of SOORJEECOOMAR BHUR, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 21st day of January instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

Sittanauth Doss, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 13th day of January 1879.

IN the matter of ERNESTO C. CRICI, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 21st day of January instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

H. R. Pink, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 14th day of January 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	15th Jan.	*Canara.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	17th ,,	*Purulia.*
Straits and Hong-Kong ...	6 ,,	18th ,,	*Moray & Arratoon Apcar.*
Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria, *vid* Torres Straits.	6 ,,	18th ,,	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab, and Kyouk Phyoo.	6 ,,	19th ,,	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	20th ,,	From Bombay.
Port Blair and Camorta ...	6 ,,	21st ,,	*Satara.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 17th January 1879.*

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 16th January 1879.

* Mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, and Réunion can be forwarded.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*
GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 13th January 1879.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Asoonsole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,,	7-45 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Furreedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Poorie, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Week days	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays ..	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
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Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.			
Entrance below Joyrampore	...		Closed.
Thence to Noorpore Junction.	...		Closed.
Entrance below Chourasia...	11	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	5	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	Geeriah.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	3	Baliah — For a distance of 50 feet only, elsewhere over 3 feet; boats drawing 3 feet 6 inches can pass easily.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	3	0	Gopalpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3	0	Dewanzunge.
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance			Closed.
Thence to Tatarparah			
From Tatarparah to Hat Bolia. ...			
From Hat Bolia to Boalmaree. ...			
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah. ...			
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge. ...			
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges. ...			Closed.
Thence to Junction with the Byrub. ...			Closed.
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	4	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3	0	Bonapara and Chaokjoma.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	9	Aumtollah.
From Teakatta to Nuddea	4	3	Radahnuggur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 13th January 1879, above zero, 2 feet 2½ inches.

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NOTICE is further hereby given that the terms for the purchase of publications from, and for all work done in, the Bengal Secretariat Press for other than Government offices, or offices under the control of Government officers, are strictly cash.

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RAJENDRA NATH MITRA,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 19th February 1878.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 11th January 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in six weeks :—

A Bill to provide for the more speedy realisation of arrears of rent and to amend the law relating to rent.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent and to amend in other respects the law relating to rent in Bengal: It is enacted as follows :— Preamble

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. The provisions of this Act may be extended by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* to any districts within the provinces for the time being subject to the said Lieutenant-Governor in which Act X of 1859 or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are, or may be, in force, and shall take effect in such districts from the date which may be specified in such notification. Extent and commencement.

2. Sections 6, 7, 20, and 21 of Act X of 1859; sections 2, 3, 4, and 5 of Bengal Act VI of 1862; and sections 6, 7, 21, 22, 44, 45, 46, and 47 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are hereby repealed. Repeal of sections.

This repeal shall not affect any right of occupancy which has accrued before the commencement of this Act.

PART II.

PROCEDURE FOR SUMMARY REALIZATION OF ARREARS OF RENT.

3. From and after the commencement of this Act all suits for arrears of rent brought within twelve months after such arrears have become due may, in case the plaintiff shall desire to proceed under this Part, be commenced by presenting a plaint in the form prescribed by the Code of Civil Procedure, but the summons shall be in the form contained in Schedule A hereto annexed. In all suits for arrears of rent if plaintiff desires to proceed under this Part, the summon shall be in the form given in the Schedule.

In any case in which the plaint and summons are in such forms respectively, the defendant shall not appear or defend the suit unless he obtains leave from the Court as hereinafter mentioned so to appear and defend;

and in default of his obtaining such leave or of appearance and defence in pursuance thereof, the plaintiff shall be entitled to a decree for any sum mentioned in the summons, and interest on the same at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the date of decree, together with the interest (if any) stipulated for as mentioned in the proviso of section 26 of this Act, and a sum for costs to be

fixed by an order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, unless the plaintiff claims more than such fixed sum, in which case the costs shall be ascertained in the ordinary way, and such decree may be enforced forthwith.

Defendant shewing a defence upon the merits to have leave to appear.

4. The Court shall, upon application within the period of fourteen days from the service of such summons, give leave to appear and to defend the suit upon the defendant paying into Court the sum mentioned in the summons, or upon his satisfying the Court by his examination upon oath or affirmation that he has a defence, or can adduce such facts as the Court may deem sufficient to support the application, and on such terms as to security, framing and recording issues or otherwise, as to the Court may seem fit.

Court may, under special circumstances, set aside decree.

5. After decree the Court may, under special circumstances, set aside the decree, and, if necessary, stay or set aside execution, and may give leave to appear to the summons and to defend the suit if it shall seem reasonable to the Court so to do, and on such terms as the Court thinks fit.

Appeal only on deposit of amount of decree.

6. No appeal shall lie from any decree of the Court under section 3 of this Act on the part of any judgment-debtor unless he deposit the amount of the decree with costs in such Court to the credit of the person who has obtained the decree.

Decree-holder may take out deposit, but, if appeal is allowed, must refund it.

7. On the application of the person who has obtained the decree the money in deposit shall be paid to him; but if the judgment-debtor appeal, and the appeal is decreed in his favor in whole or in part, notice shall be served on the original decree-holder requiring him to pay the money aforesaid, or such portion of it as may be ordered to be refunded, into the public treasury within fourteen days from the service on him of such notice.

In default deposit may be claimed as a demand.

8. In default of compliance with such notice the sum referred to therein shall be deemed a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, and shall be recoverable from the decree-holder aforesaid as such.

Landlord must prove that rent at the rate claimed has been paid in former year or has been agreed to.

9. No suit shall be entertained under this Part except where it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Court that rent at the same rate as that alleged to be due has been paid in respect of the holding for which it is claimed some time within the three years immediately preceding the period for which it is claimed, or that the tenant has agreed by a written engagement which is still in force to pay rent at the rate claimed.

This Part not to apply to suits for enhancement of rent.

10. Nothing in the seven last preceding sections shall be deemed to apply to suits for rent at enhanced rates.

Provided that when in any case a decree has been given by the Court for rent at an enhanced rate, the decree shall also declare the amount of rent due at the rates current before the institution of the suit; and shall direct that in the event of execution being stayed on account of appeal against the enhanced rates, the decree-holder shall nevertheless be at liberty to execute the decree in respect of the sum so declared to be due at the rates formerly current.

PART III.

RIGHT OF OCCUPANCY AND SUB-LEASES.

What creates a right of occupancy.

11. Every ryot who shall have held land for a period of twelve years, and cultivated the same either with his own hands or by means of hired labourers, shall have a right of occupancy in the land so held and cultivated by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same.

EXPLANATION.—A person to whom the ryot makes over a portion of the produce by way of payment for his labour in cultivating the whole or a portion of the ryots' lands is a 'hired labourer' within the meaning of this section. A ryot who pays a portion of the gross produce by way of rent to the zemindar or other person from whom he holds his lands is not a 'hired labourer' within the meaning of this section.

Nothing contained in this section or in section 16 of this Act shall be held to affect the terms of any written contract for the cultivation of land entered into between a landholder and a ryot, when it contains any express stipulation contrary thereto.

Occupancy tenure heritable and transferable.

12. The holding of the father or other person from whom the ryot inherits shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot within the meaning of the last preceding section, and the tenure of a ryot who has acquired a right of occupancy shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be valid unless the whole tenure is transferred, and that the transferee shall have the right of occupancy only so long as he continues to cultivate the lands either with his own hands or by means of hired labourers in the manner contemplated by the last preceding section.

Occupancy ryot not to sublet without consent of zemindar.

13. After the commencement of this Act no ryot having a right of occupancy shall, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom his rent is payable, sublet any portion of his holding; and no court shall take cognizance of any such sub-letting.

Effect of sub-letting with consent.

14. If, after the commencement of this Act, the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder consents to the sub-letting of a portion or the whole of the holding of a ryot having a right of occupancy, the sub-tenant, if he cultivates the lands in the manner described in section 11 of this Act, shall begin to acquire a right of occupancy in the lands sublet from the date of such sub-letting. The ryot who sublets the lands shall be deemed to have become the holder of an intermediate tenure, and shall cease to have a right of occupancy in the lands sublet, but he shall not be liable to be ejected

by the zemindar or superior tenure-holder otherwise than for non-payment of arrears of rent, and in execution of a decree or order of Court; and the rent which he pays for the land sublet shall not be liable to be enhanced above a sum which shall, in default of specific agreement to the contrary, in no case be less than ten per cent. below the fair and equitable rates payable for the same land by a ryot having a right of occupancy.

Saving of existing sub-leases.

15. Sub-leases for a year or for a term of years given before the commencement of this Act by any ryot having a right of occupancy shall hold good for such year or term but no longer.

No right of occupancy in zemindar's private lands.

16. No right of occupancy shall be acquired by any ryot in *khamar*, *nijjote*, or *seer* lands belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure which are held by him as such at the date of the commencement of this Act and let by him on lease for a term or year by year.

Transfers of occupancy tenures to be registered.

17. All ryots having rights of occupancy are required to register in the sherishta of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom their rents are payable all transfers of their tenures by sale, gift, or otherwise, as well as all successions thereto and divisions among heirs in cases of inheritance, within one month of each such transfer, succession, or division, and every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all transfers of whole tenures when made in good faith, and to all such successions and divisions by delivering to the applicant for registration within fifteen days after his application a *hukumnama* or *amulnama* declaring the fact of the transfer, succession, or division having been admitted and registered.

Provided that no zemindar or other superior tenure-holder shall be required to admit to registry or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenure, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid and binding without the consent in writing of the zemindar or superior tenant.

Registry of transfer made before the commencement of the Act.

18. All ryots claiming to have rights of occupancy in virtue of transfers made before the commencement of this Act are required to register the same within one year from the said commencement, and the provisions of the last preceding section shall apply to all such transfers.

Fees may be levied on transfers.

19. Fees at the rate of two per cent. on the annual rent of the interest transferred may be levied by the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder on the registry under this Act of any transfer:

Provided that no fee shall exceed one hundred rupees; and that if the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder fails to deliver the *hukumnama* or *amulnama* as provided in section 17 of this Act to any applicant for registration any competent Court may direct delivery of the same free of all charges for fees or costs.

Execution may issue on verbal application of decree-holder.

20. The Court may, when passing a decree for arrears of rent, on the oral application of the decree-holder, order immediate execution thereof either against the person, or the moveable property, or the right of occupancy of the judgment-debtor.

Procedure in execution against occupancy tenure.

21. The provisions of sections 59 to 63 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, shall apply to the sale in execution of decree of the tenure of any ryot having a right of occupancy.

PART IV.

TENDER OF RENT AND DEPOSIT OF RENT WITH COLLECTOR.

The Court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

22. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent, if it appears to the Court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due by him, and that he has not, on or before the due date of payment of his quarterly rent instalments as fixed under section 26 of this Act tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or in case of the refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Collector within ten days of the said quarterly day of payment, the Court may award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the amount of rent decreed, as the Court may think fit. These damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of decree until payment thereof.

The Court may award compensation not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount sued for to a defendant improperly sued.

23. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent if it appears to the Court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause, or that the defendant had, within ten days of the due date of payment of his quarterly rent istalments as fixed under section 26 of this Act, duly deposited with the Collector, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, the full amount which the Court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such quarterly day of payment, the Court may award to the defendant, by way of compensation, such sum, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the Court may think fit; and such sum, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum until payment thereof shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums ordered to be paid by decrees of such Court.

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., deposit with Collector, without any action being brought against him, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

24. If any under-tenant or ryot shall at the mál cutcherry for the receipt of rents or other place where the rents of the land or other immoveable property held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to

be the full amount of rent due from him on account of any quarterly instalment of rent to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full shall not be forthwith granted, it shall be lawful for the under tenant or ryot, without any suit having been instituted against him, to deposit within ten days from the said quarterly day of payment such amount with the Collector of the district to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid:

Deposit with Collector to have effect of payment to zemindar or other person entitled

And such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him, are concerned, in all respects operate as, and have the full effect of, a payment then made by the under-tenant or ryot of the amount deposited to such zemindar or other person.

25. Such deposit shall be received by the Collector on the application of the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, made in writing, and on the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form, or as nearly as circumstances will admit, in the form set forth in the Schedule (B) hereto annexed, and the Collector shall give a receipt for the same under his seal.

Deposit to be received by Collector.

Within twelve days of his receiving the money so deposited the Collector shall issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited, in the form set forth in the Schedule (C) hereto annexed; and such notice shall be served by the Collector without the payment of any fee, either upon the person to whom it is addressed, or upon his naib gomastah, or other agent; and in the absence of any such agent, it shall be served by sticking up a copy of the same in the Collector's court, and another copy upon the mál cutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents are usually paid for the land in respect of which the money has been deposited.

Collector to issue notice within twelve days of receiving deposit.

If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear, and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him.

Drawing out of deposit.

PART V.

MISCELLANEOUS.

26. All rent of land payable by any ryot shall be deemed to be due on the dates specified below that is to say—

What is an arrear of rent.

(1) When the ryot has agreed to pay his rent by specified monthly instalments, the amount of the instalments of the three previous months shall be deemed to be due on the first days of the months of Srabun, Kartick, Magh, and Bysack.

(2) Where no agreement has been made to pay by specified monthly instalments, the rent shall be deemed to be due in quarterly instalments on the first days of the aforesaid months; and the proportion of each instalment shall be fixed by the Collector after local inquiry with reference to the custom of the district, and shall be published by him by notices to be posted up at the court or office of the Judge, the Magistrate, and the Collector of the district;

at the court or office of every moonsiff, sub-divisional officer, and Sub-Registrar of Assurances in such district;

and at every police station in such district; and by proclamation to be made by beat of drum at the head-quarters of such district; and in every place in which a sub-divisional office is situated; and in such other places as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct.

All rent which shall be due as above, and shall remain unpaid by sunset on any of the said quarterly days of payment, shall be deemed to be an arrear of rent, and interest on the same, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, shall be awarded by any court giving a decree for the principal amount of the arrear.

Provided that where the payment of interest on unpaid monthly instalments has been stipulated for by any written engagement in force at the date of the commencement of this Act, any such interest which may have become due before the said quarterly day of payment may be included in any suit for arrears of rent, but the plaint must set forth a clear account showing the actual arrears and the mode in which such interest has been calculated upon them.

Proviso.

27. Every under-tenant or ryot who shall pay at the mál cutcherry of the person to whom the rent is due any instalment of rent then payable, shall be entitled to have a receipt, of which a counterfoil shall be kept in the cutcherry of the person to whom the payment is made. Every zemindar shall keep forms of such receipts and counterfoils bound together in books of not less than fifty receipts each, and both receipts and counterfoils shall bear the same series of consecutive numbers. Each receipt shall specify the yearly rent of the tenure on account of which payment is made; and when the person taking the receipt is able to write, his signature shall be taken on the counterfoil thereof. Neglect or refusal to give such a receipt shall be deemed to be a withholding of a receipt within the meaning of section 10 of Act X of 1859, and section 11 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869.

What kind of receipt to be given to a ryot or under-tenant.

28. In all suits for arrears of rent the plaintiff shall direct some person to accompany the officer who serves the summons, and point out the defendant or the house in which he ordinarily resides. A statement of the service shall be endorsed on the summons and signed by such person and by the village chowkeedar, or, in places where a punchayet has been appointed

Service of summons in suits for arrears of rent.

under the Village Chowkcedaree Act, 1870, by some member of the punchayet; and the service shall not be deemed a good service unless the summons bears such indorsement signed as aforesaid.

Ryot when liable to ejectment.

29. When a decree is passed for any arrears of rent, whether due at the end of the year or not, against any ryot holding a non-transferable tenure, or holding under a pottah the term of which has not expired, and the plaintiff has included in his plaint a prayer for the ejectment of the defendant, such defendant shall be liable to be ejected from the land in respect of which the arrear is due, unless the amount of the decree, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into Court within fifteen days from the date of the decree. But no ryot having a right of occupancy shall be ejected otherwise than by order of Court after the sale of his tenure in execution of decree.

Crops belonging to under-tenant liable to distraint.

30. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act X of 1859, or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, all crops or products declared liable to distraint under those Acts shall be liable to distraint whether they belong to the person from whom the arrear of rent is due or to any under-tenant of such person, and no such under-tenant shall institute a suit to try the right to the possession of such crops or products, or to recover damages for the distress and sale of the same under sections 139 or 141 of Act X of 1859, or under sections 96 or 97 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869; but such under-tenant may deduct the value of the crops and products belonging to him which have been so distrained from the rent due from him to such person as aforesaid, or may recover the same by suit from such person.

Collector to exercise powers of Court where Act X of 1859 applies.

31. The powers given in this Act to the Court shall be exercised by the Collector in districts where Act X of 1859 is, or may be, in force.

Act to be read as part of Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869.

32. This Act shall be read with, and taken as part of, Act X of 1859, where that Act is, or may be, in force, and of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, where the last named Act is, or may be, in force.

SCHEDULE A.

(*Referred to in Section* 3.)

No. OF SUIT.

IN THE COURT OF, AT

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

To

Whereas (*here enter plaintiff's name, description and address,*) has instituted a suit in this Court against you under Bengal Act 1879 for Rs. principal and interest due to him as arrears of rent of the lands measuring situate in , held or cultivated by you under or from the said (*here enter plaintiff's name*) from the month of to the month of both inclusive, at a rental of Rs. per annum, you are hereby summoned to obtain leave from this Court within fourteen days from the service hereof, inclusive of the day of such service, to appear and defend the suit, and within such time to cause an appearance to be entered for you. In default whereof the plaintiff will be entitled to obtain a decree for any amount exceeding the sum of Rs. (*here state the sum claimed*) and the sum of Rs. for costs.

Leave to appear may be obtained on its being shown to the satisfaction of the Court that there is a defence to the suit on the merits, or that it is reasonable that you should be allowed to appear in the suit.

SCHEDULE B.

(*Referred to in Section* 25.)

I, A. B, &c., do solemnly declare that I did personally or by my agent on the day of make payment to E. F. at his mâl cutcherry (or at) the place where the rent of the lands at held or cultivated by me under or from the said E. F. of the sum of Rs. as and for the whole amount due from me in respect of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of both inclusive of the due on the 1st of ; I further declare that the said E. F. refused to accept the sum so tendered (or to give me a receipt in full forthwith for the same); and I do declare that to the best of my belief the sum so tendered, and which I now desire to deposit, is the full amount which I owe the said E. F. on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of both inclusive, and that I owe the said E. F. no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

SCHEDULE C.

(*Referred to in Section* 25.)

COURT OF THE COLLECTOR OF

Dated the day of 18

To E. F., &c.

With reference to the within declaration you are hereby informed that the sum of Rs. therein mentioned is now in deposit in this Collectorate, and that the above sum will be paid to you or to your duly authorized agent on application; and take notice that if you have any further claim or demand whatsoever to make against the said A. B. in respect of the rent of the said lands you must institute a suit in Court for the establishment of such claim or demand within six calendar months from this date, otherwise your claim will be for ever barred.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE chief object of the Bill is to provide a summary procedure for the realization of arrears of rent when the rates are undisputed. The difficulty experienced by landlords in many parts of Bengal in realizing undisputed rents under the ordinary procedure of the civil courts has frequently of late years been the subject of complaint. Now that the zemindars are bound to pay in to Government under penalty not only the land revenue but also the road cess and provincial public works cess, it is necessary that they should have some more speedy and effective mode of recovering their rents, and that portion of the cesses in question which is payable by their under-tenants and ryots. A summary procedure based upon Chapter XXXIX of the Civil Procedure Code has therefore been devised, and is set forth in Part II of the Bill.

The position of the zemindar in respect of the execution of decrees for arrears of rent is improved by making the ryot's right of occupancy transferable and amending the law with reference to ejectment. It is believed that to make the occupancy tenure transferable by law will, in fact, also strengthen the position of the ryot and tend to encourage agricultural improvements. The Bill also proposes clearly to limit the power of acquiring the occupancy status to cultivating ryots, and to prevent a ryot of this class from converting himself into a middleman without the consent of his landlord. It provides for the registry of transfers and other changes in the holders of occupancy tenures in the sherishta of the zemindar on payment of a trifling fee.

The Bill further amends the procedure in connection with the deposit of rent by under tenants, and transfers the duty of receiving and dealing with such deposits from the Civil Court to the Collector.

To prevent undue harassment of ryots by repeated suits for rent under either the summary or the ordinary procedure, provision is made for the payment of rent in quarterly instalments; and an attempt is made to render the fact of payment and the rate of rent more capable of proof than at present by insisting on an improved system of rent receipts. The Bill also amends the law of distraint by making the crop of an under-tenant liable for the zemindar's rent, and it provides for the more careful service of process in rent cases.

The 21st December 1878.

A. MACKENZIE.

FREDERICK CLARKE,

Asst Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,

Legislative Department.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART V.

Act of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor-General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General on the 31st December 1878, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVIII OF 1878.

An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, Section 4.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, section 4;

It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Amendment of Act X of 1877, section 4. 1. In the said section, for the words "local law" in each of the places where they occur, the words "any law heretofore or hereafter passed under the Indian Council's Act, 1861, by a Governor, or a Lieutenant-Governor, in Council" shall be substituted; and for the words "landlord and tenant," the words "landholders and their tenants or agents" shall be substituted.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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ORGANIZATION OF DISTRICT ROAD ENGINEER ESTABLISHMENT.

Rules for District Establishments.

No. 1986E.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in the Public Works (Establishment) Department, under date the 30th December 1878.

READ—

This department circular No. 37E, dated 29th May 1877, relative to the rules for qualification tests of District Establishments being more stringently applied than hitherto.

Resolution.—The efficiency of the Engineering Establishments of the District Committees constituted under the District Road Cess Act, 1871, has been a matter of solicitude to successive Governments ever since the introduction of the Act.

At first it was supposed that the ordinary Public Works Establishments could carry out district works in addition to their departmental duties, the size of the executive divisions being reduced for the purpose; but this arrangement was found not to answer. Subsequently, when District Committees began to appoint their own officers, there was an inclination on their part to employ officers of the Public Works Department as their District Engineers, and indisposition on the part of those officers to place themselves under District Committees. Had it been otherwise, the Government could not have spared the number of officers required without largely augmenting its Public Works Establishments, and correspondingly increasing its future liabilities in regard to pensions, &c. It might have been found that the public revenues had assumed the burden of providing for or supporting numbers of unnecessary officers.

In some cases where Public Works Officers were willing to serve District Committees, and the Committees were desirous of obtaining their services, it was found that the rules of the Financial Code, regarding contribution for absentee allowances and pension, rendered it necessary that the salaries which would induce officers to take district employment should be larger than Committees could afford to give, and the services of the officers could not consequently

be made available to the Committees. In several instances, however, the impediment of the contribution was insufficient to stand in the way, and about one-third of the districts are now in charge of Public Works Officers of different grades.

Owing to such causes as the above, as well as from the nature of the case, it was unavoidable that, in exercising the powers of appointment on the nomination of the Chairman which are granted to Committees by law, Engineers, of whom little was previously known, should find employment under District Committees; and with the view of securing, as far as possible, the appointment of good men, the Government laid down certain rules regarding District Establishments in 1875, at which time the levy of the cess was receiving active development throughout Bengal under the auspices of Sir Richard Temple. These rules have been beneficial. Engineers who, from their certificates and the other means available to Committees, appeared to be likely to be trustworthy and efficient were sometimes found not to be so, after their antecedents had been carefully inquired into by Government; and in some instances they were totally unworthy men.

The Cess Act also gives to Committees the power of fixing the salaries and allowances of their establishment, subject to the condition that the aggregate salaries and allowances in any one year shall not, except with the sanction of the Commissioner of the Division, exceed one-fourth of the entire income of the Committee for the year. This restriction is very closely worked up to, and the sanction of the Commissioner for excess is occasionally required.

The establishments of District Committees are for two purposes—first, for carrying out the provisions of the Act in regard to collecting the cess, and other matters under the Collector; secondly, for Engineering and other establishments appointed by the Committees under the provisions of the Act. An analysis of the cost of the District Establishments shows instances of great variation in the cost of the first class of establishments as compared with the amount of cess they collect. The cost of such establishments depends for the most part on the arrangements of the Collectors for collecting the cess, and the attention of the Board of Revenue has been specially drawn to the charges under this head with the view of their being systematized and kept as low as possible.

The actual expenditure in 1876-77 on establishments of the second class, that is establishments of all sorts for working the Act under the control of the Committees, has varied in the different districts from Rs. 1,331 to Rs. 21,998 per annum, and the percentages of the establishments on the outlay on the works carried out by the Committees has varied from 9·5 to 49·63. The estimated cost of such establishments for 1877-78 has varied from Rs. 2,300 to Rs. 27,288 with a percentage as above ranging from 9·54 to 22·56.

A percentage is not a very valuable, nor an absolute, test of the proper cost of establishments, though they are useful in attracting attention to variation in expenditure which seems to call for attention; and with districts varying in size and income, there must no doubt be very considerable differences in the aggregate cost of establishments, and in the variations of the percentages; still enough is known of the circumstances to show that District Engineering establishments are more costly than they need be, and their large aggregate expense—about Rs. 7,20,000 in 1876-77, and an estimated cost of Rs. 8,13,000 in 1877-78—indicates that much may be done towards extending the benefits of the cess by carefully attending to the cost of these establishments, and so increasing the funds available for expenditure on works.

This matter does not appear to have received the attention it deserves. The salaries appear to have been generally regulated by the scale of those of the Public Works Department, increased in some instances by the addition of the sums necessary to induce officers of the department to serve Committees, and the amount required as an officer's contribution for Government pension. The Lieutenant-Governor is satisfied that in many instances Committees might obtain such service as they now obtain at less cost, if salaries were fixed with some care, and with the object of limiting salaries to what is essential.

The salaries of the establishments of the Public Works Department were fixed with reference to a proper remuneration for European service, and were calculated with the view of attracting European Engineers to serve in India; such a scale was obviously not necessary to secure the services of native

Engineers, and native labour should of course be paid for at the value of the local labour market. If competent native Engineers can easily be obtained at salaries of Rs. 300 to Rs. 400 a month, it is sheer waste of money to pay them Rs. 700 or Rs. 800 a month, because this is the scale of pay of European Engineers serving in a foreign country. It is clearly much more to the advantage of a Road Cess Committee to have three or four competent native Engineers than one European, if they can be procured at the same expenditure of money which is often the case.

Sir Ashley Eden is strongly of opinion that native agency should be employed to as large an extent as possible in the public service on salaries fixed with reference to the real cost of labour in the country; and when a competent native Engineer can be found expensive European agency should never be employed; and he requests that, in making future arrangements and fixing salaries, Committees will bear this principle in mind. It will not be possible to give entire effect to such a principle immediately, because there is not at present sufficient native agency available for carrying it out; but it is desirable that the principle should be recognised, that the salaries should be fixed with reference to indigenous service, that the European employés of District Committees should realize that it exists, and that the employment of Europeans will decrease as qualified natives become available.

A great improvement is now taking place in native agency of the higher class. For some time past young native gentlemen, who have theoretically qualified as Engineers in the Presidency Civil Engineering College, have been engaged in obtaining practical knowledge in brick-making, and in workshops where they acquire personal experience of the various handicrafts. Some who have already passed through this course have received temporary appointments in the Public Works Department, and are gaining experience in road and other work.

It is the Lieutenant-Governor's intention to continue these temporary appointments as far as may be practicable. The youths will thus obtain experience and practice, and this body of temporary officers will form a source from which qualified natives will be available for district appointments. When appointed to district situations these officers will cease to be servants of Government, and Committees will be troubled by no considerations connected with Government pension. They should be engaged on terms which may be agreed upon as sufficient for the actual services to be rendered and without reference to any other consideration.

In the meantime there are many natives of general knowledge and experience in the lower grades of the department perfectly competent efficiently to discharge the duties of District Engineer. There seems to be no doubt that native engineers are qualified for the ordinary duties of District Engineer, and with Government Engineers whose special province it is to look after the professional aspect of each question and to assist Chairmen and Committees, as members of the Committee, as much as lies in their power, the Lieutenant-Governor considers that, as the rule, district works could be efficiently carried out by native agency. It would be easy to provide by a special arrangement with the Public Works Department for any unusual work which might be beyond the District Engineer's skill.

It will now be possible to carry out more fully than has hitherto been possible clause V of the rules of 1875, which requires that the District Engineering staff shall have the qualification of similar appointments in the Public Works Department; and the Lieutenant-Governor trusts that District Committees will do all in their power to reduce the cost of the District Engineering Establishments, and to extend the employment of native agency therein.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded for the information of all Commissioners of Divisions in Bengal, and to all Superintending Engineers, and to the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Branch.

Ordered also, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded for the information of the Secretaries to this Government in the Judicial, Revenue, General, and Financial Departments.

Ordered also, that this Resolution be published in the Supplement of the *Calcutta Gazette* for general information.

J. E. T. NICOLLS, *Major-Genl.*, R.E.,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

EXPENDITURE ON IRRIGATION WORKS IN BENGAL.

No. 162IA.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, under the date the 11th January 1879.

READ—

The Canal Revenue Reports for the year 1877-78, and the Note by the Chief Engineer on the same.

THE total expenditure in the Irrigation Branch of this province during the year under review amounted under all heads of account to Rs. 39,80,553, as detailed in paragraph 6 of the Chief Engineer's Note. The expenditure on works, for which capital accounts are kept, was Rs. 24,15,348, thereby increasing the capital outlay on irrigation works in Bengal from Rs. 4,41,23,640 at the commencement of the year to Rs. 4,65,38,988 at its close. Of the total capital outlay, Rs. 4,57,01,620 has been spent on the class of works now termed "Productive Public Works," which in this province includes the following :—

Orissa Canals,
Midnapore Canal,
Hidgellee Tidal Canal,
Sone Canals.

The Hidgellee Tidal Canal has been completed and is in full operation; the other projects are more or less incomplete, but in operation and yielding revenue. The balance of the capital outlay, viz. Rs. 8,37,368, is the expenditure on works other than productive public works for which capital accounts are kept, viz.—

Tirhoot irrigation scheme,
Hooghly ditto.
Damoodah ditto.

The first of these is still under investigation, but the other two have been abandoned.

The receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 4,94,772, against Rs. 3,29,760 in 1876-77, and Rs. 2,30,434 in 1875-76.

The following table shows in detail the revenue of each project from the several sources as compared with the previous two years :—

Details.	Actual receipts, 1877-78.	Actual receipts, 1876-77.	Actual receipts, 1875-76.
Orissa Canals.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Water-rates	1,17,818	40,378	20,330
Navigation receipts	33,844	22,881	16,377
Miscellaneous	9,445	11,298	8,783
Total ...	1,61,107	74,557	45,490
Midnapore Canal.			
Water-rates	53,483	61,480	52,791
Navigation receipts	1,06,917	67,051	51,810
Miscellaneous	9,693	7,876	6,508
Total ...	1,70,093	1,36,987	1,11,109
Hidgellee Tidal Canal.			
Navigation receipts	60,971	44,572	22,540
Miscellaneous	1,309	464	395
Total ...	62,280	45,036	22,935
Sone Canals.			
Water-rates	59,651	59,761	50,865
Navigation receipts	26,774	4,852	..
Miscellaneous	14,867	8,567	35
Total ...	1,01,292	73,180	50,900
GRAND TOTAL ...	4,94,772	3,29,760	2,30,434

The above statement shows a steady growth in the revenue of each of the canals. In the case of the Sone Canals the increase would have been more marked had a fair proportion of the assessments been realized. Owing, however, to delays incidental to the first introduction of a regular revenue system, and to remissions rendered necessary by the destruction of crops by insects in the spring, the collections fell far short of the demands.

The increase in the Orissa Canals is especially gratifying, having been due to a nearly three-fold expansion of the irrigated area concurrently with an enhancement of 50 per cent. in the price charged for the water. It is satisfactory to add that five-year leases have since been executed by the ryots for nearly the whole of the lands irrigated in 1877-78.

In Midnapore the decrease was due to the discouragement caused by two previous years of abundant rainfall, but the area irrigated was all leased for five years, and has since been raised to the full extent of the irrigating capacity of the canal.

The working expenses for the year 1877-78 amounted to Rs. 7,02,857, against Rs. 5,97,960 and Rs. 5,29,490 of the previous two years. The increase was, however, almost wholly in Midnapore and on the Sone, and was due partly to a heavy and exceptional outlay on the re-construction of a lock in the former district, and partly to the increased length of canal brought into operation and the great extension of irrigation in Shahabad.

The deficit, *i.e.*, working expenses less revenue receipts, was Rs. 2,08,085, against Rs. 2,68,200 in 1876-77 and Rs. 2,99,056 in 1875-76, but, inclusive of interest charges which are annually increasing in proportion to increased capital outlay, the total deficit amounted to Rs. 22,47,798, against Rs. 21,80,294 and Rs. 20,39,174 of the two previous years.

The year was on the whole favorable to irrigation, the rainfall having been deficient in all the irrigated districts, especially in the Sone, where the khurreef crops suffered considerably. The areas irrigated compare with those of the previous year as follows :—

			1876-77.	1877-78.
Orissa	Khurree	... ...	26,070	95,088
	Rubbee	... ...	4,312	3,407
	Total	...	30,382	98,495
Midnapore	Khurreef	... ...	32,600	19,550
	Rubbee	... ...	81	269
	Total	...	32,681	19,819
Sone	Khurreef	... ...	1,923	1,07,087
	Rubbee	... ...	33,896	1,34,903
	Total	...	35,819	2 41,990

The water-rate in Orissa was raised from Re. 1 to Rs. 1-8 per acre for khurreef crops. The rate in Midnapore was Rs. 1-8. On the Sone the rate was lowered to Re. 1 for khurreef rice as a temporary measure, but has since been raised to its former amount, Rs. 2-8. For both rubbee and khurreef crops three-year leases at reduced rates were offered in the Sone districts towards the close of the year, but there has not yet been time to ascertain how far they are likely to be accepted by the people.

The attention of the Lieutenant-Governor was drawn during the year to the large extent of country still unprovided with distributaries under some of the canals in Orissa. For want of these subsidiary and comparatively inexpensive channels, the heavy outlay incurred on the main canals remains without possibility of return, and at least 200,000 acres are deprived of the water which flows idly past them down the canals constructed specially for their irrigation.

Steps have been taken to remedy the defect, and estimates, amounting to Rs. 8 lakhs, have been submitted to the Government of India for additional distributaries from the Kendrapara and Patamundi Canals.

The canal traffic exhibits everywhere a steady growth, the total for the year being about 350,000 tons, against 235,000 tons in 1876-77, and the receipts from tolls Rs. 2,26,043 for the former period, against Rs. 1,43,801 for the latter.

Measures have been taken for the introduction of steam-traffic on all the main canals.

The revenue system on the Sone Canals was organized and brought into regular operation for the first time during the year. That in Orissa was administered with much ability by Mr. Wylly, the Deputy Revenue Superintendent, to whose good management the extension of irrigation there is largely due.

A project for the irrigation of part of the Sarun district was set on foot under a guarantee by the planters and zemindars of the interest on the outlay. The terms of the guarantee were settled at two meetings held at Chupra in the spring, and work was commenced in some of the cuts by which water is to be brought from the Gunduk into the district.

A similar project for the water-supply of those parts of Hooghly which have suffered from the closing of old water-courses formerly fed from the Damoodah was also introduced, on the basis of a contribution by the zemindars towards the capital cost, which is estimated at five lakhs. Schemes for the drainage of extensive swamps, covering about 100,000 acres of land in Southern Hooghly, were brought to maturity, and enquiries set on foot with a view to the provision of a legal enactment for carrying out the works at the expense of the proprietors of the lands benefitted in the same way as in the case of the Dancooni works, which continue to yield very satisfactory results.

On the whole, the general result of the operations of the year may be said to have considerably improved the prospects of irrigation in Bengal as far as its universal adoption by the people, wherever available, is concerned, though the rates at which water is now sold in Midnapore and Orissa will not pay the interest on the very heavy outlay which has been incurred.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 11th January 1879.

	No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.				
		Western Districts.		
Burdwan Div.	1	Burdwan, Jan. 11 '79	Nil	Weather—bright and cold. The *amun* crop is still being reaped in some places. The *rubbee* crops look favourable. Fever still continues in some parts of the Culna and Bood-Bood sub-divisions.
	2	Bankoora, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—clear and warm. Heavy fog on the morning of the 10th. The prospects of the crops continue good. Fever is abating in some parts of the district.
	3	Beerbhoom, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—warmer than usual at this time of year. The harvest is well on, and the crop is everywhere a very heavy one. Prices are still high.
	4	Midnapore, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—warm for the time of the year. The south wind has begun to blow and the thermometer reaches 76° in the daytime The reaping of the *amun* crop is almost completed. The prospect of the winter crops is satisfactory. Public health still suffers from malarious fever.
	5	Hooghly, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—clear and cool. Wind from the north. The harvesting of the *amun* crop is nearly at an end. The outturn is good. The winter crops are generally doing well. Fever still prevails. Cholera is reported to have appeared in Gooptiparah in thana Balaghur.
		Howrah, „ 13 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *amun* harvest is nearly complete The few crops on the ground are doing well.
		Central Districts		
Presidency Div.	6	24-Pergunnahs, Jan. 11 '79	Nil	Weather—warm for the season. Foggy mornings. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. Cholera and fever are abating.
	7	Nuddea, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—warmer than last week. The *amun* harvest is nearly over, and the crop has been a good one. The winter crops are generally in good condition. Fever is still severe in parts of the district.
	8	Jessore, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the crops are favourable.
	9	Moorshedabad, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—rather warm for the time of year. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Div.	10	Dinagepore, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The reaping of rice still continues; about four annas of the crop remain to be cut. The prospects of the winter crops continue favourable.
	11	Rajshahye, „ 11 „	Nil	No rain during the week. The paddy crop is still being harvested. The *rubbee* crops are thriving, but rain is much required. Cases of cholera are reported from Bagmara and Singra stations.
	12	Rungpore, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—less cold than usual at this time of the year. Nights foggy. The *amun* harvest is nearly over. The state and prospects of the crops on the ground continue good. Cholera still prevails in parts of the district.
	13	Bogra, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy. North wind is prevailing. The state and prospects of the crops continue the same as previously reported. Cholera in Sharlakandi, Sheopore, Bogra, and Dhoonat, and small-pox in Adamdighi, are still prevalent.
	14	Pubna, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—fine and seasonable The harvesting of *amun dhan* has been completed with satisfactory results. The other crops promise well. Public health is fair.
	15	Darjeeling, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—chilly cold, and misty. The *kaimunta* rice has nearly all been harvested, and all the minor crops are progressing favourably.
	16	Julpigoree, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—bright and still hot for the time of year. The *kaimunta dhan* has been gathered, except in Boda. Tobacco is doing well. Rain is required for mustard and wheat, which are somewhat backward. Cultivation for *dhados* is progressing.
		Cooch Behar, „ 9 „	Nil	Weather—colder every day. A smart north-east wind in the mornings and evenings. The skies look cloudy. There may be a little rain soon. The prospect of the cold-weather crops is very fair.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)		
	Eastern Districts.		
	DACCA DIVN.		
17	Dacca, Jan. 11 '79	Nil	Weather—cloudy and warm. Not seasonable. It looks like rain; but none comes. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
18	Furreedpore, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—clear and cold. The reaping of *amun* is over in the Sudder sub-division. The winter cereals are doing well. Some cases of cholera are reported from thana Gopalgunge.
19	Backergunge, „ 9 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *amun* harvest is almost finished. The outturn is very good. New rice is selling at Rs. 3-6 to Rs. 3-8 per maund. Fever is reported as prevalent in the Dukhin Shahazpore sub-division and Jholakatty.
20	Mymensingh, „ 10 „	Nil	No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops since the last report.
21	Tipperah, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—fair. Scarcely any of the *amun* remains uncut. The minor crops promise well.
	CHITTAGONG DIVN.		
22	Chittagong, „ 9 „	A few drops.	A few drops of rain on the 2nd instant; the sky has been cloudless since. The cold-weather crops are doing well. Prices have fallen.
23	Noakholly, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The reaping of the *amun* crop is nearly completed; the outturn is good. The state and prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good. A few cases of cholera are reported.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 7 „	0·20	Weather—rather cold. Foggy in the morning throughout the week. The mustard is in flower. Tobacco is thriving well.
	Hill Tipperah „ 8 „	0·11	Weather—seasonably cold. A little rain fell on the 3rd instant. The late rice crop and the mustard are being reaped. Prospects are good. Prices have slightly fallen.
	BEHAR.		
	PATNA DIVN.		
25	Patna, Jan. 11 '79	Nil	Weather—not so cold as in the previous week. The *rubbee* crops promise well, but rain is everywhere wanted. The rice crop is nearly harvested.
26	Gya, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 80·5°. About three-fourths of the *khurreef* crop have been cut. The prospect of the *rubbee* is favourable, but a little rain is wanted. The public health is good. The health of the plough cattle is also good.
27	Shahabad, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy on the 9th and 10th with very slight rain in the morning of the 10th. Seasonably cold. The *rubbee* crops are doing well. Some rain now will do them good. Public health is good.
28	Durbhunga, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *dhan* harvest is nearly completed. The *rubbee* crops promise well, but require rain. Prices are rising steadily.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—mild and cloudy. Rain is much wanted for the *rubbee* crops in most parts of the district, and unless it falls soon, the prospects of a good harvest are not likely to be realized.
30	Sarun, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—clear and cold in the beginning and cloudy towards the close of the week. The mornings are generally foggy. West wind is prevailing. The cold-weather crops are thriving well; but rain is urgently required to promote their growth and the want of it threatens to affect them seriously. Even the *rahar* plants, which hitherto have thriven well in spite of the drought, are now beginning to suffer. The poppy is being irrigated from wells where practicable. Prices are stationary. The public health is good.
31	Chumparun, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. There are indications of rain. The prospects continue unchanged. Rain would be of great benefit to the *rubbee*.
	BHAGULPORE DIVISION.		
32	Monghyr, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—cold, with east wind and fog. The prospects of the crops are good.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold. The harvesting of paddy is nearly over. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are favourable. Prices are stationary. Exportation continues brisk. General health is good.
34	Purneah „ 11 „	Nil	Partial rain on the 10th. Weather seasonable. The prospects of the crops are good.
35	Maldah, „ 11 „	0·32	Weather—ordinarily fair, but the cold is not felt so keenly this year as in previous years. The reaping of the winter paddy is in progress. Wheat and other plants of the season are thriving. The public health is good.
36	Southal Perghs. „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—fine till the 11th, when there were a few drops of rain. The state and prospects of the crops are the same as before.

No.	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops and state of health at date.
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack Jan 11 '79	Nil	Weather—cold. No change regarding the crops and public health since last report.
Orissa Divn. 38	Pooree, „ 9 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* rice is being harvested. *Dalua* rice is being sown. Common rice is selling at 15¼ to 26¼ seers for the rupee. Three coasting vessels are being loaded. Public health is good.
Orissa Divn. 39	Balasore, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—growing warmer by day; heavy dew at night The harvest still proceeds, and reaping on the low plains has commenced. Much mortality is still caused by the destructive malarial fever which has attacked the district.
CHOTA NAGPORE			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh Jan. 10 '79	Nil	Weather—fine, but warmer. Cloudy on the 10th. The prospects of the crops are at present satisfactory.
41	Lohardugga, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—warmer than usual at this time of year. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are unchanged. *Rahar* has been much damaged by frost, especially in the Palamow sub-division. Cases of small-pox and fever are reported here and there.
42	Singbhoom, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—warm for the time of year. The *rubbee* crops are doing well Prices are still high owing to exportation.
43	Manbhoom, „ 11 „	Nil	Weather—very warm for this time of the year. Nothing new to report. The standing crops are reported to be good from all directions. General health is also good.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office

Divisions.	Districts	Stations.	Rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878.	Rain from 29th to 31st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878		Remarks
					Inches	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	62·22	31st Dec.	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	69·23	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	62·68	ditto ...	Not received 15th to 21st Dec.
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	56·10	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	ditto	48·98	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	73·68	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	ditto	54·83	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	ditto	63 41	ditto	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	72 42	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	72 06	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	ditto	47·95	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	56 66	ditto ..	Not received 8th to 14th Dec.
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	61·80	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office .	ditto	ditto	53 02	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	53·01	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	89·30	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	80 01	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	62·07	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	ditto	67·58	ditto	
Presidency.	Central Districts.						
	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	ditto	ditto	64·99	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	ditto	57 70	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	65·68	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	65 84	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	66·48	ditto	
		Baraset	ditto	ditto	77·59	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	ditto	62·91	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	ditto	69·87	ditto	
		Satkhira	0·8	ditto	76·02	ditto ..	Ditto ditto.
		Barrackpore	Nil	ditto	77·95	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	70·22	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur . ..	ditto	ditto	65·92	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	68·41	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	ditto	55·24	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	86 26	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	ditto	74·59	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	79 72	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	ditto	71·32	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	51·16	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	65 16	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	67·03	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	68·54	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	70·20	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	ditto	ditto	68 92	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	63 53	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	55 05	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	ditto	55 52	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	59 91	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	57·93	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	65 38	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	71 81	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	70·78	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	ditto	56 43	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	59 18	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Baulesh	ditto	ditto	73 02	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	83 70	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	121·65	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	91·78	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	132 46	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	144·24	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	82·03	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	90·79	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	78 18	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	84·76	ditto	
	Pubna ..	Pubna	ditto	ditto	76·11	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	67·77	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	123 81	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	116 18	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	142·95	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	119 52	ditto	
		Buxa Civil Surgeon's Office ..	ditto	ditto	209·96	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	132 10	ditto ..	Not received 1st to 7th Dec
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	ditto	194 96	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations	Rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878.	Rain from 29th to 31st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1878. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1878.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	64·13	31st Dec.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	82·04	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	90·15	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	65·87	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	67·27	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	76·74	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	70·55	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	73·67	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	85·87	ditto	
		Patoakhally	ditto	ditto	78·06	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	83·03	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	104·05	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	101·17	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	65·84	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	88·70	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	1·10	ditto	110 67	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	Nil	ditto	*102·64	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	114·15	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	105·97	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	119·63	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	ditto	87·78	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	74 50	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	ditto	99·30	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	ditto	98·57	ditto ...	From 17th February.
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	ditto	ditto	78·87	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	ditto	40·65	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	40·15	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	45·39	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	38·53	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	44·36	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	40·72	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	33·35	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	41·85	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	38·21	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	35·03	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	25·74	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	37·65	ditto	
	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	ditto	47·79	31st Dec.	
		Begoosarai	ditto	ditto	41·05	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	43·96	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	49·57	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	54 10	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	62 04	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	61·58	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	ditto	58·77	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	ditto	64·37	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	84·85	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	80·99	ditto	
	Southal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	59·58	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	ditto	100·23	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	Not recd.	64·59	28th Dec.	
		Jamtara	ditto	Nil	39·15	31st "	From 30th June, and not received 11th to 17th August.
		Pakour	Not recd.	ditto	43·82	ditto ...	From 8th July, and not received 22nd to 28th December.
		Godda	Nil	ditto	67·06	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations	Rain from 22nd to 28th December 1878.	Rain from 29th to 31st Dec. 1878.	Rain from 1st January 1878		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches		1878.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack Hospital	Nil	Nil	54·57	31st Dec.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	29·50	ditto ...	Not recorded from 28th July to 9th November.
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	55·90	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	Not recd.	00·42	28th Dec.	Not received, 8th to 14th Dec.
		False Point	ditto	ditto	60·12	ditto ...	Not received, 24th to 30th Nov.
	Pooree	Pooree	ditto	ditto	54·66	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	48·57	ditto	
	Balasore	Balasore	ditto	Nil	61·89	21st Dec.	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	68·09	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	57·76	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	69·70	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	Not recd.	67·13	ditto	
		Barreepudda	ditto	Nil	0·73	ditto ...	From 8th December.
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	Not recd.	44·06	28th Dec.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	ditto	Nill.	43·36	31st Dec.	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	ditto	ditto	44·39	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	53·68	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	23·85	ditto ...	From 4th August.
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	ditto	7·80	ditto ...	From 2nd September, and not received, 8th to 14th December.
	Lohardugga	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	47·80	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	46·29	ditto	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	50·75	ditto	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	ditto	ditto	61·11	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	51·62	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet	Sylhet	ditto	ditto	165·17	ditto	
	Sibsagar	Sibsagar	ditto	Not recd.	85·57	28th Dec.	
		Golaghat	ditto	ditto	81·38	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	70·12	ditto	
		Akyab	0·41	Nil	123·74	31st Dec.	Not recorded, 16th to 29th June.
	Rajpootana	Alwar	Nil	Not recd.	24·98	28th ,,	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	23·77	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	12·34	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 11th January 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 5th to 11th January 1879.

Stations.	Date	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain	Clouds.	Weather initials
Alipore.	Jan. 5th	10	30 122	30 144	67 5	61·0	67	N by W	0 8	...	.....	b
		16	29 989	30 011	76 0	64 1	45	N W by W	5 2	...	... .	b
	6th	10	30·076	30 098	71 2	62 0	57	W	2·0	...	.. ..	b
		16	29·968	29 975	79 0	63 2	45	W by N	3 8	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30 088	30 110	70·0	65 4	77	S W by W	2 0	...	.. .	b
		16*	29 947	29 969	77 2	64 8	48	S W by W	7 7	...	...	c
	8th	10	30 063	30 085	69 1	64 2	75	W S W	1 6	...	.. ...	b
		16	29 946	29 968	77 0	62 2	39	W by S	4 8	...	.. ...	b
	9th	10	30 061	30 083	66 0	64 6	92	S W by W	0·5	...	.. ...	b
		16	29 930	29 952	77·2	65·1	50	S W	5 0	...	.....	b
	10th	10	30 081	30 103	70·1	67,0	85	S W	1 3	...	.....	b
		16	29 985	30 007	78 2	66 0	50	W S W	4 5	...	... ..	b
	11th	10	30 156	30 178	72 7	65 5	66	S E by E	2 3	...	, ...	b
		16	30 045	30·067	78·6	67 7	54	N E by E	3 8	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Jan. 5th	10	30 136	30·142	73	64	58	N N E	2 7	...	.....	b, c
		16	30 003	30 009	77	66 5	51	N	4 0	...	.. ..	b, c
	6th	10	30 084	30 090	70 5	65 5	76	N	3	.		b
		16	29 973	29 979	76 5	67 5	61	S W	4	...	.....	b, c
	7th	10	30 088	30 094	74	70	81	S W	3	...	. ...	Foggy.
		16	29 961	29 967	77	71	73	S S W	8	...	. ...	b, c
	8th	10	30 061	30 067	72	69	85	W N W	4	...	.. ..	Foggy.
		16	29 960	29 966	76 5	70·5	73	S	8	...	.....	b
	9th	10	30·069	30·075	73 5	70	83	S W	4	...	..	Foggy
		16	29·947	29 953	77 5	70 5	69	S W	8	...	.. ..	b, c
	10th	10	30·075	30·081	74 5	70	79	S S W	4	...	... ..	Foggy.
		16	30·008	30·009	77 5	70	67	S S W	8	...	.	b, c
	11th	10	30 155	30 161	74	70	81	N E	4		..	Foggy.
		16	30 041	30 047	78	68 5	59	N W	4	...	.....	b, c
Chittagong.	Jan 5th	10	30·030	30 125	70	66 5	82	Calm.	3	...	... .	Foggy.
	6th	10	29·989	30 084	71 5	65 5	71	Calm.	3	...	.. ..	Foggy.
	7th	10	30 001	30·096	71	67	80	Calm.	0	.	.. ..	d, foggy.
	8th	10	29 981	30·076	69·5	66	82	Calm.	3	...	... ..	Foggy.
	9th	10	29 985	30·080	69	64·5	77	N E	2	...	... ..	Foggy
	10th	10	29 998	30 093	68 5	64	77	N N E	2	..	.....	
	11th	10	30 049	30 141	70 5	65	73	N	5	..	.. ...	
Akyab.	Jan 5th	10	30 070	30·092	75 5	69·0	71	N	2 0	...	.. ..	b, c
	6th	10	30 048	30 070	75	68	68	N E	2	...	..	b, c
	7th	10	30 056	30 078	74	69	76	E	2	...	... ..	b, c
	8th	10	30 039	30 061	72 5	68	75	N E	3	...	. ..	b
	9th	10	30 037	30 059	73	68	76	N E	2	...	. ....	b, c
	10th	10	30 058	30·080	73 5	69	79	N E	2	...	.	b
	11th	10	30·094	30 116	77	70	69	N E	2	...	.....	b
False Point.	Jan. 5th	10	30 127	30 143	73	65	63	W N W	3·0	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	30 085	30 101	74	68	72	Calm.	4	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30 091	30 107	73 5	66 5	68	Calm.	3	...	... ..	b
	8th	10	30 063	30 079	74	69	76	W N W	3	.	... ..	b
	9th	10	30 062	30·077	76	70	73	Calm.	3	...	.. ..	b
	10th	10	30 076	30 091	75	70	77	Calm.	3	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	30 146	30·161	76	69·5	71	E N E	3	...	.....	
Vizagapatam	Jan. 5th	10	30·094	30 126	76 5	68·0	62	N E	1 0	.	... .	b, c
	6th	10	30 069	30·101	76	67	60	W N W	1	...	.. ...	b, c
	7th	10	30 077	30·109	76	67 5	62	W	1	...	.. ..	b, c
	8th	10	30·031	30 073	76	67 5	62	N W	1	...	... ..	b, c
	9th	10	30·030	30 071	75	68	68	W	1	.	.. ...	b, c
	10th	10	30·065	30 097	75	67 5	66	S S E		..	... .	b
	11th	10	30 098	30 130	75·5	67·5	64	S E	1	...	.....	b, c
Colombo	Jan 5th	10	29 954	29 995	81	74·5	72	N N E	14	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	29 944	29 985	80 5	75	76	N E	14	..	...	b, c
	7th	10	29 919	29·960	82·5	75·5	71	N	12	...	.	b, c
	8th	10	29 910	29 951	80	73	70	N E	13	..	.....	b, c
	9th	10	29 900	29 941	80 5	74·5	74	N N E	11	..	... ..	b, c
	10th	10	29 930	29 971	79	72 5	72	N N E	12	...	....	c, b, c
	11th	10	29 942	29 983	80 5	75 0	76	N E	13	0 17	.	Dark, gloomy weather

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th January 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 5th to 11th January 1879.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah	Temperature				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Jan.	5th	130·5	30·039	64·2	77·1	22·1	55·0	59·8	0·455	56·3	76	Till 2 P.M. chiefly N W by N, till midnight chiefly N W.	53	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	6th	130·3	·001	65·6	76·2	20·3	55·9	60·3	·455	56·3	73	Till 7-15 A.M. N W, till midnight chiefly W by N.	59	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	7th	135·7	·005	66·6	77·5	21·5	56·0	61·8	·504	59·2	80	Till 8-30 A.M. W by N, till midnight chiefly S W by N.	78	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	8th	131·1	29·996	65·7	77·4	20·4	57·0	61·0	·475	57·5	75	Till 10 A.M. S W by N, till midnight chiefly W by S.	58	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	9th	134·3	·983	66·0	77·0	21·2	56·7	62·9	·585	60·8	84	Till 10 A.M. W by S, till midnight chiefly S W.	57	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	10th	133·8	30·019	68·2	68·9	10·1	58·8	64·2	·548	61·6	79	Till 2 P.M. chiefly S W, till 11 P.M. W S W, till midnight S S E, through S W and S.	70	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	11th	130·6	·092	68·3	79·4	20·4	59·0	63·9	·535	60·9	77	Till 8-15 A.M. S S E, till midnight N E, through S E and E.	66	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	30·019
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	30·026
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	66·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	67·0
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ..	...	24·4
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	79·4
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	78
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 5th to 11th January 1879	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·10
The total fall from 1st to 11th January 1879	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·10

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

f, fog; *w*, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 12th January 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
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Abstract of the results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of December 1878.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29 958		
The average pressure of 25 years	30·027		
The highest pressure during the month	30·097	29th	10h.
The lowest pressure during the month	29·815	7th	16h.
The range of pressure during the month	0·282		
	⊖		
The mean temperature of the month	65·7		
The average temperature of 25 years	68·0		
The highest temperature during the month	82·2	3rd	
The lowest temperature during the month	45·0	29th	
The range of temperature during the month	37·2		
The mean daily range of temperature during the month ...	18·1		
The greatest range of temperature in one day during the month	26·1	29th	
	%		
The mean humidity during the month	72		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension during the month	0 468		
	%		
The average humidity of 25 years	71		
	Inches		
The average vapour tension of 11 years	0·475		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	3·36		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	0·51		
The average fall of 50 years	0·28		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	0·22		
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	4		
The average number of rainy days of 25 years	1		
	⊖		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation of the month	130·3		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures ...	53·8		
The greatest sun temperature	142·7	8th	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	60 8	8th	
The mean temperature of nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	51·4		
The mean depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	6·9		
The greatest depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	11·2	26th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	86·3		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	186	9th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour... ...	14	16th & 20th	14h. 4h.

The number of hours under each of the 8 points—

N310, NE70, E3, SE2, S19, SW14, W51, NW197, Calm 78.

The results of observations at the Alipore Observatory are not rigorously comparable wi the registers of past years (at the Park Street Observatory). The barometer is about 3 fe higher at Alipore, and, other things being equal, reads therefore ·003 lower. The diurnal range temperature is also greater at Alipore, and the mean temperature apparently about 1° or 1½° lowe and finally, the thermometer, which has furnished the record of temperature at the Surveyo General's Office during the last 20 years and upwards, is found to read 0·6° higher than the Ke standard, which is the standard of reference at the present Observatory.

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Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA, the 12th January 1879.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 *days of December* 1878 *on* 1,279¾ *miles open.*

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	169,430	282,001 11 3	25,850 3 2	22,20,358 30	8,12,127 6 9	74,445 0 3	10,04,129 2 0	64,607½	150,406	215,0
Or per mile of railway	.....	220 5 8	20 4 0	.....	634 9 7	58 3 5	854 15 3	.....	.....	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	3,241,584	44,23,105 0 0	405,451 6 10	2,43,01,474 10	1,04,80,615 9 3	960,723 1 11	1,49,03,721 2 3	1,180,298½	1,944,940½	3,125,2
Total for 26½ weeks ...	3,411,014	47,05,107 4 3	431,301 10 0	2,85,21,833 0	1,12,92,743 0 0	1,035,168 2 2	1,59,07,850 4 3	1,244,905½	2,095,346½	3,340,2
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding last 9 days of previous year	151,102	2,64,801 5 10	24,273 9 2	22,20,370 30	7,41,861 13 0	68,004 0 0	10,06,663 2 10	60,060½	120,535½	180,5
Per mile of railway, corresponding period of previous year ...	.....	206 14 8	18 19 4	.....	579 11 1	53 2 9	786 9 9	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	3,377,702	46,54,345 7 4	426,648 6 8	3,40,81,545 0	1,35,00,029 3 8	1,238,052-13-7	1,81,60,374 11 0	1,186,824½	2,711,280½	3,898,1

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for the last 10 *days of December* 1878 *on* 223¾ *miles open.*

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	10,209	47,409 7 9	4,345 15 6	7,02,633 10	176,259 7 0	16,157 2 4	2,23,667 14 0	7,750	40,812½	48,5
Or per mile of railway	.....	211 14 1	19 8 5	.....	787 12 1	72 4 3	999 10 2	.....	.....	...
For previous 24½ weeks of half-year	137,991½	4,59,235 6 6	42,096 11 7	34,15,876 10	9,39,030 10 3	86,077 16 2	13,08,266 0 0	125,635½	246,713½	372,3
Total for 26½ weeks ...	148,200½	5,06,643 14 3	46,442 7 1	41,18,509 20	11,15,290 1 3	1,02,234 18 6	16,21,933 15 6	133,385½	287,526½	420,9
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding last 9 days of previous year	10,983	40,206 8 0	3,685 11 11	2,52,742 0	77,883 9 0	7,139 6 6	1,18,090 2 0	7,476½	14,150½	21,6
Per mile of railway, corresponding period of previous year ...	.....	179 11 1	16 9 5	.....	348 1 4	31 18 2	527 12 5	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	170,098	4,76,480 4 1	43,677 7 1	55,52,210 20	13,09,872 8 9	125,571 13 0	18,46,352 12 10	128,235½	337,843½	466,0

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 28*th December* 1878 *on* 158½ *miles open.*

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	43,121	27,501 8 9	2,529 4 7	1,60,060 0	32,340 9 9	2,964 11 1	5,493 15
Or per mile of railway	272	173 12 11	15 18 8	1,007 35	203 11 6	18 13 9	34 7
For previous 25 weeks of half-year	969,675½	6,47,739 1 2	59,577 18 2	49,65,254 3	14,95,807 14 5	137,115 14 8	196,693 12
Total for 26 weeks ...	1,012,696½	6,75,350 9 11	61,907 2 9	51,25,254 3	15,28,148 8 2	140,080 5 9	201,687 7
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	43,535	26,039 10 7	2,380 19 5	1,77,588 19	37,997 14 10	3,483 2 10	5,870 2
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	274	164 0 5	15 0 8	1,118 27	239 5 9	21 18 10	36 12
Total to corresponding date of previous year ..	961,901	6,24,055 11 9	57,205 4 1	72,08,731 14	19,25,077 15 5	176,465 9 6	233,670 13

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 48.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 187
			1st December 1877.	30th November 1878.	To 1st December 1877.	To 30th November 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
30th November ...	Northern Bengal	219	6,476 0 0	14,501 0 0	26,560 0 0	8,10,240 0 0	7,83,680 0 0	.....
7th December ...	Tirhoot	76	6,553 0 0	11,505 0 0	2,62,092 0 0	3,95,556 0 0	1,33,464 0 0	.....
23rd ,, ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	4,422 0 0	2,169 0 0	1,05,753 0 0	1,15,233 0 0	9,480 0 0	.....
7th ,, ...	Nalhati	27¼	1,749 0 0	1,378 0 0	80,250 0 0	83,880 0 0	3,630 0 0	.....
	Total ...	350¼	19,199 0 0	29,453 0 0	4,75,554 0 0	14,04,147 0 0	9,28,593 0 0	.....

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 437A.

GENERAL.—*The 15th January* 1879.—Moulvi Zakir Hossein, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 in that district.

Baboo Gouri Sunker Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is transferred to Durbhunga, and is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870, for the purpose of acquiring land required for the Ganges Embankment at Bazitpore in that district.

Baboo Hurry Churn Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chumparun, is allowed leave for eighteen days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 15th October last.

The 16th January 1879.—Baboo Soorjo Coomar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is transferred to Moorshedabad.

Baboo Dino Nath Addy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Moorshedabad, is transferred to Backergunge.

The 17th January 1879.—Rai Ram Sunker Sen, Bahadoor, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868.

The 18th January 1879.—Baboo Jogut Chunder Shome, Sub-Deputy Collector, Baraset, 24-Pergunnahs, is confirmed in the First Grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, *vice* Baboo Soorjo Coomar Sen, promoted.

Baboo Radha Kissore Sett is appointed to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in the Presidency division, *vice* Baboo Jogut Chunder Shome.

Mr. C. F. Manson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamtara, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is allowed furlough for six months, under Section 7, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st April next.

Baboo Poolin Chunder Sanyal, Officiating Sub-Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is allowed leave for six months, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he availed himself of it in anticipation of sanction.

Baboo Surut Chunder Das, Sudder Canoongoe, is appointed to act as Sub-Deputy Collector, Tipperah, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Poolin Chunder Sanyal, or until further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 13th instant, Mr. F. W. Badcock, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, who reported his return from furlough on the 31st ultimo, is posted to the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

Mr. F. H. Harding, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Serampore division of the Hooghly district, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

The 20th January 1879.—Baboo Nund Kissore Dyal is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade at Tajpore, in Durbhunga, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Peary Mohun Bose, or until further orders.

Baboo Sronarain Sing is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade at Mudhoobunnee, in Durbhunga, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Ram Churn Lall, or until further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 24th ultimo, Mr. A. D'B. Gomess, Commissioner of the Soonderbuns, is allowed furlough for twelve months, under Sections 7 and 15, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 4th instant

Mr. C. A. Kelly, District and Sessions Judge, is allowed furlough for eight months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for twenty-three days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from the 4th instant.

Baboo Rajkishore Narain, Sub-Deputy Collector, Sarun, is allowed leave for 15 days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. F. W. J. Rees, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Moorshedabad, is allowed furlough for seven months and fifteen days, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for seven days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from the 13th March next.

Mr. C. N. Banerjea, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Chooadangah Division of the Nuddea district, is appointed to be Second Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division.

The 21st January 1879.—Mr. J. Boxwell, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is allowed furlough for twenty months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st April next, together with subsidiary leave for fifteen days under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Major L. Blathwayt, who reported his return from furlough on the 15th instant, is appointed to have charge of the Pachumba Division of the Hazaribagh District.

Major Blathwayt is allowed subsidiary leave for 20 days from the 15th instant, to enable him to join his appointment.

Baboo Isree Persad, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, is promoted to the Third Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Hem Chunder Ker.

Baboo Rungo Lal Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is confirmed in the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Isree Persad.

Baboo Brohmonath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is promoted to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Kanti Chunder Chatterjee, deceased.

Baboo Brohmonath Sen will continue to be employed in the Bengal Secretariat until further orders.

Baboo Chunder Seekur Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Ranaghat, Nuddea, is promoted temporarily to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Brohmonath Sen.

Baboo Kristo Chunder Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patooakholly, on leave, is promoted temporarily to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Rungo Lall Banerjee.

Baboo Shitalnath Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rungpore, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive service, *vice* Baboo Chunder Seekur Banerjee.

Mr. W. B. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Doomka, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Kristo Chunder Dutt.

Baboo Hurry Mohun Chundra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Shitalnath Bose.

Baboo Shoshee Bhoosun Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Muddehpoora, Bhagulpore, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. W. B. Martin.

Baboo Parbutty Churn Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector on Settlement duty in Furreedpore and Dacca, is confirmed in the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Rungo Lall Banerjee.

Baboo Gouri Sunkur Biswas, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Durbhunga, is confirmed in the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Parbutty Churn Roy.

Baboo Kedar Nath Ghose, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagirhat, Jessore, is confirmed in the 7th Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Gouri Sunkur Biswas.

Mr. C. B. Garrett is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade.

Mr. H. W. Alexander, Opium Agent, Behar, is allowed special leave for three months, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. E. E. Lowis is appointed to act as Opium Agent, Behar, during the absence on leave, of Mr. H. W. Alexander, or until further orders.

POLICE.—*The 14th January* 1879.—Mr. E. St. George Kaye, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 7th September 1878.

Mr. G. M. M. Ridsdale, District Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Third Grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 1st ultimo.

Mr. A. V. Knyvett, District Superintendent of Police, Chumparun, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Fourth Grade of District Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 1st ultimo.

In supersession of the orders of the 16th December last, Mr. O. B. Wood, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Assistant Superintendents of Police, with effect from the 27th November 1878.

The 17th January 1879.—The orders of the 9th instant, appointing Mr. G. R. K. Meares, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Sarun, to act, until further orders, as District Superintendent of Police, Backergunge, are cancelled. Mr. Meares will be temporarily employed as an Assistant Superintendent of Police, Sarun.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 17th January* 1879.—The services of the Revd. C. G. Moore, Junior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department, with effect from the 29th ultimo.

The Rev. H. C. Spring, B.A., is appointed to be Junior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, with effect from the 29th ultimo, *vice* the Revd. C. G. Moore.

OPIUM.—*The 15th January* 1879.—Mr. H. Kinloch, Officiating Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent attached to the Benares Agency, was on leave for six months and twenty-two days, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, from 1st April to 22nd October 1878.

The 18th January 1879.—Mr. C. F. Wintle, Officiating Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, who was transferred to the Benares Agency under orders of the 6th instant, is appointed to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Azimgurh.

Mr. C. F. Wintle, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent attached to the Benares Agency, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 27th ultimo.

The 20th January 1879.—Mr. J. Christian, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent attached to the Behar Agency, having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 23rd ultimo, the unexpired portion of the leave granted him under orders of the 28th October last, is cancelled.

FORESTS.—*The 20th January* 1879.—In modification of the orders of the 24th ultimo, Dr. W. Schlich, Conservator of Forests, Bengal, is allowed furlough for one year, with effect from the 27th instant, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave from the 22nd to the 26th instant, both days inclusive, under Section 24 (*a*) of that Code.

MEDICAL.—*The 3rd January* 1879.—Baboo Bipro Dass Chatterjee, Moonsif, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Jungipore in the district of Moorshedabad.

The 11th January 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Goberdanga, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs:—

Baboo Girja Prosunno Mookerjee, Zemindar.
„ Mohendronath Bose, Head-Master of the Busseerhat School.

The 15th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Deno Bundhoo Dutt was in temporary medical charge of the Civil Station of Burdwan from the afternoon of the 12th November 1878 to the forenoon of the 1st instant.

The 17th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Soorjee Coomar Mookerjee, in medical charge of the Mudhoobunnee Dispensary, Durbhunga, is allowed leave for six months under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Assistant Surgeon Behari Lall Paul, doing duty at the Campbell Hospital, Sealdah, is appointed to have medical charge of the Mudhoobunnee Dispensary, Durbhunga, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Soorjee Coomar Mookerjee, or until further orders.

The 20th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Hari Charan Sen, doing duty at the Campbell Medical School and Hospital, is allowed leave for three months, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The services of Assistant Surgeon Runga Lall Sannyal, doing duty at the Medical College Hospital, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 7th January* 1879.—Mr. G. Archer is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Darjeeling Municipality, *vice* Dr. O'Brien.

The Lieutenant Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. W. Lloyd of his appointment as a Commissioner of the Darjeeling Municipality.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be *ex officio* Commissioners of the Darjeeling Municipality:—

Mr. A. Mackenzie. | The Executive Engineer of Darjeeling.

The Lieutenant-Governor approves of the election by the Commissioners of the Darjeeling Municipality of Mr. L. C. Abbott to be their Vice-Chairman.

Mr. A. W. Paul is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Darjeeling Municipality.

The 8th January 1879.—Mr. B. Rattray, District Superintendent of Police, Beerbhoom, is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Soory Municipality, *vice* Captain R. P. Davis.

The 9th January 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Gya Municipality:—

Mr. W. J. Howard, Barrister-at-Law, *vice* Mr. C. Harrison.
Baboo Durga Sunkur Bhattacharjee, Zemindar, *vice* Syud Wazir Ali Khan.

Baboo Woomesh Chunder Sircar, Pleader, is re-appointed to be a Commissioner of the Gya Municipality.

ROAD CESS.—*The 20th January* 1879.—Baboo Jogesh Chunder Bose, Zemindar, Malkhanagar, is appointed to be a member of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Moonsheegunge in the district of Dacca.

This cancels the orders of the 7th September 1878, appointing Baboo Bepin Behari Poddar as member of the above Committee.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Tipperah:—

Baboo Bhairab Chandra Chatterjea, Special Sub-Registrar, *vice* Baboo Anund Gopal Sen, transferred.
„ Nobin Chandra Mookerjea, Agent to the Zemindar of Gunga Mundle, *vice* Baboo Harish Chandra Bose, deceased.
„ Sharada Charan Mookerjea, Naib of the Rajah of Paitkara, *vice* Baboo Nobin Chandra Sen, transferred.
Moulvi Ashrafuddin Mohamed, Talukdar and Pleader, *vice* Baboo Khetra Nath Bhattacharjya.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Tipperah:—

Mr. E. DeLanney, Manager to the estate of Syed Basarat Ali Chowdhury.
„ H. L. Weathrall, Manager of Nawab Ashanoollah.
Baboo Shib Chandra Aich, Pleader and Zemindar.
„ Ram Dulal Ray, Zemindar.
„ Uma Lochan Mozumdar, Zemindar.
„ Tarack Chandra Singh, Talukdar.
Chowduri Mohamed Gazi, Zemindar.
„ Yusaf Ali, Zemindar.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—On the report of the Central Examination Committee, the following result of the half-yearly examination, held on the 18th November 1878, is published for general information :—

I.—SECOND OR HIGHER STANDARD.

(1)—The following officer has passed completely :—

Civil Officer.

1. Mr. G. K. Lyon.

(2)—The following officers, who had passed partially at previous examinations, have now passed in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names :—

(*a*) *Civil Officers.*

1.	Baboo Nobin Chunder Mitter	Law.
2.	„ Bejoy Kissen Bose	Hindustani.
3.	„ Bhobotosh Bannerjee	Ditto.
4.	„ Umullo Churn Mullick ...	Law.
5.	Mr. C. G. M. Shircore	Law.
6.	Baboo Umakant Dass	Hindustani.

(3)—The following officers have passed partially, and are still liable to examination in the subjects mentioned against their names :—

No.	Names.	Now passed in	Still liable to examination in
	(*a*) *Civil Officers.*		
1	Kumar Rameshwara Singh ...	Hindustani ...	Law and Bengali.
2	Mr. H. Cox ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
3	Baboo Abinash Churn Mullick	Law ...	Hindustani, and Bengali.
4	Shah Mahomed Ibrahim ...	Hindustani ...	Law, and Bengali at option.
5	Moulvi Abdool Wassay Ahmed	Hindustani and Bengali.	Law.
6	„ Buzlal Karim ...	Bengali and Law...	Hindustani.
7	Mr. O T. Barrow ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto.
8	Baboo Shamadhub Roy ...	Bengali ...	Law and Hindustani at option.
9	Mr. C. S. Bayley ...	Hindustani ...	Bengali.
10	Baboo Hurrish Chunder Bannerjee.	Bengali ...	Law and Hindustani at option.
11	Mr. T. L. L. Jenkins ...	Bengali and Hindustani.	Law.
12	Lieutenant J. F. Rivett-Carnac	Law ...	Bengali and Hindustani.
13	Baboo Bhoirub Nath Palit ...	Bengali ...	Law and Hindustani.
14	„ Kumode Nath Mookerjee	Oriya ...	Ditto ditto.
	(*b*) *Police Officers.*		
1	Baboo Jadub Chunder Deb ...	Law ...	Bengali and Hindustani.
2	„ Gopaul Hurry Mullick...	Law and Bengali ...	Hindustani.
3	Mr. G. W. S. Cox ...	Hindustani ...	Bengali.

II.—FIRST OR LOWER STANDARD.

(1)—The following officers have passed completely :—

(*a*) *Civil Officers.*

Mr. O. T. Barrow.
„ T. E. Vaughan.
Baboo Chundra Bhosun Chuckerbatty.

(*b*) *Police Officers.*

Baboo Gopaul Hurry Mullick.
„ Jadub Chunder Deb.
Mr. J. T. Rivett-Carnac.

(2)—The following officers who had passed partially at previous examinations, have now passed in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names :—

(*a*) *Civil Officer.*

Kumar Rameshwara Sing ... Law.

(*b*) *Police Officer.*

Mr. G. W. S. Cox ... Hindustani.

(3)—The following officers have passed partially, and are still liable to examination in the subjects mentioned against their names :—

No.	Names.	Now passed in	Still liable to examination in
		(a) Civil Officers.	
1	Mr. W. R. Ricketts ...	Bengali ...	Law.
2	Baboo Juggut Bhundoo Bhattarcharjee.	Ditto ...	Law and Hindustani.
		(b) Police Officer.	
1	Mr. E. W. Payne ...	Law ...	Bengali.

III.—MEDICAL OFFICER.

1. Mr. J. McNaught passed in Bengalee by the lower standard.

IV.—OPIUM OFFICERS.

(1)—The following officer has passed completely :—

Mr. A. Ross.

(2)—The following officers have passed partially, and are still liable to examination in the remaining subjects as mentioned against their names :—

No.	Names.	Now passed in	Still liable to examination in
1	Mr. G. Nicholson ...	Chemistry ...	Surveying.
2	„ H. Kinloch ...	Botany and Hindustani.	Chemistry.
3	„ W. J. Currie ...	Botany ..	Surveying and Chemistry.
4	„ J. O. D. Murray ...	Botany and Hindustani.	Ditto ditto.
5	„ St. Leger Fagan ...	Preliminary examination in English and Arithmetic.	Hindustani, Botany, Chemistry, and Surveying.
6	„ E. Drew ...	Opium Laws and Chemistry.	Botany and Surveying.
7	„ J. Augier ...	Opium Laws and the preliminary examination in English and Arithmetic.	Hindustani, Botany, Chemistry, and Surveying.
8	„ F. Garrett ...	Ditto	Ditto ditto.
9	„ F. Gibbs ...	Preliminary examination in English and Arithmetic.	Opium Laws, Hindustani, Botany, Chemistry, and Surveying.

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ERRATUM.

The 21st January 1879.—In modification of the notification publishing the names of successful candidates for enrolment as revenue agents, which appeared in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th and 27th November and 4th December 1878, pages 1225, 1252, and 1281, respectively, the following corrected names are published :—

District.	Number.	For	Read
Patna	15	Muhammad Mohin	Muhammad Mobin.
Ditto	32	Shaikh Muhammad Muhhibbul Haq	Shaikh Muhammad Muhibbul Haq.
Ditto	34	„ Sayeduddin	„ Sayiduddin.
Monghyr ...	2	Jhakori Lal	Jhakri Lal.
Ditto	3	Lala Pasu Lal	Lala Posan Lal.
Lohardugga ...	1	Matha Tulsi Prasad	Mahta Tulsi Prasad.

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The 16th January 1879.—The following Regulations for the Examination of Candidates for the Civil Service of India, to be held in June and July 1879, are published for general information :—

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

REGULATIONS FOR THE OPEN COMPETITION OF JUNE AND JULY 1879.

N.B.—The Regulations are liable to be altered in future years.

1. On 17th June 1879 and following days an examination of candidates will be held in London. At this examination not fewer than candidates will be selected, if so many shall be found duly qualified. Of these, will be selected for Presidency of Bengal [for the Upper Provinces and for the Lower Provinces], for that of Madras, and for that of Bombay.* Notice will hereafter be given of the days and place of examination.

2. Any person desirous of competing at this examination must produce to the Civil Service Commissioners, before the 1st of April 1879, evidence showing—

(*a*) that he is a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

(*b*) that his age will be above seventeen years on the 1st of June 1879 and under nineteen years on the 27th January 1879.† [*N.B.—In the case of Natives of India this must be certified by the Government of India, or of the Presidency or Province in which the candidate may have resided.*]

(*c*) that he has no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting him, or likely to unfit him, for the Civil Service of India.‡

(*d*) that he is of good moral character.‡

He must also pay such fee as the Secretary of State for India may prescribe.§

3. Should the evidence upon the above points be *primâ facie* satisfactory to the Civil Service Commissioners, the candidate will, upon payment of the prescribed fee, be admitted to the examination. The Commissioners may, however, in their discretion, at any time prior to the grant of the Certificate of Qualification hereinafter referred to, institute such further inquiries as they may deem necessary; and if the result of such inquiries in the case of any candidate should be unsatisfactory to them in any of the above respects, he will be ineligible for admission to the Civil Service of India; and if already selected, will be removed from the position of a probationer.

4. The examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge :—

		Marks.
‖	English Composition	300
¶	History of England, including a period selected by the candidate ...	300
¶	English Literature, including books selected by the candidate ...	300
	Greek	600
	Latin	800
	French	500
	German	500
	Italian	400
** ‖	Mathematics (pure and mixed)	1,000
	Natural Science: that is, the elements of any two of the following sciences, viz.— Chemistry, 500; Electricity and Magnetism, 300; Experimental Laws of Heat and Light, 300; Mechanical Philosophy, with outlines of Astronomy, 300.	
	Logic	300
	Elements of Political Economy	300
§§	Sanskrit	500
§§	Arabic	500

Candidates are at liberty to name, before 1st April 1879, any or all of these branches of knowledge. No subjects are obligatory.

5. The merit of the persons examined will be estimated by marks; and the number set opposite to each branch in the preceding regulation denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

6. The marks assigned to candidates in each branch will be subject to such deduction as the Civil Service Commissioners may deem necessary, in order to secure that "a candidate be allowed no credit at all for taking up a subject in which he is a mere smatterer."

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* The number of appointments to be made, and the number in each Presidency, &c., will be announced hereafter.

† At the Open Competition to be held in 1880, Candidates will be required to be above 17 on the 1st June, and under 19 on the 1st January, of that year. At subsequent competitions, they will be required to be above 17 and under 19 on 1st June of the year in which the competition is held.

‡ Evidence of health and character must bear date not earlier than the 1st March 1879.

§ The fee for this examination will be £5, payable by means of a special stamp according to instructions which will be communicated to candidates.

‖ Marks assigned in English Composition and Mathematics will be subject to no deduction.

¶ A considerable portion of the marks for English History and Literature will be allotted to the work specially prepared. In awarding marks for this, regard will be had partly to the extent and importance of the periods or books selected, and partly to the thoroughness with which they have been studied.

** The examination will range from Arithmetic, Algebra, and Elementary Geometry up to the elements of the differential and integral calculus, including the lower portions of applied Mathematics.

†† The standard of marking in Sanskrit and Arabic will be determined with reference to a high degree of proficiency such as may be expected to be reached by a Native of good education.

7. The examination will be conducted by means of printed questions and written answers and by *vivâ voce* examination, as may be deemed necessary.

8. The marks obtained by each candidate in respect of each of the subjects in which he shall have been examined will be added up, and the names of the candidates who shall have obtained a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining candidates will be set forth in order of merit, and such candidates shall be deemed to be selected candidates for the Civil Service of India, provided they appear to be in other respects duly qualified. Should any of the selected candidates become disqualified, the Secretary of State for India will determine whether the vacancy thus created shall be filled up or not. In the former case the candidate next in order of merit, and in other respects duly qualified, shall be deemed to be a selected candidate. A selected candidate declining to accept the appointment which may be offered to him will be disqualified for any subsequent competition.

9. Selected candidates, before proceeding to India, will be on probation for two years, during which time they will be examined periodically, with a view of testing their progress in the following subjects :—*

	Marks.
1. Law	1,250
2. Classical languages of India—	
Sanskrit	500
Arabic	400
Persian	400
3. Vernacular languages of India (each)	400
4. The History and Geography of India	350
5. Political Economy	350

In these examinations, as in the open competition, the merit of the candidates examined will be estimated by marks, and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it at any one examination. The examination will be conducted by means of printed questions and written answers and by *vivâ voce* examination, as may be deemed necessary. The last of these examinations will be held at the close of the second year of probation, and will be called the "Final Examination," at which it will be decided whether a selected candidate is qualified for the Civil Service of India. At this examination candidates will be permitted to take up any one of the following branches of Natural Science, viz.—Botany, Geology, and Zoology, for which 350 marks will be allowed.

10. Any candidate who, at any of the periodical examinations, shall appear to have wilfully neglected his studies, or to be physically incapacitated for pursuing the prescribed course of training, will be liable to have his name removed from the list of selected candidates.

11. The selected candidates who at the final examination shall be found to have a competent knowledge of the subjects specified in Regulation 9, and who shall have satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners of their eligibility in respect of age, health, and character, shall be certified by the said Commissioners to be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of India, provided they shall comply with the regulations in force at the time for that service.

12. Applications from persons desirous to be admitted as candidates are to be addressed to the "Secretary to the Civil Service Commissioners, London, S.W.," from whom the proper form for the purpose may be obtained.

October 1878.

The Civil Service Commissioners are authorized by the Secretary of State for India in Council to make the following announcements :—

(1)—*Selected candidates will be permitted to choose,† according to the order in which they stand in the list resulting from the open competition, as long as a choice remains, the Presidency (and in Bengal the Division of the Presidency) to which they shall be appointed; but this choice will be subject to a different arrangement, should the Secretary of State or the Government of India deem it necessary.*

(2)—*The Probationers, having passed the necessary examinations, will be required to report themselves to their Government in India not later than the close of December* 1882.

(3)—*The seniority in the Civil Service of India of the selected candidates shall be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from the final examination.*

(4)—*An allowance of* £150 *a year will be given during each of the two years of their probation to all candidates who pass their probation at some University to be approved beforehand by the Secretary of State, provided such candidates shall have passed the required examinations to the satisfaction of the Civil Service Commissioners, and shall have complied with such rules as may be laid down for the guidance of selected candidates.*

(5)—*All selected candidates will be required, after having passed the second periodical examination, to attend at the India Office for the purpose of entering into an agreement binding themselves, amongst other things, to refund in certain cases the amount of their allowance in the event of their failing to proceed to India. A surety will be required.*

(6)—*After passing the final examination, each candidate will be required to attend again at the India Office, with the view of entering into covenants. The stamps payable on these documents amount to* £1.

(7)—*Candidates rejected at the final examination of* 1881 *will in no case be allowed to present themselves for re-examination.*

* Full instructions as to the course of study to be pursued will be issued to the successful candidates as soon as possible after the result of the open competition is declared.

† This choice must be exercised immediately after the result of the open competition is announced, on such day as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

FORM OF APPLICATION; TO BE FILLED UP BY CANDIDATES.

*** *This Form must be sent so as to be received at the Office of the Civil Service Commission before the 1st of April* 1879.

*Date*_____

SIR,

BEING desirous to offer myself as a Candidate at the Examination for the Civil Service of India, which is appointed to commence on the 17th of June 1879, I transmit herewith, as required by the Regulations—

(1) If a General Register Office certificate cannot be obtained, the instructions printed on the other side will show what evidence should be supplied. If evidence is already in the hands of the Commissioners, strike out "A certificate of my birth," and insert "Evidence is already in the possession of the Commissioners."

(1) A certificate of my birth, showing that I was born on the day of 18 , and that therefore my age will be above 17 years on the 1st June 1879, and under 19 years on the 1st of January 1879.

(2) The terms indicated by the marks of quotation must appear in the certificate, which must be given after personal examination, and bear date not earlier than 1st March 1879.

(2) A certificate signed by

of my having "no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity unfitting me for the Civil Service of India."

(3) Two testimonials must be sent, bearing date not earlier than 1st March 1879. One of them should be given by an intimate acquaintance (not a relative) of not less than three or four years' standing; the other, if the candidate has recently left school, should be given by his late schoolmaster, or, if he has had employment of any kind, by his late employer. If the candidate has been at any University, he should send a certificate of good conduct from his college tutor.

(3) Proof of my moral character, viz.—
(1) A testimonial from
(2) A testimonial from

(4) If Mathematics be named, state whether pure or mixed or both are intended; if natural science be mentioned, state which two branches; if the History of England or English literature be named, the annexed schedule should be filled up.

(4) A statement of the branches of knowledge in which I desire to be examined, viz.—

I have also to state, with reference to Section 2, Clause (*a*) of the Regulations, that I am a natural-born subject of Her Majesty.

I am, SIR,

Your obedient Servant,

*Name in full*_____

*Address*_____

To the Secretary,
Civil Service Commission.

EVIDENCE OF AGE TO BE REQUIRED FROM CANDIDATES FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

I.—Every Candidate born in England or Wales should produce a certificate from the Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths, or from one of his provincial officers. This certificate may be obtained at Somerset House or from the Superintendent Registrar of the district in which the birth took place.

II.—A Candidate who is a native of India must have his age certified by the Government of India, or of the Presidency or Province in which he may have resided.

III.—Every other Candidate *not producing the certificate* mentioned in Clause 1, must prove his age by statutory declaration, and should also, if possible, produce a record of birth or baptism from some official register; under which term may be included the Parochial Registers of Baptisms, the non-Parochial Registers of Baptisms and Births deposited at Somerset House under Acts of Parliament, the Register kept at the India Office of persons born in India, &c., &c. This Regulation applies—

(1) to all candidates not born in England or Wales;
(2) to candidates who, though born in England or Wales, cannot produce the Registrar-General's certificate.

The Civil Service Commissioners reserve to themselves the right of deciding in each case upon the sufficiency of the evidence produced, but they subjoin the following general rules for the guidance of candidates:—

(*a*) The declaration should specify precisely the date and place of birth, and should if possible, be made by the father or mother of the candidate. If made by any other person, it should state the circumstances which enabled the declarant to speak to the fact. If an entry in a Bible or other family record be referred to, the Bible or other record must be produced at the time of making the declaration, and must be mentioned in the declaration as having been so produced.

(*b*) If the candidate was born in England or Wales, the declaration must contain a statement that, after due inquiry, no entry has been found in the books of the Registrar-General; or a separate declaration must be made to that effect.

(*c*) If no extract from any register is produced, the declaration must contain a statement that, after due inquiry, no such record is believed to exist; or a separate declaration must be made to that effect.

(*d*) Statutory declarations must be exactly in the form prescribed by the Act of 5 and 6 William IV., c. 62. A printed form, if required, will be supplied on application to the Civil Service Commissioners.

N.B.—Clergymen, as such, are not qualified to take declarations.

CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF JUNE AND JULY 1879.

HISTORY OF ENGLAND.—Period selected by the undersigned candidate:—

ENGLISH LITERATURE.—Books selected by the undersigned candidate:—

*Signature*_____

EXAMINATIONS FOR THE CIVIL SERVICE OF INDIA.

OPEN COMPETITION OF 1879.

For the guidance of Candidates who may have a difficulty in making their selections under the heads of English History and Literature, the following lists are given as indicating the character and amount of reading that would be regarded as satisfactory :—

HISTORY OF ENGLAND.

Any one of the following periods, to be studied specially in the Text books named :—

1. HENRY II TO EDWARD III, A.D. 1154-1377.—Stubbs' Select Charters ; Stubbs' Constitutional History of England.

2. THE TUDORS ; A.D. 1485-1603.—Hallam's Constitutional History of England ; Froude's History of England.

3. THE STUARTS, A D. 1603-1714.—Hallam's Constitutional History of England ; Macaulay's History of England.

4. A.D. 1714-1805.—Lord Stanhope's History ; Sir T. E. May's Constitutional History ; *either* Massey's Reign of George III, *or* Lord Stanhope's Life of Pitt.

ENGLISH LITERATURE.

POETRY.

SHAKESPEARE.—Three plays, one from each of the following groups :—

(*a*) Macbeth, Othello, Lear, Hamlet.
(*b*) Coriolanus, Julius Cæsar, King John, Henry V.
(*c*) Tempest, Merchant of Venice, Romeo and Juliet, As You Like It.

And any two of the following :—

1. CHAUCER.—Prologue to the Canterbury Tales, with the Prioress' Tale, and the Clerk's Tale.

2. MILTON.—First four books of Paradise Lost *or* Paradise Regained, *or* Comus and Samson Agonistes.

3. DRYDEN.—Absalom and Achitophel, and The Hind and Panther.

4. POPE.—Imitations of Satires and Epistles of Horace.

5. GRAY.—Poems.

PROSE.

BACON.—Essays, *or* Advancement of Learning.

And any two of the following :—

1. MILTON.—Areopagitica ; *and* LOCKE.—On the Conduct of the Understanding.

2. CLARENDON.—History of the Rebellion, from the Treaty between the King and the Parliament, at the end of Book VI, to the Death and Character of Falkland in Book VII ; and DE FOE.—Memoris of a Cavalier (ch. viii. to the end).

3. ADDISON.—Coverley Papers, Essay on Imagination, and Criticisms on Milton.

4. JOHNSON.—"Six Chief Lives of the Poets," viz.—of Milton, Dryden, Swift, Addison, Pope, and Gray ; with Macaulay's Biography of Johnson.

5. BURKE.—Reflexions on the French Revolution ; *or* Appeal from New to Old Whigs, with Speech on American Taxation.

6. MACAULAY.—Essays on Addison, Byron, Walpole, Mackintosh, Temple, and Madame D'Arblay.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 20th January 1879.—In the declaration dated the 29th July 1878, published at page 825, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 31st idem, for the acquisition of a piece of land by Government for the construction of a road within the Satkhira Municipality, *read* "Polospole" *for* "Polaspore" wherever the latter word occurs in the said declaration.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following forms shall be substituted for forms Nos. 2 and 3 appended to the rules for regulating labour transport under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2.

Register of Emigrants engaged by Sirdars in gangs of twenty and under, to be kept by the Magistrate under Sections 21 *and* 24 *of Act VII (B.C.) of* 1873.

Date of registry.	Register number.	Name of emigrant.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Sex.	Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	Relationship, if any, to others in the batch.	Period of service.	Rate of wages.	Maximum price at which rice to be supplied.	Name of garden sirdar.	District where recruited.	District where registered.	Names of garden and district for which engaged, and of Calcutta agents or manager of such garden.	Labour district to which to proceed.	Route to be taken to garden.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-named emigrants, who have one and all acknowledged in my presence their willingness to contract on the above terms, which have been fully explained to them.

Magistrate.

N. B.—The above form will serve both for registration book unde section 21 and for the abstract of contract under section 24.

No. 3.

Register of Emigrants recruited by Sirdars and recruiters for despatch through Contractors' Depôts, to be kept by the Magistrate under Section 43, Act VII (B.C.) of 1873.

Date of registry.	Register No.	Name of emigrant.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Sex.	Zillah.	Perganah.	Mouzah.	Relationship, if any, to others in the batch.	Period of service.	Rate of wages.	Maximum price at which rice is to be supplied.	Name of depôt recruiter or sirdar recruiter.	District where recruited.	District where registered.	Contractor's depôt to which to be conveyed, and where situate.	By whom conducted to depôt.	Names of garden and district for which engaged, if recruited by a sirdar recruiter.	Labour district to which to proceed.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-named emigrants, who have one and all acknowledged in my presence their willingness to emigrate on the above terms, which have been fully explained to them.

Magistrate.

N. B.—A certified extract of the above is to be furnished to each emigrant. A certified extract of entries relating to each batch is to be forwarded to the Superintendent of Emigration at Calcutta.

[First Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 17th January 1879.—It is hereby notified, under paragraph 2 of Section 8, Act V (B C.) of 1876, that in compliance with the recommendation of the local authorities, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the Union of Chagdah, in the district of Nuddea, to be a second-class Municipality with effect from the 1st April 1879, unless good reasons to the contrary be shown within one month from the publication of this notice within the union.

1. Ghugia.	7. Jashrah.
2. Chagdah.	8. Palparah.
3. Kantalpuli.	9. Bhobanipore.
4. Beliadanga.	10. Goreparah.
5. Ghoshparah.	11. Khashbash Mohulla.
6. Notoongram.	12. Kaziparah.

2. The proposed Municipality consists of the twelve villages named in the margin, and will be bounded as follows :—

On the North—By the Harar Khal;

On the West—By the bed of the river Hooghly, known locally by the name of Churuckgunga and by the village "Palpara Baour;"

On the South—By the lands of the villages of Monshapota and Ektarpore; and

On the East—By the lands of villages Khidirpore and Pumlia, by the Ukhundi Bheel and the Imperial road.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th January 1879.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by Section 342 of the Calcutta Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the additional bye-law numbered 53*a* stated at foot of this notification, which has been made by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Calcutta under Section 341, and which has already been published three times in the English and Bengali *Government Gazettes* in the manner prescribed in Section 343 of the said Act.

Construction and alteration of private necessaries and privies.

53*a*. When any private privy or cesspool is to be constructed for the first time, or any such privy or cesspool previously constructed has to be re-constructed, a plan of the privy proposed to be constructed or re-constructed shall be submitted to the Commissioners, who shall signify their approval or disapproval within one week after receiving such plan, and no such privy or cesspool shall be constructed or altered, except in such manner as may be approved of by the Commissioners.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th January 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the declaration dated the 6th May 1878, published at page 378, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 8th idem, for the acquisition of pieces of land for the widening of South Collinga Street in the town of Calcutta, measuring, more or less, 3 cottahs 7 chittacks and 42 feet, and situated in the town of Calcutta, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, is hereby cancelled at the request of the Commissioners of the said town of Calcutta.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct, as an experimental measure, that the following scale of diet for emigrants, while in transit to Assam on board of steamers, shall be substituted for the scale appended to the rules for regulating Labour Transport under Act VII (B.C) of 1873, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1874 :—

SCALE.

		Per diem. Chittacks.
Maize or atta may be substituted for any portion of the rice for flour-eaters	Rice	9
Meat or fish two chittacks twice a week in lieu of one chittack of dâl *for dhangurs only* ...	Dâl	2
In the proportion of half yams and half potatoes, and, when obtainable at the stations, sâg or some such vegetables may be substituted for a portion of the yams or potatoes...	Vegetables	3
	Mustard oil	¼
	Salt	½
Condiments, &c.		¼

Consisting of—								Kuncha.
Onions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1/13
Garlic	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2/13
Tamarind	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3/13
Turmeric	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1/14
Coriander seed	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1/14
Chillies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1/26

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th January 1879.—The declarations published at pages 1695 and 1696 respectively of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th December 1877, for the acquisition of lands at Rungpore and Kurigram for erecting cholera sheds for coolies, are hereby cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 2nd January 1879.—It is hereby notified under paragraph 2 of section 8, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, that, in compliance with the recommendation of the local authorities, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the town of Kurseong, in the district of Darjeeling, to be a second class municipality, with effect from the 1st of April 1879, unless good reasons to the contrary be shown within one month from the publication of this notice within the town.

2. The boundaries of the proposed municipality shall be as follows :—

On the East.—Dhobi Jhora, from the head of Sundook Jhora, to the 20th mile-post on the Cart Road.

On the South.—A straight line from the 20th mile-post on the Cart Road to the old Punkabaree Road at the southern angle of Eagles' Craig ; thence the old Punkabaree Road to the south-east angle of Kempside location ; thence the south-east boundaries of locations called Lloyd's location and Boon's Court ; thence a straight line through Lloyd's and Makaibaree lands to the Punkabaree Road at the east corner of Murray field location.

On the West.—The south-east and south-west boundaries of Murray field ; thence the west boundaries of Dell, Devonshire Bexley, Weenburgh, Helensburgh and Rose Bank locations ; thence a line from the north-west angle of Rose Bank through the estate called Springside to the south-west angle of the Barrack location ; thence the western boundary of the Barrack and Government reserve lands to where it joins the south-east corner of S. Smith's lands ; thence the south and east boundaries of S. Smith's lands to Singlee Nuddy ; thence a straight line passing through Singlee or Dookdahoo to the bridge on the Sepring Jhora ; thence the Sepring Jhora to the Cart Road ; thence the Cart Road to the Sundook Jhora.

On the North.—The Sundook Jhora from the Cart Road to Dhobi Jhora ridge.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 18th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Arrah Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for enlarging the Municipal Market in the town of Arrah, pergunnah Arrah, zillah Shahabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 cottahs and 19 dhoors of standard measurement is required within the aforesaid town of Arrah. The land is bounded on the north and west by a public lane leading from a public road through the Municipal Market to Melkitalla ; on the south by the Municipal Market ; and on the east by the house of Mussamut Khairatan.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 438A.

The 7th January 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Gya Bench in that district, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Mr. W. J. Howard, Barrister-at-Law.
Baboo Doorga Sunker Bhuttacharjee, Zemindar.
„ Behary Lal Bhumik, Gywal.
Moulvi Kumarooddin Ahmed, Pleader.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Sub-Divisional Bench of Kishoregunge, in the district of Mymensingh, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Syed Abdul Rejak, Mahomedan Marriage Registrar.
Mr. R. deDombal, Manager, Dewan's Estate.
Baboo Rada Charan Roy, Secretary, Dewan's Estate.

The 10th January 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Ranaghat Bench, in the district of Nuddea, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Baboo Jotendro Lal De Chowdhry, Zemindar, *vice* Baboo Radhamoy De Chowdry, resigned.
„ Jogesh Chunder Pal Chowdry, Zemindar, *vice* Baboo Rakhal Das Mullick, resigned.

The 14th January 1879.—Baboo Koylash Chunder Mookerjee, Officiating Second Subordinate Judge of Chittagong, and Officiating Subordinate Judge of Noakholly, is appointed to act as Second Moonsif of Mohesrekha, in Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Shoshee Bhushun Mookerjee, L.L., or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he took charge of his duties.

Baboo Anund Nath Mozoomdar, Additional Moonsif of Jungypore, in the district of Moorshedabad, is transferred temporarily to Azimgunge in that district.

The 15th January 1879.—Baboo Mohendra Nath Bose, Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Hooghly, Howrah, and Serampore, is allowed leave for one month, with effect from the 6th instant, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

The 17th January 1879.—Mr. R. S. T. MacEwen (Barrister-at-law), a Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Calcutta, reported his return from furlough on the afternoon of the 4th instant.

The 18th January 1879 —Baboo Motilal Singh is appointed to act as First Moonsif of Burrisal in the district of Backergunge, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Gopal Chunder Bose, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

Baboo Ram Gopal Chaki, First Moonsif of Moheshreka, Hooghly, is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Cutwa, Culna, and of the Sudder Moonsiffee in the district of Burdwan.

Baboo Nund Lal Koondoo, Officiating Additional Moonsif of Tumlook, Midnapore, is appointed to be a Moonsif of the Fourth Grade, *vice* Mr. Rajkishen Sen (Barrister-at-Law), promoted, and to be Additional Moonsif of Jehanabad in Burdwan ; but will continue to act in his present appointment until further orders.

Baboo Bepin Behary Sen, Officiating Moonsif of Jajpore, Cuttack, is appointed to act as Additional Moonsif of Jehanabad, during the absence, on duty, of Baboo Nund Lal Koondoo, or until further orders.

Baboo Sham Chand Dhur, Additional Moonsif of Bood-Bood, is appointed to be Additional Moonsif of Raneegunge, Bood-Bood, and of the Sudder Moonsiffee in the district of Burdwan.

The 20th January 1879.—Mr. J. E. B. Jeffery, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is vested with powers under Section 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Baboo Gonesh Chunder Chowdry, Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye, is also appointed to be Judge of the Small Cause Court at that place, with effect from the date on which he took charge of that office.

Mr. J. R. Hallett, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahye, is re-invested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and with powers under Sections 112, 157, 222, 417, and 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code, with effect from the date on which he took charge of his duties as Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahye.

Baboo Soshee Bhusan Chatterjee, Moonsif of Diamond Harbour, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred temporarily to Sealdah in that district, and is vested with the powers of a Judge of the Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 50.

The above appointment will have effect from the date on which Baboo Soshee Bhusan Chatterjee joined his appointment at Sealdah.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 8th January* 1879.—Baboo Nilmoney Dass, Moonsif of Maldah, in the district of Dinagepore, has been allowed leave of absence without pay for one month, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The 10th January 1879.—Baboo Gopal Chunder Bose, First Moonsif of Burrisal, in the district of Backergunge, has been allowed three months' leave of absence, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from any date after the 15th January 1879.

The 14th January 1879.—Baboo Gokool Chand, Moonsif of Kudba, in the district of Purneah, has been allowed leave of absence for three months, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him on the 12th November 1878.

The 16th January 1879.—Baboo Mohendronath Roy, Moonsif of Bazitpore, in the district of Mymensingh, has been allowed leave of absence for one month and 15 days, under Section 31-1 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 20th January 1879, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Sheosurun Lall, First Sudder Moonsif of Gya, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 9th January 1879.—In the notification dated 6th October 1878, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 16th idem, Part I, page 1123, notifying the removal of the site of the Debipore Police Station in the District of Maldah to Ratna, *for* "Ratna" *read* "Ratooa."

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th January 1879.—It is hereby notified that under Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor declares the ferry on the river Jumna, between the village of Gheor on the south and Bailjuree on the north, in thana Jaffergunge, in the district of Dacca, to be a public ferry.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 21st January 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that under the provisions of Section 11 of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, the Lieutenant-Governor declares that the building in the Alms House in Amherst Street, Calcutta, is fit for a workhouse for the reception of vagrants and for the purposes of the said Act.

2. Under Section 12 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the appointment of Mr. Thomas McGuire, the Superintendent of the Alms House, as Governor of the workhouse, and under the same section the Lieutenant-Governor appoints the following gentlemen to be members of a Committee of management of the workhouse:—

Hon'ble W. F. McDonell, v.c., *President.*	Mr. J. Lambert.
Mr. W. M. Souttar.	„ G. Yule.
Dr. S. C. Mackenzie.	„ E. Lindstedt.
„ A. S. Lethbridge.	Capt. C. J. Wilkinson.

3. Under Section 14 of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes Mr. McGuire to punish, under the supervision and direction of the Committee of management, any vagrant who knowingly disobeys or neglects any of the rules for the management and discipline of the workhouse, with any one of the punishments described in that section.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1878.—Under section 79 of Act III of 1877 (the Indian Registration Act), it is hereby notified for general information that with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the omission of the words "or authority to adopt (such authority being executed before the 1st January 1872)," from Article C (*a*) of the schedule of fees published under section 77 of Act VIII of 1871.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1878.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 641 of Act X of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to exempt Rajah Komul Krishna, of Sobha Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, from personal attendance in civil courts.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th December 1878.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the provisions of section 34 of Act V of 1861 to the town of Hausua, in the Nowada sub-division of the district of Gya.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th January 1878.

No. 6.—*Notifications.*—The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for information :—

No. 47, dated 22nd November 1878
" 48, " 29th " "
" 49, " 6th December "

No 50, dated 13th December 1878
" 51, " 20th " "

No 57 *of* 17*th January* 1879.—The following extracts from the lists marginally noted, received from the India Office, are republished for general information :

Permitted to return to duty.

* * * * * *

Colonel C. T. Stewart, Royal Engineers.

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No. 7.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No 28 *of* 14*th January* 1879.—The following is republished for information in the Public Works Department :—

Financial Department Notification, pay and allowances, No. 2772 *of* 13*th December* 1878.—In supersession of existing orders, the President in Council is pleased to rule that when a public officer in civil employ, who is provided with or reimbursed the cost of a second class passage by sea or in a river steamer, makes his own arrangements for messing, he is entitled to table money at the rate of three-tenths of his salary, within a maximum of Rs. 3 and a minimum of four annas, for every day on which he dines on board. This notification does not apply to any officer in the Military Department who is entitled to travelling allowance under military rules.

No. 32 *of* 15*th January* 1879 —The services of the following officers are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department :—

* * * * * *

Major-General J. E. T. Nicolls, R E.

* * * * * *

No. 40 *of* 9*th December* 1878.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions and appointments :—

Colonel A. Cadell, R.E., Chief Engineer, Class II, and Secretary in the Public Works Department to the Agent, Governor-General, Central India, to be Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Public Works Department, *vice* Major-General J. E T. Nicolls, R.E., retired.

No. 8.—Colonel A. Cadell, R E., who has been appointed as Chief Engineer and Secretary in this Department, assumed charge of his office on the 6th January 1879, afternoon.

G. A. D. ANLEY, C.E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

No. 9.—*Notifications.*—Mr. G. A. D Anley, Assistant Secretary in this Department, held charge of the office of Chief Engineer and Secretary in this Department from the 31st December 1878, afternoon, the date of the retirement of Major-General J. E. T. Nicolls, R E., to the 6th January 1879, afternoon.

No. 10.—Baboo Kally Sunker Chatterjee, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Chittagong Division on the 11th December 1878, beforenoon, on return from the privilege leave granted* to him, the unexpired portion of which is cancelled.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 217 of 28th October 1878.

No. 11.—*Leave of Absence.*—Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, attached to the Dacca Division, is allowed privilege leave for two months under Civil Leave Code, Supplement F, Section 12, with effect from the 24th November 1878, beforenoon.

No. 12.—Mr. J. J. O'Flaherty, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, attached to the Mozufferpore Division, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 18th November to the 11th December 1878, under Chapter VI, Section 24(*b*) of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 13.—Mr. W. B. Christie, Executive Engineer (temporary rank), Fourth Grade, attached to the Burdwan Division, availed himself of the three months' privilege leave granted† to him from the 3rd January 1879, afternoon.

† Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 1 of 3rd January 1879.

No. 14.—Mr. A. Wilson, Deputy Examiner of Public Works Accounts (temporary rank), Second Grade, Bengal, who was temporarily employed as Assistant Secretary in this Department, rejoined the Central Office of Accounts, Bengal, on the 31st December 1878, afternoon.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 249 of the 16th December 1878.

No. 15.—*Postings.*—Mr. W. Smith, Superintending Engineer, First Grade, having been transferred* by the Government of India, Public Works Department, to this Province, is posted to the Northern Circle.

No. 16.—Mr. D. Scott, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Dacca Division, of which he assumed charge on the 4th January 1879, afternoon.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

Dated Fort William, the 20th January 1879.

No. 17.—*Notification.*—The declaration, No. 254, dated the 25th September 1877, under section 6 of Act X of 1870, of the Government of India, relative to the land required for the site of a serai in the village of Komaibag, pergunnah Ameerabad, zillah Maldah, which was published at page 1406 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 26th idem, is hereby cancelled.

No. 18.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the site of a serai, in the village of Dosarakhattia, pergunnah Amirabad, zillah Maldah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring more or less 1 beegha and 5 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Mahesh Mati Road; on the west by potit land belonging to Kalu Shaikh and Rajani Kanto Sha, minor; on the south by potit land belonging to Kalu Shaikh and Rajani Kanto Sha, minor, and by the Rathbari Road; and on the east by Multan Shaikh's garden, is required within the aforesaid village of Dosarakhattia.

2. This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. CADELL, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 20th January 1879.

No. 17.—*Postings.*—Mr. F. B. Pemberton, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 6th January 1879.

No. 18.—Captain E. C. Elliston, R.E., Executive Engineer, Third Grade, to the Arrah Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 4th January 1879

No. 19.—Under the orders marginally noted, Mr. G. T. St. A. Nixon, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, was posted to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, and thence transferred to the Eastern Sone Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 5th January 1879.

No. 825, dated 31st December 1878.

No. 20.—*Notification.*—The undermentioned Engineer Officers reported their return from Madras Famine Relief Works on the dates specified against their names:—

Mr. G. H. Faulkner, Executive Engineer, Second Grade,—forenoon of 20th January 1879.

Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, and Mr. C. Taylor, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade,—on the afternoon of the 18th January 1879.

No. 21.—*Posting.*—Mr. G. H. Faulkner, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, to the South-Western Circle, until further orders.

No. 22.—*Notifications.*—The following extract from the notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

No. 32, *dated* 15*th January* 1879.— * * * *. The services of Colonel F. T. Haig, R.E., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras in the Military Department.

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No. 28.—The following extract from the notifications of the Government of India Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

No. 40, *dated* 17*th January* 1879.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following promotions and appointments:—

* * * * * *

Mr. H. C. Levinge, Superintending Engineer, First Grade, Bengal Irrigation Branch, is promoted to Class III Chief Engineer, and appointed Chief Engineer and Joint Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch.

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No. 24.—Mr. J. R. Swinden, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Gunduck Division, availed himself, on the forenoon of the 13th December 1878, of the privilege leave granted him in notification No. 3, of the 2nd instant.

No. 25.—*Transfer.*—Lieutenant R. H. Brown, R E., Assistant Engineer, First Grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Eastern Sone Division to the Office of the Superintending Engineer, Sone Circle, which he joined on the forenoon of the 15th instant.

No. 26.—*Notification.*—Mr. G. F. Moore, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Gunduck Division on the afternoon of the 8th January 1879.

No. 27.—*Posting.*—Mr. E. A. Parsick, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, is posted to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 2nd January 1879.

No. 28.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a distributary to be called the Gungree Feeder of the Sarun Irrigation Scheme, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring about 4 miles and 4416 feet in length, and averaging from 65 to 95 feet in width, more or less, and containing 44 acres 36 poles, more or less, is required in the district of Sarun.

The said strip of land is for the most part situated in mouzahs Roopun Chap, Seemareah, Jokaha, Allapore, Butterda, Surfara, Pursowni, and Sudhowa, in pergunnahs Dungsee, zillah Sarun.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. B. HORN,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

RAILWAY.

The 20th January 1879.

No. 3.—*Notifications.*—Referring to notification No. 27, of the 31st October 1878, the following officers were relieved of their duties on the Northern Bengal State Railway for employment on the Central Bengal Railway Surveys on the dates specified against their respective names:—

	Relieved.
Baboo Mutty Lall Dey, Assistant Engineer, First Grade	Forenoon of 11th November 1878.
Mr. H. B. Molesworth, Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank)	„ 6th „ „
Mr. R. F. Coppin, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade	„ 22nd „ „
„ R. A. English, „ „ „ „ ...	„ 1st „ „
„ A. M. Chiodetti, „ „ Third „ ...	„ 3rd December „

No. 4.—Mr. W. W. Shanks, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 24th October 1878, from the furlough granted in notification No. 4, of the 25th June 1877. This cancels notification No. 45, of 10th December 1878.

No. 5.—Referring to notification No. 60, of the 6th November 1878, the following officers joined the Central Bengal State Railway Surveys, and were posted as noted against their names:—

	Joined.	Posted to
Mr. W. C. Hutchinson, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade ...	6th November 1878.	Diamond Harbour Surveys.
Mr. J. Wallace, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade... ...	6th „ „	Western Division.

No. 6.—Referring to notification No. 27, of the 31st October 1878, the undermentioned officers joined the Central Bengal Railway Surveys, and were posted to divisions as noted against their respective names:—

	Joined.	Posted to
Mr. G. R. Clark, Executive Engineer, Third Grade	11th November 1878.	Charge of Eastern Division.
Mr. W. W. Shanks, Executive Engneer, Fourth Grade ...	30th October „	Eastern Division.
Lieutenant W. H. White, R E., Assistant Engineer, First Grade.	17th November „	Charge of Diamond Harbour Surveys.
Baboo Mutty Lall Dey, Assistant Engineer, First Grade ...	11th „ „	Western Division.
Mr. H. B. Molesworth, Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank)	11th „ „	„ „
Mr. R. A. English, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade... ...	11th „ „	Eastern „
Mr. R. F. Coppin, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade... ...	22nd „ „	„ „
Mr. A. M. Chiodetti, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade ...	4th December „	Western „

This cancels notification No. 46, of the 10th December 1878.

No. 7.—Mr. G. H. Tait, Executive Engineer, Second Grade (temporary rank), Tirhoot State Railway, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 12th December 1878 from the furlough granted in notification No. 3, of the 25th June 1877.

Mr. Tait is granted subsidiary leave of absence for eight days from the 5th to the 11th December 1878, both days inclusive.

No. 8.—Mr. G. H. Tait, Executive Engineer, Second Grade (temporary rank), is transferred from the Tirhoot State Railway to the Central Bengal State Railway Surveys, and posted to the charge of the Western Division, which he joined on the forenoon of the 12th December 1878.

No. 9.—Mr. T. M. Vigors, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, returned to duty on the forenoon of the 2nd January 1879 from the privilege leave granted in notification No. 40, of the 2nd December 1878.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy., Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 16th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Burdwan, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Santipore to Mymaree *viâ* Culnah.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for Government Railway Policemen's accommodation of the East Indian Railway Company in the town of Howrah, pergunnah Boror, zillah Hooghly;

It is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 acre 1 rood 3¼ poles, or 3 beeghas 16 cottahs 15 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Tindal Bagan Road; on the south by Chandmaree Road; on the east by Mr. George Jones' house and Baboo Hurry Mohun Bose's house; and on the west by New Street, is required in the aforesaid Town of Howrah.

This declaration is made, under the provision of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 430, *dated Alipore, the 20th January* 1879.—Surgeon J. M. Zorab made over charge of the Balasore Jail to Moulvi Abdul Hye, Deputy Magistrate, in the afternoon of the 6th November 1878.

Moulvi Abdul Hye made over charge of the said jail to Mr. J. Whitmore, C.S., on the 19th idem. This cancels notification No. 11136, dated 23rd December 1878, at page 1341 of the Gazette dated the 25th December 1878.

S. S. LYNCH,
Depy. Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৫ জানুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই ফেব্রুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের দ্বিতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

It is hereby notified, under Section 14, Act XI of 1865, that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Furreedpore will hold his sittings in the said Court on the dates mentioned below, viz.—

Furreedpore Small Cause Court,—from the 26th to the end of the month.

PROMOTHO NATH MOOKERJEE, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

FURREEDPORE SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 14th January 1879.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, it is hereby notified that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Hooghly, Serampore, and Howrah will, subject to the orders of the Government, hold *extraordinary sittings* in the Hooghly Small Cause Court on the dates mentioned below:—

Friday, the 24th January 1879. | Saturday, the 25th January 1879.

DWARKA NATH MITTER, *Officiating Judge.*

HOWRAH COURT OF SMALL CAUSES, the 16th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 14, Act XI of 1865, that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts at Kooshtea, Pubna, and Chooadanga will, during the month of February 1879, sit in those Courts on the following dates, except Sundays and holidays:—

At Chooadanga on the 1st, and from 19th to 26th February 1879.
Kooshtea, from 2nd to 12th, and from 27th to 28th February 1879.
Pubna, from 13th to 18th February 1879.

BOLLORAM MULLICK, *Officiating Judge.*

KOOSHTEA, the 17th January 1879.

TREASURY NOTICE.

MR. J. A. CRAVEN, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Darjeeling Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. ULICK BROWNE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN.,
Dated Rampore Beauleah, the 13th January 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

Examination of Candidates for Pleadership and Mookhtarship in Mofussil Courts subordinate to the High Court.

NOTIFICATION.

THE above examination will take place on the 24th and 25th instant, at Calcutta, Patna, Cuttack, and Gowhatty.

The Calcutta examination will be held at the Presidency College, and will commence at 10 A.M. on each of the above days.

No candidate will be admitted to the examination room after that hour.

The candidates will be required to produce at the examination the extracts from the register, which will be furnished to them by the District Judges, through whom their applications were sent to the Board of Examiners.

The candidates will also be required to produce the receipts for the portion of their fees not paid at the time of sending in their applications.

E. T. TREVELYAN,
Secretary to the Board of Examiners for Pleadership and Mookhtarship.

The 10th January 1879.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1632B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd February 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium ...	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th February 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th February 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th February 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Tuesday, 4th March 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 3rd April „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th „ „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	25,000	25,000	50,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 31st December 1878.

The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

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The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 14th January 1879.

No. 33.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. R. B. McCabe, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Third Grade, in Assam, to officiate as Assistant Commissioner, Second Grade, with effect from the 10th July 1878, or until further orders.

No. 37.—Sir W. J. Herschel, *Bart.*, is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service with effect from the 7th October 1878.

The 15th January 1879.

No. 45.—A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor-General by the resignation of His Excellency General Sir Neville B. Chamberlain, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., Commander-in-Chief, Madras, and no provisional Member of Council being on the spot, the Governor-General in Council has been pleased, under the provisions of the Act 24 and 25 Vic., Cap. 67, Section 27, to appoint Lieutenant-General Richard Strachey, R.E., C.S.I., F.R.S., to be a temporary Member of Council with effect from this day, and to act as such during the remaining period of the leave of absence granted to General Sir E. B. Johnson, K.C.B., and the said General Strachey has this forenoon assumed charge of his office under the usual salute.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 15th January 1879.

No. 20.—Mr. H. Savage, of the Bengal Civil Service, having obtained a certificate of High Proficiency in Bengali, has been presented with the authorized donation of Rs. 1,000.

MEDICAL.

The 17th January 1879.

No. 62.—The undermentioned Assistant Surgeons are promoted to the grades, and with effect from the dates, specified opposite their names :—

Names.	To what grade promoted.	Date of promotion.
* *	* *	*
Baboo Preumber Nauth Mitter	... 2nd grade	... 1st November 1878.
* *	* *	*
Baboo Devendra Nath Roy	... 2nd grade	... 10th May 1878.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—SURVEYS.

Calcutta, the 15th January 1879.

No. 31.—Major-General D. C. Vanrenen, R.A., Deputy Surveyor-General and Superintendent of Revenue Surveys, retired from the Survey Department on the 31st ultimo.

MARINE SURVEYS.—CASUALTIES AND DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Calcutta, the 16th January 1879.

No. 3 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

BAY OF BENGAL—GODAVERY DISTRICT—COCANADA.

Revolving Light at Vakalapudi.

With reference to this Department Notice to Mariners, No. 27 of 8th December 1878, on the intended exhibition of a revolving light at Vakalapudi, telegraphic information has this day been received that the light was exhibited on the 15th instant, and that on the same night the small light, formerly shewn on the north side of the entrance to Cocanada river, was discontinued.

The light is a revolving *white* light of the fourth order, flashing at intervals of 20 seconds, elevated 80 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles, in every direction seaward

The light tower—a white column 76 feet high from base to vane—is situated to seaward of the cocoanut trees, about 2½ cables from the shore, and 4·6 nautic miles N. by E. ½ E from the old light-house at Cocanada.

The illuminating apparatus is catadioptric, or by reflectors and lenses of the fourth order.

[Position . Latitude 17° 0′ 40″ N., longitude 82° 16′ 30″ E.]

This light is intended to lead vessels clear of the shoals to the north of Point Godavari (Gordeware), when coming into the Cocanada anchorage from the southward and eastward.

In rounding the point, vessels should not come under 10 fathoms till the Vakalapudi light bears to the westward of W. N. W., and the fixed light on Hope Island bears S. by W., when the anchorage, which is in 5 fathoms, may be safely approached.

[*The bearings are Magnetic : Variation 2° 0′ Easterly in* 1879.]

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I.N.)*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 16th January 1879.

By order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following Indian Marine Survey Charts : —Coringa or Cocanada Bay, No. 113 ; Narsapur Point to Palmyras Point, No. 1172 ; Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 15*b* ; and Admiralty Charts of Coringa or Cocanada Bay, No. 81 ; Coromandel Coast, No. 71*a* ; Cape Comorin to Cocanada, No. 828 ; Cocanada to Bassein, No. 829 ; Bay of Bengal, western part, No. 70*a* ; Indian Ocean, northern portion, No. 748*b* ; also Indian Marine Survey and Admiralty Light Lists, and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 464.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

No. 4 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

BAY OF BENGAL—COAST OF ORISSA.

Intended alteration in False Point Light.

Notice is hereby given that it is intended shortly to substitute for the present very inefficient light at False Point, a 1st order Dioptric fixed light, which will illuminate 200° of arc, and be visible at a distance of about 20 miles.

The present light will be shown until the new light is exhibited, due notice and details of which will be given.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 16th January 1879.

By Order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the Indian Marine Survey Charts :—False Point anchorage, No. 1165 ; False Point to Mutlah River, No. 115 ; Narsapur Point to Palmyras Point, No. 1172 ; and Bay of Bengal (western portion), No. 103*a* ; also the Admiralty Charts of False Point anchorage, No. 755 ; the Sandheads, No. 814 ; Palmyras Point to Chittagong, No. 1681 ; Cocanada to Bassein River, No. 829 ; Bay of Bengal (western portion), No. 70*a* ; and Indian Ocean (northern portion), No. 748*b* ; the Admiralty and Marine Survey Department Light Lists for 1879 ; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 469.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

The 17th January 1879.

No. 5 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

INDIA—WEST COAST—MALABAR COAST.

Shifting of the entrances to Honore (Honawa) and Mangalore.

(1) *Honore (Honawa), North Canara.*

Notice is hereby given that the entrance to Honore (Honawa) has, since the last survey, shifted half a nautic mile to the northward. Vessels should now anchor in 5 or 6 fathoms, mud, with the monument in line with the river mouth bearing about E. ¼ N.

(2) *Mangalore, South Canara.*

Also that the entrance to the Mangalore river has shifted nearly one nautic mile to the northward. Vessels should now anchor in 5 or 6 fathoms, mud, with the light-house bearing E. ¼ S.

[*The bearings are Magnetic : Variation* 0° 45′ *Easterly in* 1879.]

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I.N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 17th January 1879.

By order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—

(1). Ramas Cape to Alvagudda, No. 744 ; Viziadrug to Cochin, No. 2737 ; Kurrachee to Vingorla No. 826 ; Vingorla to Cape Comorin, No. 827 ; also Indian Marine Survey Charts Nos. 15 and 15*a* ; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 399.

(2). Molky to Mount Dilly, No. 746 ; Viziadrug to Cochin, No. 2737 ; Vingorla to Cape Comorin, No. 827 ; also Indian Marine Survey Chart No. 15*a* ; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 401.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introdued into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

No. 6 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

INDIA—WEST COAST—GULF OF CUTCH.

Fixed light at Roji (Nowa-nugga).

Official information has been received in this Department that a light is now —and has been since the year 1867—exhibited on Roji island, south shore of the Gulf of Cutch.

The light is a fixed *white* light, elevated 42 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles, through an arc of 120°, or between the bearings of S. E. by E. ¼ E., round by the south to S. W. by W. ¼ W.

The light tower is round and white-washed, is 50 feet high from base to vane, and is situated near the west corner of Roji mata (temple), which lies on the north-east point of Roji island, at the entrance to Nowa-nugga creek.

The illuminating apparatus consists of a lantern with three burners and reflectors.

Position (Admiralty Chart) : Latitude 22° 32′ 50″ N., longitude 70° 1′ 30″ E.

(*The bearings are Magnetic and from Seaward : Variation* 1° 0′ *Easterly in* 1879.)

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 17th January 1879.

By order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Cutch, No. 43 ; Sindh and Cutch Coasts, No. 42 ; Gulf of Cutch to Viziadrug, No. 2736 ; Kurrachee to Vingorla,

No. 826; and Indian Ocean, No. 748*b*; also Indian Marine Survey Chart, No. 15; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 345.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Fort William, the 17th January 1879.

No. 298.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to empower Mr. F. C. Barnes, Assistant to the Comptroller-General, to sign Promissory Notes for the Secretary to the Government of India.

PAY AND ALLOWANCES—DEPUTATION ALLOWANCES.

The 17th January 1879.

No. 260.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that each local Government and each Department of the Government of India is competent to sanction the grant, to an officer deputed to serve on a commission of special enquiry, assembled at a distance from his head-quarters, of deputation allowance equal to one-fifth of his salary up to a maximum of Rs. 10 a day, for the entire period of his absence from his head-quarters on such duty, in addition to actual travelling expenses.

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST-OFFICE

The 17th January 1879.

No. 289.—Mr. T. W. Gribble, B.C.S., received charge of the Office of Post-Master General, Bengal, after noon, on the 31st December 1878.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS,

Fort William, the 17th January 1879.

No. 45.—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT—

Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Surgeons in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces in the Presidency of Bengal. They are accordingly admitted into the service:—

Surgeon George Frederick Nicholson, M.D	Arrived at Bombay 25th October 1878.
Surgeons Eugene Cretin, Andrew Duncan, M.D., Arthur Hemsted, George Augustus Cones, Samuel Ferguson Bigger, George Scott Robertson, John Seton Bialé, and John Edward Walsh, M.D.	Arrived at Bombay 7th November 1878.
Surgeon George Michael Nixon	Arrived at Bombay 11th November 1878.

No. 47, dated 22nd November 1878.
" 48, " 29th " "
" 49, " 6th December "
" 50, " 13th " "
" 51, " 20th " "

No. 57.—The following extracts from the lists marginally noted, received from the India Office, are published for general information:—

Permitted to return to duty.

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Surgeon-Major J. J. Durant.
Major L. Blathwayt, Staff Corps.

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VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 66.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council having sanctioned the formation of a Volunteer Rifle Corps to be designated the "Tirhoot State Railway Volunteer Rifles," and to be attached to the East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps for administrative purposes, the following appointments are notified:—

To be Lieutenant.

Mr. Walter Mowbray Johnston.

To be 2nd Lieutenant.

Mr. James Douglas.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ORDERS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR AND SYNDICATE OF THE CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY.

The under-mentioned Students have passed the First Examination in Arts:—

FIRST DIVISION.

In order of Merit.

1	Sen, Mohinimohan	... Presidency College.
2	Mukhopadhyay, Priyanath	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Sunder, Charles E.	... St. Xavier's College.
4	Ghosh, Isanchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
5	Mitra, Baradacharan	... Presidency College.
6	De, Jaygopal	... General Assembly's Institution.
7	Basu, Srischandra	... Lahore College.
	Das, Haripada	... Metropolitan Institution.
9	Bhattacharyya, Haridas	... Sanskrit College.
10	Ghosh, Kantibhushan	... Krishnaghur College.
	Moreshwar Kelker Binayek	... High School, Jabalpur.
12	Chattopadhyay, Gangacharan	... Metropolitan Institution.
13	Chakrabarti, Jadabchandra	... General Assembly's Institution.
14	Chandra, Agornath	... Presidency College.
15	Basu, Kalipada	... Krishnaghur College.
16	Sinha, Manindrachandra	... Presidency College.
17	Fakir Chand	... Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Lahiri, Haribar	... Presidency College.
	Mitra, Saratchandra	... Ditto.
20	Basu, Atulchandra	... Doveton College.
	Guha, Prasannakumar	... Dacca College.
	Mandal, Judunath	... Presidency College.
23	Chattopadhyay, Narayandas	... Sanskrit College.
	Kedarnath	... Lahore College.
	Shaikh Qurban Ahmed	... Canning College, Lucknow.
26	Amjad Ali	... Patna College.
27	Kelly, W. A.	... St. Xavier's College.
28	Ghosh, Jogendrachandra	... Presidency College.
29	Jagneswar Bapuji Bodhenkar	... High School, Jabalpur.
30	Ahmad Ali	... Hugli College.
	Ghosh, Mahendrakumar	... Dacca College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Nandalal	... Presidency College.
33	Ghosh, Saradacharan	... Dacca College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Krishnakali	... Sanskrit College.
35	Bhatt, Krishnaram	... Benares College.
	Bhattacharyya, Trailokyanath	... Dacca College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Brajalal	... Cuttack College.
38	Bandyopadhyay, Bansidhar	... Presidency College.
39	Basu, Upendranath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	Mitra, Upendrachandra	... Presidency College.
	Pandit, Budh Sen	... Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Younan, A.	... St. Xavier's College.
43	Chaudhuri, Satyendrakumar	... Metropolitan Institution.
	Mitra, Lalbihari	... Hugli College.
45	Chattopadhyay, Ratinath	... Ditto.
	Sen, Rajmohan	... Presidency College.
	Uhdadar, Narendranath	... Benares College.
48	Majumdar, Nilmadhab	... Hugli College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Saradaprasad	... Patna College.
50	Basu, Annadaprasad	... Hugli College.
	Das, Bhawani	... Lahore College.
	Jha, Ramanath	... Benares College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bhabacharan	... Presidency College.
	Jagannath Prasad	... Patna College.
55	Basu, Matilal	... Hugli College.
	Lahiri, Lalitmohan	... Baulcah High School.
	Misra, Lajjaram	... Canning College, Lucknow.
58	Dás, Damodar	... Benares College.
59	Abdus Salam	... St. Xavier's College.
	Ray, Guruprasanna	... Hugli College.
61	Bandyopadhyay, Syamacharan	... Canning College, Lucknow.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Adhya, Bipinbihari	. . Presidency College.
	Badrinath	... Lahore College.
	Bagley, A. H.	... Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Bandyopadhyay, Asutosh	... Cuttack College.
	,, Asutosh	... Calcutta Free Church Institution.
	,, Harilal	... General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Nagendranath	... Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Srischandra	... Hugli College.
	Barman, Bipinbihari	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipur.
10	Basak, Kalikrishna	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Basu, Basantakrishna	... Presidency College.
	,, Brajasyam	... Ditto.
	,, Haridas (Junior)	... General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Kailaschandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Manindranath	... Presidency College.
	,, Nakurchandra	... Cathedral Mission College.
	,, Rajaninath	... Cuttack College.
	,, Saradacharn	... Metropolitan Institution.
	Bhattacharyya, Akshaychandra	... Do. Do.
20	,, Bemolaprasad	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	,, Rajanikanta	... Ditto.
	,, Rajendranath	... Ditto.
	Biswas, Jogneswar	... Presidency College.
	Chakrabarti, Asutosh	... Sanskrit College.
	,, Gangacharan	... Bauleah High School.
	,, Kunjabihari	... Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Mohinimohan	... Presidency College.
	,, Nisakanta	... General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Purnachandra	... Ex-Student, Midnapore High School.
30	,, Rameswar	... Cathedral Mission College.
	,, Srischandra	... Dacca College
	Chattopadhyay, Aghornath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Upendrachandra	... Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Asutosh	... Presidency College.
	,, Jogendralal	... Hugli College.
	Damodarlal	... Lahore College.
	Das, Gangadhar	... Presidency College.
	Datta, Amritalal	... Cathedral Mission College.
	,, Kedarnath	... Presidency College.
40	,, Piyarilal	... High School, Jabalpur.
	De, Rammohan	... L. M. High School, Benares.
	,, Upendralal	... Cathedral Mission College.
	Gangopadhyay, Haridas	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Ghosh, Anandachandra	... Dacca College.
	,, Annadaprasad	... Hugli College.
	,, Bipinbihari	... Presidency College.
	,, Girischandra (Senior)	... General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Janakiballabh	... Cuttack College.
	,, Sitalprasad	... Hugli College.
50	Gupta, Bamacharan	... Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Kunjabihari	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	,, Kunjalal	... Sanskrit College.
	,, Nagendranath	... Presidency College.
	Heard, Hebert H.	... St. Xavier's College.
	Hushmat Ullah	... Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Harilakshman Indurkar	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Jaykrishna Babaji	... Ditto.
	Jamait Ali	... L. M. High School, Benares.
	Khalilur Rohmon	... Hugli College.
60	Maitra, Chandranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Sureschandra	... Ditto.
	Majumdar, Ambikacharan	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	,, Jadunath	... Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Krishnasundar	... Dacca College.
	Manikchand	... Benares College.
	Misra, Brahmasankar	... Ditto.
	,, Isanchandra	... Hugli College.
	,, Sukhmangal	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Mitra, Asutosh	.. General Assembly's Institution.

70	Mitra, Ganeschandra	... Patna College.
	„ Haridas	... Presidency College.
	„ Shorasicharan	... Presidency College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Asutosh	... Canning Collge, Lucknow.
	„ Binodbihari	... Presidency College.
	„ Gobindachandra	... Midnapore High School.
	„ Harischandra	... Berhampore College.
	„ Nityalal	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	„ Satischandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	Munshi, Ramchandra	... Ditto.
80	Mukund Rao Nafre	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Nag, Akshaykumar	... Berhampore College.
	Nandi, Purnachandra	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Niogi, Surendranath	... Presidency College.
	Pal, Bhutnath	... Ditto.
	„ Satkari	... Hugli College.
	Piyari Lal	... Agra College.
	Pramanik, Krishadayal	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	Priestley, H. G.	... Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
	Raha, Gobindchandra	... Ex-Student, General Assembly's Institution.
90	Ram Prasad	... Patna College.
	Ratichand	... Lahore College.
	Ramkumar	... Moharaja's College, Jeypur.
	Ram Nath	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Ray, Gopalnarayan	... Ex-Student, L. M. High School, Benares.
	„ Jogendranath	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	„ Ramsankar	... Cuttack College.
	„ Surendranath	... Presidency College.
	„ Upendranarayan	... Hugli College.
	Reazuddin	... Chittagong High School.
100	Saha, Ramlal	... Berhampore College.
	Sahay, Ganga	... Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Jagannath, Junior	... Patna College.
	Nilkanta	... Presidency College.
	„ Sheonath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	Sanyal, Ramchandra	... Midnapore High School.
	Sarkar, Charuchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Srischandra	... Dacca College.
	Sarma, Chandulal	... Ajmere College.
	Sen, Annadakumar	... Presidency College.
110	Sen, Ramlal	... Presidency College.
	„ Satischandra	... Chittagong High School.
	„ Taraprasanna	... Dacca College.
	Seth, Sudarsan Sing	... Muir Central College, Allahabad
	Sibanarayanlal	... Benares College.
	Sibdayal	... Lahore College.
	Sil, Basantakumar	... Calcutta Free Church Institution.
	Singh, Daniel	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Sinha, Jyotiprasad	... Presidency College.
	„ Radhikaprasad	... Hugli College.
120	Sri Ram	... Lahore College.
	Suri, Sundar Das	... Ditto.
	Syed Muzeffer Husain	... Canning College, Lucknow.
123	Tarachand	... St. John's College, Agra.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Bagchi, Umaprasad	... Presidency College.
	Baldeo Lal	... Patna College.
	Baldeo, Raghunath Ramchandra	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Bandyopadhyay, Adharchandra	... Krishnaghur College.
	„ Beninath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Dinabandhu	... Presidency College.
	„ Golaknath	... Hugli College.
	„ Haridhan	... Presidency College.
	Bharali, Isananda	... Ex-Student, Cathedral Mission College.
10	Bhattacharyya, Harigopal	... Krishnaghur College.
	„ Sasadhar	... Benares College.
	Biswas, Banawarilal	... Hugli College.
	„ Shastibar	... Krishnaghur College.
	Chakrabarti, Lalitmohun	... Dacca College.
	„ Purnachandra	... Krishnaghur College.

	Chandra, Akshaykumar	... Metropolitan Institution.
	Chattopadhyay, Akshaykumar	... Presidency College.
	„ Baradakanta	... Cathedral Mission College.
	„ Girindranarayan	... Krishnaghur College.
20	„ Haranchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Haripada	... Ditto.
	„ Sankhyabihari	... Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Harasankar	... Presidency College.
	„ Prasannanath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	Das, Bhagwan	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Datta, Durlabhchandra	... Hugli College.
	„ Kedareswar	... Krishnaghur College.
	„ Mahendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Purnachandra	... Hugli College.
30	„ Sasibhushan	... General Assembly's Institution.
	De, Matilal	... Ditto.
	Deb, Jogendra Chandra	... Presidency College.
	„ Shibchandra	... Ditto.
	Dhar, Batabihari	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Gangopadhyay, Priyanath	... Berhampore College.
	Ghosh, Annadaprasad	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Madanmohan	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Taraknath	... Presidency College.
	„ Upendranath	... Midnapore High School.
40	Guha, Janakinath	... Dacca College.
	Gupta, Panchanan	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Upendrakrishna	... Presidency College.
	Haldar, Satkari	... Hugli College.
	Jansz, Cyril C. A.	... St. Thomas' College, Colombo.
	Jaychand	... Lahore College.
	Maitra, Krishnanath	... Krishnaghur College.
	Majumdar, Ambikacharan	... Benares College.
	Majumdar, Murarilal	... Berhampore College.
	Mallik, Srinarayan	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
50	Misra, Harinarayan	... Presidency College.
	Mitra, Bipinbihari	... Hugli College.
	„ Haranchandra	... Patna College.
	„ Nimaicharan	... Cuttack College.
	„ Sureschandra No. 1	... Presidency College.
	„ Upendragopal	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	Mukhopadhyay, Biharilal	... Krishnaghur College.
	„ Jayhari	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Jogeschandra	... Cuttack College.
	„ Nagendranath	... Presidency College.
60	„ Srischandra	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Masud Ali	... Hugli College.
	Nandi, Asutosh	... Presidency College.
	Niogi, Kailaschandra	... Hugli College.
	Pal, Debendranath	... Presidency College.
	Palit, Debendranath	... Hugli College.
	Patnaik, Krishnamohan	... Cuttack College.
	Rama Prasad	... L. M. High School, Benares.
	Ray, Kisorilal	... Hugli College.
	„ Ishanchandra	... Bauleah High School.
70	„ Saratchandra	... Patna College.
	„ Sureschandra	... Krishnaghur College.
	„ Umapada	... Ex-Student Hugli College.
	„ Upendranath	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	Rockwell, J. W.	... Teacher.
	Samanta, Kalitaran	... Metropolitan Institution.
	Sarkar, Annada Prasad	... Patna College.
	„ Paresnath	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	Sri Ram Bhaskar Sarvate	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Sayyid Abul Bazl	... Presidency College.
80	Sen, Chandrakanta	... Chittagong High School.
	„ Pranhari	... Dacca College.
	Suryya Narayan	... Benares College.
83	Syed Yebyah Husain	... Patna College.

The undermentioned Candidates have passed the Entrance Examination:—

FIRST DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Abdul Hakim	... Patna Collegiate School.
Aich, Lakshmikanta	... Hare School.

	Aratoon, A. T.	...	Armenian Philanthropic Academy.
	Azimuddin, M.	...	High School, Allahabad.
	Babson, J.	...	La Martiniere College, Calcutta.
	Baburam	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Badri; Prasad	...	Hume's High School, Etawah
	Balkrishna	...	St. Peter's College, Allahabad.
	Bandyopadhyay, Haridhan	..	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
10	„ Lalitmohan	...	Hare School.
	„ Pareschandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramchandra	...	Ooterparah School.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Bhagulpur H. C. E. School.
	„ Syamacharan	...	Hare School.
	„ Trailokyanath	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Umacharan	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Banack Prasad	...	Sarun Zila School
	Barik, Nilmadhab	...	Bankura Zila School.
	Basu, Amulyacharan	...	Hare School.
20	„ Jagatchandra	...	Maharani Sarnomoye's School, Ulipur.
	„ Makhanlal	...	Hindu School.
	„ Nityagopal	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Saradaprasad	...	Useful Arts School.
	„ Sasikumar	...	Mymensing Zila School.
	„ Upendranath	..	Benares College.
	Beechey, H.	...	St. George's College, Mussoorie.
	Beechy, P.	...	Ditto.
	Bhaduri, Atalbihari	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Bhattacharyya, Manmathanath	...	Sanskrit College.
30	Biswas, Sureschandra	...	Hindu School.
	Bobade, Ramdhán Raghunáth	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpur.
	Chakrabarti, Baikunthakisor	...	Mymensing Zila School.
	„ Dabendranath	...	Cawnpur Zila School.
	„ Dabendranath	...	Hare School.
	„ Maheswar	...	Mymensing Zila School.
	„ Manmohan	...	Cuttack Collegiate School.
	Chandra, Kalipada	...	Hugli Branch School.
	Chattopadhyay, Ambikacharan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Satyahari	...	Metropolitan Institution.
40	Chaudhuri, Kisorimohan	...	Bauleah High School.
	Corbett, T. B.	...	Mussoorie School.
	Dales, J. B.	...	Ludiana Mission School.
	Datta, Bhairabchandra	...	Howrah School.
	„ Girischandra	...	Sylhet Zila School.
	„ Jogenchandra	...	Hare School.
	„ Sureschandra	...	Hindu School.
	De, Biharilal	...	Beerbhoom Zila School.
	„ Dinanath	...	Oriental Seminary.
	„ Lalbihari	...	Chinsurah F. C. Institution.
50	Deodhar, Bishnu G.	...	High School, Jabalpur.
	Dhar, Kedarnath	...	Hare School.
	Diksit, Hari Sitaram	...	Nagpur City School.
	Dube, Kalidatta	...	Cawnpore Zila School.
	„ Mahananda	...	Hurdui High School.
	Dwarka Prasad	...	Hume's High School, Etawah.
	Dyáhadrao, Sadasiba Jairam	...	Free Church Institution, Nagpur.
	Edwardes, W. C.	..	Teacher.
	Ewing, A.	...	LaMartiniere College, Calcutta.
	Fazlul Haq	...	Bhagalpur H. C. E. School.
60	Ghosh, Asutosh	...	Metropolitan Institution
	„ Kalipada	...	Pandra, H. C. E. School.
	„ Nanilal	...	Beerbhoom Zila School.
	„ Priyanath	...	Hindu School.
	Goswami, Akshaykumar	...	Hare School.
	Guha, Asminikumar	...	Jagganath School, Dacca.
	Gupta, Bipinbihari	...	Hindu School.
	„ Nagendranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	Hall, F. W. G.	...	Mussoorie School.
	Holder, E.	...	LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
70	Hukku, Mohanlal	...	Banda Zila School.
	Ishwari Prasad	...	Aligarh Zila School.
	Jaya Ram	...	District School, Delhi.
	Johnson, E.	...	Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
	Jugal Kisor	...	Ludiana Mission School.

	Kasinath Sridhar Khair	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Kishen Lal	... Hume's High School, Etawah.
	Lahiri, Mohinimohan	... Beauleah High School.
	Lakshmi Narayan	... Moharaja's College, Jeypur.
	Leslie, K. M.	... Doveton College.
80	Macleod, H. W. G.	... Ditto.
	Madak, Priyanath	... Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
	Madhu Prasad	... Ajmere Government College.
	Maitra, Akshaykumar	... Beauleah High School.
	Majumdar, Hariprasanna	... Mymensing Zila School.
	Mallik, Hemchandra	... F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
	Mihin Lal	... Agra College.
	Mirza Muhammad Abbas	... Mozafferpore Zila School.
	Miran Baksh	... District School, Umritsur.
	Misra, Gauriprasad	... Bhagalpur H. C. E. School.
90	Mitra, Akshaykumar (1st)	... Hindu School.
	„ Amritalal	... Naral H. C. E. School.
	„ Nagendranath	.. Hindu School.
	„ Narendrakrishna	... Oriental Seminary.
	„ Saratchandra	... Hindu School.
	„ Surendralal	... Ditto.
	Mohib Ali Khan	... Barari H. C. E. School, Bhagalpur.
	Monies, T.	... Mussoorie School.
	Muhammad Ibrahim	... Calcutta Madrasah.
	Mukhopadhyay, Akshaykumar	... Harinavi A. S. School.
100	„ Chintamani	... Benares College.
	„ Jogendranath	... Hindu School.
	Nand Kumar	... Muttra Zila School.
	O'Grady, George, A.	... St. Francis DeSale's School, Nagpur.
	Pal, Haridas	... Serampore College.
	„ Kedarnath	... Konnagor E. School.
	Pande, Chunilal	... Gonda High School.
	Price, E. T.	... Mussoorie School.
	„ W. L.	... Ditto.
	Rabi Chandra	... Canning College, Lucknow.
110	Ramabalamba	... Mirzapur Zila School.
	Ray, Asutosh	... Joynarayan's College, Benares.
	„ Bamacharan	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Bhabanath	... Hindu School.
	„ Hemendranath	... Hare School.
	„ Mahendranath	... Howrah School.
	„ Prafullachandra	... Albert School.
	„ Saratchandra	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Ray Chaudhuri, Sibkrishna	... Ootterparah School.
	Robeholm, W. C.	.. Doveton College.
120	Sahab Lal	... High School, Allahabad.
	Sahay, Baladeb	... Arrah Zila School.
	Samáddar, Nabakumar	... Mymensing Zila School.
	Sandford, C.	... LaMartiniere College, Calcutta.
	Sarkar, Haridaynath	... Hindu School.
	„ Purnachandra	... Midnapore High School.
	„ Rajanikanta	... Rungpur High School.
	„ Saradaprasad	... Metropolitan Institution, Shampokur Branch.
	Sen, Anathnath	... Hindu School.
	„ Chandrabhushan	... Beerbhoom Zila School.
130	„ Haridas	... Serampore College.
	„ Nalininath	... Hindu School.
	„ Nandalal	... Hare School.
	„ Narendranath	... Commillah Zila School.
	„ Nityndacharan	... Hare School.
	Set, Gobindalal	... Hindu School.
	Sil, Bhagabaticharan	... Pogose School, Dacca.
	„ Brajendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Singh, Aman	... Agra College.
	„ Sibadani	... Arrah Zila School.
140	Sinha, Debendranath	... Beauleah High School.
	„ Madusudan	... Maldah Zila School.
	Sohani, Damodar Balkrishna	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Sohan Lal	... District School, Lahore.
	Som, Upendranath	... Konnagor E. School.
	Srikhandi, Gopal Lakshman	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Srimáni, Jogendranath	... Hindu School.
	Stewart, T.	... Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
	Stuart, H.	... Ditto.
	Surajnarayan Pandit	... Residency College, Indore.

150	Syed Ahmed Hosain	... Mozafferpore Zila School.
	Syed Husain	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Tapaswari Prasad	... Sarun Zila School.
	Thakur, Madhub Singh	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Tomkyns, G.	... St. Paul's School, Darjeeling.
	Van-Rooyen, T. C.	... Wesley College, Colombo.
	Wilkinson, F.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
157	„ H.	... Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Abdul Latif	... Shajehanpore Zila School.
	Abdul Wali	... Calcutta Madrasha.
	Abdur Rahman	... Commillah Zila School.
	Abdurrahman	... Amritsar District School.
	Abdur Rashid Khan	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Abdus Samed	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	Acharyya, Kaliprasanna	... Ditto.
	„ Nilkadta	... Bauleah High School.
	Adharyya, Kasinath	... Bankura Zila School.
10	Adhicari, Gopinikanta	... Pakur School.
	Adhya, Kandarpamohan	... Hare School.
	Ahmad Baksh	... District School, Hushearpur.
	Ahmad Jan	... District School, Amritsar.
	Ajodhya Prasad	... Cawnpur Zila School.
	Ajudhya Prasad	... Fyzabad High School.
	Amba Prasad	... Farakhabad Zila School.
	Anant Lal	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Antonini, J.	... St. Xavier's College.
	Ashgar Ali Khan	... Palamow Government School.
20	Bagh, Dwarkanath	... Maldah Zila School.
	Baharuddin Ahmed	... Bogra Zila School.
	Baikar, Martand Bapaji	... Nagpur City School.
	Bajal, Ramsahay	... St. John's College, Agra.
	Bajpai, Jugalkisor	... Benares College.
	„ Narayanprasad	... High School, Jabalpur..
	Baksi, Makhanlal	... Beerbhoom Zila School
	Balak Ram	... Agra College.
	Baldeo Sahay	... Patiala College.
	Balin Ram	... Fyzabad High Sehcol.
30	Bandyopadhyay, Adharnrisinha	... Chinsurah Grammar School.
	„ Baradakanta	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Basantakumar	... Calcutta Institution.
	„ Dayalnath	... Ranchi Government School.
	„ Girishchandra	... Hare School.
	„ Haranchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Haridas, 1st	... Ditto.
	„ Haridas, 2nd	... Ditto.
	„ Herambacharan	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	„ Jogendranath	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
40	„ Kalipada	... Deoghur Zila School.
	„ Kalisahay	... Barisa School.
	„ Kedarnath	... Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Kiranchandra	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Kunjabihari	... Jessore Zila School.
	„ Narayandas	... Balosore Zila School.
	„ Narendranath	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
	„ Nibranchandra	... Ootterparah School.
	„ Pannalal	... Barisa School.
	„ Piyarilal	... Purulia Government School.
50	„ Priyanath	... Govt. High School, Allahabad.
	„ Priyogopal	... Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Rajendranath	... Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Ramanath	... Hindu School.
	„ Shratchandra	... Konnogur English School.
	„ Sasadhar	... Govt. High School, Allahabad.
	„ Sasibhushan	... Pogose School.
	„ Sitalchandra	... Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Srikrishna	... Goburdangah Aided School.
	„ Surendranath	... Doveton College.
60	„ Upendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Baral, Bholanath	... Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	Barlow, G.	... St. John's College, Agra.

	Barton, R.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
	Basak, Brajendrakumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Jnánchandra	... Hindu School.
	Basu, Atulchandra	... Jagannath School.
	„ Atulyacharan	... Hindu School.
	„ Biswanath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	„ Gopanchandra	... Seal's Free College.
70	„ Gurudas	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Haridas	... Konnogur English School.
	„ Harinath	... Noral H. C. E. School.
	„ Jagadischandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	„ Jagadischandra	... Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	„ Jogindranath	... Shambazar H. G. E. School.
	„ Kadambini	... Bethune Female School.
	„ Kalihar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Kshetramohan	... Barrackpore School.
	„ Ramnarain	... Cotterparah School.
80	„ Ratneswar	... Arrah Zila School.
	„ Saradaprasad	... Berhampore Collegiate Schoo.
	„ Saratchandra	... Howrah School.
	„ Saratkumar	... Commillah Zila School.
	„ Sripati	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch
	„ Upendrachandra	... Jessore Zila School.
	Batak, Kesabprabhakar	... City School, Nagpur.
	Bedford, N.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
	Beliram	... District School, Amritsar.
	Beni Lal	... Benares College.
90	Bhaduri, Bhutnath	... Kasipore Kasinath School.
	„ Radhikanath	... Christian Mission School, Monghyr.
	Bhagirath Prasad	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Bhagoleram	... Sultanpore Zila School.
	Bhattacharyya, Amarnath	... Nabadwipa Hindu School.
	„ Bamacharn	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Banikanta	... Barisal Zila School.
	„ Bishnucharan	... Jagannath School.
	„ Durgacharan	... Mohanad Mission School.
	„ Janakinath	... Sanskrit College.
100	„ Kedarnath	... Behala Mission Shool.
	„ Krishnanath	... Rungpur High School.
	„ Nityaprasad	... Moharaja's School, Burdwan.
	„ Prankrishna	... Kasipore Kasinath School.
	„ Ramgopal	... Muragacha School.
	„ Tarasankar	... Sylhet Zila School.
	Bhaumik, Hridaynath	... Mymensing Zila School.
	Bhondu, Samuel	... Christian Mission School, Monghyr.
	Bihari Lal	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Binayak Ganesh	... High School, Jabalpur.
110	Bindaprasad, L.	... Ditto.
	Bishun Narayan	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Biswambhar Nath	... Ditto.
	Biswambhar Nath	... Moradabad Zila School.
	Biswas, Jagabandhu	... Bankura Zila School.
	„ Jogendranath	... Unao High School.
	„ Trailokyanath	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	Brindaban	... Christ Church School, Cawnpur.
	Browne, C. E.	... Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
	Bryan, W.	... Ditto.
120	Buzlur Rahman	... Calcutta Madrasha.
	Chakrabarti, Abhaypada	... Midnapore High School.
	„ Binodbihari	... Santipur Municipal School.
	„ Bipinbihari	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Durgacharan	... Ditto.
	„ Jnanadagovinda	... Faridpore Zila School.
	„ Lalitkumar	... Chittagong High School.
	„ Nabinchandra	... Mymensing Zila School.
	„ Nanigopal	... Calcutta Free Church Institution.
	„ Ramlal	... Bhagalpur H. C. E. School.
130	„ Rasikchandra	... Hindu School.
	„ Umeschandra	... Rungpur High School.
	Chand, Chhabeel	... C. M. High School, Gorakpore.
	„ Kalikrishna	... Nabadwipa Hindu School.
	„ Sadhucharan	... Puri Zila School.
	Chapman, A. E.	... St. Joseph's School
	Chattopadhyay, Annadaprasad	... Hugli Collegiate School.

	Chattopadhyay, Anukulchandra		Bankura Zila School.
	,, Bhutnath	...	Ootterparah School.
	,, Biharilal	...	Metropolitan Institution, Sampukur Branch.
140	,, Fakirchandra	...	Sanskrit College.
	,, Harakumar	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	,, Hemchandra	...	Cuttack Collegiate School.
	,, Hrisikes	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Jogendranath	...	Santipore Municipal School.
	,, Jogendranath	...	Berhampore Collegiate School.
	,, Kalipada	...	Kuchiakole Radhaballabh Institution.
	,, Kantichandra	...	Pogose School.
	,, Kedarnath	...	South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	,, Kesabchandra	...	Calcutta F. C. Institution.
150	,, Madhabchandra	...	Dinagepur Zila School.
	,, Nandalal	...	Hindu School.
	,, Nanilal	...	Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	,, Nrityagopal	...	Ranchi Government School.
	,, Pasupati	...	Kuchiakole Radhaballabh Institution.
	,, Purnachandra	...	Howrah School.
	,, Rajanikanta	...	Sanskrit College.
	,, Ramlal	...	Metropolitan Institution, Sampukur Branch.
	,, Saratchandra	...	Oriental Seminary.
	,, Sasibhushan	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
160	,, Satyacharan	...	Ootterparah School.
	,, Srinath	...	Jagannath School
	,, Tituram	...	Metropolitan Institution, Sampukur Branch.
	,, Trailokyanath	...	Albert School.
	,, Umapati	...	Baraset Government School.
	,, Umeschandra	...	L. M. School, Khagra.
	,, Upendranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	Chaube, Ganputlal	...	High School, Jabalpur.
	Chaudhuri, Bhabendranarayan	...	Bauleah High School.
	,, Chhediprasad	...	Bhagalpur H. C. E. School.
170	,, Gokulananda	...	Cuttack Collegiate School.
	,, Janakimohan	...	Mymensing Zila School.
	,, Jaynath	...	Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	,, Prasannakumar	...	Nawab's School, Dacca.
	,, Ramchandra	...	Cawnpur Zila School.
	Chitnis, Sankar Madho	...	F. C. Institution, Nagpur.
	Chhote, E.	...	St. John's College, Agra.
	Curtis, C. C.	...	St. Xavier's College.
	Dakshi, Brajanath	...	Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	Dam, Chandrakanta	...	Jagannath School.
180	Das, Abinaschandra	...	Hare School.
	,, Akshaykumar	...	Chatra H. C. E. School.
	,, Ambikacharan	...	Howrah School.
	,, Annadacharan	...	Commillah Zila School.
	,, Basantakumar	...	Ruplal Raghunath School.
	,, Bholanath	...	Nowgong Zila School.
	,, Bimbodhar	...	Cuttack Collegiate School
	,, Brahmananda	...	Ditto.
	,, Gopalballabh	...	Ditto.
	,, Harisaran	...	Agra College.
190	,, Jaminimohan	..	Commillah Zila School.
	,, Kaliprasanna	...	Bagirhat H. C. E. School.
	,, Madhusudan	...	Beerbhoom Zila School.
	,, Mathuranath	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	,, Narayan	...	Bhagalpur H. C. E. School.
	,, Parmeswari	...	C. M. School, Lucknow.
	,, Prasannakumar	...	Chittagong High School.
	,, Prasannakumar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
	Datta, Aghornath	...	South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	,, Akshaykumar	...	Purulia Government School.
200	,, Amba	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
	,, Apurbakrishna	...	Hindu School.
	,, Ganga	...	Moradabad Zila School.
	,, Girischandra	...	Pogose School.
	,, Jaykali	...	Moharaja Narendrakrishna H. C. E. School, Hatugunge.
	,, Kaminikumar	...	Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	,, Lambodar	...	Sibsagor Zila School.
	,, Nabagopal	...	Silchar Government School.

	Datta, Pareschandra	...	Howrah School.
	„ Ramanath	...	Krishnaghur A. V. School.
210	„ Rasbihari	...	Calcutta F. C. Institution.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Satischandra	...	Hindu School.
	Dayal, Parameswar	...	Gya Zila School.
	„ Raghubar	...	Tikari H. C. E. School.
	De, Asminikumar	...	Beerbhoom Zila School.
	„ Baradakanta	...	Barisal Zila School.
	„ Bireswar	...	Barrackpore School.
	„ Kanailal	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Madhusudan	...	Barisal Zila School.
220	„ Mathuranath	...	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Purnachandra	...	Sanskrit College.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Sárnath	...	Hare School,
	Deb, Nandalal	...	Ditto.
	Deba, Sadasib Purusottam	...	F. C. Institution, Nagpur.
	Debi Prasad	...	Government High School, Allahabad.
	Deghoria, Kedarnath	...	Bankura Zila School.
	Dennis, C. J. H. H.	...	Doveton College.
	Deo, Jadab Ramchandra	...	F. C. Institution, Nagpur.
230	DeRosaire, C. H.	...	Teacher.
	Dhar, Ramohann	...	Sarajgunge H. C. E. School.
	DeSilva Serasingha	...	Wesley College, Colombo.
	Dhrit Ram	...	District School, Lahore.
	Dias, J. D.	...	Galle High School.
	Dissanayaka B. W.	...	St. Thomas' College, Colombo.
	Dube, Sasidhar Prasad	...	Gazipur Mission High School.
	Durga Prasad	...	Cawnpur Zila School.
	Dwarka Prasad	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Fozlol Koreem	...	Noakhally Zila School.
240	Futteh Chand	...	Mirzapur Zila School.
	Galstaun, E.	...	Armenian Philanthropic Academy.
	„ P. N.	...	Ditto.
	Ganga Bishnu	...	Sitapore High School.
	Ganga Prasad	...	Government High School, Allahabad.
	Ganga Prasad	...	C. M. School, Azimgurh.
	Gangopadhyay, Gopikrishna	...	Chinsurah Grammar School.
	„ Kalidas	...	L. M. School, Baduria.
	„ Satyacharan	...	Metropolitan Institution, Sampukur Branch.
	Gargari, Ramdas	...	Konnogur E. School.
250	Gauri Sankar	...	Cawnpur Zila School.
	George, Cecil	...	St. Xavier's College.
	Ghatak, Girischandra	...	Rungpore Collegiate School.
	Ghosh, Akshaykumar	...	Katak Collegiate School.
	„ Asutosh	...	Shambazar H. G. E. School.
	„ Binodbihari	...	Albert School.
	„ Bisweswar	...	Burisal Zila School.
	„ Debendranath	...	Hare School.
	„ Girischandra	...	L. M. School, Baduria.
	„ Girischandra	...	South Suburban School, Kalighat.
260	„ Haranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Harischandra	..	Puri School.
	„ Jadunath	...	Hare School.
	„ Jaganmohan	...	Balasore Zila School.
	„ Kisorilal	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	„ Krishnachandra	...	Pandra H. C. E. School.
	„ Krishnadhan	...	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Prabhaschandra	...	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Prankrishna	...	Hare School.
	„ Saratchandra	...	Ariadaha Association School.
270	„ Sasibhushan	...	Kuchiakole Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Srinarayan	...	Kandi School.
	„ Surendranath	...	Naral H. C. E. School.
	„ Suryyanarayan	...	Kandi School.
	„ Umeschandra	...	Sylhet Zila School.
	„ Umeschandra	...	Government High School, Allahabad.
	Ghoshal, Akshaychandra	...	Banawaribad H. C. E. School.
	„ Jaykrishna	...	Ootterparah School.
	„ Saratkumar	...	Ditto.
	Gokhale, Balwant Gopal	...	City School, Nagpur.
280	Gopal Brahmin	...	High School, Jabalpur.
	Gopinath, 1st	...	Ajmere Government School.
	Gopinath, 2nd	...	Ditto.
	Goray, Sridhar Rao	...	Zila School, Banda.

	Goswami, Satischandra	...	Sanskrit College.
	„ Sasibhushan	...	Kandi School.
	Greenwood, E.	...	Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
	Gregory, Thomas	...	St. Xavier's College.
	Guha, Annadacharan	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Baradakanta	...	Ditto.
290	„ Harendranarayan	...	Jessore Zila School.
	„ Kaliprasanna	...	Burisal Zila School.
	„ Nabakumar	...	Commillah Zila School.
	„ Rajanikanta	...	Burisal Zila School.
	Gupta, Becharam	...	Jeypur Moharaja's College.
	„ Chandreswar	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Gopalchandra	...	Hugli Branch School.
	„ Hrishikes	...	Gya Zila School.
	„ Mathuranath	...	Commillah Zila School.
	„ Narayandas	...	Oriental Seminary.
300	„ Sridhardas	...	Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Umacharan	...	Jagannath School.
	„ Upendrakrishna	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Hait Lal	...	St. John's College, Agra.
	Haldar, Mahendra Nath	...	Seal's Free College.
	Hammill, A. H.	...	St. Francis DeSale's School, Nagpur.
	Hannay, W. G.	...	LaMartiniere College.
	Harkness, B.	...	Bishop Cotton School, Simla.
	Hickie, C.	...	St. George's College, Mussoorie.
	Htoon Nyain	...	Government High School, Rangoon.
310	Humza Ali	...	Moradabad Zila School.
	Hur Bux	...	Jeypur Moharaja's College.
	Imtiaz Ali	...	Lakhimpur High School.
	Inait Husain	...	Fyzabad High School.
	Jagmohan Ram	...	Sultanpore Zila School.
	Jagannath	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Janaki Prasad	...	Government High School, Allahabad.
	Jawala Prasad	...	Lakhimpur High School.
	Jawar Hosain Khan	...	Gya Zila School.
	Jivan Mal	...	Amritsar District School.
320	Jogalekar, Marotee Ganesh	...	Teacher.
	Jwad Hosain	...	Agra College.
	Jwala Das	...	Lahore District School.
	Kalka Prasad	...	Fyzabad High School.
	Kandhai Prasad	...	Banda Zila School.
	Kanhaiya Lal	...	Ajmere College.
	Kanta Prasad	...	M. A. O. College, Aligarh.
	Karta Krishna	...	Government High School, Allahabad.
	Kayasth, Gayaprasad	...	Cawnpur Zila School.
	Kebal Krishna	...	Bareilly Collegiate School.
330	Khawalkar, Ganpat Rao	...	Cawnpore Zila School.
	Khayali Ram	...	Private Student.
	Kishan Lal	...	Delhi District School.
	Kisho Das	...	Lahore District School.
	Kripa Sankar	...	St. John's College, Agra.
	Kuar, Kaliprasanna	...	Hare School.
	Kundu, Bhagabaticharan	...	Hugli Branch School.
	„ Nityananda	...	Hugli Collegiate School.
	Kurrar Hyder	...	Agra College.
	Laha, Nagendranath	...	Sanskrit College.
340	Lahiri, Saradacharan	...	Serajgunge H. C. E. School.
	„ Srischandra	...	Metropolitan Institution.
	Lal, Bankabihari	...	Benares College.
	„ Bankabihari	...	Unao High School.
	„ Bankebihari	...	Sitapur High School.
	„ Dasrath	...	Gya Zila School.
	„ Raghunandan	...	Ulwar High School.
	„ Sibasankar	...	Banda Zila School.
	„ Sibcharan	...	Government High School, Allahabad.
	„ Sibcharan	...	Furakhabad Zila School.
350	Lalta Prasad	...	Hardui High School.
	Lamb, G. J.	...	LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
	Lawrence, A.	...	Dittto, College, Calcutta.
	Lett, W.	...	Bishop Cotton School, Simla
	Lukman Uddin Khan	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
	Lutfar Rahman	...	Calcutta Madrasah.
	Lynch, J. O.	...	St. Francis DeSale's School, Nagpur.

	Madan Mohan	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Mahabir Prasad	.. Purneah School.
	Mahaiaj Prasad	... District School, Delhi.
360	Mahdi Hosain	... Patna Collegiate School.
	Maitra, Kumadnath	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	Majumdar, Jadunath	... Private Student.
	„ Pramathanath	.. Canning College, Lucknow.
	„ Upendrakumar	. Metropolitan Institution.
	Mákode, Sibnarayan	... F. C. Institution, Nagpore.
	Mallik, Batakrisna	... Hare School.
	„ Kesablal	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	Mangli, Prasad	.. C M. School, Lucknow.
	Manley, H. F.	... Free School.
370	Marshall, W.	... LaMartiniere College.
	Maruful Haq	... Calcutta Madrasah.
	Mathra Prasad	.. Mission School, Peshawar.
	Mathuraprasad (2nd)	... Government High School, Allahabad.
	Mirza Sujait Ali	... Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
	Misrá, Bhugwandas	... Hurdui High School.
	„ Radhikrishna	... Benares College.
	Mitra, Achintanath	... Beerbhoom, Zila School.
	„ Akshaykumar (2nd)	... Hindu School.
	„ Akshaykumar	... Arrah Zila School.
380	„ Anadikrishna	... Seal's Free College.
	„ Asutosh	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ „	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Baradakanta	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Brajalal	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Brajanath	... Chundernogur School.
	„ Dhanadacharan	... Hindu School.
	„ Gopalchandra	... Hare School.
	„ Gostabihari	... Oriental Seminary.
	„ Jotendranath	... Sanskrit College.
390	„ Kshetramohan	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Nibaranchandra	... L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	„ Saratchandra	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Sasibhushan	... Albert School.
	„ Udayendralal	... Hare School.
	„ Upendranath	... Residency College, Indore.
	Mohabirprasad	... Purneah School.
	Mohan Lal	... Thakur School, Ulwar.
	Moore, W. T.	... St. Paul's School, Darjeeling.
	Morrison, C. S.	... St. Xavier's College.
400	Moung Thah Din	... Government High School, Rangoon.
	Mubinul Haq M.	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	Muhammad, Akbar Hosain	... Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Golam Mujtaba	... Government High School, Allahabad.
	„ Hadi	... Sultanpore Zila School.
	„ Khaja Bauksh Khan	. Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Wahabuddin	... Calcutta Madrasah.
	„ Yawar Hosen	... Mission Normal High School.
	„ Yousuf Ali	... Monghyr Zila School.
	„ Zahir	... Behar English School.
410	Mul Chand	... High School, Jabalpur.
	Munnasvami Krishnappa Naidu	... Mhow Zoroastrian School.
	Munni Lal	. C. M. High School, Gorakpur.
	Mukhopadhyay, Bipinbihari	.... Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Bishnucharan	... Ditto ditto.
	„ Bisweswar	... Hazaribagh Zila School.
	„ Girischandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Girischandra	Behala Mission School.
	„ Gopalchandra	... South Subarban School, Kalighat.
	„ Haridas	... Metropolitan Institution.
420	„ Hemchandra	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Jogendranath	... Sibpore H. C. E. School.
	„ Kailaschandra	... South Subarban School, Kalighat.
	„ Khagendranath	... Ditto ditto.
	„ Kisorimohan	L. M. S. Institution, Bhawanipore.
	„ Lalmohan	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
	„ Mahendrachandra	.. South Suburban School, Kalighat
	„ Mahimachandra	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	„ Manmathanath	... Hare School.
	„ Manmohan	.. Monghyr Zila School.
430	„ Mohanlal	... Government High School, Allahabad.

	Mokhopadhyay, Natabar	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Nilmadhab	... Behala Mission School.
	„ Panchanan	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Prasannakumar	.. Higli Collegiate School.
	„ Sasankamohan	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Sasibhushan	. Bauleah High School.
	„ Satkari	... Hindu School.
	„ Satyaprasad	.. Barisal School.
	„ Sripati	... Burdwan English School.
410	„ Tariniprasad	... Kandi School.
	„ Upendrachandra	... Sanskrit College.
	Mukundbihari	... Agra College.
	Murli Mohan	... District School, Delhi.
	Naish Uddeen	... Jalpaiguri Zillah School
	Nandi Abinashchandra	.. Joynarain's College, Benares.
	„ Balaichandra	.. Useful Arts School.
	Nand Lal	... Jeypur Moharajah's College.
	Nath, Gaurhari	... South Subarban School, Kalighat.
	„ Nandalal	Barasat School.
450	Nathuram, P.	... High School, Jubbulpore.
	Niaz Ali	. District School, Umritsar.
	Nazir Ali	... Agra College.
	Niogi, Brajagopal	... Bhagalpur H. C. E. School.
	„ Sasibhushan	... Beerbhoom Zila School.
	Pal, Baikunthanath	... Balasore Zila School.
	„ Bhubanmohan	.. Private Student.
	„ Gostabihari	... Hindu School.
	„ Harikisor	... Dacca Coll. School.
	„ Mathuranath	Albert School.
460	„ Nirodbaran	... Hindu School.
	„ Sasibhushan	... Barrackpore School.
	Palit, Baikunthanath	... Silchar Government School.
	Panday Kuleschandra	... Pakur School.
	Pati Radhanath	... Midnapore High School.
	Palmer, A.	... St. Xavier's College.
	Parduman Krishna	... Private Student.
	Pathak, Ajodhyaprasad	... High School Jabulpore.
	Pereira, G.	... Wesly College, Colombo.
	Poddar, Gaganchandra	... Chittagong Collegiate School.
470	Prag Das	... Government High School, Allahabad.
	Pramanik, Harinath	... Joynogar Institution.
	Pratab Narayan	... Unao High School.
	Prince, W. J.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
	Purihal, Saratchandra	.. Pogose School.
	Purrit Lal	... Gya Zila School.
	Radharam	... Church Mission School, Amritsar.
	Raghunath Prasad	... Government High School, Allahabad.
	Rahmat Ali	... Zila School, Mutra.
	Ram Adhar	... Unao High School.
480	Ramdin	.. Hume's High School, Etawah.
	Ramnarayan	... Dehli District School.
	Ram Persad	... Ditto.
	Ramsarup	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Ramasraylal	... Patna Collegiate School.
	Rampratab (2nd)	... Jaipur Moharaja's College.
	Ramratan	... Ludiana Mission School.
	Ray, Basantakumar	... Jagunnath School.
	„ Dwijendralal	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Gaurinath	... Hugli Collegiate School.
490	„ Harimohan	High School, Jabalpur.
	„ Harendralal	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Kaliprasnna	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Kesabchandra	. . Kalna Free Church Mission Branch School.
	„ Kuladananda	... Sarada Prosad Institution, Chuckdighee.
	„ Kunjakumar	... Barisal Zila School.
	„ Manmohan	... Jagannath School.
	„ Nalinikanta	... Hare School.
	„ Nripendranath	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	„ Panchkari	... Beerbhoom Zila School.
500	„ Rajendranath	... Behala Mission School.
	„ Ramanihar	... Benares College.
	„ Saratchandra	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Somnath	... Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Syam Bahadur	.. Private Student.
	„ Tinkari	... L. M. High School, Benares.
	„ Umeschandra	... Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.

	Ray Chaudhuri, Nilratan	... Barisal School.
	„ „ Srischandra	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
	Rebati Prasad	... M. A. O. College, Aligurh.
510	Roosmabeeg, H. S.	... Galle High School.
	Rowbury, G.	... LaMartinere College, Lucknow.
	Rudra, Bhupaticharan	... Janai Training School.
	Rufus, W. H.	... St. John's College, Agra.
	Sá, Nitaisundar	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	Sadasheo Murarbhat	... F. C. Institution, Nagpur.
	Saha, Bholanath	... St. Mary's Institution, Chundernagur.
	„ Rajanikanta	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Sahay, Maharaj	... Shajehanpur Zila School.
	„ Munaswar	... Sarun Zila School.
520	„ Raghubansa	... Mozufferpore Zila School.
	„ Raghunath	... Victoria School, Gazipur.
	„ Suryya	... Gonda High School.
	Saheb Lal	... Gya Zila School.
	Sajidullah	... Calcutta Madrasah.
	Saligram	... Hume's High School, Etawah.
	Samanta, Kisorimohan	... Pachamba English School.
	Sankar Lal	... Hardui High School.
	Sanyal, Durgananda	... Bauleah High School.
	„ Gurudas	... Metropolitan Institution.
530	„ Taraknath	... Benares College.
	Sarma, Parvaticharan	... Sylhet Zila School.
	Sarkar, Amritalal	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Girijakanta	... Bhaugulpore H. C. E. School.
	„ Jugalkrishna	.. Pakur School.
	„ Jogendrachandra	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Kailaschandra	... Bauleah High School.
	„ Kalipada	... Pachamba English School.
	„ Nagendranath	. Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Parbaticharan	... Hamilton's English School, Tamlook.
540	„ Sasibhushan	.. General Assembly's Institution.
	Sawanth Iswaridayal	... Govt. High School, Allahabad.
	Sayad Hosain	... Mutra Zila School.
	Sekhar Chand	... Gya Zila School.
	Sen Ambikacharan	... Noakhally Zila School.
	„ Baikunthanath	... Private Student.
	„ Dinabandhu	... Burisal Zila School
	„ Gobindachandra	... Faridpore Zila School.
	„ Hemendranath	... Hare School.
	„ Jaladhar	... Kumarkhally School.
550	„ Jaminikanta	... Krishnaghur Col. School.
	„ Kaliprasanna	... Hare School.
	„ Kamakshyacharan	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	„ Kshetramohan	... Hare School.
	„ Saktiprasanna	... Hindu School.
	„ Umacharan	... Burisal Zila School.
	Sen, Gupta, Taranath	... Ootterpaiah School.
	Set, Haridas	... Calcutta Institution.
	Shaikh Abdul Jubbar	... Bankura Zila School.
	„ Hosain Ali	... High School, Jabalpur.
560	„ Kabir Ali	... Teacher.
	„ Muhammad Ashaf	... District School, Delhi.
	Siebel, C. O.	... St. Thomas College, Colombo.
	Singh, Lalbiharilal	... Behar English School.
	„ Kanhai	... Mission Normal High School.
	„ Karm	... District School Amritsar.
	„ Khazan	... Moradabad Zila School.
	„ Mahendra	... Agra College.
	„ Parduman	... Mission School, Jalandar.
	„ Sant	... Mission School, Rawalpindi.
570	„ Sohail	... Mission School, Lahore.
	„ Sundar	... District School, Amritsar.
	„ Uttam	... Mission School, Jalandar.
	Sinha, Bipinbehari	... Hamilton's Eng. School, Tumlook.
	„ Brajakisor	... Bankura Zila School.
	„ Dwarkanath	... Christ Church School, Cawnpur.
	„ Prabhachandra	... Bhastara School.
	„ Surathnath	... Beerbhoom Zila School.
	Sil, Gakulnath	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Makhanlal	... Ditto.
580	Sitla Buksh	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Sookh Raj	... Mission School, Rawalpindi.

	Sri Ram	... Patiala College.
	Surita, F. R.	... St. Joseph's School.
	Syam Saradacharan	... Sylhet Zila School.
	Syam Dutt	... Victoria School, Gazipur.
	Syed Muhammad Hosain	... Unao High School.
	„ Hasan Raza	... Hardui High School.
	„ Muhammad Nabib Ullah	... M. A. O. College, Aligarh.
	Syyed Wajahat Hussein	... Christ Church School, Lucknow.
590	Tajuddin	... Sitapur High School.
	Talukdar Sasibhushan	... Serajgunge School.
	Tamhan Kesab Gopal	... F. C. Institution, Nagpur.
	Tara Chand	... District School, Amritsar.
	Tarafdar Adyanath	... Barari H. C. E. School.
	Tewari Jagannath	... High School, Jabalpur.
	„ Raghunandanprasad	... Gazipur Mission High School.
	Thengadi Hari Ganwant	... City School Nagpur.
	Tribedi Kanhiyalal	... Hardui High School.
	Tulsiram Sarma	.. Gauhati Zila School.
600	Ulfat Ray.	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Uma Sankar	... Mutra Zila School.
	Watson, A. G.	... Doveton College.
	Wijegakoon, W.	... Wesley College, Colombo.
	Wontersz, G. J.	... Ditto.
	Woodward, Charles	... St. Xavier's College.
	Yakoob Shal Khan	... M. A. O. College, Aligarh.
607	Zinat Ray	... Shajehanpore Zila School.

THIRD DIVISION.

In alphabetical order.

	Adharyya Haranath	... Bankura Zila School.
	Adhikari, Kedarnath	... Putia School.
	Adhya, Bankabihari	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Aich, Kanailal	... Midnapore High School.
	„ Purnachandra	... Ditto.
	Ajmal Ali	... Sylhet Zila School.
	Ajodhya Prasad	... Hume's High School, Etawah.
	Baksi, Bidhubhushan	... Naral H. C. E. School.
	Balkrishna Gangadhar C.	... High School, Jabulpur.
10	Bandyopadhyay, Akshaykumar	... Hindu School.
	„ Baidyanath	... Sanskrit College.
	„ Brajanath	... Hare School.
	„ Brajanath	... Useful Arts School.
	„ Bipinbihari	... Hindu School.
	„ Debendranath	... Moharaja's School, Burdwan.
	„ Gopalchandra	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	„ Gopalchandra	... Pubna Zila School.
	„ Haridas	.. Barahanagar Hindu School.
	„ Haripada	... Ditto.
20	„ Hariprasanna	... Hugli Branch School.
	„ Kaliprasanna	... Ootterparah School.
	„ Kamakshyanath	... Hare School.
	„ Kshetramohan	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	„ Piyarilal	... Hindu School.
	„ Prakaschandra	... Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Radhikamohan	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
	„ Rakhaldas	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Saratchandra	... Monghyr Zila School.
	„ Satischandra	... Moharaja's School, Kalna.
30	Barat, Surendranath	... Patna Collegiate School.
	Basak, Basinath	... Nawab's School, Dacca.
	„ Dwarkanath	... Ruplal Raghunath School, Dacca.
	„ Kunjalal	... Pubna Zila School.
	„ Radhikamohan	... Jagannath School.
	„ Tulsidas	... Oriental Seminary.
	Basu, Ashminikumar	... Barisal Zila School.
	„ Bhupatinath	... Cuttack Collegiate School.
	„ Bipinbihari	... Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Chandrakumar	... Sanskrit College.
40	„ Girischandra	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
	„ Harakumar	... Ditto.
	„ Herambanath	... Moharaja's School, Burdwan.
	„ Jadunath	... Calcutta Institution.
	„ Kalikumar	... Ootterparah School.
	„ Kalinath	... Dacca Collegiate School.

	Basu, Kasinath	...	Barisa School.
	„ Krishnamohan	...	Matihari Government Zila School.
	„ Radhakisor	...	Commillah Zila School.
	„ Ramtaran	...	Jaynagar Institution.
50	„ Sitalkumar	...	Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Upendranath	...	Hugli Branch School.
	Bhaduri, Aghorchandra	...	Hindu School.
	„ Jagachchandra	...	Mymensing Zila School.
	Bhar, Hemchandra	...	Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Sasibhushan	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	Bhattacharyya, Girischandra	...	Chittagong High School.
	„ Nabakumar	...	Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Narayanchandra	...	Sanskrit College.
	„ Tinkari	...	General Assembly's Institution.
60	„ Trilochan	...	Kuchiakol Radhabullabh Institution.
	Bhawanidin	...	Unao High School.
	Biharilal	...	Gya Zila School.
	Binaek Prasad	...	Sultanpore Zila School.
	Binayak Prasad	...	Benares College.
	Biswas, Jadunath	...	Khulna H. C. E. School.
	„ Kulendraprasad	...	Santosh Janhabi School.
	„ Prasannakumar	...	Khulna H. C. E. School.
	„ Prasannakumar	...	Lakshmipasa H. C. E. School.
	„ Rajkrishna	...	Baraset School.
70	„ Rakhaldas	...	Amta School.
	Black, O. E.	...	St. James School.
	Chakrabarti, Basantakumar	...	Jagannath School, Dacca.
	„ Chandranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Jaykali	...	Howrah School.
	„ Lalmohan	...	Pogose School.
	„ Raghunath	...	Campbell Medical School.
	„ Saradaprasad	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Surendranath	...	Banwaribad H. C. E. School.
	„ Taraprasanna	...	Pogose School.
80	Chandra, Bipinbihari	...	Midnapore High School.
	Chattopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Sibpore H. H. E. School.
	„ Bhushanchandra	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Binaycharan	...	Howrah School.
	„ Harendranath	...	Monghyr Zila School.
	„ Kalidas	...	General Assembly's Intitution.
	„ Kunjabihari	...	Ootterparah School.
	„ Nibaranchandra	...	Ditto.
	„ Ramcharan	...	Kuchiakol Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Ramchandra	...	Hindu School.
90	„ Satinath	...	Mudrissa-i-Unwariah.
	„ Taraknath	...	Jaynagar School.
	„ Umeschandra	...	Moharajah's School, Burdwan.
	Chaturbedi, Jayantiprasad	...	Agra College.
	Chaudhuri, Jogeschandra	...	Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Karunakanta	...	F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Mahadeoprasad	...	Gonda High School
	„ Rajendranath	...	Cawnpur Zila School.
	„ Saradaprasad	...	Seal's Free College,
	„ Tinkari	...	Bagnan H. C. E. School.
100	Chimman Lal	...	Delhi District School.
	Coriah, T.	...	Free School.
	Coorey, J.	...	Trinity College, Kandy.
	Daji Harbaji Gadakri	...	City School, Naghur.
	Dan, Abinaschandra	...	F. C. Institution Calcutta.
	Das, Abanimohan	...	Commillah Zila School.
	„ Abinaschandra	...	Ruplal Raghunath School.
	„ Amritalal	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Bhagwan	...	Mission School, Lahore.
	„ Bharatchandra	...	Pogose School.
110	Das, Durgakanta	...	Rungpur High School.
	„ Gangaprasad	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
	„ Haranam	...	Victoria College, Agra.
	„ Jagabandhu	...	Cuttack Collegiate School.
	„ Mahendralal	...	Chittagong High School.
	„ Pradyumnacharan	...	Sylhet Zila School.
	„ Premlal	...	Barari H. C. E. School.

	Das, Saradaprasad	... Sanskrit College.
	„ Sibendrachandra	... Sridharpore School.
	Das Gupta, Syamnirod	... Kuchnakole Radhabullobh Institution
120	Datta, Bholanath	... F. C. Institution, Calcutta.
	„ Damodar	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Gangacharan	... Daulalpur School.
	„ Haricharan	... Jagannath School Dacca.
	„ Jagatchandra	... Silchar Government School.
	„ Mrigendrakumar	... Howrah School.
	„ Nagendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Patiram	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Rajendranath	... L. M. High School, Benares.
	„ Trailokyanath	... L. M. School, Midnapore.
130	Daulat Ram	... District School, Hushiarpur.
	De, Abinaschandra	... Seal's Free, College.
	„ Basantakumar	... Jagannath School Dacca.
	„ Brajagobinda	... Rungpur High School.
	„ Haricharan	... Jagannath School Dacca.
	„ Mahadeb	... Pogose School Dacca.
	„ Nareschandra	... Hare School.
	„ Radhaballabh	... Coomercolly School.
	„ Srinibas	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Deb, Sureschandra	... Hare School.
140	Dhamankar Sridhar Binayak	... Indore Madressa.
	Dhar, Maniklal	... Sanskrit College.
	Dhunna Lal	... Ajmere Government College.
	Gangopadhyay, Jogendrachandra	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Prasannakumar	... Ditto.
	„ Rajaninath	... Mymensing School.
	„ Sarachchandra	... Baraset Government School.
	Gobinda Prasad	... Sultanpore Zila School.
	Ghosh, Baradakanta	... Santosh Jahnavi School.
	„ Brajendrakumar	... Metropolitan Institution.
150	„ Girindranath	... Patna Collegiate School.
	„ Hemchandra	... Mission School, Peshawar.
	„ Janakinath	... Private Student.
	„ Kaliranjan	... St. Xavier's College.
	„ Kedarnath	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Kunjabihari	... Sylhet Government School.
	„ Paresnath	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Pramathanath	... Hughli Branch School.
	„ Purnachandra	... Purulia Government School.
	„ Rajendranath	... Shambazar H. G. E. School.
160	„ Sureschandra	... Seal's Free College.
	Ghoshal, Lalitlal	... Purulia Government School.
	„ Taraprasanna	... Hindu School.
	Golam Rahman	... Noakhally Zila School.
	Goswami, Harischandra	... Bauleah High School.
	„ Nibaranchandra	... Behar English School.
	„ Syamchand	... Badla A. V. School.
	Guha, Bharatchandra	... Seal's Free College.
	„ Bidyadhar	... Teghoria School.
	„ Gurucharan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
170	„ „ Prasannachandra	... Jagannath School Dacca.
	Gupta, Baradagobinda	... Bauleah High School.
	„ Kaliprasanna	... Pogose School.
	„ Sasankamohan	... Commillah Zila School.
	„ Tarinicharan	... Commillah Zila School.
	„ Udhabchandra	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Hajra, Ramtaran	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
	Hanuman Prasad	... Barabanki High School.
	Harmohan Lal	... C. M. School, Lucknow.
	Hui, Bamacharan	... Hugli Branch School.
180	Jagannath Prasad	... M. A. O. College, Aligarh.
	Jha, Ramlal	... St. John's College, Agra.
	Jas, Jogneswar	... Beerbhoom Zila School.
	Jaydatt	... Bareilly Collegiate School.
	Kar, Haricharan	... Jagannath School Dacca.
	Karta Kishen	... District School, Lahore.
	Nabadwipchandra	... Free Church Institution.
	Khan, Ramchandra	... Baripore H. C. E. School.
	Konor, Bhairabnarayan	... Nowgong Zila School.
	Kripa Sankar	... St. Peter's College, Agra.

190	Kuar Luchman Narayan	... Aligarh Zila School.
	Kundu Banawarilal	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	Lackersteen, A.	... St. Xavier's College.
	Lahiri, Saratkumar	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	Lakshan Prasad	... Fyzabad High School.
	Lala Sirdar Mull	... Durbar Schoool Jodhpur.
	Lila Dhar	... Aligarh Zila School.
	Mahabir Prasad	... Pachamba English School.
	Maitra, Akshaykumar	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Harimohan	... Santosh Janhavi School.
200	„ Kedarnath	... Bauleah High School.
	„ Rajanikanta	... Hindu School.
	„ Rasbihari	... Berhampore Collegiate School.
	Majumdar, Aghornath	... Sanskrit College.
	„ Baradaprasad	... Barisa School.
	„ Banikanta	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Biharilal	... Deogurh Zila School.
	„ Debendranath	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	„ Gopinath	... Cuttack Collegiate School.
	„ Jogendranath	... L. M. School, Khagra.
210	„ Jogendranath	... Natal H. C. E School.
	„ Kalipada	... Harinabhi A. S. School.
	„ Kedarnath	... Chinsurah Hindu School.
	„ Nagendrachandra	... C. M. School, Calcutta.
	„ Rajkumar	... St. Chrysostom's School.
	Mallik, Harinath	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	„ Khagendranath	... Albert School.
	„ Rajendrakumar	... L. M. School, Khagra.
	Mandal, Jogendranath	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Sriramchandra	... Pandra H. C. E. School.
220	Marshall, E. A.	... St. James' School.
	Mendis, A.	... Wesley College, Colombo.
	Misra, Kalicharan	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	„ Murlidhar	... Haidui High School.
	„ Shewraj	... Bahraich Zila School.
	Mitra, Asutosh	... Calcutta Training Academy.
	„ Gaganchandra	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Kalipada	... Faridpore Zila School.
	„ Raj Jagadiswar	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	Mohanlal, Sukla	... Benares College.
230	Morobeshownath, Bhide	... City School, Nagpur.
	Mufizuddin	... Calcutta Madrasa.
	Md. Abdul Gafur	... C. M. S. High School, Gorakpur.
	Muhammad Aiyal Haq	... Patna Collegiate School.
	Mukhopádhyáy, Abhaycharan	... Oriental Seminary.
	„ Abinaschandra	... Teacher.
	„ Basantakumar	... Metropolitan Institution, Sampuker Branch.
	„ Dinabandhu	... Balagar H. C. E. School.
	„ Gopalchandra	.. Ranaghat School.
	„ Harischandra	... Sibpore H. C. E. School.
240	„ Kaminikumar	... Commillah Zila School.
	„ Manmohan	... Sanskrit College.
	„ Nagendranath	... South Suburban School, Kalighat.
	„ Paresnath	... Pachamba English School.
	„ Rajendranath	... Howrah School.
	„ Rakhaldas	... Metropolitan Institution.
	„ Saratchandra	... Konnagur English School.
	„ Umacharan	... Ootterpara School.
	Murlidhar, Joshi	... Almora Mission School.
	Murphy, C.	... St. George's College, Mussoorie.
250	Nag, Haridas	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Kasiswar	... Pogose School.
	Nand Lal	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Narhar Ganesh, Dikshit	... Private Student.
	Nayak, Salomon	... Balasore Zila School.
	Niyazdeen Khan	... Mission School, Jalandar.
	Niogi, Durganath	... Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
	O'Brien, J.	... St. George's College, Mussoorie.
	Pál, Girischandra	... Free Church Institution, Chinsurah.
	„ Gopalprasanna	... Jessore, Zila School.
260	„ Sasikumar	... Jaggannath School, Dacca.
	Palmer, W.	... LaMartiniere College, Lucknow.
	Pandit, Gobinda Sahay	... Private Student.
	Pati, Bholanath	... Midnapore High School.
	Patnaik, Lingaraj	... Puri Zila School.

	Rada Kishan	... District School, Amritsar.
	Raha, Gopalchandra	... Faridpore Zila School.
	Raibahadur	... Benares College.
	Rakshit, Chunilal	... General Assembly's Institution.
	Ram Lal	... District School, Lahore.
270	Ram Prasad	... Ranchi Government Zila School.
	Ramsaran, P.	... Teacher.
	Ray, Adharchandra	... Hugli Branch School.
	„ Bhabanicharan	... Sumbhunath School, Chatmohur.
	„ Brajendranarayan	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Iswarchandra	... Burisal Zila School.
	„ Lalbihari	... Annada School, Brahmanbaria.
	„ Lalmohun	... Nizamat School, Moorshedabad.
	„ Nalinimohan	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	„ Narayanchandra	... Hare School.
280	„ Rampada	... Hazaribag Zila School.
	„ Ratikanta	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Saratchandra	... Hugli Collegiate School.
	„ Suryyakumar	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
	„ Chaudhuri, Nibaranchandra	... Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	„ „ Ramkrishna	... Searsole H. C. E. School.
	Rutledge, A. N.	... St. James' School.
	Sada Ram	... Mission School, Jalandar.
	Saint, R. R.	... St. George's College, Mussoorie.
	Sakharam Dhoondiraj Mahajan	... Free Church Institution, Nagpur.
290	Sanyal, Dasarath	... Barahanagar Hindu School.
	Shew Sankar	... Canning College, Lucknow.
	Saran, Abodbihari	... Shajehanpore Zila School.
	Sarkar, Banwarilal	... Nabadwipa Hindu School.
	„ Harinarayan	... Khagol H. C. E. School.
	„ Karalicharan	... Saradaprasad Institution, Chackdigi.
	„ Maheschandra	... Mymensing Zila School.
	„ Pramathanath	... Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
	„ Ramkumar	... Purulia Government School.
	Sen, Bireswar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
300	„ Dakshinaranjan	... Faridpur Zila School.
	„ Muthuranath	... Naral H. C. E. School.
	„ Nandalal	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Prasannachandra	... Jagannath School, Dacca.
	„ Ramdas	... Pogose School.
	„ Ramtarak	... Kuchiacole Radhaballabh Institution.
	„ Saratchandra	... Noakhally Zila School.
	„ Saratchandra	.. Howrah School.
	„ Syamlal	... Hare School.
	„ Umacharan	... Jenkin's School, Cooch Behar.
310	Set, Hemchandra	... Hare School.
	Sheikh Faredudeen Ahmed	... Joynarayan's College, Benares.
	Sheobihari Lal	... C. M. School, Lucknow.
	Shib Ram	... Gujrat Government School.
	Sibaprasad Dube	... C. M. School, Jounpur.
	Sikdar, Bhubanmohan	... Metropolitan Institution, S. Branch.
	Shaha, Jogneswar	... Teacher.
	Sinha, Basantalal	... Beerbhoom Zila School.
	„ Bhabani	... Benares College.
	„ Daulot	... Cawnpore Zila School.
320	„ Fakirchandra	... Maldah Zila School.
	„ Mahadeb	... Benares College.
	„ Priyanath (Junior)	... General Assembly's Institution.
	„ Shamsherbahadar	... Benares College.
	„ Umeschandra	... Joynagur Institution.
	Sohan Lal	... Christ Church School, Cawnpore.
	Som, Suryyakumar	... Dacca Collegiate School.
	Sonar, Ramcharan	... Joynarayan's College.
	Sukul, Nilkanta	... L. M. School, Midnapore.
	Syud Abdul Ghaffer	... Teacher.
330	Talukdar, Baradachandra	... Bogra Zila School.
	Tewari, Gaurisankar	... Bengalitola Preparatory School.
	Tribedi, Nrisinhaprasad	... Kandi School.
	Tulsiram	... Gazipur Mission High School.
	Weerasooriya W.	... St. Thomas College, Colombo.
335	Weekramanayaka	... Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 14th January 1879.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY,
Registrar.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Furreedpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 24th January 1879, corresponding with 12th Magh 1285 B. S, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee number.	Sudder jumma	Name of mehal.	Names of proprietors.	Arrear revenue due to Government.
	Rs. A. P.			Rs. A. P.
2793	1,939 8 9½	Hissa Amanullah, pergunnah Jalalpore.	Chandidas Guha, Govinda Chandra Basu, and Mahima Chandra Sha, joint proprietors.	32 6 5
	Deduct on account of separate account, 955 10 9			
	983 14 0½			
4028	4,078 7 9½	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad, hissa ten annas, zemindar Bashu Dev Ray	Guruprasad, Prem Chand, Kisari Mohan, Gupi Mohan, Bainkanta Mohan, Harlal Roy, Shita Moni Janaki Devya, Satyabati Devya and Nagarbashi Kundu.	1,550 9 5½
	Road fund ... 40 13 0			
	4,119 4 9½			
4049	742 10 1	Kismat Gazipore in Char Dhupariya.	Jagabandhu, Sree Nath Basu, Hara Sundari Dasya, widow of Kali Sanker Guha, deceased, Mr J. P Wise, Moulavi Mohasinuddin *alias* Dudu Meah and Gunga Money.	0 7 11
6220	597 12 3	Pergunnah Rajnagar, Chakley Amirabad, mouzah Kul Chari, &c.	Eight annas share Kailash Chandra Chakravarti ...	88 0 4½
	Deduct on account of separate account, 298 14 1½			
	298 14 1½			

FURREEDPORE COLLECTORATE, the 13th December 1878. J. ANDERSON, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Balasore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 30th day of January 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of November 1878

Number on the roll	Name of pergunnah	Name of estate	Name of zemindar	Sudder jumma	Arrear of revenue due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1288	Senouth .	Darra ..	Hansa Mani Dei and others	535 4 0	22 12 5	
125	Ditto ...	Mursidnagar ..	Chowdhury Madhusudan Rai and others.	1,452 6 6	1 0 7	
231	Dhamnagar	Mahura ...	Chowdhuri Nilkantha Mohapatra and others	2,279 4 3	53 14 3	Separate accounts under Act XI (B C.) of 1859 having been opened, the share of the defaulting zemindar, to the extent of 14 annas and odd, should be sold.
1189	Bhelora Chour	Chorpado ..	Kissore Narain Choudhuri and others	546 2 1½	3 14 8½	

BALASORE COLLECTORATE, the 3rd January 1879 J. WHITMORE, *Contd. Dy. Collector, in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 24th day February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of September 1878.

Number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8434	Government resumed estate Chur Baktabaly.	Prasanna Kumari Debya and Prannath Parey Sabait of Lakshmarayan Thakur.	584 0 0	278 0 0	These are resumed estates and are settled with the proprietors. The proprietory and the settlement rights will be sold.
2	8672	Chur Oolail	Gaganchandra Datta	1,092 0 0	546 0 0	
3	9084	Kismat Hargoa, within Chur Jalua Kamta.	Bharat Chandra, Harish Chandra, Nilmadhab and Prasanna Kumar Roy Chowdhuri and Draupady, Kubja Sundari Chowdhurani and Nandalal Shaha Ray Chowdhury.	1,336 13 0 R. F. 13 6 0	177 15 10	
4	9422	Chur Bagutya	Ballabhkant Bhattacharjya	1,388 0 0	756 0 0	
5	9675	Chur Dighaldy, pergunnah Uttarsahpur.	Srimati Kamal Kamini, Sonamani, Ananda mayi, Chandrakala, Rajmani, Dayamayi, Jaytara, Chandra Nath, and Kali Das Mukerjea and Mr. M. David.	1,121 0 0	485 0 0	
6	9762	Chur Dalowarpur, pergunnah Bardakhat.	Munshi Golam Mowla Moulavi, Reza Robbani for self and as trustee of the estate of Asmatunnessa Bibi, Dewan Emdad Ali, Karimannessa Bibi *alias* Nanee Bibi, Dewan Azimdad Khan.	4,196 0 0	1,752 0 0	
7	10499	Surplus alluvial accretion to estate Mahaddinagar in Tuppeh Khalsi, pergunnah Sultanpratab.	Rajah Syama Sankar Ray Bahadur and Parvati Sankar Chowdhury.	1,100 0 0	400 0 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 8th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Pubna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th January 1879, corresponding with the 12th Magh 1285 B. S., on Friday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th September 1878.

Towji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
74	Kismut turf Malanchi, pergunnah Sendoori.	Sheik Mahommed Naki and others ...	1,634 12 0	23 0 0	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Mahomed Naki and Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs. 1,149-8-0, will be sold.
115	Kismut turf Bhanrara, pergunnah Bajuras Najirpore.	Anarwar Ali Khan and others	2,750 13 0	56 3 0	This mehal is under butwara. The shares of Anar Ali Khan, Saudashi Gobbur Bibee, Sadi Khan, Azimanessa, Nurannessa, Hasibannessa, and Saroda Sundari Devya, from which the arrears are due, will be sold. The other shares are exempted from sale.
163	New accretions to kismut turf Sujana ar, Nischintapur, pergunnah Mahamudshahye.	Annada Govinda Choudhuri and others	1,688 5 0	62 12 0	The shares on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Annada Gobinda Chaudhuri and Nithokali Devya, mother of Sri Govinda Chaudhuri, with a revenue of Rs. 1,278-14-0, including the Road Fund from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
175	Kismut turf Shayampur, pergunnah Amirabad.	Moonshi Mahomed Hafez and others	3,156 9 0 Police, 5 1 0 3,161 10 0	82 2 0	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares. The share of Moonshi Mahomed Hafez, with a revenue of Rs. 2,709-5-0, including police from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
205	Kismut Chuk Govindapur, pergunnah Katermulla.	Ram Sundari Devya and Govinda Lahory.	1,560 0 0 Police, 14 15 0 1,574 15 0	2 3 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
230	Dehi Protab, pergunnah Katar Mahalla.	Banawarilal Roy, Umakanta Bhuttacharya minors, Lakshi Kanta, Chandra Kanta, Surja Kanta, Kamini Kanta, Jamini Kanta Bhuttachary, Gobinda Nath Koy, Nityananda Palin Chundra, Radha Govinda, Brojo Govinda, Goti Gobinda, Krisna Nath, Broja Nath, Goloknath Nag, Gaur Mohan Nanda Lal, Radha Krisna, Broja Mohan, Gopi Mohan, Krisna Das Gosvame, Sib Soondari Devya, Gaur Hari, Krisna Chundra, Kanaya Lal Gosvami, Annapurna Devya, Krisna Behary Roy, Madhu Mati *alias* Trepura Sundari, Krisna Sundar, Janoki Nath, Jagoda Nanda, Bepin Behari Gosvami, Podda Moni Devya minor, Gopal Ram Narayan Gosvami, Sasi Bhusan Gosvami, Ram Gosvami.	9,871 2 0 Police, 53 5 0 9,924 7 0	74 15 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
276	Kismut Guakhara and others, pergunnah Sona-bajoo.	Kashi Chundra Maitra, Indra Mani Devya and others.	1,871 3 0	58 6 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Indra Mani Devya, Shambhu Nath, Bisva Nath Talookdar, Krisna Sundar and Jadab Chandra Chaudhuri Prosad Talook, Ram Sundari Devya, wife of Govinda Chandra Lahiri Ramkisore Talookdar, Doorga Das Chaudhurs, Nil Govinda Girish Chundra Talookdar, Mommayi Devya, mother of Saroda Prosad Lahiri, Juggo Mohan Kunja Mohan Talookdar, and Kali Chandra Moitra, with a revenue of Rs. 1,403-5-0 from which the arrear is due, will be sold.

W. M. CLAY, *Offg. Collector of Pubna.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1878 :—

Number.	Towjee number.	Name of estate.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8678.	Julkar Nayanadi Rath Khola, pergunnah Bikrumpore.	Ramkristo, Kallykristo, Shoshi Mohun for self and as guardian of Lal Mohun and Kristo Mohun, Mu-Ramdalal for self and as guardian of Horendralal and Shyamlal, Chandra Bonode Pal for self and as guardian of Prem Bonode, Radha Bonode Pal, and Chitto Bonodo Pal.	1,125 6 0	25 11 0	The entire mehal will be sold.

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 9th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 64.—Nilam Anandi Manullah; recorded proprietors Asmatali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,160-0-3. Share No. 1, of Dewan Ali Sadagar, recorded proprietor Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 580-0-1; share No. 2, of Ramjoy Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 64; and No. 3, of Asmat Ali, Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 516-0-2, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 401.—Kismut Bolaram Sarkar, Babait Taraf Sanaullah Khan; recorded proprietors Girish Chandra Rakit and Gurudas Rakhit; sudder jumma Rs. 1,063-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 656.—Taraf Chittra Sen Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Prasanna Kumar Waddadar and Mukta Keshi; sudder jumma Rs. 568-3-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 669.—Taraf Chhatranarayan Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Abhaya and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-10-4. Share No. 2, of Girish Chandra, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 642 7-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 813.—Kismut Durga Lockan, Krishna Charan Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, Chandra Kala, Ram Sunder Sen, Krishna Mohan Kerani, Gopal Dass, Guru Das Pal, and Ram Chandra, Babait Taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ram Sunder Sen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 883-12-6. Share No. 3, of Kasi Chandra Waddadar, Rasik Chundra, Pran Hari, Kali Kumar and Prosanno Kumar Waddadar, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 62-3-9; share No. 5, of Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 205-2-2; and share No. 6, of Chandra Kanto Pal, Chandra Kala, Gurudas Pal, Nakuleshwer Pal, Bakrashwer Pal, Ruki Das Pal, Shulapani Pal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 389-15-11, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Ramesh Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Ram Sunder Sen, Ram Mohan Sen, Sasti Charan Datta, Krishna Chundra Gupta, Pitamber, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra, Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 177-13-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiyop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6. Share No. 7, of Yassin Khan, Yar Ali Khan, Sarfaraz Khan, Anwar Khan, Mahammad Samil, Amir Ali, and Hamidullah, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1469.—Taraf Kumar Kuli; recorded proprietors Golam Gaus and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,015-13-0. Share No. 1, of Shekh Abdul Fattah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-15-3; and share No. 2, of Golam Gaus, Golam Hydar, Jalfatnissa, Mahammad Mukim, Nazumannessa, Maimina, Ezaral Hug, Umed Ali, Soobratnessa, Jamiran, Ossimannessa, Mahassooma Begum, Farid Lalam and Syud Lalam, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 761-13-9, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1749.—Taraf Mahammad Ali and Rustum Ali; recorded proprietors Krishna Chandra Gupta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,483-3-6. Share of Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,612-6-8, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate for which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1868.—Kismat Mahammad Daem Nazir, Azmutullah Khan, Amirannessa, Babait Taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Mobarek Ali; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-5-3. Share of Ramkanta, Mahammad Tossi, Mosson Ali, Pitamber Parial, Manager of Srimoti Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 506-6-10, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which the revenue have been paid up under separate accounts opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1889.—Taraf Mahammad Shafi Nazir; recorded proprietors Badiar Raheman and others; sudder jumma Rs. 558-7-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Guru Das, and Hara Das Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Haradas Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sunder Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimoti Annapurna and others; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7. Share No. 1, of Ram Sundar Sen, sudder jumma Rs. 70-12-11; No. 10, of Pitamber Kanungoe, Gour Chandra Rai, Pran Huri Lalla, Prasonna Chandra, and Hari Har Bhattacharjya, sudder jumma Rs. 74-0-9; No. 12, of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemantaram De, Chaitanya Charan, and Pran Huri Lalla, sudder jumma Rs. 163-12; No. 35, of Ramdhon Baruk, sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, and the remaining share of Bhairab Charan, Chandi Charan, Kali Charan, Nossorullah Munshi, Raj Chandra, Ram Das, Pran Hari Lalla, Tripura Charan, Annada Charan Nityananda, Abdullah, Uzir Ali, *alias* Poton, Debi Charan, *alias* Debu Mahayan, Aukhil Chandra Chaudhuri,

Hari Nath, Barnijan Bibi, Ram Kinker, Aukhil Chandra Sen, Ishan Chandra Choudhury, Srimati Shyama Sundari, Guru Das Rai, Ram Das Shikdar, Baisnab Charan, Mohesh, Parbbati Charan Bhattacharyya, Bhobani Das, Bidyalankar, Raj Chandra Sen, for himself and on part of minor Bangsi Mohan Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 145-5-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3039.—Taraf Shyam Raja; recorded proprietors Dhananjoy Raha and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 678-14-3. The share of Dhananjoy Raha, Gakul Chandra, Mahomed Raffi, Murarıdhar Sarma, Ram Keshab, Ram Dulal Surma, Ram Kanta, Ram Mohan, Ram Charan Surma, Sharbba Chandra Chakravartti, Shadavan, Anyad Ali, Yar Ali, Jan Ali, Abdul Kader, Jaduram Surma, Ram Sunder Surma, Kailas Chandra, and Ram Kinker Surma, bearing sudder jumma Rs 223-4-3, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3113.—Taraf Shermat Khan Choudhuri; recorded proprietors Agbar Ali Choudhury and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 527-6-6. The share of Agbar Ali Bhuniya, Dewan Bibi, Jinnat Ali Khan, and Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 361-12-6, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

COMPROMISED MEHAL.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhav; recorded proprietors Balak Das and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4. Share No. 1, of Srimati Pran Krishore, bearing sudder jumma Rs 141-0-10; share No. 2, of Srimati Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs 98-0-1; share No. 3, of Ram Sundar Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 418-8-6; and share No. 4, of Srimati Rasheshwari Debya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 383-2-3, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 13407.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Lalita Thakurani and Nayantara Chaudhuria; sudder jumma of the entire taluk Rs. 701-4-3. The share of Lalita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 150-10-10 10 kranto, will be sold, excluding the portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33534.—Taluk Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Annada Charan and Tripura Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-6. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1879, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Zilwangza.

No. $\frac{14}{14}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; auction purchasers Nassarat Ali, Omed Ali Choudhury; sudder jumma Rs. 938. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Patili.

No. $\frac{12}{1918}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 1,491-4-9. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, Mouza Paharchanda.

No. $\frac{1}{148}$.—Taluk Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Pran Kishna Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 985-2-0. The entire taluk will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Dy. Collr. in charge.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 16th January 1879

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah	Howrah to Calcutta		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
January 10th, 1879	53 0 6	48 3 9	73 8 0	87 4 6	262 0 9	
„ 11th, „	60 8 0	62 7 6	79 7 0	76 6 6	287 13 0	
„ 12th, „	79 14 6	68 4 9	86 11 3	70 14 9	305 13 3	
„ 13th, „	54 11 3	49 12 3	70 4 6	66 3 9	240 15 9	
„ 14th, „	48 11 9	47 9 9	79 8 6	60 9 6	236 7 6	
„ 15th, „	54 2 9	57 3 3	100 7 3	73 0 0	284 13 3	
„ 16th, „	55 15 6	54 9 3	90 6 0	73 13 0	274 11 9	
Total ...	416 0 3	388 2 6	580 4 6	508 4 0	1,892 11 3	
Total of previous week	429 9 6	423 1 6	594 4 0	518 5 6	1,965 4 6	
Grand Total ...	845 9 9	811 4 0	1,174 8 6	1,026 9 6	3,857 15 9	

PORT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, the 18th January 1879. (770—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

LIST OF JURORS FOR THE YEAR 1879.

IT is hereby notified that objections to the following List of Jurors for the district of 24-Pergunnahs, for the year 1879, will be heard and determined by the Sessions Judge and Collector of the district at the Sessions Court on Saturday, the 18th January 1879.

Consecutive Number	Name.	Residence.	Race.	Profession.
	A.			
1	Adels, J. R.	5, Old Police Hospital Lane, east of Gowkhana.	East Indian	Draftsman, Surveyor-General's Office.
2	Alexander, W.	18, Balleaghatta Store Road	Scotch	Firm of George, Henderson & Co.
3	Andrews, J.	6, Chowringhee	East Indian	Not known.
4	Angelo, E. M.	Cossipore Road	European	Firm of Angelo Brothers.
5	Angelo, M. K.	ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
6	Arthur, R. J.	Cossipore	ditto	Foreman Engineer, Gun-Foundry.
7	Augier, F.	ditto	ditto	Engineer to Angelo Brothers.
	B.			
8	Bagram, J. G.	14, Lower Circular Road, 24-Pergunnahs side.	Armenian	Firm of G. J. Bagram & Co.
9	Baker, M.	17, Dhee Sreerampore Road, South Entally.	European	Overseer of Dissenters' burial-ground, and Assistant to Calcutta School Book Society.
10	Balandreau, A. M.	54, Comardang Road, West	ditto	Assistant to Carlisle, Nephew & Co.
11	Baldwin, W. B.	2, Peara Bagan Road	ditto	Not known.
12	Barlow, P. C.	13, Watgunge Street	English	Merchant.
13	Barton, Captain J.	6, Peepulputtee Road	European	Not known.
14	Bartle, M. G. F.	25, ditto ditto	ditto	Sub-Engineer, Public Works Department.
15	Belara, C. V.	Sealdah	ditto	Assistant Engineer, Eastern Bengal Railway.
16	Blockford, M. F.	79, Diamond Harbour Road	ditto	Engineer.
17	Blockwood, E.	8, Momunpore Road	ditto	Not known.
18	Blacker, G. M.	3, Canal Street	Irish	Broker.
19	Batton, A. G.	9, South Collingah Street	English	Chief Engineer.
20	Brunstor, R. C.	11, Canal Street	European	Not known.
21	Broadhead	27, Gora Chand Road	ditto	ditto.
22	Brown, F. C.	14, Guriahaut Road	ditto	Zemindar.
23	Burgess, R.	5, North Road, Entally	ditto	Assistant to J. Monteith & Co.
24	Burnett, J.	36, Puddopooker, South Road, Entally.	ditto	Not known.
25	Byrnce, J. O.	15, Canal Street	East Indian	Assistant, Reference Department, Surveyor-General's Office.
	C.			
26	Cautley, D.	3, Taranga 2nd Lane	ditto	Not known.
27	Cantopher, F. C.	Cantopher's Lane	ditto	Assistant to Stewart & Co., Coach-builders.
28	Cox, M. S.	9, Rusterjee's Lane	Scotch	Merchant.
29	Craston, J.	14, Watgunge Street	European	Builder and Surveyor.
30	Crawford, F.	56, Circular Garden Reach Road	East Indian	Assistant P. & O. Co.'s Office.
31	Crawford, J.	8, Lower Circular Road	ditto	Not known.
	D.			
32	DeAlmeida, E T.	27, Middle Road, Entally	Armenian	Assistant, Apcar and Co.
33	Dean, W.	10, Ballygunge Store Road	European	Assistant, Agent's Office, Eastern Bengal Railway.
34	Dear, W.	607, Palmar's Bazar Road	English	Engineer.
35	DeCruz, J. R. A	27, Circular Garden Reach Road.	East Indian	Not known.
36	D'Silva, J.	68, South Road, Entally	ditto	Reporter.
37	D'Silva, J. A.	ditto ditto	ditto	Clerk, Public Works Department.
38	D'Silva, N.	ditto ditto	ditto	Assistant to Wattenbach, Heilgers & Co.
39	Doeg, M. D.	Baranagore	European	Head Mechanical Engineer, Calcutta Mint.
40	Donaldson, P.	Alipore	ditto	Superintendent, Jail Manufactures, Alipore.
41	Donelly, J. R.	Alipore Jail Premises	ditto	Examiner, Alipore Jail Press.
42	Ducas, A.	92, Lower Circular Road, 24-Pergunnahs.	East Indian	Assistant, Argenti, Schilizzi & Co.
43	Duval, O. B.	7, South Road, Entally	ditto	Assistant, Military Department.
44	Dunn, J. W.	21, Convent Road	ditto	Not known.
45	Drust, A. M.	100, Circular Garden Reach Road.	ditto	ditto.
	E.			
46	Ellis, F. A. M.	137, Garden Reach Road	ditto	Engineer, India General Steam Navigation Company.
47	Elson, S. R.	124, Circular Garden Reach Road.	European	Licensed Master Pilot.

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	F.			
48	Fink, W. C.	65, South Road, Entally	East Indian	Assistant, Financial Department.
49	Fernandez, W.	12, Canal Street	English	Not known.
50	Fisher, J.	26, Cothree Lane	East Indian	ditto.
51	Franaz, J. D.	25, Barrackpore Trunk Road, Chitpore.	European	Assistant, Cossipore Sugar Works.
52	Firth, M. A.	8, Garden Reach Road	ditto	Not known.
53	Frederic, M. J. M.	6, Monshatollah Lane, Garden Reach.	ditto	Assistant, Oriental Bank Corporation.
	G.			
54	Gould, M.	24, South Road, Entally	Eurasian	Not known.
55	Green, E.	24, North Road, Entally	European	ditto.
56	Gregory, D. C.	4, Hattebagan Road	English	ditto.
57	Gregory, J. A.	16, Tengra Road	ditto	Manager, Great Eastern Hotel.
58	Grey, C. J.	4, Diamond Harbour Road	European	Not known.
	H.			
59	Haut, P. A.	100, Circular Garden Reach Road.	English	ditto.
60	Hart, F.	15, North Road, Entally	European	Superintendent, Watts & Co
61	Hart, R.	6, Garden Reach Road	ditto	Engineer.
62	Hefferan, J. E.	76, Diamond Harbour Road	Eurasian	Head Reference Clerk, Board of Revenue.
63	Henry, R.	20, Convent Road	ditto	Cooly Emigrant.
64	Hughes, J. H.	28, Monshatollah Lane, Circular Garden Reach.	European	Civil Engineer.
65	Hurst, W.	6, Nawab's Lane	English	Assistant, Merchant's Office.
	J.			
66	Jack, W.	35, Cossipore	Irish	Overseer of Moulders, Cossipore Gun-Foundry.
67	Jarvis, D.	43, Garden Reach	European	Not known.
68	John, J. D.	1, Canal Street, Entally	ditto	Commission Agent.
69	Jones, J. E.	52, Middle Road, Entally	ditto	Assistant to Nicoll, Fleming & Co.
70	Judah, W. A.	3, Police Hospital Road	Jew	Deputy Accountant, Calcutta Mint.
	K.			
71	Kennelly, J.	143, Balleaghatta Road, Sealdah.	East Indian	Assistant to Wyman & Co.
72	Kerr, G. L.	3, Dhee Sreerampore Road	European	Not known.
73	Keymer, R. E.	65, Middle Road, Entally	ditto	Engineer.
74	Kidd, W.	82, Puddopooker	English	Not known; captain of a ship.
	L.			
75	Lackersteen, J. F.	4 and 5, Balleaghatta Road	European	Firm of G. F. Lackersteen & Co.
76	Lambrick, J. H.	88, Lower Circular Road, 24-Pergunnahs side.	ditto	Master Pilot.
77	Langley, P. R.	8, Tengra Road	ditto	Store Department, State Railway.
78	Langley, Captain R. B.	50, Circular Garden Reach	ditto	Not known.
79	Lawrence, J.	15, Canal Street, Entally	East Indian	Assistant, Money Order Office.
80	Laming, J.	138, Sealdah Road	European	Proprietor, Soorkie and Castor-oil Mills.
81	Leslie, J.	22, Convent Road	English	Not known.
82	Lehzen, E.	10, Circular Garden Reach	East Indian	ditto.
83	Linton, W. W.	1, Gora Chand Road	European	Solicitor.
84	Leich, H. J.	12, Garden Reach Road	English	Not known.
	M.			
85	MacLachlan, J. E.	8, Ballygunge Circular Road	European	Director, Calcutta Docking Co.
86	Madlin, A. H.	3, ditto ditto	East Indian	Firm of B. Smyth & Co.
87	Mandy, J. C.	78, Lower Circular Road	ditto	Manager to "The Store."
88	Manley, C. J.	78, Circular Garden Reach	European	Assistant, Inspector-General of Ordnance.
89	Manley, D. W.	11, North Road, Entally	East Indian	Tradesman.
90	Manuk, G. J.	13, Lower Circular Road	Armenian	Not known.
91	Manuk, T.	81, ditto ditto	ditto	ditto.
92	Mare, C. H.	30, Ballygunge Circular Road.	English	ditto.
93	Martindale, A. C.	3, Peara Bagan Road, Ballygunge.	ditto	ditto.
94	Masters, E. A.	8, Ballygunge Circular Road	ditto	Assistant, Financial Secretariat, Government of Bengal.
95	Maston, C.	8, Circular Road	ditto	Not known.
96	McCarthy, T. C.	1-29, Deegirpara Lane	European	Overseer, Alipore Jail Press.
97	McGlasham, W.	Cossipore	ditto	Mechanical Engineer, Cossipore Gun-Foundry.
98	McIver, J.	Kidderpore Dockyard	ditto	Assistant, Government Builder and Surveyor's Department.

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	M.			
99	McLeod	... Dum-Dum Cantonment ...	European ...	Pensioner.
100	Mendes, A. O.	.. Onract's 2nd Lane, Entally ...	East Indian	Assistant, Inspector-General's Office.
101	Mercado, D. C.	... 38, Ekbalpore Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
102	Mitchell, D.	. Government Dockyard, Kidderpore.	European ...	Assistant, Builder and Surveyor's Department.
	N.			
103	Nott, E. A.	... Ballygunge	ditto ...	Articled Clerk, Swinhoe, Law & Co.
	O.			
104	Ogg, A. A.	... 7, Canal Street, Entally (7, Rose Villa).	ditto ...	Assistant, High Court.
	P.			
105	Palmer, D.	35, Beniapooker Road ...	East Indian	Not known.
106	Paulson, P.	... 35, Beniapooker Lane ...	European ...	Licensed Master Pilot.
107	Payne, J. H.	16, North Road, Entally ...	ditto ...	Proprietor, Soorkey Mill.
108	Payne, J. H.	... 24, Middle Road, Entally ...	ditto ...	Assistant to Pickford, Gordon & Co.
109	Payne, J.	... 41, Gurbari Street, Circular Garden Reach Road.	East Indian	Not known.
110	Pereira, J. F.	.. 12, Balleaghatta Road ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Public Works Department.
111	Pereira, J. T.	... 12, ditto ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Office of Chief Engineer, Government of Bengal.
112	Price, C. E.	... Ballygunge ...	English ...	Not known.
	R.			
113	Rayner, F.	... 8, Lower Circular Road ..	ditto ...	ditto.
114	Raymond, B.	10, Garden Reach Road ...	European ...	Yard Superintendent Store-keeper, P. and O. Co.
115	Rhodius, H.	... 13, Ballygunge Store Road ...	ditto ...	Firm of Wattenbach, Heilgers & Co.
116	Ruty, A.	... 75, Garden Reach Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
117	Robinson, J.	... Ballygunge Road ...	East Indian	Head Assistant, Military Accounts Office.
118	Rogers, J.	... 12, Jail Road ...	Irish ...	Assistant Store-keeper, Army Clothing Agency.
119	Rodrigues, H.	... 1, Canal Street, Entally ...	East Indian	Assistant to Mandy & Co.
120	Rodrigues, J., Senior	... 1, ditto ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Examiner's Office.
121	Routledge, C. T.	... 7, North Road, Entally ...	ditto ...	Registrar, Military Secretariat Office.
122	Routledge, D. B.	... 30, Baniapooker Road ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Military Department.
	S.			
123	Salmon, J. R.	... 87, Garden Reach Road ...	English ...	Not known.
124	Sampson, Captain E. W.	32, Middle Road, Entally ...	ditto ...	ditto.
125	Schofield, W.	.. Gas Street, Circular Road ...	European ...	Assistant, Oriental Gas Co.
126	Schorn, J. C.	... 89, Lower Circular Road, 24-Pergunnahs side.	ditto ...	Retired Merchant.
127	Schorn, E S.	... ditto ...	ditto ...	Not known.
128	Scott, G. J.	... 7, Garden Reach Road ...	ditto ...	Secretary, India General Steam Navigation Company.
129	Scott, W. C.	.. 7, Tantie Bagan Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
130	Shanahan, Thomas	... 36, Cossipore Road ...	Irish ...	Overseer, Cossipore Gun-Foundry.
131	Shearman, J.	27, Ballygunge Circular Road	English ...	Not known.
132	Sheriff, R. W.	... 55, Kamardanga Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
133	Sein, R.	... Cossipore ...	European ...	Assistant, Camperdown Pressing Company.
134	Smith, H. J.	... 93, Lower Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
135	Stephen, S. S.	... Kowrahpooker Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
136	Strange, E. S.	... 4, Lower Circular Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
137	Strange, S. J. W. L.	... 5, ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
138	Sutherland, C. J.	... 76, ditto ...	ditto ...	Firm of Simpson & Co.
139	Swinhoe, W.	... Guriahat Road ...	East Indian	ditto.
140	Sykes, O. S.	... 10, Peepulputtee Road ...	European ...	Firm of Sykes & Co.
	T.			
141	Templeman, A.	... 7, Komedan Bagan Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Conductor, Naval Store-keeper's Department.
142	Thomas, J.	... 8, Bhowanipore Road ...	East Indian	Not known.
143	Thompson, H. E.	.. 6, Alipore Road ...	European ...	Superintendent of Telegraphs.
144	Thompson, A.	... Cossipore ...	ditto ...	Engineer, Camperdown Pressing Company.
	V.			
145	Vanderbeck, E.	3 and 4, Sealdah Road ...	East Indian	Assistant to G. F. Lackersteen & Co.
146	Vertannes, Z	... 20, Shibtollah Lane ...	ditto ...	Merchant's Assistant.
	W.			
147	Walters, W.	... 14, Gora Chand Road ...	English ...	Not known
148	Watson, J.	... 38, Cossipore Road ...	ditto ...	Clothing Accounts.
149	Watkins, F. A.	.. Army Clothing Agency ...	European ...	Master Tailor, Clothing Agency.

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	W			
150	Wigley, T.	Boinchberiah 1st Lane	English	Not known.
151	William	Dum-Dum Cantonment	European	Pensioner.
152	Wilson, R.	12, Jail Road	English	Not known.
153	Wilson, S.	Dum-Dum Cantonment	European	Military Pay Office.
154	Wince, J.	Jail Road, Kidderpore	Eurasian	Head Clerk, Army Clothing Department.
155	Woollen, C. W.	6, South Road, Entally	East Indian	Assistant, Office of Controller of Military Accounts.
156	Wyatt, T.	10, Peepulputtee Road	European	Barrister-at-law, Monghyr and Bhagulpore.
157	Wyatt, G.	10, ditto	ditto	Accountant, Currency Office.
158	Wyatt, S. W.	10, ditto	ditto	Clerk, Comptroller-General's Office.
	Y.			
159	Yates, G. R.	11, Lower Circular Road	ditto	Assistant to Gisborne & Co.
160	Yates, R. B.	9, ditto	ditto	ditto ditto.
161	Young, W.	10, Convent Road, Entally	ditto	Head Compiler, Office of Examiner of Commissariat Accounts.

LIST OF NATIVE JURORS.

	A.			
162	Acharjee, Chitti Narain	5A, Bocool Bagan Road	Hindoo	Clerk, Public Works Accounts Office, Bengal.
163	„ Mohesh Chunder	68, Chuckerbair Road	ditto	Clerk, Office of Survey Commissioner, Government of India.
	B.			
164	Banerjee, Aubinash Chunder	9, Camrangatollah Lane	ditto	Pleader, High Court.
165	„ Ashutosh	81, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street.	ditto	Articled Clerk.
166	„ Bacharam	Dhacooriah Raypara East	ditto	Clerk.
167	„ Banimadhub	8, Soorjee Coomar Chatterjee's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Clerk, Office of Examiner, Medical Accounts (gone to Simla).
168	„ Banimadhub	2, Roop Chand Mookerjee's Lane.	ditto	Clerk, Ordnance Examiner's Office.
169	„ Beedhoobhoosun	5, Bolloram Bose's Lane	ditto	Teacher, South Suburban School.
170	„ Bholanath	Kalighat	ditto	Clerk.
171	„ Cally Nauth	Manicktollah	ditto	Mooktear.
172	„ Chunderkant	104, Chingrighatta Road, Entally.	ditto	Clerk, Attorney's Office.
173	„ Chunder Coomar	45, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Cashier, Garrison Engineer's Office.
174	„ Chunder Mohun	7, Roop Narain Nundun's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Clerk, High Court.
175	„ Doorga Churn	68, Strand Road, Bhowanipore	ditto	Head Clerk, Howrah Collectorate.
176	„ Gopal Chunder	Shahanagore	ditto	Merchant
177	„ Gopal Chunder	6, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Clerk, Messrs. Burn & Co.
178	„ Gopal Chunder	Chuckerbaria Road, South	ditto	Not known.
179	„ Gooroo Dass	16, Joy Narain Turkopunchanun's Lane, Narcoldangah.	ditto	Pleader, High Court.
180	„ Grish Chunder	Behallah, 24-Pergunnahs	ditto	Clerk, High Court.
181	„ Gungadhur	8, Gungadhur Banerjee's Lane, Kidderpore, Monshatollah.	ditto	Zemindar.
182	„ Huro Chunder	19, Shustitollah Road, Kidderpore.	ditto	Head Clerk, Government Dockyard, Kidderpore.
183	„ Hurri Mohun	3, Puddopooker, Kidderpore	ditto	Contractor.
184	„ Hurri Churn	Behallah, 24-Pergunnahs	ditto	Clerk.
185	„ Ishan Chunder	Bocool Bagan Lane	ditto	Head Clerk, Vaccination Department.
186	„ Ishan Chunder	Chuckerbair, Bocool Bagan	ditto	Gentleman.
187	„ Jodoo Nath	18, Boloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
188	„ Jodoo Nath	46, Nocoolessurtollah Lane, Banerjeapara, Kalighat, Haldarpara.	ditto	Clerk, Small Cause Court, Calcutta.
189	„ Juggut Chunder	17, Peepulputtee Lane	ditto	Clerk, Railway Office.
190	„ Kalipodo	26, Haldarpara Road, Kalighat	ditto	Assistant Controller, Public Works Department.
191	„ Kader Nath	5, Soorjee Coomar Chatterjee's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Clerk, Public Works Department, Bengal.
192	„ Mohesh Chunder	45, Gurpara Road	ditto	Attorney's Clerk.
193	„ Mohendro Nath	11, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Clerk.
194	„ Modoosoodun	23, Nalooapara Road, Kidderpore.	ditto	Merchant.
195	„ Moti Lall	58, Russapuglah Road	ditto	Teacher.
196	„ Nilmoney	Sarsoona	ditto	ditto.
197	„ Nistarun	Beltollah	ditto	ditto, Calcutta Madrassa.
198	„ Akhoy Chunder	20, Gourbari Road, Kidderpore	ditto	Cashier.

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	B.			
199	Banerjee, Poorno Chunder...	7, Dhopaparah Road, Chuckerbair.	Hindoo	... Section Clerk.
200	,, Preo Nath ...	32, Kansaripara Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Commissioner's Office, Presidency Division.
201	,, Prosunno Chunder	17, Bonomali Chatterjee's Street, Chitpore.	ditto	... Head Clerk, Paikpara Raj Bati.
202	,, Prosunno Coomar	91, Watgunge Street, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Zemindar.
203	,, Rajkristo ...	6, Barapuker, Kidderpore ...	ditto	... Examiner, Public Works Department.
204	,, Radha Nath ...	Sarsonah ...	ditto	... Clerk, Commissariat Office.
205	,, Rakhal Chunder...	60, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto	... Teacher, London Missionary Society's Institution.
206	,, Ram Chunder ...	21, Beltollah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto	... Clerk, Home Department.
207	,, Ramtaron ...	Beltollah ...	ditto	... Pleader, Judge's Court.
208	,, Shama Churn ...	20, Shama Churn Chatterjee's Lane, Kalighat.	ditto	... Translator, High Court.
209	,, Soda Nond ...	Kalighat ...	ditto	... Assistant, Public Works Department.
210	,, Sooro Coomar ...	2, Jhowtollah Road ...	ditto	... Clerk.
211	,, Soorut Coomar ...	ditto ...	ditto	... ditto.
212	,, Taraprosunno ...	Bhookoylash ...	ditto	... ditto.
213	,, Tara Prosunno ...	ditto ...	ditto	... Zemindar.
214	,, Umbica Churn ...	45, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Clerk.
215	,, Umbica Churn ...	103, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Solicitor's Office.
216	,, Omesh Chunder...	28, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto	... Clerk, Railway.
217	,, Prosunno Coomar	Deekhunseehur ...	ditto	... Sub-Engineer.
218	,, Wooma Churn ...	16, Tallygunge Road ...	ditto	... Attorney's Clerk.
219	,, Wooma Churn ...	8, Bocool Bagan Lane ...	ditto	... Clerk.
220	,, Punchanun ...	Behalah ...	ditto	... ditto.
221	Bhoomick, Doora Churn ...	5, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Mooktear, High Court.
222	Bhuddro, Dabendro Nath ...	15, Gunjahwalla's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Clerk, Money Order Office.
223	Biswas, Aushootosh ...	5, Bolloram Bose's 2nd Lane...	ditto	... Pleader, Judge's Court.
224	,, Bonomali ...	9-2, Taraffdar's Tank 2nd Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Clerk.
225	,, Grish Chunder ...	51, Coriah Road ...	ditto	... Clerk, Surveyor-General's Office.
226	,, Hurro Lall ...	9, Shamboo Baboo's Lane, Entally.	ditto	... Clerk, Ashburn and Company.
227	,, Mohendro Lall ...	3-1, Gopal Ghose's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Clerk, Medical Examiner's Office.
228	,, Preo Nath ...	Palmer's Bazar, Entally ...	ditto	... Zemindar.
229	,, Prosunno Coomar ...	28, Chunder Nath Chatterjee's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Mooktear, High Court.
230	,, Tarini Churn ...	Chasha Dhobaparah Road, Cossipore.	ditto	... Broker.
231	,, Teeluck Chunder ...	81, Manicktollah Road ...	ditto	... Not known.
232	Boral, Mohes Chunder ...	Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Pleader.
233	Bose, Ashootosh ...	18, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Private gentleman.
234	,, Bama Churn ...	24, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Merchant's Clerk.
235	,, Bahari Lall ...	9, Tarruck Nath Bose's Lane, Gobra, East Entally.	ditto	... Vakeel, High Court.
236	,, Bhoobun Chunder ...	Nawabputti Street ...	ditto	... Not known.
237	,, Bhogoban Chunder ...	7, Entally Road ...	ditto	... Clerk, Garrison Engineer's Office.
238	,, Brojo Madhub ...	1, Chuckerbair ...	Christian	... Translator, High Court.
239	,, Doorgapodo ...	Shahapore ...	Hindoo	... Clerk, Executive Engineer's Office.
240	,, Gopaul Chunder ...	36, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk.
241	,, Gobind Chunder ...	54, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto	... Clerk, High Court.
242	,, Gobind Prosaud ...	38-7, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Pensioner.
243	,, Greesh Chunder ...	Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Head Clerk, P. and O. Company.
244	,, Gyanendronath ...	16, Bolloram Bose's Lane ...	ditto	... Contractor.
245	,, Haran Chunder ...	Camranghatolla Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk.
246	,, Hurono Chunder ...	7, Shumboo Baboo's Lane, Entally.	ditto	... ditto.
247	,, Hurri Churn ...	49, Jelleahparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Mooktear, High Court.
248	,, Kedar Nath ...	53, Russa Road, North ...	ditto	... Clerk, High Court.
249	,, Kali Tara ...	Soorah ...	ditto	... Clerk.
250	,, Kali Prosunno ...	53, Russa Road, North ...	ditto	... Clerk, Inspector-General's Office.
251	,, Khetra Chunder ...	13, Convent Road, North Entally.	ditto	... Conservancy Overseer.
252	,, Mohendro Nath ...	36, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Magistrate's Office.
253	,, Mohendro Nath ...	Upper Circular Road ...	ditto	... Not known.

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	B.			
* 254	Bose, Nil Madhub ...	59, Gurparah Road, north of Narcoldangah Gas-house and south of Manicktollah.	Hindoo ...	Superintendent, Copying Department, Board of Revenue.
255	,, Narsing Chunder ...	5, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Broker.
256	,, Nilcomul ..	183, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk; Small Cause Court, Calcutta.
257	,, Obhoy Churn ...	Jelleahparah, Bhowanipore, Beltollah	ditto ...	Clerk, Engineer's Office, Writers' Buildings.
258	,, Okhoy Coomar ...	2, Calitara Bose's Lane, east of Balleaghatta Bridge.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway
259	,, Opendro Nath .	5, Puddopooker Road, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
260	,, Parbutti Churn ...	24, Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, P. and O. Company.
261	,, Preomadhub ...	6, Coondoo's Road ...	ditto ...	Unknown.
262	,, Radha Nath ...	93, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Barrister's Clerk.
263	,, Ram Gopaul ..	11, Gurparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Accountant-General's Office.
264	,, Ramessur . .	Chitpore Street ...	ditto ...	Not known.
265	,, Shama Churn ...	3, Shustitollah Road, east of Narkoldangah Bridge.	ditto ...	Attorney's Clerk.
266	,, Shoshibhoosun ...	18, Strand Road, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Chief Clerk, High Court.
267	,, Sreenauth ...	1, Coondoo's Road ...	ditto ...	Merchant's Clerk.
268	,, Umbica Churn ...	5, Chunder Nath Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
269	,, Umerto Laul ..	11, Chitla Haut ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
270	,, Womesh Chunder ...	Chitla ...	ditto ...	ditto.
	C.			
271	Cazee, Moonshee Adiat Jamah.	Banimadhub Nundun Brothers' 2nd Lane, Bhowanipore.	Mahomedan	Peshkar, High Court.
272	Chatterjee, Ashootosh ...	14, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	Hindoo ...	Clerk, Municipal Commissioner's Office.
273	,, Bacharam ...	Behala, 24-Pergunnahs ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
274	,, Banimadhub ...	14, Casi Nath Pottundy's Lane, Kalighat	ditto ...	ditto.
275	,, Benauck Chunder	4, Pacoortollah, Kidderpore...	ditto ...	Dewan of Rajah Sutto Surn Ghosal, Bahadoor.
276	,, Busunt Coomar ...	Behala ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
277	,, Bhuggobutti Churn.	16, Barrackpore Trunk Road .	ditto ...	Unemployed.
278	,, Bhuggobutti Churn.	Jalleaparah, No. 24, Kidderpore.	ditto ..	Clerk, Government Dockyard.
279	,, Chunder Kissore	13, Bolloram Bose's Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat
280	,, Chunder Nath ...	5, Chunder Nath Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court, 24-Pergunnahs, formerly Government Pleader.
281	,, Chunder Nath ...	25-1, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road.	ditto ...	Clerk, Military Department.
282	,, Deno Nath ...	39, Russa Road, North ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
283	,, Doorga Das ...	Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
284	,, Dwarka Nath	88, Kansariparah, Bhowanipore Road	ditto ...	Attorney's Clerk.
285	,, Dwarka Nath ..	7-1, Chuckerbaria, Puddopooker.	ditto ...	Clerk, house of the late Bissonath Ganguli.
286	,, Grija Bhoosun ...	6, Nundo Nundun Ghose's Lane, Baniapooker.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
287	,, Hurrish Chunder	23, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Military Controller of Accounts
288	,, Hurı Prosunno ...	27, ditto ...	ditto ...	Translator, High Court.
289	,, Jogendro Nath ...	103, Peepulputtee Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Bengal Accountant's Office.
290	,, Jodoo Nath ...	Behala ...	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
291	,, Kalı Dass ...	53, Chuckerbair Road ..	ditto ...	Clerk.
292	,, Kaliprosunno ...	13, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Superintendent of Police.
293	,, Kalı Dhone ...	30, ditto ...	ditto ...	Teacher, Sanskrit College
294	,, Poorno Chunder	Bocool Bagan, Bhowanipore ..	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
295	,, Krishno Chunder	Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
296	,, Mahatab Chunder	Soorah Road ...	ditto ...	Not known
297	,, Mohendro Nath	24, Kalighat Road, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Merchant's Clerk.
298	,, Nittanund ...	6, Chunder Nath Chatterjee's Street.	ditto ...	Zemindar and Vakeel.
299	,, Nobin Chunder ..	13-16, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Rajah's Bagan.	ditto ..	Clerk, Office of Examiner of Ordnance.
300	,, Nobocoomar	Soorah ...	ditto ..	Broker.
301	,, Issur Coomur ...	12, Taraffdar's Tank 2nd Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Dockyard.
302	,, Nobin Chunder	Kedehatty ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Great Eastern Hotel.
303	,, Ram Chand .	Chuckerbair ...	ditto ...	Money-lender.
304	,, Ram Kali ...	14, Gobind Prosaud Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway
305	,, Ram Lall ...	11, Chaw olputtee Road, Rajah's Bagan.	ditto ...	Clerk.

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	C.			
306	Chatterjee, Romesh Chunder	24, Chunder Nath Chatterjee's Street.	Hindoo	... Translator, High Court.
307	Ram Chunder ...	Behala ...	ditto	... Private gentleman
308	Shamlaul ...	53, Jelleaparah, Bhowanipore	ditto	... Clerk.
309	Shamlaul ...	Russa Road ...	ditto	... Clerk, Commissioner's Office, Presidency Division.
310	Saroda Prosad ...	3, Koondoo's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Merchant's Office.
311	,, Soorjee Coomar	7, Soorjee Coomar Chatterjee's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Military Orphan Society.
312	,, Shumboo Chunder.	3, Koondoo's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Controller-General's Office.
313	,, Tara Chand ...	Chuckerbair ...	ditto	... Landholder.
314	,, Sreekisto ,,	Bocbol Bagan 1st Lane ...	ditto	... Translator, High Court.
315	,, Umbica Chunder	Behala ...	ditto	... Clerk.
316	,, Woomesh Chunder.	Seekdarparah Road, Kalighat	ditto	... Head Clerk, Deputy Registrar's Office.
317	Chowdry, Brojendro Coomar	6, Puddopooker Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Zemindar.
318	,, Grish Chunder ...	Rajpore ...	ditto	... Private gentleman.
319	,, Kaliprosaud ...	Russa Road ...	ditto	... Zemindar.
320	,, Mohesh Chunder	Mohesh Chunder Chowdry's Lane, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Pleader, High Court.
321	,, Ram Tarun ...	15, Seekdarparah Road, Kalighat.	ditto	... Zemindar.
322	,, Tarnee Churn ...	7, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto	... Assistant, Government Mint Office.
323	,, Woomesh Chunder	Dobhapara Road, Kidderpore	ditto	... Clerk.
324	Chuckerbutty, Gopal Chunder.	31-1, Balleaghatta Road ...	ditto	... Booking Clerk, Calcutta and South Eastern Railway.
325	,, Gunga Narain	8, Calidas Potitundy's Lane, Kalighat, Seekdarparah.	ditto	... Clerk, High Court.
326	,, Hari Mohun	37, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Pleader, High Court.
327	,, Issur Chunder.	50, Jelleaparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Vakeel, High Court.
328	,, Issur Chunder.	Simla Road ...	ditto	... Not known.
329	,, Kader Nath	Cossipore ...	ditto	... Clerk.
330	,, Komolakanto	Nawabputtee Street, Chitpore	ditto	... Not known.
331	,, Krishna Chunder.	37, Puddopooker Road, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Merchant.
332	,, Mohima Chunder.	43, Cossipore ...	ditto	... Zemindar.
333	,, Ram Tarun...	18, Monshatollah Lane ...	ditto	... Clerk, Jetty Office.
334	,, Shama Churn	46, Beltollah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto	... Clerk, Surveyor-General's Office.
335	,, Mohesh Chunder.	9, Shahanagore Lane ...	ditto	... Head Master, Normal Aided School.
336	,, Ram Lall ...	Bhowanipore ...	ditto	... Pleader, Moonsiff's Court.
337	,, Sreemohun ...	10, Shanuggur Lane ...	ditto	... Teacher.
338	,, Tara Nath ...	43, Kansariparah ...	ditto	... Vakeel.
339	,, Ooma Churn	Behala ...	ditto	... Clerk.
340	Chunder, Anundo Lall ...	1, Puddopooker West Lane ...	ditto	... Clerk of a tannery.
341	,, Ramkisto ...	17, Sankariparah Road, Bhowanipore	ditto	... Clerk, Revenue Survey Office.
342	Coomar, Boncoobehari ...	24, Camardanga Road ...	ditto	... Head Assistant, Mercantile Firm.
343	,, Jogendro Nath ...	ditto ...	ditto	.. Clerk, Bengal Accountant-General's Office.
344	,, Ram Chunder ...	Beltollah ...	ditto	... Private gentleman.
345	,, Russick Lall ...	79, Chunder Nath Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Merchant.
	D			
346	Dass, Anundo Lall ...	40, Belgatchia Road ...	ditto	... Pleader.
347	,, Barishur ...	Kalighat ...	ditto	... Mooktear, High Court.
348	,, Bhooban Mohun ...	48, Russa Road, North ...	ditto	... Attorney.
349	,, Bhoot Nath ...	13, Jannagore, Baniapooker ...	ditto	... Clerk, Chowkidaree Hospital.
350	,, Bussunto Chunder ...	32, Sankariparah, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, High Court.
351	,, Degamber ...	28, Ramcomul Mookerjee's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto	... Not known.
352	,, Dhurmo Dass ...	9, Gouribair Road, south of Ultadangah Bridge, north of Halse Bagan.	ditto	... Clerk
353	,, Dinno Nath ...	28, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Surveyor-General's Office
354	,, Dinno Bundhoo ...	80, Ditto ditto ...	ditto	... Clerk, Government Printing Office.
355	,, Dinno Nath ...	2-1, Dhobaparah Road, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk.
356	,, Dinno Nath ...	3, Woorlaparah, Entally ...	ditto	... Cashier, Messrs. Eastman & Co.
357	,, Gopal Chunder ...	62, Bocool Bagan, Juggodanund Baboo's Road, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto	... Clerk, Surveyor-General's Office.

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	D.			
358	Dass, Gagun Chundor ...	78, Puddopooker Road, South Road, Entally.	Hindoo ..	Accountant, East Indian Railway, Chief Engineer's Office.
359	,, Hurro Nath ...	27, Gobind Prosad Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Inspector-General of Jails, Lower Provinces.
360	,, Hurro Lall ...	19, Police Hospital Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
361	,, Ishan Chunder ...	16, ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Comptroller-General's Office.
362	,, Kadar Nath ...	Sinthe South Road ...	ditto. ...	Book-keeper, Messrs. Burn & Co.
363	,, Kali Mohun ...	147, Russapugla Road ...	ditto ...	Vakeel, High Court.
364	,, Lucki Nath ...	38, Baniapooker Lane ...	ditto ...	Not known.
365	,, Madhub Chunder ...	80, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pensioner.
366	,, Modoosoodun ...	Kidderpore ...	Christian ..	Head Master, Kidderpore School.
367	,, Mohes Chunder ...	8, Cothee Lane, Kidderpore ...	Hindoo ...	Not known.
368	,, Mohes Chunder ...	9, Gobindo Prosad Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Comptroller-General's Office.
369	,, Radha Gobind ..	106, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Not known.
370	,, Rajendra Chunder ...	151, Cossipore Ghat Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
371	,, Sagore Chunder ...	26, Shustitollah Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, P. & O. Co.
372	,, Sham Chand ...	37, Baniapooker Lane ...	ditto ...	Not known.
373	,, Unnoda Prosad ...	80, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Public Works Department.
374	Deb, Grish Chunder ...	50, Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, P. & O. Co.
375	,, Jogendra Nath ...	Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
376	,, Shib Chunder ...	34, Lock-gate Road ...	ditto ...	Messrs. Angelo Brothers.
377	Dey, Opoorbo Coomar ...	21, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Accountant, Government Telegraph Store Department.
378	,, Bycant Nauth ...	Cossipore ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
379	,, Chunder Coomar ...	5, Taraffdar's Tank 2nd Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Auditor in the Office of Commissariat Stud Accounts, Calcutta.
380	,, Gopal Chunder ...	Baniapooker, Entally ...	ditto ...	Articled Clerk.
381	,, Gopal Chunder ...	Dhobaparah Road, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
382	,, Gopal Chunder ...	48-1, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	ditto.
383	,, Gour Chunder ...	4, Dhobaparah Road, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Head Clerk, Executive Engineer's Office, Third Presidency Division.
384	,, Gour Chunder ...	18, Rubiagully Lane, Entally	Christian ...	Accountant, Indian Daily News.
385	,, Hurry Naran ...	2, Satpookur Road, Chitpore ...	Hindoo ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
386	,, Jodoo Nauth ...	13, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
387	,, Moni Mohun ...	Baniapooker, Entally ...	ditto ...	Articled Clerk.
388	,, Nobin Chunder ...	4, Dhobaparah Road, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Money Order Office.
389	,, Prosunno Coomar ...	Entally, Deb Narain Dey's House.	ditto ...	Zemindar.
390	,, Prosunno Coomar ...	13, Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat Store Office.
391	,, Rajendro Coomar ...	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Suburban Municipality.
392	,, Raj Narain ...	2, Foolbagan Road, Entally ...	ditto ...	Not known.
393	,, Ram Coomar ...	27, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Pensioner.
394	,, Shama Churn Sirkar ...	18, Puddopooker, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Overseer, Public Works Department.
395	,, Woomesh Chunder ...	27, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
396	,, Woomesh Chunder ...	7, Baniaparah Lane, Karria Bazar.	ditto ...	Book-keeper, Merchant's Office.
397	Dhur, Chunder Mohun ...	51, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Bengal Accountant-General's Office.
398	Dutt, Bhobani Churn ...	52, Russa Road, North ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
399	,, Bhobani Churn ...	Balleaghatta Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
400	,, Bunseebudden ...	29, Baniapooker Road ...	ditto ...	Contractor.
401	,, Chunder Nauth ...	21, Balleaghatta Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
402	,, Durga Churn ...	20, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
403	,, Doorga Dass ...	20, Shustitollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
404	,, Dwarka Nauth ...	Bani Madhub Kundoo's Lane	ditto ...	Teacher, Civil Engineering College.
405	,, Dwarka Nauth ...	1, Gurpar Lane ...	ditto ...	Broker.
406	,, Gocool Chunder ...	26, Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Agra Bank.
407	,, Gopal Chunder ...	26, ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
408	,, Gopal Dass ...	5, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Zemindar.
409	,, Grish Chunder ...	9, Pramanic Ghat Branch Lane, Cossipore.	ditto ...	Contractor.
410	,, Issen Chunder ...	Palmer's Bazar Road ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Asiatic Jute Company.
411	,, Issen Chunder ...	69, Barrackpore Trunk Road	ditto. ...	Clerk, Messrs. Hey & Co.
412	,, Janokoo Nauth ...	96, Chingreeghattah Road ..	ditto ...	Cooly Contractor.
413	,, Jadoo Nauth ...	2, Juggur Nauth Dutt's Lane, north of Narcoldangah Gas-house.	ditto ...	Zemindar.

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	D.			
414	Dutt, Jadoo Nauth ...	Juggur Nauth Dutt's Lane, Gurpar.	Hindoo ...	Assistant, Messrs. Turner, Morrison and Company.
415	„ Jogendro Coomar ...	67, Barrackpore Trunk Road	ditto ...	Zemindar.
416	„ Juggessur ...	105, Bhatpara Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Merchant's Office.
417	„ Joy Gopal ...	Baniapooker, Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Merchant.
418	„ Kaller Nauth ...	Baniaparah, Pramanick's Ghat Road, Baranagore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
419	„ Kelly Churn ...	Burieah ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
420	„ Kassi Nath ...	Thanah Baranagore ...	ditto ...	Not known.
421	„ Kristo Dhone ...	34, Gurpar Road ...	ditto ...	Head Clerk, Church Missionary Society.
422	„ Mohendro Nauth ...	5, Puddopooker Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
423	„ Nitto Gopaul ...	25, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
424	„ Nubo Gopaul ...	49, Monshatollah Lane ...	ditto ...	Landlord.
425	„ Purno Chunder ...	148, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
426	„ Prosunno Coomar ...	In Section G, Suburbs, south of Manicktollah Road.	ditto ...	Clerk.
427	„ Prosunno Coomar ...	10, Shumbhoo Baboo's Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
428	„ Rughoo Moni ...	2, Bani Madhub Nundun Brothers' 2nd Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
429	„ Shama Churn ...	Bonomali Chatterjee's Lane ...	ditto ...	Not known.
430	„ Shib Chunder ...	25, Ram Mohun Dutt's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Printing Office.
431	„ Shib Chunder ...	67, Barrackpore Trunk Road...	ditto ...	Clerk, Hey and Company's Office.
432	„ Wootum Chunder ...	19, Bocool Bagan Road, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Clerk, Garrison Engineer's Office.
	G.			
433	Ganguli, Bhogobuti ...	Manicktollah, south of the Thana.	ditto ...	Overseer, Suburban Municipality.
434	„ Bisto Chunder ...	32, Sankariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Vakeel.
435	„ Brojo Nauth ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Hamilton and Company.
436	„ Dwark Nauth ...	15, Kalighat, Issur Ganguli's Lane.	ditto ...	Clerk, Bank of Bengal.
437	„ Khetter Mohun ...	9, Puddopooker Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
438	„ Kisto Dhone ...	Pyteeparah ...	ditto ...	Unknown.
439	„ Purno Chunder ...	45, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat Godown.
440	„ Pussooputty ...	Haldarparah Lane ...	ditto ...	Pleader.
441	„ Suresh Chunder ...	Pyteeparah ...	ditto ...	Unknown.
442	„ Umbica Churn ...	Bhowanipore, Peepulputtoe Road.	ditto ...	Assessor, Suburban Municipality.
443	Ghosal, Anundo Chunder ...	45, Jelleaparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
444	„ Coomar Sutto Surn Bahadoor.	18, Kassipore Ghat Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
445	„ Chunder Nauth ...	12-1, Badamtollah Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	ditto.
446	„ Coomar Sutto Krishna Bahadoor.	46, Circular Garden Reach Road.	ditto ...	ditto.
447	„ Rajah Suttia Nund	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
448	„ Troilukho Nauth ...	78, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Unemployed.
449	Ghosh, Bani Madhub ...	Baneaparah Lane, Entally ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Messrs. Ralli Brothers.
450	„ Bhoobun Mohun ...	Haltoo ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Consulting Engineer's Office.
451	„ Bissessur ...	8-4, Dhee Entally Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
452	„ Bindabun Chunder...	Strand Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
453	„ Bycanto Nauth ...	3-2, Gopaul Ghose's Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Medical Examiner's Office.
454	„ Chundi Churn ...	3, Pan Bagan Lane, Entally...	ditto ...	Not known.
455	„ Chunder Coomar ...	42, Strand Road West, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Revenue Board.
456	„ Chunder Madhub ...	7, Chunder Nauth Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court, and Zemindar.
457	„ Deno Nauth ...	Boraul ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
458	„ Doorga Dass ...	13, Bulloram Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Calcutta Small Cause Court.
459	„ Doorga Dass ...	Hazrah Bagan Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissary of Ordnance, Arsenal, Fort William.
460	„ Gopal Chunder ...	8, Dhee Entally Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
461	„ Gopal Chunder ...	3, Chuckerbair Lane ...	Christian ...	Clerk, High Court.
462	„ Gopaul Kissen ...	82, Diamond Harbour Road ...	Hindoo ...	Contractor, resides at Kidderpore, under the Suburban Municipality.
463	„ Govind Chunder ...	5, Gurpar Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Messrs Colvin, Cowie & Co.
464	„ Grish Chunder ...	20, Bamonparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Merchant's Clerk.
465	„ Grish Chunder ...	22, Sonie, 1st Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Emigration Office.
466	„ Hurro Chunder ...	16, Puddopooker, South Road, Entally.	ditto ...	Not known.
467	„ Hurrish Chunder ...	Bocool Bagan ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Military Accountant's Office.

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	G.			
468	Ghosh, Hurrish Chunder ...	12, Bolloram Bose's Lane ...	Hindoo ...	Assistant, Bank of Bengal.
469	,, Jadub Chunder ...	55, Bocool Bagan Road, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Clerk.
470	,, Jadoo Nauth ...	8, Dhee Entally Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
471	,, Jadoo Nauth ...	Monshatollah, Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Army Clothing Agency Office.
472	,, Jadoo Nauth ...	11, Gopaul Chunder Banerjee's Lane, Shahanagore	ditto ...	Unemployed.
473	,, Jogendro Chunder...	Puddopooker, Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
474	,, Jogessor ...	14, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
475	,, Joy Gopaul ...	12, Shustitollah Road, Narcoldangah.	ditto ...	Clerk, Ordnance Office, Fort William.
476	,, Keder Nauth ...	7, Dhee Entally Road ...	ditto ...	Teacher, Entally School.
477	,, Kali Churn ...	12, Sinthee Road, North ...	ditto ...	Head Clerk, Government Solicitor's Office.
478	,, Kali Kristo ...	8, Dhee, Entally Road ...	ditto ...	Unemployed.
479	,, Kali Prosunno ...	10, Madhub Chatterjee's Lane, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
480	,, Khetter Mohun ...	Kidderpore, south of old Thana.	ditto ...	Zemindar.
481	,, Madoo Soodun ...	12, Bolloram Bose's Lane ...	ditto ...	Cashier, Receiver's Office, High Court.
482	,, Monmohun ...	Sankariparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissioner's Office, Presidency Division.
483	,, Mon Mohun ...	13, Lower Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Barrister-at-Law.
484	,, Modun Mohun ...	3, Calitarra Bose's Lane, Soorah.	ditto ...	Zemindar.
485	,, Nurro Narain ...	72, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
486	,, Nim Chand ...	10, Bocool Bagan Road, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Clerk, Presidency Pay Office.
487	,, Nobin Chunder. ...	142, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Military Pay Examiner's Office.
488	,, Nobin Chunder ...	Hurrinavi ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
489	,, Nogendro Chunder	29, Belgachia Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
490	,, Nundo Gopaul ...	69, Sonie Road ...	ditto ...	Teacher.
491	,, Abhoy Churn ...	28, Bocool Bagan Road, Bhowanipore, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Clerk, Executive Engineer's Office.
492	,, Peari Lall ...	Ram Mohun Dutt's Street, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Teacher.
493	,, Porno Chunder ...	142, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Inspector of Schools, Central Division.
494	,, Preo Nauth ...	22-3, North of Bolloram Bose's Bagan Tank, Bhowanipore.	Christian ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
495	,, Preo Nauth ...	11, Gun Foundry Road ...	Hindoo ...	Clerk, Military Department.
496	,, Prosunno Coomar ...	42, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Merchant's Office,
497	,, Prosunno Coomar ...	18, Chawoolputtee, Kamarparah Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Moonsiff's Court.
498	,, Radha Nauth ...	17, Nalcoaparah Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Contractor.
499	,, Rakhal Chunder ...	Soorah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Bank of Bengal.
500	,, Ramdhone ...	1, Foolbagan Road, Entally ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
501	,, Ram Chunder ...	5, Ashoo Baboo's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Zemindar and Merchant.
502	,, Ram Kissen ...	23, Sinthee Royparah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Messrs. Marshy and Company.
503	,, Ram Laul ...	Baniaparah Lane, Entally ...	ditto ...	Contractor.
504	,, Ram Puddo ...	3, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Assistant Bench Clerk, High Court.
505	,, Rash Behari ...	7, Moddon Paul's Lane, Chawoolputtee, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
506	,, Shama Churn ...	12, Seekdarparah Road, Kalighat.	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
507	,, Sossee Bhusun ...	23-2, Roop Narain Nundon's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Articled Clerk.
508	,, Soorjoo Coomar ...	Kalighat, Potooaparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Bengal Secretariat,
509	,, Sree Nauth ...	55, Bocool Bagan Road, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Clerk, Public Works Department.
510	,, Sree Kristo ...	11, Nazir Mahomed Ghat Manjee's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Public Works Department.
511	,, Sreenee Bash ...	7-5, Dhoneabagan Lane, south of Shambazar.	ditto ...	Manager of a Coir Depôt.
512	,, Sree Horri ...	5, Ashoo Baboo's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Alipore Hospital.
513	,, Shib Chunder ...	12, Bolloram Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Assistant, French Bank.
514	,, Shumboo Chunder...	142, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Solicitor's Office.
515	,, Tarini Churn ...	4, Ranee's Road, Paikparah ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
516	,, Taruck Nath ...	8, Dhee Entally Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
517	,, Tripoorah Churn ...	32-22, Coothri Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Moonsiff's Court.
518	,, Umbica Churn ...	Jellealparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court
519	,, Wooma Churn ...	Sarsoonah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Mackintosh, Burn and Company.

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	G.			
520	Ghosh, Woomesh Chunder...	51, Chuckerbair ...	Hindoo ...	Contractor.
521	,, Sharoda Prosaud ...	Shahpore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
522	Ghuttuck, Woomesh Chunder	2, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto ...	Mooktear, High Court.
523	,, Radha Kristo ...	Chitpore Street ...	ditto ...	Not known.
524	Gupto, Gunga Churn ...	7, Shahanagore Lane ...	ditto ...	Mooktear, High Court.
525	,, Mohendro Nath ...	2, Balleaghatta Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
526	,, Nobin Chunder ...	36, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto ...	Clerk, Magistrate's Office.
527	,, Peary Mohun ...	Chshanagore ...	ditto ...	Sheristadar, Soonderbun Commissioner's Office.
	H.			
528	Haldar, Bissessur ...	9, Issur Ganguli's Lane, Kalighat.	ditto ...	Clerk, Controller's Office.
529	,, Brindabun ...	66, Diamond Harbour Road ...	Christian ...	Teacher.
530	,, Bycant Nath ...	Behallah ...	Hindoo ...	Clerk, Military Department.
531	,, Jadoo Nath ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
532	,, Kally Prosunno ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
533	,, Mohendro Nath ...	15, Seekdarparah, Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
534	,, Poshooputtee ...	Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Translator, High Court.
535	,, Preo Nath ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
536	,, Ram Chunder ...	Behallah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Eastern Bengal Railway.
537	,, Woomesh Chunder	ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
	L.			
538	Laha, Lucki Narain ...	1, Ram Comul Mookerjee's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Treasury Office.
539	Lahoori, Bani Madhub ...	Chitpore ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
540	,, Tarinee Canto ...	Chawoolputtee Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
541	Lala, Sunkor Chunder ...	36, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Merchant's Clerk.
	M.			
542	Mitter, Ashootosh ...	26, Bonomali Chatterjee's Street, Chitpore.	ditto ...	Teacher.
543	,, Bani Madhub ...	23, Govind Prosaud Bose's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Assistant, Government Toshakhanah.
544	,, Budhoo Bhoosun ...	46, Cossipore Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
545	,, Bahari Laul ...	Soorah Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader.
546	,, Rajendro Lalla ...	11, Cossipore Road ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Wards' Institution.
547	,, Brojo Nauth ...	5, Bolloram Bose's 1st Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Attorney-at-Law.
548	,, Chunder Coomar ...	2, Jelleahparah, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Toll Darogah.
549	,, Dwarka Nauth ...	20, Puddopooker Road ...	ditto ...	Cashier, French Bank.
550	,, Dhurmo Doss ...	15, Chuckerbair Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Telegraph Store Department.
551	,, Goluck Chunder ...	Monshatollah Lane ...	ditto ...	Merchant.
552	,, Gopaul Lall ...	Soorah ...	ditto ...	Broker.
553	,, Gopaul Chunder ...	6, Bahir, Mirzapore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
554	,, Gunga Churn ...	Roop Narain Nundon's Lane...	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
555	,, Hurro Chunder ...	Sarsoonah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Executive Engineer's Office.
556	,, Jodoo Nauth ...	Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
557	,, Ishan Chunder ...	Rajpore ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
558	,, Ishan Chunder ...	Juggurnath Dutt's Lane, north of Narcoldangah Gas-house.	ditto ...	Clerk, Messrs. Robert Charriol & Co.
559	,, Ishan Chunder ...	13, Nazir Mahomed's Lane, Gurbari, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
560	,, Jodoo Nauth ...	14, Bissoo Baboo's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat Godown.
561	,, Kally Coomar ...	32-33, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Overseer.
562	,, Kally Kisto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Small Cause Court.
563	,, Kassi Chunder ...	5, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Sealdah Small Cause Court.
564	,, Kessub Chunder ...	Puddopooker Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
565	,, Khettro Mohun ...	4-33, Talabagan Road, Chitpore.	ditto ...	Merchant.
566	,, Kylash Chunder ...	Sarsoonah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Orphan School.
567	,, Mohun Laul ...	61, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Unknown.
568	,, Mohendro Lall ...	14, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
569	,, Mohendro Nauth ...	32-33, ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Comptroller-General's Office.
570	,, Neemy Churn ...	6, Puddopooker Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
571	,, Nilmony ...	31, Bonomali Chatterjee's Street, Chitpore.	ditto ...	Engineer.
572	,, Nilrutton ...	Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Landholder.
573	,, Opendro Ball ...	1, Soorah Road ...	ditto ...	Unemployed.
574	,, Prosunno Coomar ...	5, Chassa Dhobaparah Road, Cossipore.	ditto ...	Merchant.
575	,, Prosunno Narain ...	Sankariparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissioner's Office, Presidency Division
576	,, Raj Rakhal ...	Puddopooker Road ...	ditto ...	Contractor.

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	M.			
577	Mitter, Ram Churn ...	103, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	Hindoo ...	Pleader, High Court.
578	,, Roy Mohun Laul ...	32, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
579	,, Runjit Lall ...	Entally ...	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
580	,, Shama Churn ...	32-33, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Unemployed.
581	,, Surresh Chunder ...	Puddopooker, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
582	,, Sree Nauth ...	Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Unknown.
583	,, Sookmoye ...	Subjeebagan, Chetlah ...	ditto ...	Mooktear to the Receiver, High Court.
584	,, Troiluckho Nauth ...	No. 3, Foolbagan Road, Entally	ditto ...	Banian, Mauritius Emigration Office.
585	,, Troiluckho Nauth ...	14, Bissoo Baboo's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat Examiner's Office.
586	,, Unnoda Prosaud ...	47, Chuckerbair ...	ditto ...	Clerk, India General Steam Navigation Company.
587	Mondul, Benjamin ...	41, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	Christian ...	Clerk, Government Secretariat.
588	,, Chunder Coomar ...	Shahanagore ...	Hindoo ...	Zemindar.
589	,, Isser Chunder ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
590	,, Cally Kristo ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
591	,, Nil Gopaul ...	Tallygunge Bridge Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
592	,, Radha Kissen ...	60, ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
593	,, Bhogoban Chunder	Tallygunge Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
594	Mookerjee, Ashootosh ...	196, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
595	,, Ashootosh ...	Chawoolputtee ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Medical Store Department.
596	,, Auckhoy Coomar	Isser Ganguli's Lane, Kalighat	ditto ...	Mooktear.
597	,, Ashootosh ...	6, Simleeparah Road, Paikparah	ditto ...	Clerk, Railway Office.
598	,, Abinash Chunder	1-2, Ghosh Bagan Lane, Chitpore North.	ditto ...	Clerk.
599	,, Aghore Nauth...	51-1, Gurbari Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Collector, Suburban Municipality.
600	,, Bama Churn ...	Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
601	,, Bama Churn ...	1, Jelleahparah Road, Bhowanipore, Howlee Bagan.	ditto ...	Not known.
602	,, Bama Churn ...	11, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Executive Engineer, 24-Pergunnahs, Writers' Buildings.
603	,, Bijoy Nauth ...	Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Offg. Collector, Suburban Municipality.
604	,, Bhuggobutty ...	Monshatollah, Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Contractor.
605	,, Bipro Doss ...	50, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Vakeel, High Court.
606	,, Brojo Mohun ...	1, Soorjee Coomar Chatterjee's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Bengal Secretariat.
607	,, Boykunto Nauth	82, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
608	,, Chirunjeeb ...	Harinavi ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
609	,, Debendro Nauth	6, Kidderpore Bridge Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Garrison Engineer's Office.
610	,, Digambur ...	21, Shustitollah Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Cashier, Messrs. Teil & Co.
611	,, Doorga Dass ...	4, Doorga Dass Mookerjee's Lane.	ditto ...	Clerk, Chief Engineer's Office.
612	,, Dhurmo Dass ...	19, Isser Chunder Ganguli's Lane.	ditto ...	Clerk.
613	,, Dwarka Nath ...	Puddopooker, Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Contractor.
614	,, Dwarka Nath ...	1, Barrackpore Trunk Road ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Lyall, Rennie & Co.
615	,, Gopal Chunder...	Gurbari, Kidderpore Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, P. and O Company.
616	,, Gobin Chunder...	2, Gopaul Chunder Banerjee's Lane, Shahanagore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat Examiner's Office.
617	,, Gobin Jeebun ...	9, Ashoo Baboo's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Merchant's Office.
618	,, Grish Chunder...	15, Chuckerbair, Puddopooker Road.	ditto ...	Clerk, Pay Examiner's Office.
619	,, Grish Chunder...	Bolloram Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
620	,, Haran Chunder	Jelleahparah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
621	,, Haran Chunder	28, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
622	,, Haran Chunder	17, Strand Road, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Clerk, Small Cause Court.
623	,, Hurro Chunder	Bocool Bagan Road, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
624	,, Hurro Prosunno	Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
625	,, Jodoo Nath ...	23, Puddopooker, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
626	,, Jodoo Nath ...	Behalah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
627	,, Jodoo Nath ...	8, Madhub Chunder Chatterjee's Lane, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Revenue Surveyor's Office.
628	,, Jodoo Nath ...	Strand Road, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
629	,, Jogendra Nath...	Beltollah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Head Assistant to the Collector of Calcutta Justices.
630	,, Jogesh Chunder	Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Toll Darogah.
631	,, Juggobundhu ...	50, Chuckerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Clothing Examiner's Office.
632	,, Jogodanundo ...	67, Bocool Bagan Road, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Government Pleader, High Court.

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	M.			
633	Mookerjee, Jallodhur ...	1, Shahanagore Road ...	Hindoo ...	Clerk.
634	,, Kader Nath ...	Strand Road, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	ditto.
635	,, Kader Nath ...	Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore, Churuckdangah.	ditto ...	Treasurer, Office of Agent, Governor-General, with King of Oudh.
636	,, Kalla Chand ...	3, Ranee Sunkurie's Lane, Potooahparah, Kalighat.	ditto ...	Clerk.
637	,, Kallidass ...	Baniapooker, Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	ditto.
638	,, Kally Shobye ...	10, Taruck Nath Ghose's Lane, Tallah.	ditto ...	Mooktear.
639	,, Kally Kissen ...	19, Gouribair Road, north of Manicktollah.	ditto ...	Jute Merchant.
640	,, Kally Dass ...	6, Puddopooker, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Clerk, Military Orphan Press.
641	,, Kally Dass ...	36, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Store-keeper, Presidency Division, Public Works Department.
642	,, Kally Prosunno	6, Puddopooker Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissariat Godown.
643	,, Kartick Chunder	114, Circular Garden Reach Road.	ditto ...	Teacher.
644	,, Kunaram ...	5, 2, Tarinee Churn Newgie's Lane, Sham Bazar.	ditto ...	Store-keeper, Government Dockyard.
645	,, Khagendra Nath	8, Puddopooker Street, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
646	,, Kissen Nath ...	89, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Translator.
647	,, Kisto Nath ...	Kansariparah ...	ditto ...	Translator, High Court.
648	,, Lally Mohun ...	Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Army Clothing Agency.
649	,, Modoosoodun ...	1, Kalinath Banerjee's Lane, Tallah.	ditto ...	Teacher.
650	,, Mirtunjoy ...	Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Supervisor, Stamp Office.
651	,, Mohendra Nath	Beltollah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Superintendent of Vaccination.
652	,, Mohesh Chunder	Shahanagore ...	ditto ...	Proprietor, Union Academy.
653	,, Mohendra Nath	ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
654	,, Monundro Mohun	44, Gurpara Road ...	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
655	,, Moti Lall ...	25, Govind Persad Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore. ...	ditto ...	Pleader.
656	,, Neem Chand ...	5, Roopchand Mookerjee's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway, Agent's Office.
657	,, Nobin Kali ...	Kidderpore, Puddopooker ...	ditto ...	Clerk and Zemindar.
658	,, Nobin Krishna	Bhowanipore, south of Bhowanipore thana.	ditto ...	Pleader, Small Cause Court.
659	,, Nobo Kissen ...	103, Peepulputty Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
660	,, Nobo Krishna ...	3, Puddopooker, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Pleader, Small Cause Court.
661	,, Nogendra Nath	3, Gopal Chunder Banerjee's Lane, Shahanagore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Bengal Office.
662	,, Nundo Lall ...	Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
663	,, Obhoy Churn ...	11, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road.	ditto ...	ditto.
664	,, Okhil Chunder	2, Bisso Baboo's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Zemindar.
665	,, Otool Chunder...	6, Puddopooker, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Pleader, Small Cause Court.
666	,, Panchcowree, *alias* Chunder Nath.	10, Puddopooker Street, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Unemployed.
667	,, Poorno Chunder	Woli, Chundeetollah ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
668	,, Posoopotty ...	13, Haldarparah Road ...	ditto ...	Head Clerk, Sub-Registrar's Office, Alipore.
669	,, Pran Krishna ...	1, Tallah ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
670	,, Preonath ...	1, Barrackpore Trunk Road ...	ditto ...	Cash-keeper.
671	,, Ramkali ...	15, Sinthee, Shibtollah Road...	ditto ...	Clerk, Merchant's Office.
672	,, Radhica Prosaud	Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Executive Engineer, 24-Pergunnahs, Road Cess Department.
673	,, Ram Coomar ...	39, Diamond Harbour Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
674	,, Ram Gutti ...	Ballcaghatta ...	ditto ...	Manager, Mutlah and Nulhattee State Railway.
675	,, Russicklaul ...	128, Manicktollah Road ...	ditto ...	Unknown.
676	,, Russick Lall ...	Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
677	,, Shama Churn ...	Kalighat 3rd Lane ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Moonsiff's Court.
678	,, Shama Churn ...	68, Kansariparah Road ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
679	,, Sham Coomud	Bocool Bagun Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
680	,, Sharoda Churn	8, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Moonsiff's Court.
681	,, Shib Chunder ...	Jellealparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
682	,, Soorjo Coomar	39-4, Diamond Harbour Road	ditto ...	Clerk, Commissary Office.
683	,, Sree Kanto ...	Podetollah, Section O, Garden Reach.	ditto ...	Contractor.
684	,, Sree Kissen ...	114, Circular Garden Reach Road.	ditto ...	Clerk, Custom House.
685	,, Sreemunto ...	17, Boloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Assistant Accountant, Calcutta Police.
686	,, Sree Nath ...	6, Goaltoily Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Vakeel, High Court.

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	M.			
687	Mookerjee, Sree Nath ...	5, Bolloram Bose's 1st Lane, Bhowanipore.	Hindoo ...	Private gentleman.
688	„ Sree Nath ...	3-1, Ganguliparah Road, Paikparah.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
689	„ Sree Nath ...	Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Store-keeper, Garrison Engineer's Office.
690	„ Sree Nath ...	47, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
691	„ Sreeram ...	Bhookyah ..	ditto ...	Pleader, Sudder Ameen's Court.
692	„ Grish Chunder	42, Hurro Prosaud Chowdry's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
693	„ Nilmoney ...	Dhakooriah ...	ditto ...	2nd Professor, Sanskrit College, Calcutta.
694	„ Tarabilash ...	Kalighat ...	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
695	„ Tarrapudo ...	14, Mohanund Chatterjee's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
696	„ Umbica Churn ..	8, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	ditto.
697	„ Umbica Churn ..	Cossipore ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
698	„ Woomesh Chunder.	20, Shustitollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
699	„ Shumbo Chunder.	North Baranagore	ditto ...	Editor, Bengali Magazine.
700	„ Woomesh Chunder.	Jugoo Baboo's Street, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
701	Moonshee, Aptabuddeen ...	5, Gopal Nagore's Lane ...	Mahomedan	Peshkar, High Court.
702	„ Ahmedoolah ...	10, Chetlah Haut Road ...	ditto ...	Vakeel.
703	„ Ashruff Ali ...	12, Mussulmanparah Lane, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Peshkar, High Court.
704	„ Golam Arab ...	9, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
705	„ Khodadad ...	6, Moonsheeparah Lane, Manicktollah.	ditto ...	ditto.
706	„ Mahomood ...	Balleaghatta Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
707	„ Moneor ...	Moonsheeparah Lane ...	ditto ...	ditto.
708	„ Ruckibuddeen ...	4, Ram Mohun Dutt's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Surveyor-General's Office.
709	„ Tusduck Hossein	39, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
710	Mastafee, Opendra Nath ...	10, Cally Coomar Chatterjee's Lane, Chitpore.	Hindoo ...	Zemindar.
711	Moulvi Syed Ali Hafiz ...	58, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	Mahomedan	Translator, High Court.
712	Mozoomdar, Boroda Prosad	Sankariparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Presidency Commissioner's Office.
713	„ Gopal Chunder	31, Ram Mohun Dutt's Lane, Chuckerbair, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Head Clerk, Office of Superintendent of Vaccination.
714	„ Gopal Chunder	114, Circular Garden Reach Road.	ditto ...	Clerk, Bank of Bengal.
715	„ Girija Sunker ..	19, Sankariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Vakeel, High Court.
716	„ Nebarun Chunder.	31A, Ram Mohun Dutt's Lane, Bhowanipore, Chuckerbair.	ditto ...	Clerk, Attorney's Office.
717	„ Protab Chunder	8, Sankariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
718	„ Sree Nath ...	Paikparah ...	ditto ...	Overseer to the Paikparah Estate.
719	„ Dwarka Nath...	Sushtitollah Lane, Bamaparah, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Assistant, Bengal Office.
720	Mullick, Aghore Nath ...	6, Bolloram Bose's 2nd Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
721	„ Nilmoney ...	13, Canal Street ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Comptroller-General's Office.
722	„ Preonath ...	47, Puddopooker Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Judge's Court.
723	„ Woomesh Chunder	31, Nalooaparah, Kidderpore...	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Yard.
	N.			
724	Naug, Anundo Chunder ...	Jelleahparah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Not known.
725	Nauth, Grish Chunder ...	42, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	Christian ...	Clerk.
726	Nawab Asgur Ali Khan ...	80, Lower Circular Road ...	Mahomedan	Prince and Barrister-at-Law.
727	Mahomed Mohedi ...	Chitpore Ghat Lane ...	ditto ...	Prince.
728	Newgee, Bhoobun Mohun ...	2-3, Woolfut Bagan Lane ...	Hindoo ...	Stationery Store-keeper, Government Telegraph Office.
729	„ Chunder Nath ...	Ditto ...	ditto ...	Accountant, Office of Pay Examiner
730	Nundee, Benode Laul ...	Chawoolputtee, Balleaghatta ...	ditto ...	Merchant.
731	„ Behary Lall ...	Ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
732	„ Heera Lall ...	Bennymadhub Nundon's Lane	ditto ...	Mooktear to His Highness the Maharajah of Burdwan.
733	„ Juggobundhu ...	3, Churuckdangah, Bhowanipore.	ditto	Supervisor, Suburban Municipality.
734	„ Benny Madhub ...	Kansariparah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Merchant.
735	„ Soorjo Coomar ...	Peepulputtee Road ...	ditto ...	ditto.
	O.			
736	Odhicary Radhica Prosaud	36, Puddopooker Street, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.

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	P.			
737	Paul, Omirto Lal ...	2, Shumbhoo Baboo's Lane, Entally.	Hindoo ...	Clerk.
738	„ Bonomali ..	Baniaparah, Kidderpore ..	ditto ...	Merchant.
739	„ Gopaul Chunder ...	16, Shumbhoo Baboo's Lane, Entally.	ditto ...	Clerk.
740	„ Jodoo Nath ...	19, Gobind Prosaud Bose's Lane, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Accountant, Office of Magistrate, 24-Pergunnahs.
741	„ Joy Narain ...	15, Strand Road, Bhowanipore	ditto ...	Clerk, Engineer's Office, Dum-Dum Division.
742	„ Ram Chunder ...	19-1, Bolloram Bose's 1st Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Assistant Accountant, Magistrate's Office, 24-Pergunnahs.
743	„ Ram Nidhi ...	12, Shumbhoo Baboo's Lane, Entally.	ditto ...	Accountant, Comptroller-General's Office.
744	„ Sham Lall ...	ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
745	Palit, Anundo Gopal ...	59, Camardangah Road, Entally	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court, now resides at Entally.
746	„ Brojo Lall ...	ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
747	„ Dwarka Nath ...	15, Bolloram Bose's 1st Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Head Assistant, High Court
748	„ Shama Churn ...	37, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Zemindar.
749	Prince Anwar Shah ...	Mullahatty Road, Tallygunge	Mahomedan	Pensioner.
750	„ Raheemuddeen ...	Tallygunge ...	ditto ...	ditto.
751	„ Feroke Shah ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
752	„ Wallagar Shah ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Pensioner, now residing at Shahanagore, and Barrister-at-law and Honorary Magistrate.
753	Pundit, Pran Nath ...	114, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	Hindoo ...	Pleader, High Court.
	R.			
754	Roy, Umbica Churn ...	Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Bengal Accountant's Office.
755	„ Banimadhub ...	118, Russapuglah Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Magistrate's Office.
	„ Bhuggoban Chunder ...	2, Beltollah, Baniaparah 2nd Lane.	ditto ...	Clerk.
756	„ Cally Kristo ...	38, Barrackpore Trunk Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
757	„ Chunder Coomer ...	72, Cossipore Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar, Narrail.
758	„ Chunder Canto ...	Boocool Bagan Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Port Commissioner's Office.
759	„ Doorga Dass ...	Doorga Dass Mookerjee's Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Private gentleman.
760	„ Goluck Chunder ...	77, Kansariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Mooktear, High Court.
761	„ Hurrish Chunder ...	30, Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway, Chief Engineer's Office.
762	„ Jodo Nath ...	21, Nundo Nundun Ghose's Lane.	ditto ...	Engineer.
763	„ Jogendro Nath ...	15, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
764	„ Jogendro Nath ...	6, Halsee Bagan Road ...	ditto ...	ditto
765	„ Coomar Joy Gobind ...	Cossipore ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
766	„ Kissory Mohun ...	Bolloram Bose's Lane ...	ditto ...	
767	„ Lukhicant ...	Russa Road, North ...	ditto ...	Not known.
768	„ Muddun Mohun ...	10, Coondoo's Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Mooktear, High Court.
769	„ Nogendro Nath ...	Sankariparah ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
770	„ Okhoy Coomar ...	Prankissen Mookerjee's 1st Lane, Tallah.	ditto ...	Not known.
771	„ Ram Lall ...	Baney Madhub Nundun's Lane.	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
772	„ Roy Narain ...	15, Upper Circular Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Bank of Bengal.
773	„ Sarada Coomar ...	Bolloram Bose's 1st Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Calcutta Municipal Corporation.
774	„ Sharut Chunder ...	10, Balotollah Road, Tallah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Police Office.
775	„ Tripura Chundra ...	20, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto ...	Section Clerk, High Court.
776	„ Woomesh Chandra ...	Borrisha ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
777	„ Choudhuri Brojo Nath	59A, Cossipore Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
778	„ Dina Nath ...	32-33, Chakrabaria Road ...	ditto ...	Unemployed.
779	„ Dwarka Nath ...	Cossipore ...	ditto .	Zemindar.
780	„ Gopi Nath ...	7, Chawdolputtee Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader.
781	„ Hem Chandra ...	Borrisha ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
782	„ Hurrish Chandra ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto.
783	„ Horo Persaud ...	Bhawanipore ...	ditto ...	ditto.
784	„ Jadu Nath ..	1, Kalidas Potitundy's Lane, Kalighat.	ditto ...	ditto.
785	„ Kamini Mohun ...	2, ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
786	„ Choudhuri Koour Sham Das.	45, Barrackpore Trunk Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
787	„ Nim Chand *alias* Tara Coomar.	Borrisha ...	ditto ...	ditto.
788	„ Nobonaryan ...	3, Gopalnuggar Road ...	ditto ...	Pleader, Suddor Ameen's Court, 24-Pergunnahs.
789	„ Parvati Nath ...	57, Cossipore Road ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
790	„ Raj Coomar	2, Chingreehatta Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
791	„ Ram Chandra	Rajpore ...	ditto ...	Zemindar.
792	„ Sri Nath ...	13-1, Kalidas Potitundy's Lane, Kalighat.	ditto ...	Clerk.
793	„ Chudhuri Tara Coomar	Bhowanipore, Puddopooker ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.

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	R.			
794	Rudra, Peary Mohun ...	31, Koodri Road ...	Hindoo ...	Head Master, Garden Reach School.
795	„ Shumboo Chandra ...	25, Charrakdanga Road ...	ditto ...	Not known.
	S			
796	Seal, Behari Lal ...	52, Puddopooker West Lane, Kidderpore	ditto ...	Contractor.
797	„ Bhola Nath ...	20, ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Attorney's Clerk.
798	„ Baikantha Nath ...	52, ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Government Dockyard.
799	„ Chundra Mohun ...	3, ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Poddar, Mint Office.
800	„ Lali Mohun ...	4A, Shustitollah Lane, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Port Canning Office.
801	„ Moorah Mohun ...	Baranagore ...	ditto ...	Clerk.
802	Sen, Okhil Chandra ...	91, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
803	„ Beni Chandra ...	21-1, Snahanagore Lane ...	ditto ...	Mooktoar, High Court.
804	„ Banshidhar ...	67, Bhowanipore Lane ...	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
805	„ Brojo Lal ...	47, Chakerbair Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Examiner of Clothing Accounts.
806	„ Chandra Koomar ...	43, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
807	„ Chandy Churn ...	16, Hajra Road ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Military Orphan Fund Office.
808	„ Dwarka Nath ...	10, Gurparah Road, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
809	„ Gopee Kristo ...	Sankariparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of District Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs.
810	„ Govinda Chandra Moonshee.	3, Boocool Bagan Road ...	ditto ...	Vakeel, High Court.
811	„ Jomtee Chunder ...	58, Gurpar Road ...	ditto ...	Attorney's Clerk.
812	„ Juggut Chunder ...	Sankariparah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of District Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs.
813	„ Kally Kissen ...	34, Chawoolputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Vakeel, High Court.
814	„ Kashee Kant ...	42, Bolloram Bose's Ghat Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
815	„ Lolit Mohun ...	Sankariparah, Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
816	„ Nil Madhub ...	13, Sankariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	ditto ditto.
817	„ Nobin Chunder ...	Sankariparah ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Protector of Emigrants.
818	„ Rakhal Chundra ...	30, Sankariparah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Head Accountant, Office of Inspector-General, Police.
819	„ Surroop Chunder ...	8-1, Onract's 1st Lane ...	Christian ...	Teacher.
820	„ Surroop Chunder ...	Balleaghatta Road ...	Hindoo ...	Not known.
821	Shaik Moneruddeen ...	Kansariparah, Bhowanipore ...	Mahomedan	Clerk.
822	Moonshee Moosha ...	31-19, Kumedan Bagan Road...	ditto ...	Engineer to the Government Dockyard.
823	Shaik Shobrath ...	141, Circular Garden Reach Road.	ditto ...	Overseer, Municipality.
824	„ Shummo ...	5, Moonsheeparah Lane, Manicktollah.	ditto ...	Not known.
825	Shome, Gopal Chunder ...	15, Chawoolputtee Road ...	Hindoo ...	Municipal Clerk, Office of Magistrate, 24-Pergunnahs.
826	Singh, Bhoodsur ...	2, Telleparah Lane, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Pleader, High Court.
827	„ Chintaharan ...	Entally ...	ditto ...	Overseer, Suburban Municipality.
828	„ Gopal Chunder ...	Puddopooker Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Contractor.
829	„ Isser Chunder ...	12, Beltollah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, East Indian Railway.
830	„ Gopaul Chunder ...	1, Woolfut Bagan, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Surveyor-General's Office.
831	„ Modoosoodun ...	Bhowanipore ...	ditto ...	Contractor.
832	„ Shib Chunder ...	53, Puddopooker Road, Entally	ditto ...	Clerk, Office of Superintendent, Government Printing Office.
833	Sircar, Baney Madhub ...	4, Bissoo Baboo's Lane, Puddopoker, Kidderpore.	ditto ...	Clerk, Police Office.
834	„ Dhurmo Dass ...	6, Monshatollah Kidderpore ...	ditto ...	Assistant, Commissary Audit Office.
835	„ Doorga Dass ...	Taraffdar's Tank 2nd Lane ...	ditto ...	Sub-Auditor, Commissariat Office.
836	„ Govind Chunder ...	8, Chuckerbair, Puddopooker	ditto ...	Not known.
837	„ Girish Chunder ...	50, Monshatollah, Kidderpore	ditto ...	Clerk.
838	„ Jodoo Nath ...	7A, Gopaulnagore Road ...	ditto ...	Teacher, Bhowanipore School.
839	„ Madhub Chunder ...	8, Onract's 1st Lane, Entally...	Christian ...	Clerk.
840	„ Prosonno Coomer ...	13, Monshatollah Lane, Kidderpore.	Hindoo ...	Clerk, Commissariat Office.
841	„ Rajkissen ...	13, Sonie 2nd Lane ...	ditto ...	Clerk, Emigration Office.
842	„ Russick Lall ...	114, Russapuglah Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk, High Court.
843	„ Shib Chunder ...	24, Boocool Bagan Road, Bhowanipore.	ditto ...	Clerk.
844	„ Sookdeb ...	38-1, Peepulputtee Road, Bhowanipore.	Christian ...	Unemployed.
845	Soor, Khettro Mohun ...	Sumboo Baboo's Lane ...	ditto ...	Not known.
846	Syod Moonshee Ozurally ...	118-8, Russapuglah Road ...	Mahomedan	Mooktoar, Magistrate's Court.
847	„ Moonshee Anwarally...	8, Banimadhub Nundon Brothers' 2nd Lane.	ditto ...	Peshkar, High Court.
848	Shahazadah Hoormut Shah	Tallygunge ...	ditto ...	Pensioner.

DISTRICT OF 24-PERGUNNAHS, the 11th January 1879.

W. S. WELLS, *Collector.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 31st December 1878.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS					Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion	5 per cent Debenture for 15 years, repayable June 1882.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.					
Balance of 15th December 1878 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,43,946	31,18,100	2,28,24,100	1,13,65,700	1,93,72,000	39,30,300	3,36,000	3,06,28,200	49,86,500	3,64,21,800	47,400	33,11,000	79,800	1,35,88,900	15,15,50,198
Stock transferred to London Books	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	20,000
5½ per cent. Stock transferred to 4½ per cent. Stock in London ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,000
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st December 1878 ..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,800
Ditto at Bombay between 16th and 31st December 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,200	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1,700
Ditto at Calcutta between 16th and 31st December 1878 ...	...	.....	.....	4,373	500	1,01,000	.....	35,500	4,000	.....	6,500	1,05,500	33,35,600	4,100	.....	.....	.....	35,97,073
TOTAL ..	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,48,319	31,18,600	2,29,36,300	1,13,65,700	1,94,21,800	39,34,300	3,36,000	3,06,39,700	50,92,000	3,97,86,400	51,500	33,11,000	79,800	1,35,88,900	15,52,06,771
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	...	1,066	.....	1,03,000	5,000	82,400	500	.....	41,700	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	5,13,000	7,45,666
Balance on 31st December 1878	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,47,253	31,18,600	2,28,33,300	1,13,60,700	1,93,39,400	39,33,800	3,36,000	3,05,98,000	50,92,000	3,97,86,400	51,500	33,11,000	79,800	1,30,75,900	15,44,61,105

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Oct. 1878—Enfaced from India 2,888 lakhs; retransferred from London 2,856 lakhs.

,,	1st Nov.	1878	to	15th	Nov.	,,	,,	,,	106	,,	,,	55 ,,
,,	16th ,,	,,	to	30th	,,	,,	,,	,,	16	,,	,,	10 ,,
,,	1st Dec.	,,	to	15th	Dec.	,,	,,	,,	98	,,	,,	14 ,,
,,	16th ,,	,,	to	31st	,,	,,	,,	,,	86	,,	,,	7 ,,
									3,144			2,942 ,,
									2,942			
								Balance against India ...	203	,,		

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 9th January 1879.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B C.) OF 1870

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships
1879.			
Jan. 4	1 Case, B N G below 416 in a diamond	Order ...	Ship Leonidas.
„ 11	56 Casks, Hammuck	Messrs King Hamilton & Co.	S. S Zambesi.
„ 7	3 Barrels, Chongtong, or no mark	Order ...	S S Eldorado.
„ 7	1 Case, E M N T in a cross ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 10	2 Casks, broad arrow, bottom I S D	Medical Department	Ditto.
„ 10	1 Case, broad arrow, bottom I S D ...	To the Secretary to the Government of India, Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce Department.	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 18th January 1879. (769—1) G H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
364	O 42—81707 to „ —81712	10 each.	Rasbehari Banerjee.
365	O 34—56831	100	Akhil Chunder Chakravarti.
366	L 70—62233	1,000	Monybhoosan Biswas.
367	O 34—46500	100	Rajendra Kumar Ghose.
	„ —09910	100	
	„ 21—31968	20	
368	L 94—27459	100	The Collector of Rajshahye.
	O 34—66031	100	
	L 94—87999	100	
	„ —87981	100	
	O 34—50569	100	
369	L 38—55937	100	Gheesa.
	O 35—03600	100	
370	L 93—97192	50	Morgan.
371	O 30—02020	50	Gopal Chunder Sircar.
	„ —02021	50	
372	O 30—01757 to „ —01776	50 each	Soobba Ozah.
378	O 29—57902	1,000	Thacoor Sing Rai
379	L 31—80764	5	Messrs Ullmann, Hirschhorn & Co.
380	O 29—95895	1,000	Ramdutt Hursookdas.
	O 35—12202	100	
	„ —15090	100	
	„ —26370	100	
381	O 14—12751	10	Shib Kristo Bose
382	„ 34—26016	100	J. Driscoll, Inspector of River Police, Kidderpore, Calcutta.
383	O 35—31188 „ —31189	100	Issan Chunder Mukerjee.
384	O 30—11690 to „ —11700	50 each.	Messrs. R. Macallister & Co.
	L 93—86232		
	„ —85467		
	„ —85468		
	„ —72034		
	„ —93753		

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
384	L 93—95442 „ —95441 „ —98117 „ —98118	50 each.	Messrs. R. Macallister & Co.
385	O 35—27045	100	Messrs. A. LeRoy & Co
386	L 93—37893	50	The District Superintendent of Police, Dacca
	„ 81—46372	50	
	„ 67—17673	50	
	„ 93—58003	50	
	O 39—75302	10	
	L 97—03907	10	
	O 16—35062	10	
	„ —69093	10	
	„ 19—99142	10	
	„ —99443	10	
	„ —99441	10	
	„ 20—30900	20	
387	L 93—91105	50	Ditto.
388	O 35—16399	100	Chundi Pershad.
389	„ 13—74188	10	Shaik Ismail.
390	„ 33—17836	100	Annundo Chunder Ghosal

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
390	O 33—73604	100	E. S. A. Cohen
	„ 3—07374	20	
	„ 13—21451	10	
	„ 17—27151	10	
	„ 15—90647	10	
	L 86—73886	10	
391	O 27—56070	500	Samul Das and Narain Das.
392	„ 29—79914	1,000	Ibrahim Malin Ariff
393	L 48—87574	20	Russick Lall Chatterjee.
394	L 29—90945	5	Taruck Nath Mukerjee
	„ —60993	5	
395	O 25—51748	20	Hurri Chunder Bose.
	„ —10958	20	
	O 41—32087	10	
	O 42—24155	10	
	L 30—71427	5	
396	O 20—97625	20	Loke Nath Chatterjee
	„ 21—28795	20	
	L 7—72926	20	
	O 20—69895	20	
	„ 21—96948	20	
397	O 34—40919	100	Ram Rutton and Ram Gopal.
	„ —40918	100	
	„ —37700	100	
	„ —37940	100	
	„ —20325	100	
	„ —31285	100	
	„ —22439	100	
	O 33 79842	100	
	„ —09754	100	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No	No. of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
398	L 28—42824	5	Jodu Nath Seal.
399	O 29—56975	1,000	Colonel J. Burn.
	„ 27—73702	500	
	L 93—67634	50	
	„ 86—25565	10	
	„ —25567	10	
	„ —25568	10	
	„ —25566	10	
400	O 12—32219	10	Messrs Duncan Brothers & Co.
401	„ 25—33806	20	Biprodas Mitter.
	„ —26991	20	
402	O 25—38961	20	Gocool Chand.
403	L 94—00322	100	Monower.
	„ 88—20505	10	
404	O 24—06907	20	Sham Lal Audhicary.
405	L 29—02202	5	Nanda Lal Banerjee.
	„ —01736	5	
	„ —29626	5	
406	O 40—21651	10	Ram Kumar.
407	L 31—77428	5	Mrs. M. C. Duval.
408	O 3—81939	20	Bhoodhur Mul Kalooram.
	„ 22—20961	20	
409	„ —46741	20	Hursook Das Doobee Chand.
410	L 31—43936	5	Ajodhya Pershad.
411	„ 29—72193	5	Shib Sahai
412	„ 29—50192	5	Lukhi Narain Mullick.
413	„ 13—63097	10	Wuzeer Khan.
414	„ 34—70260	100	A. E. Blake.
	„ —56211	100	
415	L 93—83562	50	Bosant Lal.
416	„ 1—07812	10	Bilas Roy.
417	O 35—12429	100	Roma Nath Dhur.
	„ —12428	100	
	L 93—93768	50	
418	L 1—62961	10	Lolit Mohan Guha.
	A 97—28395	10	
419	O 23—44540	20	F. Mahony.
420	L 93—68298	50	H. H. Fox, C.E.
	O 41—19178	10	
421	„ 35—25814	100	Issur Chunder Ghose.
	„ —24123	100	
422	A 21—75553	10	Rajendra Chandra Ghose.
	„ 19—06837	10	
	„ 21—13845	10	
	„ 19—06858	10	
423	O 23—24054	20	C. G. D Betts.
424	„ 9—04439	10	Poorno Chunder Dutt.
425	L 97—50379	10	Kural Chunder Chatterjee.
426	A 11—94405	50	Annoda Prosad Rudra.
427	L 48—35992	20	Gunesh Bhutt.
	„ 58—58965	10	
228	L 23—76699	5	Peary Lal Bose.
	„ —76697		
229	L 28—24725	5	J. Winston, Assistant Secretary, G. E. Hotel Co., Limited.
	„ —24726		
230	L 99—66036	10	E. S. A. Cohen.
	„ —66039		
	L 99—24265	10	
	O 5—00711		
	L 59—02668	10	
	„ —02669		
	O 5—47067	10	
	„ —77666		
	L 36—06264	20	
	„ —06274		
231	O 19—74861	20	Nilmadhub Gupta.
	„ —74867		
232	L 36—22752	20	Chidum Chunder Seal.
	„ —22754		
234	L 29—77089	5	Nilrutton Bose.
	„ 30—02381		
235	L 28—39043	5	Sham Lal Audhicary.
	„ —39045		
236	L 20—22583	5	J. Smith.
	„ —22584		
237	L 86—42928	10	Prosanno Kumar Mitter.
	„ —42927		
238	O 14—13144	10	Kali Prosanno Mitter.
	„ —13143		
239	L 74—44106	10	Mohes Chunder Santra.
	„ —44109		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs	
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy.
	„ —57898		
241	A 99—68211	20	Jhummuck Bhagut.
	„ —68212		
242	L 32—38034	10	Choonee Lal
	„ —38035		
	„ 23—58065	5	
	„ —58066		
244	L 10—95725	5	Bissumbhor Kormokur.
	„ —95789		

R. A. STEENDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.
PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 14th January 1879.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
5	Bars Half Round Iron, no mark	Star of Denmark
1	Case, D. B & Co [278]	... Baron Blantyre.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
4	Quarter Casks, Dr Caudle, 9-12, care of S. Kilburne & Co.	... Star of Germany.
2	Kegs, no mark ...	... Ditto.
1	Case, R. & C. 157	... Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, T X X	... Lady Belhaven.
1	Cask, no mark	... North.
5	Pieces Spelter, T	... Star of Russia
2	Bundles Nail Rod Iron, no mark	... Chusan.
1	Bar Angle Iron, no mark	... Talisman.
1	Parcel, A R M	. Dorunda.
1	Parcel, O 71	... Ditto.
1	Bar Round Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Coil Wire Rope, no mark	.. Manora.
3	Tins, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Case, [W D & B 211] H	... Ditto.
1	Parcel, F C & O T	... Ditto.
48	Nuts and Bolts, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, no mark	... Gilroy.
1	Cask, no mark	... Eldorado.
1	Bundle Sheet Iron, H D F	. Counsellor.
1	Parcel, Ralli Brothers	... Ditto.
1	Drum, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, W M 1	... Bengala.
2	Bars Round Iron, no mark	... Pleiades.
1	Case, Mr. J. Russel	... City of Oxford.
1	Parcel, Proprietor, *Pioneer*, Allahabad	... Nepaul.
1	Case, Baboo Ram Churn Ghose, 82, Shampookur Lane	... Poonah.
2	Iron Weights, no mark	... Malwa.
1	Plate Iron, [X]	... City of London.
1	Parcel, [B] C or Andrew Yule & Co., 300-315	... City of Venice.
5	Pipes, M B	... Ditto.
2	Iron Pipes, no mark	... Ditto.
2	Iron Pipes, no mark	.. City of Khios.
1	Package, [O H] 180-184	... Queen Anne.
81	Tin Plates, no mark	... Ditto.
2	Cakes Spelter, T W C	... Daphne.
1	Cake Spelter, no mark	.. Ditto.
2	Kegs, no mark	... City of Paris.
3	Kegs, B. K. P. & Co.	... City of Paris.
30	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
20	Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto.
1	Bundle Square Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	. Ditto.
1	Case, R B [200]	Loch Eck.
1	Case, President, Mess Committee, R M Royal Artillery	... Deccan.
1	Case, [R B R] T 21	.. Ditto.
1	Case, Harman & Co.	... Arabia.
1	Case, [R T]	Arratoon Apcar.
1	Bag, R M P V	.. Ava.
2	Bags, T M M, L A T	... Mabel.
1	Bag, no mark	... Marchioness of Londondary.
8	Bags, J E	... Rajpootana.
2	Kegs, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Bag, J N	... Madura.
1	Bag, J N	... Goa.
5	Bags, J N	... Ditto.

No.	Mark.	Ship
1	Case, L B 1820	... Meinam.
1	Bag, G A	... Pemba.
1	Bag, no mark	... Ditto.

N. B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 1st February 1879.

5	Bundles Rod Iron, no mark	... Cath Cart.
16	Bas Rod Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Case, Mrs. Howell, care of Mrs. Sandeman, 15, Chowringhee, Calcutta	... Arratoon Apcar.

N. B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 1st February 1879.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 11th January 1879.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Road Cess Office, Furreedpore, on a salary of Rs. 50 per mensem, rising to Rs. 70 by an annual increment of Rs. 2. Candidates are requested to submit their applications, with copies of certificates, to the undersigned on or before the 27th current.

J E. B. JEFFREY, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

FURREEDPORE ROAD CESS OFFICE, the 15th January 1879. (765—1)

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer for the Road Cess Works of Pubna. Salary, including travelling allowance, Rs. 65.

None need apply who have not passed the Overseer's examination, and have not had at least two years' experience in the Public Works Department.

Applications to be made to the undersigned not later than the 30th instant.

W. M. CLAY, *Chairman, D. R. Cess, Pubna.*

PUBNA, the 8th January 1879. (758—3)

UNDER Section 5 of the Indian Treasure-Trove Act, No. VI of 1878, notice is hereby given that on the 12th December last, 13 silver old coins valued at Rs. 13 were found at "Jhaoah Kottee," in mouzah Adumpore, pergunnah Bhagulpore, by the proprietor of that bungalow. All persons claiming the whole or any portion thereof are required to appear personally or by agents before the Collector of Bhagulpore at 11 A.M., on Monday, the 19th May 1879, and establish their claims thereto.

CHUNDER NARAIN SINGH, *Depy. Collr. in charge.*

BHAGULPORE, the 11th January 1879. (761—1)

Notice.
Oudh Forest Department.
BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sál beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 " " 2-12 "
23 " " 2-14 "
24 " " 3 "

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at " 2-4 "
Under 7 feet. at " 2 "

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers, &c.*, special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,

SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal and Public Debt Office will be closed on Monday, the 27th, and Tuesday, the 28th instant, on account of the Hindu festival "Sreepunchoomey."

By order of the Directors,

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

CALCUTTA, the 17th January 1879. (767—1)

Notice.

IT is hereby notified that the Midnapore Canal, Ranges III, IV, V, and VI, from Dainan to Midnapore, will be closed for silt clearing from 15th February to 31st March 1879.

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

Dated the 13th January 1879.

Notice.

THE Annual Chootia Fair will be held at Chootia, near Ranchee, the head-quarters of the Chota Nagpore Division, and will commence on 24th February 1879, and continue for fifteen succeeding days.

By order of the Commissioner,

RAJ GOPAL ROY, *Pers. Asst. to Commr.*

CHOTA NAGPORE, the 13th December 1878.

LOST the following Share Certificates in the Kursiong and Darjeeling Tea Company Limited—

Nos. 1121 and 1132,

standing in the name of

(750—4) COL. W. S. FERRIS.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 034705, 4 per cent. of 1854-55, for Rs. 1,000, and 093935, 4 per cent. of 1865, for Rs. 500, both standing originally in the names of J. H. Belchambers, W. L. Wenger, G. S. Sykes, and R. Williamson, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped in the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors.

R. SCOTT MONCRIEFF.

16, STRAND ROAD. (759—3)

Sale notice under Section 289, Civil Procedure Code.

THE undermentioned property is to be sold by public auction in the Court of the District Judge of Patna, in the noon of the 24th February 1879, in execution passed by the Subordinate Judge of Patna dated 16th March 1876, of a decree No. 128 of 1875, of the Land Mortgage Bank of India, Limited, *versus* Mussamut Josoda Koonwar, legal representative of Lachman Parshad, deceased, for Rs. 1,63,766-13-0.

The rights and interests of Mussamut Josoda Koonwar, legal representative of Luchman Parshad, deceased, hypothecated under the bond on which the decree is founded in 5 annas and 4 pie of mouza Jugdispore Tyarree, Mothoorapur Tyarree, and Bishenpore Tyarree, appertaining to pergunnah Pilitch, lot lakheraj No. 65, declared to be an entire estate since the partition.

Market value estimated at Rs. 22,000.

One-half share of the 10 annas and 8 pie divided share of mouza Doomri Dohissa, pergunnah Azimabad, zillah Patna, bearing No. 87 on the Collector's revenue roll, and the Government revenue of Rs. 462-3-7, declared to be an entire estate since the partition.

Market value estimated at Rs. 12,000.

PORESHNATH BANNERJEE, *Subordinate Judge, Patna.*

PATNA, the 16th January 1879. (768—1)

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, will be held on Saturday, the 26th of April 1879, at the registered Office of the Company, at 27, Dalhousie Square, in the town of Calcutta, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider the means to be adopted for improving the mode of transport from certain of the collieries of the Company to the railway wharves, and to pass resolutions providing for the outlay necessary for such improved mode of transport as may be agreed upon.

By order of the Board,

H. H. MACLEOD, *Superintendent.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd January 1879. (774—4)

Labor Transport Company, "Limited."

THE adjourned Fifth Annual General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 13, Clive Street, at 4 P.M., on the 31st January 1879.

BENNERTZ & Co., *Managing Agents.*
CALCUTTA, the 13th January 1879. (760—2)

Chitpore Hydraulic Pressing Company, "Limited."

PROCEEDINGS of an adjourned Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company, held at the registered Office, No. 22, Strand, on Thursday, the 19th December 1878, at 4-30 P.M.

PRESENT:

H. A. ADKIN, ESQ.
A. DUCAS, ESQ.
J. W. O'KEEFE, ESQ.
W. J. M. MCCAW, ESQ.
C. SLATER, ESQ.

H. B. STERNDALE, ESQ.
W. HALFORD, ESQ.
C. H. HERBERT, ESQ.
J. THOMAS, ESQ.
A. C. POTT, ESQ.
G. M. STEWART, ESQ.
BABOO TOOLSI DASS ROY.
,, GOPEE NATH ROY.
By their proxy, C. SLATER, ESQ.

H. A. ADKIN, ESQ., *in the chair.*

The requisition calling on the Directors to convene the meeting, and the notices convening both the original and adjourned meetings, also the proceedings of the original meeting having been read, it was

Proposed by A. DUCAS, ESQ.,
Seconded by J. W. O'KEEFE, ESQ.—

I. That it is deemed advisable to subdivide the capital of the Company into 4,000 shares of Rs. 100 each, and that for this purpose a liquidator be appointed to wind up the Company.

And carried unanimously.

Proposed by W. J. M. MCCAW, ESQ.,
Seconded by W. HALFORD, ESQ., *by his proxy,* C. SLATER, ESQ.—

II. That a new Company be formed to take over all assets and liabilities of the old Company, and that the capital of such Company shall be Rs. 4,00,000, divided into 4,000 shares of Rs. 100 each; such shares to be offered to existing Shareholders in exchange for the scrip now held by them at the rate of five shares for one.

And carried unanimously.

Proposed by A. DUCAS, ESQ.,
Seconded by W. J. M. MCCAW, ESQ.,
And carried unanimously—

III. That Mr. C. Slater be appointed Liquidator to wind up the Company in terms of the first resolution.

With a vote of thanks to the chair the meeting terminated.

(Sd.) H. A. ADKIN, *Chairman.*

PROCEEDINGS of an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company, held at the registered Office, No. 22, Strand, at noon, on Saturday, the 4th January 1879.

PRESENT:

H. A. ADKIN, ESQ., *in the chair.*
A. DUCAS, ESQ.
W. J. M. MCCAW, ESQ.
J. W. O'KEEFE, ESQ.
C. SLATER, ESQ.

The notice convening the meeting having been read, it was

Proposed by A. DUCAS, ESQ.,
Seconded by J. W. O'KEEFE, ESQ.—

That the special Resolutions Nos. I, II, and III, passed at the adjourned extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, held at 4-30 P.M., on the 19th December 1878, be confirmed.

Carried unanimously.

With a vote of thanks to the chair the meeting terminated.

(763—1) (Sd.) H. A. ADKIN, *Chairman.*

Notice.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Shareholders of the late Bridgeman Tea Company, Limited, is hereby called for Saturday, the 22nd February 1879, at 3 o'clock, at No. 5, Garstin's Place, for the purpose of receiving the accounts of the Liquidator in accordance with Section CLVIII of the Indian Company's Act, No. X of 1866. (775—2)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of SOORJEECOOMAR BHUR, an INSOLVENT.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Sittanauth Doss, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of MOHABEER SURRUN, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 6th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Carruthers and Jennings, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of GEORGE ANDERSON, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 6th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of February next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Dignam and Robinson, *Attorneys.*
Chief Clerk's Office, the 13th day of January 1879.

IN the matter of BHOOBUNMOHUN BONNERJEE and another, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 36,820-7-2 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvents, as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 18-12 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvents, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of WILLIAM LITTON, an Insolvent.

ON Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally as wlel as his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

G. Gregory, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of GEORGE COLE and H. PEARY, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,749-5-1 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvents as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 12 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvents, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of ALFRED GEORGE GLEESON, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,045-8-10 to and amongst all the creditors upon

the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 50 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of AARON ABRAHAM COHEN, of Radha Bazar Lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business in copartnership with Jacob Abraham Cohen, as Merchants and Agents, under the style and firm of "Cohen Brothers & Co," at Radha Bazar Lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, and at Rangoon, Thayat Myo, and Tonghoo, in British Burmah, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 13th day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Pittar and Wheeler, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of GEORGE NICHOLAS, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

W. W. Linton, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ERNESTO CLERICI, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ERNESTO CLERICI, of No. 3, Creek Row, in the town of Calcutta, formerly carrying on business at No. 84, Bentinck Street, and lately at No. 19, Old China Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta aforesaid, in partnership with Genaro de Angelis, as Merchants and Charterers, under the name, style, and firm of G. de Angelis & Co., an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 14th day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of HABIBUR RUHMAN AHMAD, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 4th day of September last, it was ordered that the hearing of the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent do stand adjourned to the first Court day in September 1879, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged to the said first Court day in September 1879, provided the said Insolvent shall in the interim pay the Official Assignee of this Court monthly, for the benefit of the estate of the said Involvent, Rs. 80 a month from his salary, the first of such payment to be made on the 4th day of October next, and thereafter on the 4th day of each succeeding month, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Trotman and Watkins, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 20th day of January 1879.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of ALICK APCAR, JUNIOR, an Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court on Tuesday, the fourth day of February next, for an order that the petition of the above-named Insolvent be dismissed according to the terms contained in the deed of arrangement executed by the creditors of the said Insolvent dated this 20th day of January 1879.

(778—2) JOHN HART, *Attorney for the Insolvent.*

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	22nd Jan.	*Ethiopia.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	6 ,,	23rd ,,	*Zambesi.*
Rangoon and Moulmein ...	6 ,,	24th ,,	*Purulia.*
Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon	6 ,,	26th ,,	*Commilla.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	27th ,,	From Bombay.
Ceylon and the Australian Colonies.	6 ,,	28th ,,	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 24th January 1879.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 23rd January 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 20th January 1879.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assonsole	5-30 A.M	5 P.M	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
	7-45 ,,	7-45 ,,	
Dum-Dum and Barasat	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts ...	4 ,,	8-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Pureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ..	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway .	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M.	
		12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays..	7 to 8 A.M	
		2 to 3 P.M	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	* W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S	6-30	10-12	2-46	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	?	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.		First Delivery.	Second Delivery	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office		8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd. * On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
Baug Bazar	N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar	C	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla	N. E	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla	N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla	W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Napit Bazar	E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta	E	8-52	1-23	4-42	
* Wellesley St.	S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-28	
* Park Street	P	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore	S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore	S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore	A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st NOVR. 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 21st January 1879.

Allen, R. C.
Anderson, Geo.
Anderson, Miss Annie Paschal.
Anger, F. W.
Berrill, Mrs.
Bremner, G.
Brewer, Mrs.
Brooks, G.
Brooks, S.
Cadorine, C.
Carter, —.
Clarke, Mrs. W.
Chaliz, Miss E.
Crown, H. J. A.
Dale, Mrs. Agnes.
Dass, Sarah.
DeLeemans, Miss.
De Urban.
Dixon, W.
Dolby, C.
D'Rozario, W.
Edwards, Mrs. R.
Edmans, A.
Emin, E. T.
Fergusson, C. Balfour.
Fithis, G.
Firwick, P.
FitzGerald, Mrs. A.
Gee, Arthur.
George, Master.
Gleeson, Miss Fanny.
Graham, G. D.
Gray, J.
Gregory, G.
Grevelink, G.
Hamiltön, C.
Hamilton, T.
Hay, C. A.
Hills, J.
Hope, George.
Isidore, —.
Jacob, Miss H.
Jall, Miss
Jepsom, —.
Johnston, G.
Jones, H. E.
Kelly, Mrs. A.
Kelly, Mrs.
Lacombe, Agusti.
Lamb, J.
Lee, R.
Leech, William.
Lemarchand, A.
Levey, A.
Malcolm, Thomas.
Maker, W. P.
Mariner, —.
Mason, A. H.
Matheson, Jardine.
McNair, A.
Mohamed, J.
Nawells, C.
Neebel, H.
Nicolay, E.
Norris, Mrs. Jane.
O'Connor, J.
O'Dell, Master.
Ogdue, Charles.
Owens, M.
Packer, G. W.
Patten, A. J.
Paul, Miss R. A.
Percey, —.
Plucknett, Mrs.
Robinson, G. W.
Rouley, G.
Rundall and Bigley.
Sanderson, Miss J.
Saunders, W.
Taylor, C.
Thompson, —.
Thompson, Mrs.
Tool, O.
Toomey, —.
Tusker, Miss.
Ward, Ellis.
Webber, W. J.
Willard, H.
Wright, Mrs. L.

Letters marked "Care of Post-Office, to be kept till called for."

Addington, E.
Alcock, A. W.
Anderson, A.
Atkins, F. T.
B. G.
Bailey, F. A.
Bancroft, W. A.
Banks, G.
Beaver, P.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blacus, M.
Blagdon, G.
Blanchard, Joseph.
Boswell, W. A.
Boulard, Madam.
Braham, Mrs. A. H.
Bridgnell, J.
Browning, Miss.
Brown, Maitland.
Buckley, C. W.
Buller, S.
Burnett, G. B.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.
Carnegie, A.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Clarke, W. E.
Colly, Miss A.
Cotton, T. F.
Cummins, Mrs.
Dann, F.
Davison, W.
Denton, J.
Dumbol, T.
Duncan, Chesney.
Eales, E. F.
Edmunds, W. H.
Edward, George.
Ephgrave, E.
Faber, A. de.
Fazool Uddin (draftsman).
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
Fontaine, M.
Fuchs, E.
Furguison, D.
Gage, W. Quintin.
Gayapershad.
Gayford, C.
Gilbert, T.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Grief, L.
Gruiblander, E.
Halford, J.
Hart, J.
Hawkins, Mrs. R.
Hellstrom, Miss.
Hill, E.
Holleywood, F.
Hordern, A.
Humble, Mrs.
Inner, T. E. D.
Jennings, N. E.
Janney, L. R.
Jameson, James.
Johnson, Miss.
Kirkton, C.
Labanti, P.
Leith, Tyrrell.
Lewis, —.
Lewis, Mrs. M. A.
Levi, L. R.
Lonmon, A.
Macmahon, R.
Man, G. O.
Marshal, E. O.
Marshall, F.
Martin, Thomas.
Mitcheal, C.
Mechin, Baron B.
Moor, Thomas.
Neijeeballah, Shaik.
Nicolay, Mrs.
Nicols, J.
Nelson, H. R.
P. D. C.
Paolo, Magnani.
Patterson, R.
Payne, Bob.
Perrin Mari, Monsieur.
Renaud, M. D.
Robinson, J.
Sanders, A.
Sawson, J.
Segrab, Miss.
Shaw, Dr. F. C.
Simpson, —.
Smith, Mrs. H.
Sri Newasa Acharaya.
Stoddard, N. A.
Van Laak, —.
Virginma.
Webster, David.
West, Mrs. E
Whitliam, Dr. R.

Newspapers.

Davison, W.
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
Garrick, R.
Gould, G.
Hamilton, Capt. W. R.
Hawkins, Mrs.
Lunder, W.
McWilliam, D.
Nailer, A. S.
Printer, J.
Prince, John.
Wallace, F. C.

Registered Letters.

Adolph, Lonmon.
D'Souza, F. S.
Duncan, Chesney.
Enule, Gilles.
Hudson, C. K.
Macleod, C. H.
Phelps, G. de.
Power, Richard.
Ranier, H. (Inspr. Tra. P O.)
Robinson, Peter.
Trevor, Major, R.E.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagirutlee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 17th January 1879.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water.		Remarks.
Bhagiruttee.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance below Chourasia...	11	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	5	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	Geeriah.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	0	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	3	0	Mohazanpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3	0	Dewangunge.
Matabangah.			
Entrance			Closed.
Thence to Tatarparah			
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia.		...	
From Hât Bolia to Boalmaree.		...	
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.		...	
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.		...	
Jellinghee and Byrub.			
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges.		...	Closed.
Thence to Junction with the Byrub.		...	
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	4	6	
Thence to Junction with the Jullinghee.	3	0	Mohimpore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	4	0	Aumtollah.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3	3	Tarahnughur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 20th January 1879, above zero, 2 feet.

T. Beatty, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.

Berhampore, the 20th January 1879.

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Ditto	ditto	1871	...	„ 2	8	„
Ditto	ditto	1872	...	„ 3	0	„
Ditto	ditto	1873	...	„ 3	0	„
Ditto	ditto	1874	...	„ 3	0	„
Administration Report of		1870-71	...	„ 0	4	„
Ditto	ditto	1871-72	...	„ 0	4	„
Ditto	ditto	1872-73	...	„ 0	4	„
Ditto	ditto	1873-74	...	„ 0	4	„
Ditto	ditto	1874-75	...	„ 0	4	„
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John Eliot, M.A., *Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.*

Calcutta, the 26th August 1875.

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By C. F. Amery.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 31st December 1878, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. XVIII OF 1878.

An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, section 4.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, section four; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Amendment of Act X of 1877, section 4.

1. In the said section, for the words "local law" in each of the places where they occur, the words "any law heretofore or hereafter passed under the Indian Councils Act, 1861, by a Governor, or a Lieutenant-Governor, in Council" shall be substituted; and for the words "landlord and tenant," the words "landholders and their tenants or agents" shall be substituted.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[First publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 17th January, 1879, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

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CHAPTER I.
PRELIMINARY.

Short title. 1. This Act may be called "The Indian Stamp Act, 1879:"

Local extent. It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement. And it shall come into force on the first day of April 1879.

Repeal of enactments. 2. On and after that day, the Acts specified in the third schedule shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column of the same schedule. But all rules made under the General Stamp Act, 1869, and then in force shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been made hereunder. And all references made to the General Stamp Act, 1869, in enactments passed subse-

quently thereto, shall be deemed to be made to this Act.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,— Interpretation-clause.

(1.) "Banker" includes a bank and any person acting as a banker: "Banker."

(2.) "Bill of exchange" includes a hundí: "Bill of exchange."

(3.) "Bill of lading" means any instrument signed by the owner of a vessel or his agent, acknowledging the receipt of goods therein described, and undertaking to deliver the same at a place and to a person therein mentioned or indicated: "Bill of lading."

(4.) "Bond" means— "Bond."

(*a*) any instrument whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another, on condition that the obligation shall be void if a specified act is performed, or is not performed, as the case may be;

(*b*) any instrument attested by a witness and not payable to order or bearer, whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another; and

(*c*) any instrument so attested whereby a person obliges himself to deliver grain or other agricultural produce to another:

(5.) "Chargeable" means, as applied to an instrument executed or first executed after this Act comes into force, chargeable under this Act, and, as applied to any other instrument, chargeable under the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or, where several persons executed the instrument at different times, first executed: "Chargeable."

(6.) "Cheque" means a bill of exchange drawn on a banker and payable on demand: "Cheque."

(7.) "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority" means, in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the territories respectively under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces, the Board of Revenue: in the Presidency of Bombay, outside Sind and the limits of the town of Bombay, a Revenue Commissioner: in Sind, the Commissioner: in the Panjáb, the Financial Commissioner; and elsewhere, the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office: "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority."

(8.) "Collector" means, within the limits of the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, the Collector of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, respectively, and, without those limits, the Collector of a District, and includes a Deputy Commissioner and any officer whom the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office: "Collector."

(9.) "Conveyance" means any instrument by which property (whether moveable or immoveable) is transferred on sale: "Conveyance."

(10.) "Duly stamped," as applied to an instrument, means stamped, or written upon paper bearing an impressed stamp, in accordance with the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed: "Duly stamped."

(11.) "Instrument of partition" means any instrument whereby co-owners of any property divide or agree to divide such property in severalty, and includes also a final order for effecting a partition passed by any Revenue-authority: "Instrument of partition."

(12.) "Lease" means a lease of immoveable property and includes also "Lease."

(*a*) a patta,

(*b*) a kabúliyat or other undertaking in writing, not being a counterpart of a lease, to cultivate, occupy or pay or deliver rent for, immoveable property,

(*c*) any instrument by which tolls of any description are let, and

(*d*) any writing on an application for a lease intended to signify that the application is granted:

(13.) "Mortgage-deed" includes every instrument whereby, for the purpose of securing money advanced, or to be advanced, by way of loan, or an existing or future debt, or the performance of an engagement, one person transfers, or creates, to or in favour of another, a right over specified property: "Mortgage-deed."

(14.) "Paper" includes vellum, parchment or any other material on which an instrument may be written: "Paper."

(15.) "Policy of insurance" means any instrument by which one person, in consideration of a premium, engages to indemnify another against loss, damage or liability arising from an unknown or contingent event: "Policy of insurance."

It includes a life-policy:

(16.) "Power-of-attorney" means any instrument (not chargeable with a fee under the law relating to Court-fees for the time being in force) empowering a specified person to act in the stead of the person executing it: "Power-of-attorney."

(17.) "Receipt" means any note, memorandum, writing or advertisement whereby any money or any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note is acknowledged to have been received, or whereby any other moveable property is acknowledged to have been received in satisfaction of a debt, or whereby any debt or demand, or any part of a debt or demand, is acknowledged to have been satisfied or discharged, or which signifies or imports any such acknowledgment, whether the same is or is not signed with the name of any person: "Receipt."

(18.) "Schedule" means a schedule to this Act annexed: "Schedule."

(19.) "Settlement" means any non-testamentary disposition in writing, of moveable or immoveable property, made— "Settlement."

(*a*) in consideration of marriage,

(*b*) for the purpose of distributing property of the settlor among his family or those for whom he desires to provide, or

(*c*) for any religious or charitable purpose:

It includes an agreement in writing to make such a disposition:

(20.) "Vessel" means anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property: "Vessel."

(21.) "Written" and "writing" include every mode in which words or figures can be expressed upon paper.

"Written," "writing."

4. The schedules and everything therein contained shall be read and construed as part of this Act.

Schedules to be read as part of Act.

CHAPTER II.

STAMP-DUTIES.

A.—Of the Liability of Instruments to duty.

5. Subject to the exemptions contained in the second schedule, the following instruments shall be chargeable with duty of the amount indicated in the first schedule as the proper duty therefor respectively, that is to say:—

Instruments chargeable with duty.

(*a*) every instrument mentioned in the first schedule, and which, not having been previously executed by any person, is executed in British India on or after the first day of April 1879;

(*b*) every bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note drawn or made out of British India on or after that day and accepted or paid, or presented for acceptance or payment, or endorsed, transferred or otherwise negotiated, in British India; and

(*c*) every instrument (other than a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note) mentioned in the first schedule, which, not having been previously executed by any person, is executed out of British India on or after that day, relates to any property situate, or to any matter or thing done or to be done, in British India, and is received in British India.

6. Where, in the case of any sale, lease, mortgage or settlement, several instruments are employed for completing the transaction, the principal instrument only shall be chargeable with the duty prescribed for the conveyance, lease, mortgage or settlement in the first schedule, and each of the other instruments shall be chargeable with a duty of one rupee instead of the duty (if any) prescribed for it in that schedule.

Several instruments used in single transactions.

The parties may determine for themselves which of the instruments so employed shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be the principal instrument.

7. Any instrument comprising or relating to several distinct matters shall be chargeable with the aggregate amount of the duties with which separate instruments, each comprising or relating to one of such matters, would be chargeable under this Act.

Instruments relating to several distinct matters.

Subject to the provisions of the first clause of this section, an instrument so framed as to come within two or more of the descriptions in the first schedule shall, where the duties chargeable thereunder are different, be chargeable only with the highest of such duties; but nothing herein contained shall render chargeable with duty exceeding one rupee a counterpart or duplicate of any instrument chargeable with duty and in respect of which the proper duty has been paid.

Instruments coming within several descriptions in schedule I.

8. The Governor General in Council may, by order published in the *Gazette of India*,

Power to reduce or remit rates of duty.

(*a*) reduce or remit, whether prospectively or retrospectively, in the whole or any part of British India, the duties with which any instruments or any particular class of instruments, or any of the instruments belonging to such class, or any instruments when executed by or in favour of any particular class of persons, or by or in favour of any members of such class, are chargeable, and

(*b*) cancel or vary such order to the extent of the powers hereby given.

B.—Of Stamps and the Mode of using them.

9. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, all duties with which any instruments are chargeable shall be paid, and such payment shall be indicated on such instruments, by means of stamps—

Duties how to be paid.

(*a*) according to the provisions herein contained, or

(*b*) when no such provision is applicable thereto—as the Governor General in Council may by rule direct.

The rules made under this section may, among other matters, regulate—

(1) in the case of each kind of instrument—the description of stamps which may be used,

(2) in the case of instruments stamped with impressed stamps—the number of stamps which may be used,

(3) in the case of hundís—the size of the paper on which they are written.

10. The following instruments may be stamped with adhesive stamps, namely:—

Use of adhesive stamps.

(*a*) instruments chargeable with the duty of one anna except parts of bills of exchange payable otherwise than on demand and drawn in sets;

(*b*) bills of exchange, cheques and promissory notes drawn or made out of British India;

(*c*) entry as an advocate, vakíl or attorney on the roll of a High Court;

(*d*) notarial acts; and

(*e*) transfers by endorsement of shares of public companies and associations.

11. Whoever affixes any adhesive stamp to any instrument chargeable with duty and which has been executed by any person, shall, when affixing such stamp, cancel the same so that it cannot be used again,

Cancellation of adhesive stamps.

and whoever executes any instrument on any paper bearing an adhesive stamp shall, at the time of execution, unless such stamp has been already cancelled in manner aforesaid, cancel the same so that it cannot be used again.

Any instrument bearing an adhesive stamp which has not been cancelled so that it cannot be used again shall, so far as such stamp is concerned, be deemed to be unstamped.

12. Every instrument written upon paper stamped with an impressed stamp, shall be written in such manner, that the stamp may appear on the face of the instrument and cannot be used for or applied to any other instrument.

How instruments stamped with impressed stamps are to be written.

13. No second instrument chargeable with duty shall be written upon a piece of stamped paper upon which an instrument chargeable with duty has already been written: provided that nothing in this section shall prevent any endorsement which is duly stamped or is not chargeable with duty being made upon any instrument for the purpose of transferring any right created or evidenced thereby, or of acknowledging the receipt of any money or goods the payment or delivery of which is secured thereby.

Only one instrument to be on same stamp.

14. Every instrument written in contravention of section twelve or thirteen, shall be deemed to be unstamped.

Instrument written contrary to section 12 or 13 deemed unstamped.

15. Where the duty with which an instrument is chargeable, or its exemption from duty, depends in any manner upon the duty actually paid in respect of another instrument, the payment of such last-mentioned duty shall, if application be made in writing to the Collector for that purpose, and on production of both the instruments, be denoted upon such first-mentioned instrument in such manner as the Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe.

Denoting duty.

C.—Of the Time of stamping Instruments.

16. All instruments chargeable with duty and executed by any person in British India shall be stamped before or at the time of execution.

Instruments executed in British India.

17. Every instrument chargeable with duty executed only out of British India, and not being a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note, may be stamped within three months after it has been first received in British India; or, where such instrument cannot, with reference to the description of stamp prescribed therefor, be duly stamped by a private person, it may be taken within the said period of three months to the Collector, and he shall stamp the same, in such manner as the Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe, with a stamp of such value as the person so taking such instrument may require and pay for.

Instruments other than bills, cheques and notes executed out of British India.

18. The first holder in British India of any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note drawn or made out of British India shall, before he presents the same for acceptance or payment, or endorses, transfers or otherwise negotiates the same in British India, affix thereto the proper stamp and cancel the same:

Bills, cheques and notes drawn out of British India.

Provided that if, at the time any such bill, cheque or note comes into the hands of any holder thereof in British India, the proper adhesive stamp is affixed thereto and cancelled in manner prescribed by section eleven, and such holder has no reason to believe that such stamp was affixed or cancelled otherwise than by the person and at the time required by this Act, such stamp shall, so far as relates to such holder, be deemed to have been duly affixed and cancelled. But nothing contained in this proviso shall relieve any person from any penalty incurred by him for omitting to affix or cancel a stamp.

D.—Of Valuations for duty.

19. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of an amount expressed in pounds sterling, pounds currency, francs or dollars, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such money in the currency of British India according to the following scale:—

Conversion of amount expressed in certain currencies.

One pound sterling or pound currency is equivalent to ten rupees:

One hundred francs are equivalent to forty rupees:

One Mexican or China dollar is equivalent to two rupees four annas.

20. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of any money expressed in any other foreign or colonial currency, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such money in the currency of British India according to the current rate of exchange on the day of the date of the instrument.

Conversion of amount expressed in other foreign currencies.

21. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of any stock or of any marketable security, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such stock or security according to the average price thereof on the day of the date of the instrument.

Stock and marketable securities how to be valued.

22. Where an instrument contains a statement of current rate of exchange, or average price, as the case may require, and is stamped in accordance with such statement, it shall, so far as regards the subject-matter of such statement, be presumed, until the contrary is proved, to be duly stamped.

Effect of statement of rate of exchange or average price.

23. Where interest is expressly made payable by the terms of an instrument, such instrument shall not be chargeable with duty higher than that with which it would have been chargeable had no mention of interest been made therein.

Instruments reserving interest.

24. Where any property is transferred to any person in consideration, wholly or in part, of any debt due to him, or subject either certainly or contingently to the payment or transfer of any money or stock, whether being or constituting a charge or incumbrance upon the property or not, such debt, money or stock is to be deemed the whole or part, as the case may be, of the consideration in respect whereof the transfer is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty.

How transfer in consideration of debt, or subject to future payment, &c., to be charged.

25. Where an instrument is executed to secure the payment of an annuity, or other sum payable periodically, or where the consideration for a conveyance is an annuity or other sum payable periodically, the amount secured by such instrument, or the consideration for such conveyance (as the case may be), shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be—

Valuation in case of annuity, &c.

(*a*) where the sum is payable for a definite period so that the total amount to be paid can be previously ascertained—such total amount;

(*b*) where the sum is payable in perpetuity or for an indefinite time not terminable with any life in being at the date of such instrument or conveyance—the total amount which, according to the terms of such instrument or conveyance, will or may be payable during the period of twenty years next after the date of such instrument or conveyance; and

(*c*) where the sum is payable for an indefinite time terminable with any life in being at the date of such instrument or conveyance—the total amount which will or may be payable as aforesaid during the period of twelve years next after the date of such instrument or conveyance.

Stamp where value of subject-matter is indeterminate.

26. Where the amount or value of the subject-matter of any instrument chargeable with *ad valorem* duty cannot be, or (in the case of an instrument executed before this Act comes into force) could not have been, ascertained, at the date of its execution or first execution, nothing shall be claimable under such instrument more than the highest amount or value for which, if stated in an instrument of the same description, the stamp actually used would, at the date of such execution, have been sufficient.

Facts affecting duty to be set forth in instrument.

27. The consideration (if any) and all other facts and circumstances affecting the chargeability of any instrument with duty, or the amount of the duty with which it is chargeable, shall be fully and truly set forth therein.

Direction as to duty in case of certain conveyances.

28. (*a.*) Where any property has been contracted to be sold for one consideration for the whole, and is conveyed to the purchaser in separate parts by different instruments, the consideration shall be apportioned in such manner as the parties think fit, so that a distinct consideration for each separate part is set forth in the conveyance relating thereto, and such conveyance shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of such distinct consideration.

(b.) Where property contracted to be purchased for one consideration for the whole, by two or more persons jointly, or by any person for himself and others, or wholly for others, is conveyed in parts by separate instruments to the persons by or for whom the same was purchased, for distinct parts of the consideration, the conveyance of each separate part shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the distinct part of the consideration therein specified.

(*c.*) Where a person having contracted for the purchase of any property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, contracts to sell the same to any other person, and the property is in consequence conveyed immediately to the sub-purchaser, the conveyance shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the consideration for the sale by the original purchaser to the sub-purchaser.

(*d.*) Where a person having contracted for the purchase of any property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, contracts to sell the whole, or any part, thereof, to any other person or persons, and the property is in consequence conveyed by the original seller to different persons in parts, the conveyance of each part sold to a sub-purchaser shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect only of the consideration paid by such sub-purchaser, without regard to the amount or value of the original consideration, and the conveyance of the residue (if any) of such property to the original purchaser shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect only of the excess of the original consideration over the aggregate of the considerations paid by the sub-purchasers:

Provided that the duty on such last mentioned conveyance shall in no case be less than one rupee.

(*e.*) Where a sub-purchaser takes an actual conveyance of the interest of the person immediately selling to him, which is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the consideration paid by him, and is duly stamped accordingly, any conveyance to be afterwards made to him of the same property by the original seller shall be chargeable with a duty equal to that which would be chargeable on a conveyance for the consideration obtained by such original seller; or where such duty would exceed five rupees, with a duty of five rupees.

E.—Duty by whom payable.

Duties by whom payable.

29. In the absence of an agreement to the contrary, the expense of providing the proper stamp shall be borne—

(*a*) in the case of any instrument described in numbers 2, 11, 13, 14, 15, 24, 28, 29, 30, 44, 53, 54, 55, 57 and 60 (*a*) and (*b*) of the first schedule—by the person drawing, making or executing such instrument:

(*b*) in the case of a policy of insurance—by the insured:

(*c*) in the case of a conveyance—by the grantee: in the case of a lease or agreement to lease—by the lessee or intended lessee:

(*d*) in the case of a counterpart of a lease—by the lessor:

(*e*) in the case of an instrument of partition—by the parties thereto in proportion to their respective shares in the property comprised therein, or when the partition is made in execution of an order passed by a Revenue-authority, in such proportion as such authority directs:

(*f*) in the case of an instrument of exchange—by the parties in equal shares: and

(*g*) in the case of a certificate of sale—by the purchaser of the property to which such certificate relates.

CHAPTER III.

ADJUDICATION AS TO STAMPS.

Adjudication as to proper stamp.

30. When any instrument, whether executed or not, and whether previously stamped or not, is brought to the Collector, and the person bringing it applies to have the opinion of that officer as to the duty (if any) with which it is chargeable, and pays a fee of such amount (not exceeding five rupees and not less than eight annas) as the Collector may in each case direct, the Collector shall determine the duty (if any) with which, in his judgment, the instrument is chargeable:

Collector may call for abstract and evidence.

and may for that purpose require to be furnished with an abstract of the instrument, and also with such affidavit or other evidence as he may deem necessary to prove that all the facts and circumstances affecting the chargeability of the instrument with duty, or the amount of the

duty with which it is chargeable, are fully and truly set forth therein, and may refuse to proceed upon any such application until such abstract and evidence have been furnished accordingly :

Proviso. Provided that no evidence furnished in pursuance of this section shall be used against any person in any civil proceeding, except in an enquiry as to the duty with which the instrument to which it relates is chargeable; and every person by whom any such evidence is furnished shall, on payment of the full duty with which the instrument to which it relates is chargeable, be relieved from any penalty he may have incurred under this Act by reason of the omission to state truly in such instrument any of the facts or circumstances aforesaid.

Certificate by Collector. 31. When an instrument brought to the Collector under section thirty is in his opinion one of a description chargeable with duty and

(*a*) the Collector determines that it is already fully stamped, or

(*b*) the duty determined by the Collector under section thirty, or such a sum as, with the duty already paid in respect of the instrument, is equal to the duty so determined, has been paid,

the Collector shall certify by endorsement on such instrument that the full duty (stating the amount) with which it is chargeable has been paid.

When such instrument is in his opinion not chargeable with duty, the Collector shall certify in manner aforesaid that such instrument is not so chargeable.

Any instrument upon which an endorsement has been made under this section shall be deemed to be duly stamped, or not chargeable with duty, as the case may be; and if chargeable with duty, shall be receivable in evidence or otherwise, and may be acted upon and registered as if it had been originally duly stamped :

Nothing in this section shall authorize the Collector to endorse—

any instrument executed or first executed in British India and brought to him after the expiration of one month from the date of its execution or first execution (as the case may be) ;

any instrument executed or first executed out of British India and brought to him after the expiration of three months after it has been first received in British India ; or

any instrument chargeable with the duty of one anna, or any bill of exchange or promissory note, when brought to him after the drawing or execution thereof on paper not duly stamped.

Payment of fees under section 30 how made. 32. Every payment of a fee under section thirty shall be made in stamps, or cash, as the Governor General in Council may by rule direct.

CHAPTER IV.

INSTRUMENTS NOT DULY STAMPED.

Examination and impounding of instruments. 33. Every person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, and

every person in charge of a public office except an officer of Police,

before whom any instrument chargeable in his opinion with duty is produced or comes, in the performance of his functions, shall, if it appears to him that such instrument is not duly stamped, impound the same.

For that purpose every such person shall examine every instrument so chargeable and so produced or coming before him, in order to ascertain whether it is stamped with a stamp of the value and description required by the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed.

Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to require any Magistrate or Judge of a criminal Court to examine or impound any instrument coming before him in the course of any proceeding other than a proceeding under chapter forty or chapter forty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or chapter eighteen of the Presidency Magistrates Act :

Provided also that, in the case of a Judge of a High Court, the duty of examining and impounding any instrument under this section may be delegated to such officer as the Court appoints in this behalf.

The Local Government may from time to time, in cases of doubt, determine who shall be deemed to be, for the purpose of this section, persons in charge of public offices.

Instruments not duly stamped inadmissible in evidence, &c. 34. No instrument chargeable with duty shall be admitted in evidence for any purpose by any person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, or shall be acted upon, registered or authenticated by any such person or by any public officer, unless such instrument is duly stamped :

Proviso. Provided that—

Instruments admissible on payment of duty and penalty, *1st*, any such instrument, not being an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only or a bill of exchange or promissory note, shall, subject to all just exceptions, be admitted in evidence on payment of the duty with which the same is chargeable or (in the case of an instrument insufficiently stamped) of the amount required to make up such duty, together with a penalty of five rupees, or when ten times the amount of the proper duty or deficient portion thereof exceeds five rupees, of a sum equal to ten times such duty or portion ;

and in certain criminal proceedings. *2nd*, nothing herein contained shall prevent the admission of any instrument in evidence in any proceeding in a criminal Court other than a proceeding under chapter forty or chapter forty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or chapter eighteen of the Presidency Magistrates Act ;

Admission of instrument not to be questioned. *3rd*, when an instrument has been admitted in evidence, such admission shall not, except as provided in section fifty, be called in question at any stage of the same suit or proceeding on the ground that the instrument has not been duly stamped.

Instruments impounded how dealt with. 35. When the person impounding an instrument under section thirty-three has by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence and admits such instrument in evidence upon payment of a penalty as provided by section thirty-four, he shall send to the Collector an authenticated copy of such instrument, together with a certificate in writing, stating the amount of the duty and penalty levied in respect thereof, and shall send such amount to the Collector, or to such person as he may appoint in this behalf.

In every other case, the person so impounding an instrument shall send it in original to the Collector.

Collector's power to refund penalty paid under section 35, 1st para.

36. When a copy of an instrument is sent to a Collector under the first paragraph of section thirty-five, he may, if he thinks fit, upon application made to him in this behalf, refund any portion of the penalty in excess of five rupees which has been paid in respect of such instrument, or

when such instrument has been impounded only because it has been written in contravention of section twelve, or section thirteen, he may refund the whole penalty so paid.

Collector's power to stamp instruments impounded.

37. When the Collector impounds any instrument under section thirty-three, or receives any instrument sent to him under the second clause of section thirty-five, he shall adopt the following procedure :—

(*a*.) If he is of opinion that such instrument is duly stamped, or is not chargeable with duty, he shall certify by endorsement thereon that it is duly stamped, or that it is not so chargeable (as the case may be), and shall upon application made to him in this behalf deliver such instrument to the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the officer impounding it, or as such person may direct.

(*b*.) If the Collector is of opinion that such instrument is chargeable with duty and is not duly stamped, he shall require the payment of the proper duty or the amount required to make up the same, together with a penalty of five rupees ; or if ten times the amount of the proper duty or of the deficient portion thereof exceeds five rupees, then such penalty, not less than five rupees and not more than ten times the amount of such duty or portion, as he thinks fit :

Provided that, when such instrument has been impounded only because it has been written in contravention of section twelve or section thirteen, the Collector may, if he thinks fit, remit the whole penalty prescribed by this section.

Every certificate under clause (*a*) of this section shall, for the purposes of this Act, be conclusive evidence of the matters stated therein.

Nothing in this section applies to an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only, or to a bill of exchange or promissory note.

Instruments unduly stamped by accident.

38. If any instrument chargeable with duty and which is not duly stamped is produced by any person of his own motion before the Collector within one year from the date of its execution or first execution, and such person brings to the notice of the Collector the fact that such instrument is not duly stamped, and offers to pay to the Collector the amount of the proper duty, or the amount required to make up the same, and the Collector is satisfied that the omission to duly stamp such instrument has been occasioned by accident, mistake or urgent necessity, he may, instead of proceeding under sections thirty-three and thirty-seven, receive such amount and proceed as next hereinafter prescribed.

Nothing in this section applies to an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only or to a bill of exchange or promissory note.

Endorsement of instruments on which duty has been paid under section 34, 37 or 38.

39. When the duty and penalty (if any) leviable in respect of any instrument have been paid under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight, the person admitting such instrument in evidence, or the Collector (as the case may be), shall certify by endorsement thereon that the proper duty or (as the case may be) the proper duty and penalty (stating the amount of each) have been levied in respect thereof, and the name and residence of the person paying them.

Every instrument so endorsed shall thereupon be admissible in evidence, and may be registered and acted upon and authenticated as if it had been duly stamped, and shall be delivered on his application in this behalf to the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the officer impounding it, or as such person may direct :

Provided that no instrument which has been admitted in evidence upon payment of duty and a penalty under section thirty-four shall be so delivered before the expiration of one month from the date of such impounding, or if the Collector has certified that its further detention is necessary and has not cancelled such certificate :

Provided also that nothing in this section shall affect the Code of Civil Procedure, section 144, clause 3.

Prosecution for offence against stamp-law.

40. The payment of a penalty under this chapter in respect of an instrument shall not bar the prosecution of any person who appears to have committed an offence against the stamp-law in respect of such instrument :

Proviso.

But no such prosecution shall be instituted in the case of any instrument in respect of which such a penalty has been paid, unless it appears to the Collector that the offence was committed with an intention of evading payment of the proper duty.

Persons paying duty or penalty may recover same in certain cases.

41. When any duty or penalty has been paid, under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight, by any person in respect of an instrument, and by agreement, or under the provisions of section twenty-nine or any other enactment in force at the time such instrument was executed, some other person was bound to bear the expense of providing the proper stamp for such instrument, the first-mentioned person shall be entitled to recover from such other person the amount of the duty or penalty so paid ; and for the purpose of such recovery any certificate granted in respect of such instrument under section thirty-nine shall be conclusive evidence of the matters therein certified.

Remission of penalty paid under section 34 or 37.

42. When any penalty is paid under section thirty-four or thirty-seven, the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may, upon application in writing made within one year from the date of the payment, refund such penalty wholly or in part.

Non-liability for loss of instruments sent under section 36.

43. If any instrument sent to a Collector under the second paragraph of section thirty-five be lost, destroyed or damaged during transmission, the person sending the same shall not be liable for such loss, destruction or damage.

Copy may be made of instrument so sent.

When any instrument is about to be so sent, the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the person impounding the same may require a copy thereof to be

made at the expense of such first-mentioned person and authenticated by the person impounding such instrument.

Power of payee to stamp bills, notes and cheques received by him unstamped.

44. When any bill of exchange or promissory note chargeable with the duty of one anna, or any cheque, is presented for payment unstamped, the person to whom it is so presented may affix thereto the necessary adhesive stamp, and upon cancelling the same in manner hereinbefore provided may pay the sum payable upon such bill, note or cheque, and may charge the duty against the person who ought to have paid the same, or deduct it from the sum payable as aforesaid, and such bill, note or cheque shall, so far as respects the duty, be deemed good and valid.

But nothing herein contained shall relieve any person from any penalty he may have incurred in relation to such bill, note or cheque.

CHAPTER V.

REFERENCE AND REVISION.

Procedure where Collector feels doubt as to duty chargeable.

45. If any Collector acting under section thirty, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight feels doubt as to the amount of duty with which any instrument is chargeable, he may draw up a statement of the case, and refer it, with his own opinion thereon, for the decision of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, and such Authority shall consider the case and send a copy of its decision to the Collector, and he shall proceed to assess and charge the duty (if any) in conformity with such decision.

Reference by Revenue Authority to High Court.

46. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may state any case referred to it under section forty-five or otherwise coming to its notice and refer such case with its own opinion thereon, if the case arises in the territories for the time being administered by the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council or the Governor of Bombay in Council—to the High Court of Judicature at Madras or Bombay as the case may be: if it arises in the North-Western Provinces or Oudh—to the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces: if it arises in the territories for the time being administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb—to the Chief Court of the Panjáb: if it arises in the Central Provinces—to the High Court of Judicature at Bombay; and if it arises in any other part of British India—to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William.

Every such case shall be decided by not less than three Judges of the High Court or Chief Court to which it is referred, and in case of difference the opinion of the majority shall prevail.

Power of Court to call for further particulars.

47. If the High Court or Chief Court is not satisfied that the statements contained in the case are sufficient to enable it to determine the questions raised thereby, the Court may refer the case back to the Revenue-Authority by which it was stated, to make such additions thereto or alterations therein as the Court may direct in that behalf.

Procedure in disposing of reference.

48. The High Court or Chief Court, upon the hearing of any such case, shall decide the questions raised thereby and shall deliver its judgment thereon containing the grounds on which such decision is founded: and it shall send to the Revenue-Authority by which the case was stated, a copy of such judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar, and the Revenue-Authority shall, on receiving such copy, dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

Reference by other Courts to High Court.

49. If any Court other than a Court mentioned in section forty-six feels doubt as to the amount of duty to be paid in respect of any instrument under the first proviso to section thirty-four, the Judge may draw up a statement of the case and refer it with his own opinion thereon for the decision of the High Court or Chief Court to which, if he were the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, he would under section forty-six refer the same, and such Court shall deal with the case as if it had been referred under section forty-six, and send a copy of its judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar to the Judge making the reference, who shall, on receiving such copy, dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

References made under this section, when made by a Court subordinate to a District Court, shall be made through the District Court, and when made by any subordinate Revenue Court shall be made through the Court immediately superior.

Revision of certain decisions of Courts regarding the sufficiency of stamps.

50. When any Court in the exercise of civil or revenue jurisdiction makes any order admitting any instrument in evidence as duly stamped or as not requiring a stamp, or upon payment of duty and a penalty under section thirty-four, the Court to which appeals lie from, or references are made by, such first-mentioned Court may, of its own motion or on the application of the Collector, take such order into consideration; and if it is of opinion that such instrument should not have been admitted in evidence without the payment of duty and penalty under section thirty-four, or without the payment of a higher duty and penalty than those paid, may record a declaration to that effect, and determine the amount of duty with which such instrument is chargeable, and may require any person in whose possession or power such instrument then is to produce the same, and may impound the same when produced.

When any declaration has been recorded under this section, the Court recording the same shall send a copy thereof to the Collector and, where the instrument to which it relates has been impounded or is otherwise in the possession of such Court, shall also send him such instrument; and thereupon the Collector may, notwithstanding anything contained in the order admitting such instrument in evidence, or in any certificate granted under section thirty-nine, or in section forty, prosecute any person for any offence against the stamp-law which the Collector considers him to have committed in respect of such instrument:

Provided that no such prosecution shall be instituted where the amount (including duty and penalty) which according to the determination of such

Court was payable in respect of the instrument under section thirty-four is paid to the Collector, unless he thinks that the offence was committed with an intention of evading payment of the proper duty:

Provided also that, except for the purposes of such prosecution, no declaration made under this section shall affect the validity of any order admitting any instrument in evidence, or of any certificate granted under section thirty-nine.

CHAPTER VI.

ALLOWANCES FOR SPOILED STAMPS AND STAMPS NO LONGER REQUIRED.

Allowance for spoiled stamps.

51. Subject to such rules as may be made by the Governor General in Council as to the evidence which the Collector may require, allowance shall be made by the Collector for impressed stamps spoiled in the cases hereinafter mentioned, namely:—

(*a*.) The stamp on any paper inadvertently and undesignedly spoiled, obliterated or by any means rendered unfit for the purpose intended, before any instrument written thereon is executed by any person:

(*b*.) The stamp used or intended to be used for any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note, signed by or on behalf of the drawer or intended drawer, but not delivered out of his hands to the payee or intended payee, or any person on his behalf, or deposited with any person as a security for the payment of money, or in any way negotiated, issued or put in circulation, or made use of in any other manner, and which, being a bill of exchange or cheque, has not been accepted by the drawee, and provided that the paper on which any such stamp is impressed does not bear any signature intended as or for the acceptance of any bill of exchange or cheque to be afterwards written thereon:

(*c*.) The stamp used or intended to be used for any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note signed by, or on behalf of, the drawer thereof, but which from any omission or error has been spoiled or rendered useless, although the same, being a bill of exchange or cheque, may have been presented for acceptance or accepted or endorsed, or, being a promissory note, may have been delivered to the payee, provided that another completed and duly stamped bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note is produced identical in every particular, except in the correction of such omission or error as aforesaid, with the spoiled bill, cheque or note:

(*d*.) The stamp used for any of the following instruments, that is to say:—

(1) an instrument executed by any party thereto, but afterwards found by a competent Court to be absolutely void in law from the beginning:

(2) an instrument executed by any person, but afterwards found unfit, by reason of any error or mistake therein, for the purpose originally intended:

(3) an instrument executed by any party thereto, but which, by reason of the death of any person, by whom it is necessary that it should be executed, without having executed the same, or of the refusal of any such person to execute the same, or to advance any money intended to be thereby secured, cannot be completed so as to effect the intended transaction in the form proposed:

(4) an instrument executed by any party thereto which, for want of the execution thereof by some material party, and his inability or refusal to sign the same, is in fact incomplete and insufficient for the purpose for which it was intended:

(5) an instrument executed by any party thereto which, by reason of the refusal of any person to act under the same, or by the refusal or non-acceptance of any office thereby granted, totally fails of the intended purpose:

(6) an instrument executed by any party thereto which becomes useless in consequence of the transaction intended to be thereby effected being effected by some other instrument duly stamped:

(7) an instrument executed by any party thereto which is inadvertently and undesignedly spoiled, and in lieu whereof another instrument made between the same parties and for the same purpose is executed and duly stamped:

Provided that in the case of an executed instrument—

(*a*) such instrument is given up to be cancelled:

(*b*) the application for relief is made within six months after the date of the instrument or, if it is not dated, within six months after the execution thereof by the person by whom it was first or alone executed, except where from unavoidable circumstances any instrument for which another instrument has been substituted cannot be given up to be cancelled within the aforesaid period, and in that case within six months after the date of execution of the substituted instrument, and except where the spoiled instrument has been sent out of British India, and in that case within six months after it has been received back in British India:

Provided also that, in the case of stamped paper not having any executed instrument written thereon, the application for relief is made within six months after the stamp has been spoiled as aforesaid.

Allowance for misused stamps.

52. When any person has inadvertently used, for an instrument chargeable with duty, a stamp of a description other than that prescribed for such instrument by the rules made under this Act, or a stamp of greater value than was necessary, or has inadvertently used any stamp for an instrument not chargeable with any duty, or when any stamp used for an instrument has been inadvertently rendered useless under section fourteen owing to such instrument having been written in contravention of the provi-

sions of section twelve, the Collector may, on application made within six months after the date of the instrument or, if it is not dated, within six months after the execution thereof by the person by whom it was first or alone executed, and upon the instrument, if chargeable with duty, being re-stamped with the proper duty, cancel and allow as spoiled the stamp so misused or rendered useless.

Allowance under sections 51 and 52 how to be made.

53. In any case in which allowance is made for spoiled or misused stamps, the Collector may give in lieu thereof (*a*) other stamps of the same description and value, or, (*b*) if required, and he thinks fit, stamps of any other description to the same amount in value, or (*c*) at his discretion, the same value in money, deducting one anna for each rupee or fraction of a rupee.

Allowance for stamps not required for use.

54. When any person is possessed of a stamp which has not been spoiled or rendered unfit or useless for the purpose intended, but for which he has no immediate use, the Collector shall repay to such person the value of such stamp in money, deducting one anna for each rupee or portion of a rupee, upon such person delivering up the same to be cancelled, and proving to the Collector's satisfaction that it was purchased by such person with a *bonâ fide* intention to use it, and that he has paid the full price thereof, and that it was so purchased within the period of six months next preceding the date on which it is so delivered.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Powers to make rules relating to sale of stamps.

55. The Local Government, subject to the control of the Governor General in Council, may make rules consistent herewith for regulating the supply and sale of stamps and stamped papers, the persons by whom alone such sale is to be conducted, and the duties and remuneration of such persons.

Power to make rules generally to carry out Act.

56. The Governor General in Council may make rules consistent herewith to carry out generally the purposes of this Act.

Certain powers exercisable from time to time.

57. All powers to make appointments, rules and orders conferred by this Act may be exercised from time to time as occasion requires.

Publication of rules.

All rules made under this Act other than rules made under section fifty-five shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and all rules made under section fifty-five shall be published in the local Gazette. All rules published as required by this section shall, upon such publication, have the force of law.

Obligation to give receipt in certain cases.

58. Any person receiving any money exceeding twenty rupees in amount, or any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note for an amount exceeding twenty rupees, or receiving in satisfaction of a debt any moveable property exceeding twenty rupees in value shall, on demand by the person paying or delivering such money, bill, cheque, note or property, give a duly stamped receipt for the same.

Saving as to Court-fees.

59. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the duties chargeable under any enactment for the time being in force relating to Court-fees.

Act to be translated, indexed and sold cheaply.

60. Every Local Government shall cause this Act to be carefully translated into the principal vernacular languages of the territories administered by it. A full alphabetical index shall be added to every such translation, and the translation and index shall be printed and sold to the public at a price not exceeding four annas per copy.

CHAPTER VIII.

CRIMINAL OFFENCES AND PROCEDURE.

Penalty for executing, &c., instrument not duly stamped.

61. Any person drawing, making, issuing, endorsing or transferring, or signing otherwise than as a witness, or presenting for acceptance or payment, or accepting, paying or receiving payment of, or in any manner negotiating, any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note without the same being duly stamped,

any person executing or signing otherwise than as a witness any other instrument chargeable with duty without the same being duly stamped, and

any person voting or attempting to vote under any proxy not duly stamped,

shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees:

Provided that, when any penalty has been paid in respect of any instrument under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section fifty, the amount of such penalty shall be allowed in reduction of the fine (if any) subsequently imposed under this section in respect of the same instrument upon the person who paid such penalty.

Penalty for failure to cancel adhesive stamp.

62. Any person required by section eleven to cancel an adhesive stamp and failing to cancel such stamp in manner prescribed by that section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for omission to comply with provisions of section 27.

63. Any person who, with intent to defraud the Government of any duty,

(*a*) executes any instrument in which all the facts and circumstances required by section twenty-seven to be set forth in such instrument are not fully and truly set forth, or

(*b*) being employed or concerned in or about the preparation of any instrument, neglects or omits, fully and truly to set forth therein all such facts and circumstances,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to five thousand rupees.

64. Any person who, being required under section fifty-eight to give a receipt, refuses or neglects to give the same, or who, with intent to defraud the Government of any duty, upon a payment of money or delivery of property exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value, gives a receipt for an amount or value not exceeding twenty rupees, or separates or divides the money or property paid or delivered, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for refusal to give receipt and for devices to evade duty on receipts.

65. Every person who—

(*a*) receives, or takes credit for, any premium or consideration for any contract of insurance, and does not, within one month after receiving, or taking credit for, such premium or consideration, make out and execute a duly stamped policy of such insurance; or

Penalty for not making out policy,

(*b*) makes, executes or delivers out any policy which is not duly stamped, or pays or allows in account, or agrees to pay or allow in account, any money upon, or in respect of, any such policy,

or making, &c., any policy not duly stamped.

shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

66. Any person drawing or executing a bill of exchange or a policy of marine insurance purporting to be drawn or executed in a set of two or more, and not at the same time drawing or executing on paper duly stamped the whole number of bills or policies of which such bill or policy purports the set to consist, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

Penalty for not drawing full number of bills or marine policies purporting to be in sets.

67. Whoever, with intent to defraud the Government of duty, draws, makes or issues any bill of exchange or promissory note bearing a date subsequent to that on which such bill or note is actually drawn or made, and whoever, knowing that such bill or note has been so post-dated, endorses, transfers, presents for acceptance or payment, or accepts, pays or receives payment of, such bill or note, or in any manner negotiates the same,

Penalty for post-dating bills, &c.;

and whoever, with the like intent, practises or is concerned in any act, contrivance or device not specially provided for by this Act or any other law for the time being in force,

for other devices to defraud the revenue.

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

68. Any person appointed to sell stamps who disobeys any rule made under section fifty-five, and any person not so appointed who sells or offers for sale any stamp, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Penalty for breach of rule relating to sale of stamps and for unauthorized sale.

69. No prosecution in respect of any offence punishable under this Act, or the General Stamp Act, 1869, or any Act thereby repealed, shall be instituted without the sanction of the Collector or such other officer as the Local Government generally, or the Collector specially, authorizes in that behalf.

Institution and conduct of prosecutions.

The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, or any officer authorized by it in this behalf, may stay any such prosecution or compound any such offence.

70. No Magistrate other than a Presidency Magistrate and a Magistrate whose powers are not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class shall try any offence under this Act.

Jurisdiction of Magistrates.

71. Every such offence committed in respect of any instrument may be tried in any district or Presidency-town in which such instrument is found, as well as in any district or Presidency-town in which such offence might be tried under the law relating to criminal procedure for the time being in force.

Place of trial.

72. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act or omission which constitutes an offence against this Act, or the rules made under it:

Operation of other laws not barred.

Provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

SCHEDULE I.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
1. ACKNOWLEDGMENT of a debt exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value, written or signed by or on behalf of a debtor or in order to supply evidence of such debt in any book (other than a banker's pass-book) or on a separate piece of paper, when such book or paper is left in the creditor's possession ...	... ...	One anna.
2. ADMINISTRATION-BOND ...	... .	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
ADOPTION DEED ...	See *Instrument, No. 38.*	
3. AFFIDAVIT or declaration in writing on oath or affirmation made before a person authorized by law to administer an oath ...	... ...	One rupee.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No 1).		
4. AGREEMENT TO LEASE	... ...	The same duty as a Lease (No. 39).
5. AGREEMENT OR MEMORANDUM OF AN AGREEMENT ...	(*a.*) If relating to the sale of any Government security, share in a Company or Association or Bill of Exchange ...	One anna.
	(*b.*) Whereby the owner or occupier of land in a village in the Bombay Presidency agrees to relinquish his rights therein to the Government, and to accept rights in other land in exchange for the right so relinquished	Four annas.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 2).	(*c.*) If not otherwise provided for by this Act...	Eight annas.
6. APPOINTMENT, in execution of a power, whether of trustees or of property moveable or immoveable, where made by any writing not being a Will	... ...	Fifteen rupees.
7. APPRAISEMENT or valuation made otherwise than under an order of the Court in the course of a suit ...	... ...	The same duty as an award (No. 10).
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 3 & 4).		
APPRENTICESHIP DEED ...	See *Instrument, No. 31.*	
8. ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF A COMPANY ...	... ...	Twenty-five rupees.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
9. ARTICLES OF CLERKSHIP or contract whereby any person first becomes bound to serve as a clerk in order to his admission as an Attorney in any High Court	.. ..	Two hundred and fifty rupees.
ASSIGNMENT ...	See *Conveyance, No. 21 and Transfer, No. 60.*	
AUTHORITY TO ADOPT ..	See *Instrument, No. 38.*	
10. AWARD, that is to say, any decision in writing by an arbitrator or umpire on a reference made otherwise than by an order of the Court in the course of a suit .. *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 6).*	(*a.*) Where the amount or value of the property to which the award relates as set forth in such award does not exceed Rs. 1,000 ..	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for such amount.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
11. BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE, not being a cheque, bond, bank-note or currency-note ...	(*a.*) When payable on demand and the amount exceeds Rs. 20	One anna.

	If drawn singly.	If drawn in set of two, for each part of the set.	If drawn in set of three, for each part of the set.
(*b.*) When payable otherwise than on demand, but not more than one year after date or sight.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
If the amount of the bill or note does not exceed Rs. 200	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 1 0
If it exceeds 200 and does not exceed 400	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 0
„ 400 600	0 6 0	0 3 0	0 2 0
„ 600 1,000	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 4 0
„ 1,000 1,200	0 12 0	0 6 0	0 4 0
„ 1,200 1,600	1 0 0	0 8 0	0 6 0
„ 1,600 2,500	1 8 0	0 12 0	0 8 0
For every Rs. 2,500 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 2,500 up to Rs. 10,000 ...	1 8 0	0 12 0	0 8 0
For every Rs. 5,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 10,000 up to Rs. 30,000 ...	3 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 0
And for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 30,000...	6 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
11. BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE, &c.—*contd.*	(*c*) When payable at more than one year after date or sight	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount of such bill or note.
12. BILL OF LADING		Four annas. If a Bill of Lading is drawn in parts, the proper stamp therefor must be borne by each one of the set.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 7).		
13. BOND (not otherwise provided for by this Act) ...	When the amount or value secured does not exceed Rs. 10	Two annas.
See Administration-Bond (No. 2), Customs-Bond (No. 24), Indemnity-Bond (No. 28), Security-Bond (No. 14).	When such amount or value exceeds Rs. 10, but does not exceed Rs. 50	Four annas.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 8).	When such amount or value exceeds Rs. 50, but does not exceed Rs. 100	Eight annas.
	and for every Rs. 100 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 100 up to Rs. 1,000	Eight annas.
	and for every Rs. 500 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 1,000	Two rupees eight annas.
14. BOND OR MORTGAGE-DEED executed by way of security for the due execution of an office, or to account for money received by virtue thereof ...	(*a*.) When the amount secured does not exceed Rs. 1,000 ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 8 and 12).	(*b*.) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
15. BOTTOMRY-BOND, that is to say, any instrument whereby the master of a sea-going ship borrows money on the security of the ship to enable him to preserve the ship or prosecute her voyage		The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
16. CERTIFICATE OF SALE, granted to the purchaser of any property sold by public auction by a Civil or Revenue Court, or Collector or other Revenue-officer		The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount of the purchase-money.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.			PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
17. CERTIFICATE OR OTHER DOCUMENT evidencing the right or title of the holder thereof, or any other person, either to any shares, scrip or stock in or of any Company or Association, or to become proprietor of shares, scrip or stock in or of any Company or Association ...	...	...	One anna.
18. CHARTER-PARTY, that is to say, any instrument (except an agreement for the hire of a tug-steamer) whereby a vessel or some specified principal part thereof is let for the specified purposes of the charterer ...	...	...	One rupee.
19. CHEQUE, for an amount exceeding twenty rupees ...	...	...	One anna.
20. COMPOSITION-DEED, that is to say, any instrument executed by a debtor whereby he conveys his property for the benefit of his creditors, or whereby payment of a composition or dividend on their debts is secured to the creditors, or whereby provision is made for the continuance of the debtor's business, under the supervision of inspectors or under letters of license, for the benefit of his creditors	...	...	Ten rupees.
21. CONVEYANCE, not being a TRANSFER mentioned in No. 60. *See Exemptions, Schedule II, (Nos. 5 and 17).*	When the amount of the consideration for such conveyance as set forth therein does not exceed Rs. 50	Rs. 50	Eight annas.
	When it exceeds Rs. 50 but does not exceed ...	100	One rupee.
	For every Rs. 100 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 100 up to ...	1,000	One rupee.
	and for every Rs. 500 or part thereof in excess of ...	1,000	Five rupees.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
CO-PARTNERSHIP...	See *Instrument, No. 32.*	
22. COPY OR EXTRACT, certified to be a true copy or extract, by or by order of any public officer and not chargeable under the law for the time being in force relating to Court-fees ...	(*a.*) If the original was not chargeable with duty, or if the duty with which it was chargeable does not exceed one rupee. ...	Eight annas.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	One rupee.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 9 and 10).		
23. COUNTERPART OR DUPLICATE of any instrument chargeable with duty, and in respect of which the proper duty has been paid ...	(*a.*) If the duty with which the original instrument is chargeable does not exceed one rupee.	The same duty as is payable on the original.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	One rupee.
24. CUSTOMS-BOND ...	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
25. DECLARATION OF ANY TRUST of or concerning any property, when made by any writing not being a will ...	... ...	Fifteen rupees.
26. DELIVERY-ORDER IN RESPECT OF GOODS, that is to say, any instrument entitling any person therein named, or his assigns, or the holder thereof, to the delivery of any goods lying in any dock or port, or in any warehouse in which goods are stored or deposited on rent or hire, or upon any wharf, such instrument being signed by or on behalf of the owner of such goods, upon the sale or transfer of the property therein, when such goods exceed in value twenty rupees ...	... ...	One anna.
DEPOSIT OF TITLE-DEEDS ...	See *Instrument, No. 29.*	
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ...	See *Instrument, No. 33.*	
DUPLICATE ...	See *Counterpart, No. 23.*	

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
27. ENTRY AS AN ADVOCATE, VAKÍL OR ATTORNEY ON THE ROLL OF ANY HIGH COURT in exercise of powers conferred on such Court by letters patent ...	In the case of an Advocate or Vakíl	Five hundred rupees.
	In the case of an Attorney ...	Two hundred and fifty rupees.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 11).		
EXCHANGE ...	See *Instrument, No. 35.*	
EXTRACT ...	See *Copy, No. 22.*	
FURTHER CHARGE ...	See *Instrument, No. 30.*	
GIFT ...	See *Instrument, No. 36.*	
28. INDEMNITY-BOND	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
INSPECTORSHIP-DEED	See *Composition-deed, No. 20.*	
29. INSTRUMENT EVIDENCING AN AGREEMENT TO SECURE THE REPAYMENT OF A LOAN made upon the deposit of title-deeds or other valuable security, or upon the hypothecation of moveable property ...	(*a.*) When such loan is repayable more than three months, but not more than one year, from the date of such instrument.	The same duty as a Bill of Exchange (No. 11 (*b*)) for the amount secured.
	(*b.*) When such loan is repayable not more than three months from the date of such instrument.	Half the duty payable on a Bill of Exchange (No. 11 (*b*)) for the amount secured.
30. INSTRUMENT IMPOSING A FURTHER CHARGE ON MORTGAGED PROPERTY ...	(*a.*) When the original mortgage is one of the description referred to in No. 44, clause (*a*), of this schedule.	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount secured by such instrument.
	(*b.*) When such mortgage is one of the description referred to in No. 44, clause (*b*), of this schedule.	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount secured by such instrument.
31. INSTRUMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP, including every writing relating to the service or tuition of any apprentice, clerk or servant, placed with any master to learn any profession, trade or employment, except articles of clerkship (No. 9 of this schedule)	... ...	Five rupees.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 12 (c)).		
32. INSTRUMENT OF CO-PARTNERSHIP	... ...	Ten rupees.
33. INSTRUMENT OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ...	... .	Five rupees.
34. INSTRUMENT OF DIVORCE, that is to say, any instrument by which any person effects the dissolution of his marriage ...	... ...	One rupee.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.	PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
35. INSTRUMENT OF EXCHANGE of any property	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the value of the property of greater value as set forth in such instrument.
36. INSTRUMENT OF GIFT (OTHER THAN A SETTLEMENT OR WILL)	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the value of the property as set forth in such instrument.
37. INSTRUMENT OF PARTITION	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount of the value of the property divided as set forth in such instrument.
38. INSTRUMENT (OTHER THAN A WILL) CONFERRING OR PURPORTING TO CONFER AN AUTHORITY TO ADOPT	Ten rupees.
INSURANCE ... See *Policy, No. 49.*	
39. LEASE. See *Agreement to lease* (*No. 4*). See *Exemptions, Schedule II* (*No. 13*). (*a*) Where by such lease the rent is fixed and no premium is paid or delivered and such lease purports to be for a term—	
of less than one year ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the whole amount payable or deliverable under such lease.
of not less than one year, but not more than three years ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the average annual rent reserved.
exceeding three years ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of the average annual rent reserved.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
39. LEASE,—*contd.* See *Agreement to lease (No. 4).* See *Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 13).*	(*b*) Where by such lease the rent is fixed and no premium is paid or delivered and such lease does not purport to be for any definite term ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of the average annual rent which would be paid or delivered for the first ten years if the lease continued so long.
	(*c*) Where the lease is granted for a fine or premium, and where no rent is reserved...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of such fine or premium as set forth in the lease.
	(*d*) Where the lease is granted for a fine or premium in addition to rent reserved ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of such fine or premium as set forth in the lease, in addition to the duty which would have been payable on such lease if no fine or premium had been paid or delivered: Provided that, when an agreement to lease is stamped with the *ad valorem* stamp required for a lease, and a lease in pursuance of such agreement is subsequently executed, the duty on such lease shall not exceed eight annas.
40. LETTER OF ALLOTMENT OF SHARES in any Company, or proposed Company, or in respect of any loan to be raised by any Company or proposed Company		One anna.
41. LETTER OF CREDIT, that is to say, any instrument by which one person authorizes another to give credit to the person in whose favour it is drawn ...		One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
42. LETTER OF LICENSE, that is to say, any agreement between a debtor and his creditors that the latter shall, for a specified time, suspend their claims and allow the debtor to carry on business at his own discretion		Ten rupees.
43. MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF A COMPANY		Fifteen rupees.
44. MORTGAGE-DEED not provided for by No. 14, No. 15, No. 29 or No. 55 of this schedule.	(*a*) When at the time of execution possession of the property or any part of the property comprised in such deed is given by the mortgagor or agreed to be given ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount secured by such deed.
See *Exemptions*, *Schedule II, No. 12, and No. 14 (b).*	(*b*) When at the time of execution possession is not given or agreed to be given as aforesaid ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount secured by such deed.
45. NOTARIAL ACT, that is to say, any instrument, endorsement, note, attestation, certificate or entry made or signed by a Notary Public in the execution of the duties of his office or by any other person lawfully acting as a Notary Public		One rupee.
46. NOTE OR MEMORANDUM sent by a Broker or Agent to his principal intimating the purchase or sale on account of such principal of any goods, stock or marketable security exceeding in value twenty rupees		One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.	
47. NOTE OF PROTEST BY THE MASTER OF A SHIP		Eight annas.	
PARTITION ...	See *Instrument, No. 37.*		
PARTNERSHIP ...	See *Instrument, Nos 32 and 33.*		
48. PETITION FOR LEAVE TO FILE A SPECIFICATION OF AN INVENTION, or for the extension of the term of the exclusive privilege of making or using or selling such invention in India		One hundred rupees.	
		If drawn singly.	If drawn in duplicate, for each part.
49. POLICY OF INSURANCE ... *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 14 (a)).*	(*a*). In the case of Sea-insurance—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	When the amount insured does not exceed ... ... Rs. 1,000	0 4 0	0 2 0
	And for every further sum of Rs. 1,000 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	0 4 0	0 2 0
	(*b*). In the case of any other insurance—		
	When the amount insured does not exceed 1,000	0 6 0	0 3 0
	And for every further sum of Rs. 1,000 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	0 6 0	0 3 0
50. POWER-OF-ATTORNEY, not being a proxy chargeable under No. 51. ...	(*a*.) When executed for the sole purpose of procuring the presentation of one or more documents for registration in relation to a single transaction	Eight annas.	
	(*b*.) When authorizing one person or more to act in a single transaction other than that mentioned in (*a*) ...	One rupee.	

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
50. POWER-OF-ATTORNEY, not being a proxy chargeable under No. 51—*contd.*	(*c.*) When authorizing not more than five persons to act jointly and severally in more than one transaction or generally ...	Five rupees.
	(*d.*) When authorizing more than five but not more than ten persons to act jointly and severally in more than one transaction or generally	Ten rupees.
	(*e.*) In any other case	One rupee for each person authorized.
Explanation.—For the purposes of this number more persons than one when belonging to the same firm shall be deemed to be one person.		
PROMISSORY NOTE	See *Bill of Exchange, No. 11.*	
PROTEST, that is to say, any declaration in writing made by a Notary Public, or other person lawfully acting as such, attesting the dishonour of a bill of exchange or promissory note ...	See *Notarial Act, No. 45.*	
PROTEST BY THE MASTER OF A SHIP, that is to say, any declaration of the particulars of her voyage drawn up by him with a view to the adjustment of losses or the calculation of averages, and every declaration in writing made by him against charterers or the consignees for not loading or unloading the ship, when such declaration is attested or certified by a Notary Public or other person lawfully acting as such	See *Notarial Act, No. 45.*	
51. PROXY empowering any person to vote at any one meeting of— (*a.*) Members of a Company whose stock or funds is or are divided into shares and transferable: (*b.*) Municipal Commissioners: (*c.*) Proprietors, Members or Contributors to the funds of any Institution	... ...	One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
52. RECEIPT FOR ANY MONEY OR OTHER PROPERTY THE AMOUNT OR VALUE OF WHICH EXCEEDS TWENTY RUPEES		One anna.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 15).		
53. RE-CONVEYANCE OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY ...	(*a.*) If the consideration for which the property was mortgaged does not exceed Rs. 1,000	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for the amount of such consideration as set forth in the re-conveyance.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	Ten rupees.
54. RELEASE, that is to say, any instrument whereby a person renounces a claim upon another person or against any specified property ...	(*a.*) If the amount or value of the claim does not exceed 1,000	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for such amount or value as set forth in the release.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
55. RESPONDENTIA-BOND, that is to say, any instrument securing a loan on the cargo laden or to be laden on board a ship and making repayment contingent on the arrival of the cargo at the port of destination		The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
56. REVOCATION OF ANY TRUST of or concerning any property by any instrument other than a will		Ten rupees.
57. SETTLEMENT		The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for a sum equal to the amount or value of the property settled as set forth in such settlement.
58. SHIPPING-ORDER for or relating to the conveyance of goods on board of any vessel		One anna.
SPECIFICATION ...	See *Petition, No. 48.*	

SCHEDULE I—*concluded.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
59. SURRENDER OF LEASE ...	(*a.*) When the duty with which the lease is chargeable does not exceed five rupees ...	The duty with which such lease is chargeable.
See Exemption Schedule II (No. 16).	(*b.*) In any other case	Five rupees.
60. TRANSFER ..	(*a.*) Of shares in a Company or Association	One-quarter of the duty payable on a Conveyance (No. 21).
	(*b.*) Of any interest secured by a Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy of Insurance—	
	1. If the duty on such Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy does not exceed five rupees	The duty with which such Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy of Insurance is chargeable.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 17).	2. In any other case ...	Five rupees.
	(*c.*) Of any property under the Administrator General's Act, 1874, section 31 ...	Ten rupees.
	(*d.*) Of any trust-property from one trustee to another trustee without consideration ...	Five rupees.
TRUST	See *Declaration, No. 25.* *Revocation, No. 56.*	
VALUATION ...	See *Appraisement, No. 7.*	
61. WARRANT FOR GOODS, that is to say, any instrument evidencing the title of any person therein named, or his assigns, or the holder thereof, to the property in any goods lying in or upon any dock, warehouse or wharf, such instrument being signed or certified by or on behalf of the person in whose custody such goods may be		Four annas.

SCHEDULE II.

INSTRUMENTS EXEMPTED FROM STAMP-DUTY.

1. Affidavit or declaration in writing when made—
   (*a*) as a condition of enlistment under the Indian Articles of War;
   (*b*) for the immediate purpose of being filed or used in any Court or before the officer of any Court; or
   (*c*) for the sole purpose of enabling any person to receive any pension or charitable allowance.

2. Agreement or memorandum of agreement—
   (*a*) for or relating to the sale of goods or merchandize exclusively, not being a note or memorandum chargeable under No. 46 of schedule I;
   (*b*) for service in British Burma under the Chief Commissioner of that Province entered into between Natives of India emigrating to British Burma and the Superintendent of State Emigration, or other Government officer acting as representative of the said Chief Commissioner;
   (*c*) made by raiyats for the cultivation of the poppy for Government;
   (*d*) made in the form of tenders to the Government of India for or relating to any loan;
   (*e*) made regarding the occupancy of land denoted by a survey-number, and the payment of revenue therefor, under Bombay Act I of 1865;
   (*f*) made under the European Vagrancy Act, 1874, section 17.

3. Appraisement or valuation made for the information of one party only, and not being in any manner obligatory between parties either by agreement or operation of law.

4. Appraisement of crops for the purpose of ascertaining the amount to be given to a landlord as rent.

5. Assignment of copyright by entry made under Act No. XX of 1847, section 5.

6. Award under Bombay Act VI of 1873, section 81, or Bombay Act III of 1874, section 18.

7. Bill of lading, when the goods therein described are received at a place within the limits of any port as defined under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, and are to be delivered at another place within the limits of the same port.

8. Bond when executed by—
   (*a*) the sureties of middlemen (lambardárs or khattadárs) taking advances for the cultivation of the poppy for Government;
   (*b*) headmen nominated under rules framed in accordance with Bengal Act III of 1876, section 99, for the due performance of their duties under that Act;
   (*c*) any person for the purpose of guaranteeing that the local income derived from private subscriptions to a charitable dispensary or hospital or any other object of public utility shall not be less than a specified sum per mensem.

9. Copy of any paper which a public officer is expressly required by law to make or furnish for record in any public office or for any public purpose.

10. Copy of registration of emigrants furnished under section 27 or section 29 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1871.

11. Entry—
   (*a*) of an advocate, vakíl or attorney on the roll of any High Court, when he has previously been enrolled in a High Court established by Royal Charter;
   (*b*) on the roll of any High Court, as an attorney, of an articled clerk bound as such before this Act comes into force.

12. Instruments—
   (*a*) executed by persons taking advances under the Land Improvement Act, 1871, or by their sureties, as security for the repayment of such advances;
   (*b*) executed by officers of Government or their sureties to secure the due execution of an office or the due accounting for money received by virtue thereof;
   (*c*) of apprenticeship executed by a Magistrate under Act XIX of 1850 or by which a person is apprenticed by or at the charge of any public charity.

13. Leases and Counterparts—

(*a*) Leases of fisheries granted under the Burma Fisheries Act, 1875;

(*b*) Lease, executed in the case of a cultivator without the payment or delivery of any fine or premium, when a definite term is expressed and such term does not exceed one year, or when the annual rent reserved does not exceed one hundred rupees;

(*c*) Counterpart of any lease granted to a cultivator.

14. Letter—

(*a*) of cover or engagement to issue a policy of insurance:

Provided that, unless such letter or engagement bear the stamp prescribed by this Act for such policy, nothing shall be claimable thereunder, nor shall it be available for any purpose except to compel the delivery of the policy therein mentioned.

(*b*) of hypothecation accompanying a bill of exchange.

15. Receipt—

(*a*) endorsed on or contained in any instrument duly stamped, or exempted under this schedule, No. 18, acknowledging the receipt of the consideration-money therein expressed, or the receipt of any principal-money, interest or annuity or other periodical payment thereby secured;

(*b*) for any payment of money without consideration;

(*c*) for any payment of rent by a cultivator on account of land assessed to Government revenue, or (in the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay) of inám lands;

(*d*) for pay by non-commissioned officers or soldiers of Her Majesty's Army, or Her Majesty's Indian Army, when serving in such capacity;

(*e*) for pensions or allowances by persons receiving such pensions or allowances in respect of their service as such non-commissioned officers or soldiers, and not serving the Government in any other capacity;

(*f*) given by holders of family-certificates in cases where the person from whose pay or allowances the sum comprised in the receipt has been assigned is a non-commissioned officer or soldier of either of the said Armies, and serving in such capacity;

(*g*) given by a headman or lambardár for land-revenue or taxes collected by him;

(*h*) given for money or securities for money deposited in the hands of any banker, to be accounted for:

Provided the same be not expressed to be received of, or by the hands of, any other than the person to whom the same is to be accounted for;

Provided also, that this exemption shall not extend to a receipt or acknowledgment for any sum paid or deposited for or upon a letter of allotment of a share, or in respect of a call upon any scrip or share of or in any Company or Association, or proposed or intended Company or Association.

16. Surrender of lease when such lease is exempted from duty.

17. Transfers by endorsement—

(*a*) of a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note;

(*b*) of a bill of lading;

(*c*) of a policy of insurance;

(*d*) of mortgages of rates and taxes authorized by any Act for the time being in force in British India;

(*e*) of securities of the Government of India;

(*f*) of a warrant for goods (No. 61 of schedule I).

General Exemption.

18. Any instrument executed by, or on behalf of, or in favour of, Government in cases where, but for this exemption, the Government would be liable to pay the duty chargeable in respect of such instrument.

SCHEDULE III.

ACTS REPEALED.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1847 ...	Copyright	In section five, the words "without being subject to any stamp or duty."
X of 1866 ...	The Indian Companies Act ...	In section eleven, the words "shall bear the same stamp as if it were a deed and."
		In section sixteen, the words "they shall bear the same stamp as if they were contained in a deed."
XVIII of 1869 ...	The General Stamp Act ...	The whole.
VII of 1871 ...	The Indian Emigration Act	In sections twenty-seven and twenty-nine, the words "which shall not require a stamp."
XIX of 1873 ...	The North-Western Provinces Land-Revenue Act, 1873.	In section one hundred and eighty-three, the words "stamped or."
II of 1874 ...	The Administrator General's Act.	In section thirty-one, the words "bearing a stamp of ten rupees and."
IX of 1874 ...	The European Vagrancy Act	In section seventeen, the words "may be on unstamped paper and."
XV of 1876 ...	Bombay Municipal Debentures	In section two, the words "and no such indorsement shall be chargeable with any stamp-duty."

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PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Stamps and Court-fees was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 15th January, 1879.

REPORT.

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to Stamps and Court-fees was referred, have the honour to report that we have further considered the Bill in connection with the papers noted in the margin.

From Babú Káli Prasád, Vakíl, Judicial Commissioner's Court, Oudh, dated 9th July, 1878, and enclosure.
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 241 A, dated 5th July, 1878.
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Mysore, No. 5245—9 J, dated 10th October, 1878, and enclosure.
Office memorandum from Financial Department, No. 3661, dated 28th October, 1878.
From Secretary, Puna Sarvajanak Sabhá, No. 408, dated 1st November, 1878.
" Chief Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 5678, dated 6th November, 1878, and enclosures.
" Chief Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 5796, dated 11th November, 1878, and enclosure.
" Secretary for Birár, to Resident, Haidaráhád, No. 109 G.—B., dated 8th November, 1878, and enclosure.
" Chief Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 5377, dated 21st October, 1878, and enclosures.
" Chief Commissioner, Ajmer and Mhairwára, No. 775, dated 14th November, 1878.
" Officiating Secretary to Government of Bengal, No. 5163, dated 19th November, 1878, and enclosures.
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 405 A, dated 18th November, 1878, and enclosures.
" Honorary Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 23rd November, 1878, and enclosure.
" Babú Opendro Nath Mitter, Pleader, High Court, Calcutta, dated 25th November, 1878.
" Secretary, Calcutta Trades Association, dated 3rd December, 1878.
" Girísa Chandra Set, dated 19th November, 1878.
" Certain Articled Clerks to Vakíls, High Court, Calcutta, dated — December, 1878, and enclosure.
" Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 6259, dated 4th December, 1878.
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 423A, dated 3rd December, 1878, and enclosures.
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, British Burma, No. 1425—352, dated 30th November, 1878, and enclosures.
" Secretary to Government of Bengal, No. 3056, dated 11th December, 1878.
" Honorary Secretary, Calcutta Attorney's Association, High Court, dated 13th December, 1878.
" Secretary to Government, Panjáb, No. 4082, dated 2nd December, 1878, and enclosures.
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Assam, No. 2297, dated 10th December, 1878, and enclosure.
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 441A, dated 13th December, and enclosure.
" Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, No. 2608, dated 12th December, 1878, and enclosures.

2. We have, at the instance of some of the Authorities consulted, restored the definitions of "banker," "bottomry-bond," "letter of credit," "protest," "protest of the master of a ship" and re-"spondentia-bond," placing the five last in the schedule, where only the terms are found.

3. We have enlarged the definition of "settlement" so as to include under it dispositions of property for charitable and religious purposes.

4. We have amended section 6 relating to the case of several instruments employed to effect a single transaction, by providing that each of the subordinate instruments shall bear a fixed duty of one rupee. The result of this amendment, we believe, will be to afford relief in all but an insignificant number of the transactions in question.

5. We have, in section 8, given the Governor General in Council power to exempt from stamp-duty retrospectively as well as prospectively.

6. We have added to the list of documents in section 10 for which adhesive stamps may be used, "entry as an advocate, vakíl or attorney on the roll of any High Court" and "Notarial Acts." The former manifestly could be stamped only with an adhesive stamp, and it was represented to us that the present mode of stamping the latter is inconvenient in practice.

7. We have modified section 11 regarding the cancellation of adhesive stamps so as to meet the cases in which the stamp is affixed before the instrument is executed or (as in the case of the cheques contained in the cheque books issued by some banks to their customers) before the instrument is completely drawn up. We have provided that in such cases the person first executing the instrument shall cancel the stamp.

8. We have confined section 12 to impressed stamps, as it has been represented to us that inconvenience would arise from its being applied to cheques, which are very commonly stamped by affixing an adhesive stamp to the back.

9. We have excepted certain receipts endorsed on instruments from the operation of the rule of section 13, which prohibits a second instrument being written on one piece of stamped paper.

10. We have omitted sections 14 and 15 of the Bill as last settled by us and marked No. II, which provided for the number of impressed stamps to be used for the stamping of any instrument, and have, by an addition to section 9, given power to the Governor General in Council to provide for the matter by rules.

11. To remove a doubt which might otherwise have been felt, we have added a section (14) providing that "Every instrument written in contravention of section 12 or 13 shall be deemed to be unstamped." Any hardship which might otherwise arise from this, we think, will be effectually prevented by the provisions of chapter IV empowering the Collector to remit the penalty in such cases, and by the provision for an allowance of the value of the stamp which we have now inserted in section 52.

12. We have, at the instance of some of the Authorities consulted, extended from two to three months the period within which, under section 17, an instrument executed abroad and brought into British India may be stamped.

13. We have, in section 29, added a clause (*d*) providing that the cost of the stamp for a counterpart of a lease shall be borne by the lessor, and a clause (*e*) empowering a Revenue-authority making a partition to direct in what proportion the stamp chargeable in respect of such partition shall be borne by the co-owners.

14. A question having been raised as to whether a public officer would be bound by section 34 of the Bill No. II to institute any inquiry regarding an instrument produced before him with a view to ascertaining whether such instrument was duly stamped, we have made it clear in section 33 of the amended Bill that all that he is bound to do is to examine such an instrument with a view to ascertaining whether it bears a stamp of the proper value and description. If, however, it should happen that the instrument was not duly stamped owing to some circumstance which did not appear on the face of it, as, *e. g.*, if a stamp had been illegally affixed after execution, and this fact should appear incidentally in the course of some proceeding before the officer, it would of course be his duty to impound it and proceed in regard to it in the manner prescribed by the Act.

15. We have in section 35 provided that any person receiving a document in evidence under section 34 on payment of duty shall send the amount of such duty and of the penalty levied with it to the Collector.

16. Exception having been taken to the proviso to section 40 of Bill No. II, we have recast it (see section 39 of the amended Bill) and it now runs as follows :—

"Provided that no instrument which has been admitted in evidence upon payment of duty and a penalty under section 34 shall be so delivered before the expiration of one month from the date of such impounding, or if the Collector has certified that its further detention is necessary and has not cancelled such certificate."

17. We have added a provision in section 49 requiring references made by a Revenue Court under that section to be made through the Court immediately superior to it.

18. We have rendered Revenue Courts subject to the power of revision conferred by section 50.

19. We have omitted the latter portion of clause (*a*) of section 53 of the Bill No. II (now section 51) and clause (*c*) of the first proviso to the same section, as unnecessary in this country.

20. We have made the period of six months within which, under the second proviso to the same section, certain applications for allowances for spoiled stamps must be made, to run from the date on which the stamp is spoiled, instead of from the date of purchase.

21. We have transferred the power of making rules regarding the sale of stamps from the Governor General in Council to the Local Government.

22. We have inserted a section (59) like section 17 of the present Stamp Act, saving the provisions of the law relating to Court-fees.

23. We have raised the penalty in section 66 from five hundred to one thousand rupees, and restored in section 67 the penalty for post-dating bills and notes imposed by section 13 of Act X of 1862.

24. It having been represented to us that the permission accorded to private persons by section 66 of the Bill No. II to sell stamps purchased in good faith for their own private use

and no longer required, would facilitate a practice which prevails in some parts of the country of keeping stocks of old stamps for sale to persons desiring to forge instruments of old date, we have in section 68 of the amended Bill withdrawn that permission and have substituted for it (in section 54) a provision borrowed from the English Act of 1870 requiring the Collector to purchase back stamps held by private persons and no longer required by them.

25. The provision of the Bill No. II relating to the jurisdiction to try offences against the stamp law having been objected to on the ground that it seemed to deprive the Court of Session of power to try such offences, we have now simply provided (in section 70) that no Magistrate whose powers are less than those of a Magistrate of the second class shall try such offences. Subject to this, the ordinary provisions of the law defining the jurisdiction of the Criminal Courts will apply.

26. Proceeding next to the schedules, it will be observed that we have, with reference to the opinions expressed by many of the Authorities consulted, and to the dissents appended to our preliminary report, recast (in article 1 of the first schedule as now settled) the 46th article of the same schedule in the Bill No. II. That article now stands as follows :—

"1. Acknowledgment of a debt exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value written or signed by or on behalf of a debtor in order to supply evidence of such debt in any book (other than a banker's pass-book) or on a separate piece of paper when such book or paper is left in the creditor's possession."

27. We have, on considering the representations made by certain articled clerks who have already paid a fee of Rs. 500 under the present stamp-law on being bound, and who urge that article 27 of the first schedule would operate unfairly in their case, introduced an exemption in their favour in article 11 of the second schedule.

28. We have re-drawn the article of the first schedule relating to certified copies and extracts. It now runs as follows :—

"22. Copy or extract, certified to be a true copy or extract, by or by order of any public officer and not chargeable under the Court-fees Act, 1870.	(*a*). If the original was not chargeable with stamp-duty, or if the duty with which it was chargeable does not exceed one rupee	Eight annas.
	(*b*). In any other case... ...	One rupee."

This involves a slight advance on the duties imposed by Bill No. II, but still gives a considerable reduction as compared with the present law.

29. We have relieved the brokers' and agents' notes referred to in article 46 of the first schedule (as now settled) from all duty in cases where the goods or securities comprised therein do not exceed twenty rupees in value.

30. We have, in article 50 of the first schedule, made the duty chargeable on a power-of-attorney depend on the number of persons appointed by it to act. It seems to us only reasonable that the powers so commonly executed in Bengal in favour of a large number of persons should bear a higher duty than an ordinary power in favour of two or three persons or the members of a single firm.

31. We have again, at the request of the Bengal Government, considered the proposal made by the Board of Revenue to tax a blank transfer of shares each time it passes from hand to hand; but we see no reason for altering our opinion regarding it. Indeed, it is not easy to see how the Board's proposal could be given effect to, inasmuch as there is but one transaction (contract or conveyance) in writing on which to impose a duty, namely, that between the first seller and the last purchaser. The intermediate steps, we understand, are effected simply by oral communication, and we are not prepared to recommend the enactment of a law altering the course of business in this respect.

32. We have in Schedule II, No. 15 (*g*), included among the instruments exempted from duty receipts given by headmen and lambardárs for land-revenue and taxes collected by them.

33. We have afforded some additional relief in the exemption-schedule besides that just referred to, and have made several amendments in the drafting of the Bill which it seems unnecessary to notice in detail.

34. The Bill has been published in English in the *Gazette of India* and in all the local Gazettes except those of Assam and Ajmer, in which there are practical difficulties about publishing a Bill of this size. We recommend that it be passed with the amendments we have now made.

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CALCUTTA;
The 31st December, 1878.

[First publication]

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 15th January, 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee.

No. 1 OF 1879.

A Bill to amend the law relating to Coast-lights in the eastern part of the Bay of Bengal.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to increase the Coast-light dues paid under the provisions of Act No. XIII of 1867 (*An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of Coast-lights in the eastern part of the Bay of Bengal*) and to render chargeable with such dues certain vessels which are not now so chargeable; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the "Burma Coast-lights Act, 1879;"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories respectively administered by the Governors of Fort St. George and Bombay in Council, the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal and the Chief Commissioners of British Burma and the Andamans.

But nothing herein contained shall apply to any vessel belonging to, or in the service of, Her Majesty, or the Government of India, or to any vessel of war belonging to any Foreign Prince or State.

Repeal of enactments.

2. Act No. XIII of 1867 (*An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of Coast-lights in the eastern part of the Bay of Bengal*) and section 77 of the Indian Ports Act, 1875, are hereby repealed.

But any appointment made under the said Act No. XIII of 1867 shall be deemed to have been made under this Act.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Customs-Collector."

"Customs-Collector" means a Customs-Collector appointed under the Sea Customs Act, 1878, and includes any person appointed by the Local Government by name or in virtue of his office to discharge the functions of a Customs-Collector under this Act at any port:

"Vessel."

"Vessel" includes anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or of property:

"Master."

"Master," when used in relation to any vessel, means any person (except a Pilot or Harbour Master) having for the time being the charge or control of such vessel:

"Voyage."

"Voyage" means the whole distance between a vessel's place of departure and her final place of arrival; but the return of a vessel from any place shall, notwithstanding the terms of any charter party, be deemed a distinct voyage.

Coast-light Dues.

Coast light-dues payable in respect of vessels of fifty tons.

4. A toll, hereinafter called "Coast-light dues," shall be paid in respect of every vessel of the burden of fifty tons and upwards making any voyage mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed, at the rate of one anna six pie per ton of burden:

Provided that such vessel sails from or enters during the course of, or at the termination of, any such voyage a port in British India.

When dues payable.

5. The said toll shall become due and payable—

(*a*) in the case of a vessel clearing out of a port in British India upon any such voyage, previous to the grant of any port-clearance;

(*b*) in the case of a vessel entering a port in British India in the course, or at the termination, of any such voyage, immediately upon her entering such port:

Provided that the said toll shall not be levied more than once on any vessel in the course of the same voyage.

Power to vary rates of dues.

6. The Governor General in Council may from time to time, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, reduce or raise the rate of Coast-light dues, in respect of all vessels or any particular class of vessels:

Proviso.

Provided that such rate shall not in any case exceed the rate fixed by section four.

Collection of Coast-light-dues.

7. The Customs-Collector shall collect the Coast-light dues;

Voucher to be given.

and shall grant to the person paying the same a proper voucher in writing under his hand, setting forth the name of his office, the port at which the Coast-light dues are paid, and the name, tonnage and other proper description of the vessel in respect of which such payment is made.

Master to report arrival.

8. Within twenty-four hours after the arrival within a port of any vessel chargeable with Coast-light dues, the master of such vessel shall give notice of such arrival to the Customs-Collector.

Tonnage of vessel chargeable with Coast-light dues how ascertained.

9. In order to ascertain the tonnage of any vessel chargeable with Coast-light dues, the following rules shall be observed:—

If registered.

(*a.*)—If such vessel be a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under any other law for the time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, the Customs-Collector may require the owner or Master of such vessel, or any person having possession of her register, to produce such register for inspection. If any such owner, Master or other person neglects or refuses to produce such register, or otherwise to satisfy the Customs-Collector as to what is the true tonnage of the vessel in respect of which such Coast-light dues are payable, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees, and the Customs-Collector may cause such vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained; and in such case the owner or Master of such vessel shall also be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

If not registered.

(*b.*)—If such vessel be not a British registered vessel, or a vessel registered under Act No. X of 1841, or Act No. XI of 1850, or under any other law for the

time being in force for the registration of vessels in India, and the owner or Master thereof fails to satisfy the Customs-Collector as to what is her true tonnage according to the mode of measurement prescribed by the law in force for the time being for regulating the measurement of British registered vessels, the Customs-Collector shall cause such vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof, according to the mode aforesaid, to be ascertained; and in such case the owner or Master of such vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

Explanation.—In this section "owner" includes any agent to whom the vessel referred to is consigned.

On refusal to pay dues or expenses, the Collector may distrain and sell.

10. If the Master of any vessel refuses or neglects to pay to the Customs-Collector on demand by him the amount of any dues or expenses payable in respect of such vessel under this Act, the Customs-Collector may distrain or arrest such vessel, and the tackle, apparel and furniture belonging thereto, or any part thereof, and detain the same until the amount of such dues or expenses is paid;

and in case any part of such dues or expenses, or of the costs of the distress or arrest, or of the keeping of the same, remains unpaid for the space of five days next after any such distress or arrest so made, the Customs-Collector may cause the vessel or other thing so distrained or arrested to be sold, and with the proceeds of such sale may satisfy such dues, expenses and costs, including the costs of sale remaining unpaid, and shall render the surplus (if any) to the Master of such vessel upon demand.

No port-clearance to be granted until dues, &c., are paid.

11. The officer of Government whose duty it is to grant a port-clearance for any vessel shall not grant such port-clearance until her Master, or some other person, has paid, or secured to the satisfaction of such officer, the amount of all dues, expenses and costs with which such vessel is chargeable under this Act, and of any fine to which any person is liable for anything done by him in contravention of this Act.

Master to specify on demand voyage on which ship is bound.

12. The Master of any vessel departing from or entering any port in British India upon, or in the course of, or at the termination of, any voyage, shall, upon the demand of the Customs-Collector, specify upon what voyage he is or has been bound.

Penalty for evading payment of Coast-light dues, &c.

13. If the Master of any vessel evades, or attempts to evade, the payment of any Coast-light dues, expenses or costs payable in respect of such vessel under this Act, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Determination of Disputes under Act.

Magistrate to decide disputes.

14. If any dispute arises as to whether any vessel is chargeable with any Coast-light dues, expenses or costs under this Act, or as to the amount of such dues, expenses or costs, such dispute shall, upon application made in that behalf by either of the disputing parties, be heard and determined by any Magistrate exercising powers under the Code of Criminal Procedure not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class, or in the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay by a Presidency Magistrate; and the decision of such Magistrate shall be final.

Maulmain and Bassein Port-dues.

Application of Maulmain and Bassein port-dues.

15. The port-due leviable under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, in either of the ports of Maulmain and Bassein, shall, to the extent of one anna six pie, be applicable in the first place to defray the expenses of maintaining the existing port-lights of British Burma.

Prosecutions under other Laws.

Saving of prosecutions under other laws.

16. Nothing herein contained shall prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act or omission which constitutes an offence against this Act: provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same act or omission.

SCHEDULE.

(*See section 4.*)

1. A voyage to or from Chittagong or any place west of the longitude of Chittagong—	*(a)* from or to any port in British Burma; or
	(b) from or to Port Blair, or any place east of the longitude of Mergui, by a route passing between the northern extremity of the Andaman Islands and the coast of British Burma.
2. A voyage to or from any port in British Burma—	from or to any other port in British Burma.
Except voyages to or from Maulmain from or to Tavoy or Mergui, or to or from Tavoy from or to Mergui.	
3. A voyage to or from Rangoon and any port in British Burma west of the longitude of Rangoon—	from or to any place east of Mergui.
4. A voyage to or from any port in British Burma other than Tavoy and Mergui—	from or to Port Blair.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

THE present coast-light dues of one anna per ton levied under section 3 of Act XIII of 1867 (*An Act to provide for the establishment and maintenance of Coast-lights in the eastern part of the Bay of Bengal*) have been found insufficient to pay a fair rate of interest on the capital expended on the lights which at present exist on the coast of British Burma and provide for their maintenance. Moreover, the recent total destruction of the Krishna Shoal Light-house will immediately entail a large expenditure. It has therefore been determined to raise the present coast-light dues from one anna per ton to one anna six pie and to subject to the dues vessels making certain voyages not mentioned in the Act but in the course of which they benefit by the lights. These voyages are—

(*a*) voyages from ports in British Burma to Chittagong and places west of Chittagong;

(*b*) voyages from Chittagong to ports in British Burma;

(*c*) voyages by certain routes to or from Chittagong and places west of Chittagong (except Calcutta) from or to Port Blair and places east of Mergui;

(*d*) voyages from places east of Mergui to Rangoon and from Rangoon and ports in British Burma west of Rangoon to places east of Mergui;

(*e*) voyages to or from any port in British Burma other than Tavoy and Mergui from or to Port Blair.

2. The Bill repeals Act XIII of 1867 (which has already been amended) and re-enacts it in a simpler form, with the requisite alterations in respect of the coast-light dues and with some changes in wording and arrangement.

WHITLEY STOKES.

The 14th January, 1879.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

WE, the undersigned members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to prevent the indiscriminate destruction of wild elephants in British Burma was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin.

Circular letter to local Governments, No. 1037-41, dated 18th July 1878.
From Officiating Secretary to Government, Punjab, No. 4140, dated 31st July 1878.
„ Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 285A, dated 27th July 1878.
„ Officiating Chief Commissioner, Ajmere and Mahwára, N. 495, dated 31st July 1878.
„ Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Coorg, No. 326-1L, dated 3rd August 1878.
„ Officiating Junior Secretary to Chief Commissioner, British Burma, No. 1212-361, dated 8th August 1878.
„ Officiating Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 3282-142, dated 13th August 1878.
Office memorandum from Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, No. 981F, dated 27th September 1878.

2. We have extended the permission to kill and capture elephants in the cases mentioned in section 2, clause (*b*) of the Bill as introduced, to the case of elephants found in the immediate vicinity of canals.

3. We have enlarged the local extent of the Act so as to include not only the territories of British Burma, but also those of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Central Provinces and Coorg, and any other local area to which it may be extended by the local Government.

4. We have made its provisions applicable to the capture as well as to the killing of wild elephants.

5. We have, adopting the suggestion referred to by the Member in charge of the Bill when introducing it, provided, in section 4 of the Bill as now amended, that any elephant captured and the tusks of any elephant killed under section 3, clauses (*a*) and (*b*), without license, shall be the property of the Government.

6. We have made it clear that fees to be taken for licenses to kill and capture elephants may be taken in kind, that is to say, in tusks or in elephants as well as in money.

7. We have recast the principal penalty-section (now section 7), and have enhanced the maximum penalty (which, bearing in mind the value of an elephant, seemed to us inadequate) to five hundred rupees for each elephant concerned, and, in the case of a second conviction, from three months to six months' imprisonment,—the term fixed in the Indian Forest Act for the offence of killing an elephant in a reserved or protected forest. We have made the amount or value of any fee payable for a license recoverable as if it were an arrear of land revenue.

8. In view of the extended scope and local operation of the Act herein proposed, we have made a suitable alteration in the title of the Bill.

9. For the same reason, we recommend that the Bill as amended be republished.

10. The Bill has been published in English in the *Gazette of India* and in the *British Burmah Gazette* The report from British Burma as to its publication in that province does not state that it has been published in the vernacular.

T. H. THORNTON.
WHITLEY STOKES.
A. R. THOMPSON.
B. W. COLVIN.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th December 1878.

No. II.

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BILL

FOR

The Preservation of Wild Elephants.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the preservation of wild elephants; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Elephants Preservation Act, 1879:"

Local extent

It extends to the territories now respectively administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of the North-Western Provinces and the Chief Commissioners of Oudh, the Central Provinces, British Burma, and Coorg;

and the Local Government may extend it to any other local area by notification in the official Gazette.

Commencement

So far as regards the power to make declarations and rules, it shall come into force on the passing thereof. In other respects it shall come into force on the first day of March 1879.

Repeal.

2. The words "kills or catches elephants," in section 25, clause (*i*) of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and the words "killing or catching elephants," in section 31, clause (*j*) of the same Act, shall be repealed in every local area to which this Act extends or is extended.

Killing and capture of wild elephants prohibited

3. No person shall kill, injure or capture, or attempt to kill, injure or capture, any wild elephant unless—

(*a*) in defence of himself or some other person;

(*b*) when such elephant is found injuring houses or cultivation, or upon or in the immediate vicinity of, any main public road or any railway or canal; or

(*c*) as permitted by a license granted under this Act.

Rights of Government with respect to certain elephants and tusks.

4 Every elephant captured, and the tusks of every elephant killed, in any of the cases mentioned in section three, clauses (*a*) and (*b*), by any person not licensed under this Act, shall be the property of Government.

License to kill and capture wild elephants.

5. The Collector or Deputy Commissioner of any district may, subject to such rules as may for the time being be in force under this Act, grant licenses to kill, or to capture, or to kill and capture, wild elephants in such district:

Provided that no such license shall authorize any person to enter upon any land without the consent of the owner or occupier thereof.

Power of local Government

6 The local Government may from time to time, subject to the control of the Governor-General in Council,

to declare what are main roads and canals,

declare what shall be deemed to be main public roads and canals within the meaning of this Act, and

and to make rules as to licenses

make rules consistent with this Act for regulating

(*a*) the grant and renewal of licenses under this Act,

(*b*) the fees (if any) in money, tusks or captured elephants to be charged on such grant and renewal,

(*c*) the time during which such licenses shall continue in force, and

(*d*) the conditions (if any) on which they shall be granted.

All such declarations and rules shall be published in the local official Gazette and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Penalty for contravening section 3.

7. Whoever, in contravention of section three, kills, injures, or captures, or attempts to kill, injure or capture, any wild elephant, shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees for each elephant concerned;

and whoever breaks any condition contained in a license granted under this Act shall be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees.

Any person convicted of a second offence under this section shall be punished with imprisonment which may extend to six months, or with fine, or with both.

When any person holding a license under this Act is convicted under this section, such license shall become void and shall be delivered up to the convicting Magistrate.

License to be produced and shown on requisition of certain officers.

8. Any officer of Revenue or Police, or any forest officer, who may find any person killing, injuring, or capturing, or attempting to kill, injure, or capture any wild elephant, except in the cases mentioned in section three, clauses (*a*) and (*b*), may require him to produce and shew a license granted to him under this Act.

Any person who, on such request, wilfully refuses or is unable to produce and shew such license as aforesaid, shall, in addition to any other punishment to which he may be liable under this Act, be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Limitation of prosecution.

9. Every prosecution under this Act shall be commenced within six months from the commission of the offence in respect of which it is instituted.

Recovery of fees.

10. The amount or value of any fee payable under any license granted under this Act may be recovered from the licensee as if it were an arrear of land revenue.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, 11*th January* 1879.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding*,
The Hon'ble G. C. PAUL, *Advocate-General*,
The Hon'ble C. T. BUCKLAND,
The Hon'ble H. A. COCKERELL,
The Hon'ble A. MACKENZIE,
The Hon'ble J. O'KINEALY,
The Hon'ble AMEER ALI,
The Hon'ble MOULVI AMEER HOSSEIN,
The Hon'ble RAJAH PRAMATHA NATHA ROY, BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble BABOO MOHINI MOHUN ROY,
The Hon'ble BABOO KRISTODAS PAL, RAI BAHADOOR, C.I.E.,
and
The Hon'ble J. B. KNIGHT, C.I.E.

The HON'BLE MR. MACKENZIE moved that the Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent, and to amend the law relating to rent, be read in Council. He had nothing to add to the lengthened statement with which

he had troubled the Council on the last occasion. In discussing the Bill, the Council would do well to direct its attention to the principles involved in the measure than to the actual working of the sections of the Bill. As he had only two days' notice of the fact that the measure would be taken up by the Council, and the sections relating to occupancy rights and some other sections were drafted hurriedly and did not receive that full consideration which they required, he hoped they would be carefully considered in Committee. The principles of the measure had been carefully enunciated by him before, and if there was any ambiguity in the statement that he had made, he hoped that it would be pointed out in order that he might be afforded an opportunity to make any explanation that might be necessary. But the particular wording of the sections might, he thought, be left for consideration to the Select Committee.

The Hon'ble Kristodas Pal said that, when leave was asked to introduce this Bill by his hon'ble friend, he took the opportunity to express his satisfaction at the proposed legislation. He believed it was admitted on all hands that an amendment of the procedure for the trial of rent suits was a pressing necessity, and that the increased obligations which had been imposed on the landholders for the collection of the cesses had greatly aggravated that necessity. The Government for the last four years had been promising to introduce a Bill upon the subject, and the present measure he took to be in fulfilment of that promise. His hon'ble friend had just explained that the detailed provisions and the wording of the Bill should be discussed in Select Committee; at this meeting they should consider only the leading principles of this Bill. He might say at the outset that he generally concurred in the provisions of the Bill, and although some of the details might be open to objection, he thought the Bill, as it had been drafted, was well calculated to fulfil the object aimed at. There was, however, one important principle to which he was sorry he could not give his adhesion—it was the transferability of the right of occupancy. He might remind the Council that, when the Bill was originally drafted by the local Government, there was no provision authorizing the general transfer of the occupancy right. The Government was of opinion that some such provision would be beneficial to the tenantry, but in deference to the opinion of some zemindars, and also of the Government of India, the section was modified, and the sale of the occupancy tenure was limited to execution of decrees for arrears of rent. Subsequently the Government having taken the opinion of experienced revenue officers, had come to the conclusion that the recognition of the general transfer of the occupancy right would prove beneficial to both landlord and tenant, and so in the Bill laid before the Council that provision had been inserted. He must do the Government the justice to say that it had approached this subject with the utmost care and thought. He need hardly say that the question was one the importance of which could not be exaggerated; it affected the vital interests of the agricultural population of Bengal, and it was a question regarding which much might be said on both sides. He confessed that he approached the subject not without great diffidence and hesitation. When he observed that by far the greater portion of the able and experienced revenue officers consulted by the Government, many of the zemindars who had a direct interest in the question, and His Honor the President, thought that a measure of this kind would be beneficial to both landlord and tenant, Baboo Kristodas Pal could not conceal that he felt great diffidence in expressing his dissent from their opinion. But as he honestly believed that, however benevolent and praiseworthy the object of the Government, the proposed measure would do more harm than good, he solicited permision to state his objections from the ryot's point of view, that was to say, how it would affect the interests of the ryot, although he did not wish to overlook the zemindar's point of view. He had carefully examined the papers circulated in connection with this Bill, and had also perused the very able and lucid speech with which his hon'ble friend introduced the Bill, and he had thus formulated the grounds upon which the measure was based as he gathered them from those documents:—

1*st*.—That the proposed measure would give permanence and security to the ryot's tenure.

2*nd*.—That it would raise the market value of the tenure.

3*rd*.—That it would hold out to the ryot an incentive to improved cultivation, and give him a direct interest in the improvement of his land.

4*th*.—That the improved financial position of the ryot would enable him to raise money on better terms.

5*th*.—That it would relieve him from dependence upon the landlord and the mahajun.

6*th*.—That it would introduce amongst the cultivating classes men with better means and knowledge for the cultivation of the land and the protection of their rights.

7*th*.—That it would enable unfortunate ryots to sell their tenures, and with the sale proceeds to start in business more suitable and remunerative.

8*th*.—That the right was not new; that it was recognised by custom, to which the proposed measure would only give legal sanction.

9*th*.—That the transfer being confined to the cultivating classes, and sub-letting being prohibited, which, however, was not the case now, the actual cultivator of the soil would not suffer.

10*th*.—That as the value of the tenure would increase by being declared saleable, the zemindar would not suffer, but would find facilities for the recovery of rent in case of default.

He hoped he had fairly summarised the grounds on which the Bill was founded, and he proposed to offer a few remarks in regard to each of them. The first ground was that the Bill would give permanent security to the ryot's tenure. Now he thought, and any one who would carefully read the provisions of Act X of 1859 would allow, that as long as the occupancy ryot paid his rent his tenure was secure; and as under the law the tenure was heritable, that was to say descendible from generation to generation, the occupancy ryot also enjoyed the element of permanence. It was not proposed in this Bill that the occupancy ryot's rent should not be liable to enhancement, or that his liability to regular payment of rent should be in any way relaxed. All that was now proposed was that the ryot should have the right of alienating his property at his own will for his own requirements, or in satisfaction of the rent of the land. Baboo Kristodas Pal did not therefore see how this new provision would in any way give greater permanence and security to the ryot's tenure than what already existed under the present law. Surely it would not be pretended that in the right to sell consisted permanence and security, and not in the right to possess and inherit. So much then for the contention that this Bill would give greater permanence and security to the ryot than he now possessed under Act X of 1859.

The second point was that it would raise the market value of the tenure. He did not deny such a proposition. Certainly, if a tenure could be brought to market it would fetch a value. At present, whatever might be the custom in certain parts of the country, under the law an occupancy tenure was only heritable and not transferable, and as it could not be thrown upon the market, it had not a market value; so that, if the occupancy tenure was brought to market for sale, it would certainly have a market value, and as the exchange of land would progress, the market value was likely to rise; but would this rise in the market value of the occupancy tenure compensate the attendant evils which he was afraid the ryot would be exposed to? Would the sale proceeds of the occupancy tenure be a sufficient compensation for the ruin which would seize the ryot by the mere fact of the loss of his tenure? The people of this country, it was well known, had a deep attachment to the soil, and any facilities given to the sale of landed property could not justly be considered as conducive to their best interests and welfare. He was fully alive to the maxims of political economy as to the advantages of the circulation of capital. But they must deal with facts and not with theories; they ought to look to the real circumstances of the country, the sentiments and feelings of the people, to their every day life, to their habits and thoughts; and if it was found that the people were so much attached to the land, and that the loss of the land under the facilities offered for sale would deprive the ryot and his family of the means of obtaining their livelihood, Baboo Kristodas Pal did

not think that the Legislature ought to take a step which would hasten such an undesirable and unfortunate result.

The third point was that it would hold out to the ryot an incentive to improved cultivation and give him a direct interest in the improvement of his land. Now, hon'ble members were aware that the agriculturists of this country did as much as they could for the utilization of their lands; that they had a keen sense of what was remunerative to them, and that, if they found any new staple likely to be more profitable than the old staples to which they were accustomed, they did not hesitate to take to it. This had been seen in the case of jute and seeds, and latterly in the case of tea. Hon'ble members could not be unaware that native gentlemen had lately directed their attention to tea, seeing the large profits made by Tea Companies. Knowing, then, as they did, that the agriculturalists in Bengal were fully alive to their own interests, it was hardly likely that they would neglect them, because they had not the right to transfer their tenures; the occupancy ryot had that interest in the land which fully secured to him the fruits of his own labour. He could now appropriate to himself the whole of the profits he made from his land, subject to the payment of rent, or to the adjustment of rent in case of enhancement. But exclusive of rent, whatever he earned from his land went to his own pocket, and BABOO KRISTODAS PAL did not think that the transferability of the ryot's tenure would make any alteration in his position in that respect. It might be said that the ryot was impecunious, that his resources were limited, and that he could not carry out improvements for want of capital; that, if his tenure were declared saleable or transferable, he would have facilities for raising money upon it, and thus improving his land. BABOO KRISTODAS PAL was prepared to believe that if facilities be offered to the transfer of land, the ryot would get an advance with greater ease; but it was open to question whether such facility to borrow money would prove in the end advantageous to him or not. Improvements which would materially alter the character of the cultivation in the country could not be effected with the small capital at the disposal of the ryot. That required a large outlay, and in so far the ryot's exertions could not prove much successful. As for small improvements, BABOO KRISTODAS PAL thought that, where the ryots cared for such improvements, they were able to effect them without being under the necessity of encumbering their land: indeed, if it came to this, that improvements could not be effected without the transfer of the land, BABOO KRISTODAS PAL would rather have no improvement than give the ryot facilities to improve himself off his land.

The next point was that the ryot would have a direct interest in the improvement of the land. He had already pointed out that the ryot did now possess a direct interest in the improvement of his land, and *en passant* he might remark that, according to custom in different parts of the country, the transfer of the occupancy tenure was now going on, and he would ask how far had the ryot availed himself of the custom in effecting improvements? If the intention of the proposed measure was to assist the ryot in raising capital for improvements, he hoped his hon'ble friend was prepared to show that, under the operation of the custom already prevalent in several parts of the country, the ryot had been able to effect those improvements which it was the object of this Bill to help him to effect.

The fourth question was intimately connected with the third, that the Bill would improve the financial position of the ryot in enabling him to raise money on easier terms. In discussing the third point, BABOO KRISTODAS PAL had in a manner anticipated the fourth. He would only say that the greater the facilities offered for obtaining loans of money, the greater would be the facility afforded to the ryot to encompass his own ruin. He need hardly remind hon'ble members that the tendency of legislation in the other provinces had been to restrict as much as possible the sale of land for debts. Here, on the contrary, it was proposed to offer as much facility as possible for the alienation of land either in execution of decrees or by private agreement. He considered this tendency in Bengal legislation not consistent with what was going on in other parts of the country, not to say that it was calculated to work most mischievously.

The fifth point was that it would release the ryot from dependence upon the landlord and the mahajun. He confessed that he did not clearly under-

stand this point. If it was contended that the recognition of the transferability of the occupancy tenure would so much raise the ryot above want, that it would release him altogether from the books of the money-lender, and of his landlord, who was sometimes also a money-lender. BABOO KRISTODAS PAL could not subscribe to that opinion. It might release the ryot in one way; it might release him from dependence upon the landlord, because he would be sold out in case of debt, but BABOO KRISTODAS PAL did not believe that that was a consideration which had influenced the introduction of this clause in the Bill.

The sixth point was that it would introduce amongst the cultivating classes men with better means and knowledge for the cultivation of the land and the protection of their rights. He did hope with his hon'ble friend opposite that primary education, which was now spreading rapidly amongst the masses, would gradually enable the ryots to better understand their duties and to protect their right and interests more effectually than they now did; but he hoped his hon'ble friend did not consider that the present cultivators of the soil should be supplanted by another body of men who did not now cultivate the soil. If the present cultivators were ousted from their lands, what would be their means of subsistence? How would they live? Their position then would be simply one of serfdom; they would be pauperised and reduced to serfage. It was certainly desirable, in the general interests of society, that the system of cultivation should be improved; but he believed it would be acknowledged by all right-thinking men, that the means to that end should be through the education and advancement of the existing body of cultivators, and not by supplanting them by a class of small capitalists,—a process which would leave them no alternative but to throw themselves upon the resources of the State in times of difficulty and distress.

The seventh point was that it would enable unfortunate ryots to sell their tenures, and with the sale proceeds to start in new business more suitable and remunerative. This being an agricultural country, the people looked up to agriculture chiefly as a means of livelihood. Agriculture did not require much labour or capital; with a pair of bullocks and a plough, and with his own labour, the ryot could cultivate the soil and make a living for himself and his family. If he had recourse to either trade or industry, he must bring more capital, more labour, and more intelligence. BABOO KRISTODAS PAL did not think that the bulk of the agricultural population were in a position to take to other callings, and in the long run he thought they would find it more economical and remunerative to follow their present occupations than to have recourse either to trade or industry. Men, who would not succeed in agriculture, he might say in nine cases out of ten, would not probably succeed in any other occupation at all; and it was therefore vain to hope that men who had failed in agriculture would, with the sale proceeds of their tenures, be able to start successfully in any other path in life. He need hardly say that, when a man had failed in agriculture, his tenure would be then probably not worth much, because it was most likely to be burdened with encumbrances and very little would be left to him after satisfying his creditors; so that, in starting in new business under the circumstances mentioned, his capital would be small, and with such small capital it would be idle to expect that he would be able to enter upon a new career successfully. Accordingly the advantages supposed to be conferred on the impecunious ryot by the transferability of his tenure appeared to be wholly illusory.

The eighth point was that the right proposed to be recognised was not new, that it was already in existence according to custom, and that the proposed measure would simply give legal sanction to it. BABOO KRISTODAS PAL did not deny that according to custom the transfer of occupancy tenures was taking place of late years in different districts. On this point there was, however, a wide divergence of opinion. In the first place the High Court, by its Full Bench rulings, had held that an occupancy tenure was heritable, but not transferable. As for custom, it did hardly apply to the modern occupancy ryot who was the creature of Act X of 1859: the custom referred to in that Act must have had antecedent existence, but the occupancy tenure, founded on twelve years' continuous possession, had had no such existence; the custom upon which reliance was placed was applicable to

khoodkasht tenures of old and not to modern occupancy tenures, but for some reason or other, under colour of that custom, transfers, he admitted, were going on. It might, however, be fairly asked that, if under custom the transfer of the occupancy tenure was already recognised, why was it considered necessary to give legal sanction to it. The answer probably would be that there was uncertainty; that the custom was not everywhere the same; that the rulings of the Courts had not been the same; and that consequently it was desirable and expedient to give legal sanction to that custom. For his own part, if he were permitted to say it, he would suggest that this custom should be correctly interpreted, and that the absolute sale of ryotti tenures should be stopped at once. From the days of the permanent settlement it had always been a moot question whether a person occupying the position of a *khoodkasht* ryot had the power of sale. Practically, however, it was admitted that he enjoyed the right and power of sale, but the *khoodkasht* ryot and the modern occupancy ryot were two distinct individuals. As his hon'ble friend himself said in introducing the Bill, the *khoodkasht* ryot had an occupancy right from the days of the perpetual settlement; but the mere squatter for 12 years was a ryot of yesterday; he had therefore no traditional right and claim on the ground of natural justice. But Act X of 1859 had confounded the two, and had, by conferring the right upon the mere squatter, done a grievous wrong to the resident *khoodkasht* ryot of 80 years ago. This Bill, however, made no distinction between the *khoodkasht* ryot of old and the occupancy ryot of yesterday; it in fact gave the right of transfer to both, and, by doing so, Baboo Kristodas Pal for one thought that it offended one's sense of natural justice.

He now came to the ninth point, which was that the transfer being confined to the cultivating classes, and sub-letting being prohibited, which was, however, not the case at present, the actual cultivators of the soil would not suffer. He must frankly admit that the hon'ble framers of the Bill had taken the utmost care to minimise the evils of the proposed measure. By confining the occupancy right to the *bonâ fide* cultivator, this Bill would give effect to the original intentions of the Legislature in creating the occupancy right. He humbly thought that, when that right was conferred by Act X of 1859, it was intended solely for the benefit of the actual cultivators of the soil; but unfortunately by the use of one word "held," wide scope had been given to the provision of the law, and this right, which was intended to be confined to the actual cultivator, had been held to apply to persons in the position of middlemen.

With the decisions of the High Court favouring sub-letting, the occupancy tenant of these days had become a middleman, a mere rent receiver, and the result had been that the actual cultivator had been the greatest loser. It was the sweat of his brow which supported the whole body of the superior holders, from the occupancy jotedar to the zemindar in the highest link of the chain, and the sub-letting system, it could not be denied, was detrimental to the best interests of the peasantry. The hon'ble framers of the Bill had therefore done well by confining the occupancy right to the cultivating class and also by restricting sale to that class, and more substantially so by prohibiting sub-letting. But the question was whether the Bill, as it had been framed, would really keep out the small capitalist class—he meant the mahajans and petty traders—from ousting occupancy tenants from their tenures. A cultivator was defined to be he who cultivated the land with his own hands or by means of hired labour. Now that term "hired labour" left, he thought, a very wide door open. He did not mean that hired labour could be dispensed with in the economy of agriculture in this country. Women, children and diseased and infirm men could not be expected to work with their own hands; there were persons who were by rules of caste prohibited from touching the plough, and they must employ hired labour; but when hired labour was permitted, would not the man whom it was sought to keep out come in and cultivate the land? Would not the money-lender come in? It might be said that hired labour was not always remunerative; that the money-lender would not find the employment of hired labour so profitable as to have recourse to it; but there was the system of *bhagjote*—of cultivation in common—between the holder of the tenure and the producer; the usual arrangement was that the person giving the labour and

cultivating the land took half the produce and left the other half to the holder of the land. That arrangement would in effect be the employment of hired labour for the purpose of cultivation. The Bill as framed did not mean to discourage or discountenance that system of cultivation. Then it was well known that the *benamee* system prevailed very largely in this country, and rival zemindars, he was afraid, would not be slow to take advantage of the new law and purchase occupancy tenures *benamee* with the view to annoy and harass their rivals. In that way social forces would be brought into play, which might deprive the actual cultivators of the land by which they derived their sustenance; so that, notwithstanding all the safeguards which had been introduced in the Bill, BABOO KRISTODAS PAL doubted whether the land would be really kept in the hands of those who now held it, if a general recognition of the transfer of the occupancy-tenure were sanctioned by law.

The last point was that, as the value of the tenure would rise by being declared saleable, the zemindar would find facilities for the recovery of rent in case of default. Now, he admitted that, if the occupancy tenure had a value, the sale of it for rent would satisfy the demand of the zemindar; in that respect he would acquire a facility in the recovery of rent. But had he no other means for recovering his rent? From the earliest times the zemindar enjoyed the right of eviction. By referring to the laws of the permanent settlement it would be found that the right of eviction was inherent in the zemindar, and it was only to protect the occupancy or *khoodkasht* ryot against arbitrary eviction that section 6 of Act X of 1859 was introduced, and the power of eviction was clogged in various ways. It might be said that the eviction of the tenant was a harsh and cruel measure. So it was in the abstract, just as the Sunset Law considered in the abstract was a harsh and cruel measure. But look at the practical effects of the Sunset Law! It had taught the zemindar punctuality, prudence, and providence; it had enabled the State to collect revenue with clock-work regularity, and yet there was the law which many theorists considered was a blot upon the Statute Book, but so far as BABOO KRISTODAS PAL was aware, the zemindars did not complain of it, nor did it practically do any harm to the landed interests. In the same way, if the present law of eviction were altered (at present there could be no eviction for default in the payment of rent except at the end of a year), if in accordance with the provision for quarterly instalments, facilities for eviction in default of such instalments were given, the rent of the zemindar would be recovered with the same regularity and punctuality with which the revenue was realised by Government. It might be asked, would that measure benefit the ryot? If eviction was allowed, then the ryot would go out without receiving anything for the land which he would vacate; on the other hand, if the tenure were sold, the ryot would at any rate get something as a surplus from the sale proceeds after satisfying the arrears due. BABOO KRISTODAS PAL admitted that; but he held that, if eviction were allowed for quarterly default, very few tenants would practically go out; the ryot would know that, if he defaulted in the payment of his rent, his tenure would be resumed, and thus he would lose all he had in the world, and he would therefore be very careful in meeting the landlord's demand, just as the zemindar now was; the latter might beg or borrow, but pay the revenue he must; and it was generally found that before sunset approached the revenue was deposited in the Collectorate. In the same way BABOO KRISTODAS PAL was persuaded that, if eviction were allowed, recourse to that remedy for default would become very rare, and so what might in theory be considered a harsh and severe measure, would practically operate to the benefit both of the landlord and the tenant.

Having considered the different grounds upon which, as BABOO KRISTODAS PAL conceived, the Bill had been founded, he would just glance at the official opinions upon which some stress was laid by his hon'ble friend in his speech at the last meeting of the Council. He had said already that by far the greater majority of the officials had supported the proposals of Government. But there was a residuum, consisting of some very able, experienced, and distinguished officers, who did hold contrary opinions on the subject. He found in the first place that the Collectors of Backergunge and Tipperah had

expressed their opinions against the proposal which BABOO KRISTODAS PAL had been discussing. In the report of the Board of Revenue he read—

"Both the Collectors of Backergunge and Tipperah are of opinion that the sale of occupancy rights to satisfy debts due by ryots should not be legalized. It would introduce all kinds of confusion. Mr. Barton thinks that, in Eastern Bengal at least, ryots need no further protection, nor further immunities, than they have at present. In many cases, as it is, the ryots are the masters and the zemindars the servants."

Then Mr. Lyall said—

"It is doubted whether the occupancy right would, as assumed by Mr. Reynolds, be purchased in most cases by ryots of the same class and position as the former tenants."

and so he thought it would go out of the hands of the present class of cultivators. Then Mr. Peacock, Commissioner of the Dacca Division, than whom BABOO KRISTODAS PAL believed there was not in the service a more reasonable, moderate, and even-minded officer, did not advocate a general recognition of the transfer of the occupancy right, but would confine it only to the execution of rent decrees. He said—

"I am on the whole inclined to recommend that occupancy rights should be liable to be sold in execution of a decree for rent when the judgment-creditor applies for execution to issue against such right. It will then rest with the zemindar to adopt this course, if such a sale would be more convenient than the direct resumption of the holding, and not otherwise. As regards the sale by private agreement of such a holding, I see no objection to the ryot being allowed to do so with his zemindar's consent. This would prevent the latter's interests from being prejudiced in cases where he was opposed to such a sale, and, on the other hand, it would not debar such sales from being effected in cases where the zemindar was willing that this should be done."

Such was Mr. Peacock's opinion, though BABOO KRISTODAS PAL for one would not give the power to sell even with the zemindar's consent. Mr. Edgar, Deputy Commissioner of Darjeeling, wrote—

"It seems to me that the question of making occupancy rights transferable by private sale differs in many respects from that of making them liable to sale instead of to ejectment for arrears of rent. The latter, with proper safeguards against fraud on the part of the landlord, would be, I think, an unmixed benefit to the ryot and no injury to the zemindar, while I do not see how in practice it could have a tendency to transfer the land to undesirable classes. I have much more hesitation about the former measure."

Then Dr. Field, an experienced judicial officer and one who had studied the revenue laws with great care, held that the occupancy tenure should not be sold, except on certain conditions which he had himself recommended for the amendment of the law. And the last, though not the least, was Mr. Hodgkinson, late Collector of Moorshedabad, and now Judicial Commissioner of British Burmah, who said—

"It is believed that to make the tenure saleable would (1) be an undoubted advantage to the ryot, and (2) on the other hand it would frequently be a convenience to the zemindar to be able to realize arrears of rent by the sale of the tenure, instead of resuming direct possession of the land. I join issue with both these conclusions."

He then discussed the question at length, and incidentally remarked—

"The first feature of the change which will be made apparent to a body of cultivators, nine out of ten of whom are in debt, is the increased facility with which they can borrow money—a feature not calculated to arrest improvidence among an improvident class. The mahajun will then take care that no other feature is allowed to present itself."

This was a conclusion to which BABOO KRISTODAS PAL endeavoured to draw the attention of the Council in his opening remarks. Then Mr. Hodgkinson pointed out another disadvantage which would flow from the general recognition of the transfer of the occupancy right. In paragraph 15 he said—

"In districts where industries are carried on by European or native capital, requiring for the production of the subject-matter of the industry an amount of land more or less under the control of the capitalist, there would be a great danger of his becoming a large monopolist of land in neighbourhoods where he required it, were occupancy tenures transferable. In the three principal indigo districts of Behar tenures would be bought up all around the factories, the good land put into indigo, the bad land made over to cultivators at comparatively high rates."

None know better than the Hon'ble President what a struggle there had all along been between the indigo-planter and the zemindar for the acquisition of land for the cultivation of indigo. As had been justly pointed out by

Mr. Hodgkinson, if this facility of acquiring the occupancy tenure were given, the indigo-planter and others who were engaged in manufactures of indigo and other staples would find a speedy means of buying up occupancy tenures. It might be asked how would the planter acquire the tenure, because he would not be a *bonâ fide* cultivator; but the clause which sanctioned the employment of hired labour would help him. He would employ hired labour and would come in the category of an occupancy tenant, and the great disadvantage to the ryot would be this, that where the zemindar and the indigo-planter were at loggerheads, the ryot had at least one person to protect him, either the zemindar or the planter; but when the ryot would come into direct contact with the planter, there would be no buffer between the two, and the ryot would be utterly helpless. Baboo Kristodas Pal would not enlarge upon this point, because it had been so well brought out by Mr. Hodgkinson in his letter.

Now he had shown the Council what the balance of official opinion was on this question, and from what he had said, it was clear how the case stood. The occupancy tenant was divisible into two classes—firstly, the *khoodkhast* or the old resident ryot; and secondly, the modern occupancy tenant or the ryot of yesterday. The *khoodkhast* ryot had always an occupancy tenure; the modern ryot had not. But the two had been lumped together. The right of transfer of the *khoodkhast* tenure was recognized in many cases in practice, though not distinctly recognized in law; but the modern squatter who had been converted into an occupancy tenant was now proposed to be invested with the right of absolute transfer. The Bill did not make any distinction between the two, and perhaps it would be difficult to make a distinction. Baboo Kristodas Pal did not wish to go into the equities of the question as to whether the modern squatter should be allowed to hold the occupancy right or not; but viewing the whole agricultural population as one body, and looking to their actual circumstances, he was constrained to say that the proposed measure would have a most prejudicial effect upon them, as it would encourage them to incur debt, and ultimately to lose their tenures in order to satisfy their creditors. It was observable that the Legislature evinced the most generous sympathy with the agricultural population in all parts of the country. The Civil Procedure Code provided that in payment of debts agricultural implements and cattle should be exempted from attachment and sale; but what would be the practical effect of the present Bill in relation to that clause of the Civil Procedure Code? What good would there be in exempting agricultural implements and cattle from attachment for debt when the land would be liable to be sold and the ryot turned out of his hearth and home? The proposed measure would be thus inconsistent with the tendency of recent legislation for the rest of India, and productive of great injustice to the agricultural population of Bengal.

There was one point to which Baboo Kristodas Pal thought he ought to draw the attention of the Council particularly. It was this: that if the sale of occupancy tenures was to be confined to the agricultural classes, the zemindar must always be on the *qui vive* to see that every person who acquired the occupancy right should fulfil the legal condition, namely, that he should cultivate the land with his own hands or by means of hired labour; that he should not in any way use the land for the purpose of receiving rent, and that meant constant watchfulness and perhaps frequent litigation on the one hand, or frequent corruption of the zemindar's amlah on the other. It was not possible for the zemindar to know personally what ryot was actually fulfilling the condition of cultivation of the land; he must leave that task to his amlah or ministerial officers, and these must be always on the look-out to see whether the ryot did fulfil the condition of cultivating the land: in that way a wide door would be left open for continual harassment, annoyance, and litigation.

Baboo Kristodas Pal had incidentally alluded to the experience of other provinces on the subject. He need hardly invite the attention of the Council to the report of the Commission appointed by the Government of Bombay for investigation of the Deccan riots some four years ago. That report had since been made the basis of legislation, and he found from the reports of the Council of the Governor-General that the Hon'ble Mr. Cockerell had introduced a Bill the other day for the relief of indebted ryots in the Deccan, the main object of which was to put restrictions upon the sale of land for debt. Well, in the same way the Civil Procedure Code, as he had already stated, had put restrictions

upon the sale or attachment of agricultural implements and cattle for debt and upon the sale of land for unsecured debts. He was reading the other day the report of Mr. Elliott, the Famine Commissioner of Mysore, and he came across the following paragraph in that report: it was a very interesting and instructive paragraph. Mr. Elliott said—

"A custom has grown up (not, as far as I could learn, confirmed by any legal authority) under which he possesses a transferable interest in the land he cultivates, and this right of sale and mortgage is being followed by the same baneful results as in other parts of India. The ownership of the land is fast passing out of the hands of those who are directly interested in it. Anyone who, in technical language, "tests the jamabandi,"—that is, who takes the village papers and walks over the fields to compare the actual with the recorded facts,—will learn that this field belongs to a Brahmin at Seringapatam, and that to a revenue official at the head-quarters of the district, and the third perhaps to a trader in Bangalore. Not single fields only, but large blocks of land, and sometimes whole villages, are alienated in this way; and the actual cultivator, the old owner, remains on the worst and most precarious of tenures, a metayer tenancy-at-will, paying half the crop to the distant proprietor. In this way, the glory of the roytwari system, the union of cultivating and proprietary rights in one person, is departing from it, and the zemindari system is growing up without a traditionary basis, without historical justification, and without the careful protection of subordinate rights which the experience of three generations has introduced to remedy the evils inherent in the less simple tenure which prevails in Upper India."

Baboo Kristodas Pal asked the Council to consider whether, by legislation in this Council, it was desirable or expedient to push the tenantry in Bengal to that condition. There was sub-infeudation enough in Bengal, but it was now proposed to prohibit the sub-letting of occupancy tenures. He thought that was a step in the right direction; but if they sanctioned the sale of occupancy tenures in the way proposed, they would, he was afraid, introduce into Bengal the same condition of things which had taken place in Mysore, and which the Mysore Commissioner had depicted in such vivid colours. It might be said that the condition of the peasantry in Mysore, in Bombay, in Northern India, in Central India, was quite different from that of the peasantry in Bengal. He did not quite understand that argument. In what respect did the social and domestic economy of the peasant in Bengal differ from that of his brother in Bombay and other provinces. There was perhaps one cause of difference to the credit of Bengal. The Bengal peasants were not turbulent and therefore not a source of political danger; whereas in some of the other provinces they were more or less so, and therefore for them it was not considered expedient to allow the transfer of land. But in other respects the condition of the cultivators in all the provinces was the same, and if it was the duty of Government to maintain the peasantry in a happy and prosperous state, the same considertions which induced the Government to bar the sale of land in the other provinces ought to apply to the province of Bengal—

He would also draw the attention of the Council to a feeling which widely prevailed amongst the landed gentry of Bengal in favour of a law of entail.

[His Honor the President observed that the law of entail was hardly a question which was connected with the subject of discussion before the Council, and the hon'ble member should therefore confine his remarks to the question in hand.]

He was merely referring to the subject by way of analogy. He meant that the peasantry of Bengal, by the recognition of the right of occupancy, heritable but not transferable, did practically enjoy that law of entail which the landed gentry had not.

He had noticed at some length what he conceived to be the weak points of the proposed measure. He had done so, he repeated, with the greatest diffidence and hesitation, because he found, as he had already said, the opinions of very able and very experienced gentlemen opposed to his. But he felt very strongly on the subject, and had endeavoured to express his opinion honestly and frankly. The question before the Council was one of the greatest moment to the people of Bengal. It was not a personal question, it was not a party question, it was not a race question, it was not a Government question, but a question which would affect millions at the present day, and probably many more millions in the future. His Honor the President had been anxious to provide means for the support of the people suffering from distress at times

of famine or scarcity, and the Government of India had founded an Insurance Fund for that purpose. But the best means of insuring the people from such calamities in his opinion was to place them in such a position that they might by their own exertions be able to cope with them. If, however, facilities were given to the peasantry to part with their lands, they would lose the most potent engine for warding off such calamities. If the land was gone, as the Bengali adage had it, everything else was gone, and taking that view, BABOO KRISTODAS PAL humbly dissented from the proposed measure, because it would help the ryot to get rid of his land. He did not wish to make any formal motion; but, as the whole question would be discussed in Select Committee, the arguments and considerations which he had endeavoured to advance would, he hoped, be taken into consideration by the Committee.

BABOO MOHINI MOHUN ROY entirely agreed with the hon'ble member who had just addressed the Council, that this Bill proposed to make very substantial changes in the substantive law of the country, and he also shared in the hon'ble member's apprehensions and misgivings as to the probable consequences of such changes. He had intended to make a few observations in connection with this question, but he found that the arguments against the principle of the measure had been put so well by the hon'ble member who preceded him in his exhaustive speech, that he would not weary the Council by going over the same ground But he would say this, that the matter was beset with considerable difficulties, and was of the greatest importance. He would therefore suggest that this Bill should be referred to a Select Committee without pledging hon'ble members to the principle of the transfer of the right of occupancy as prescribed in this Bill, and thus leave the entire matter open in the hands of the Select Committee.

HIS HONOR THE PRESIDENT said—"I will not follow the hon'ble gentleman through his arguments, because they relate generally to points regarding which the views of Government have already been very fully expressed. I was quite prepared to find that there would be some little difference of opinion as to the principles of the Bill, though I hardly expected that it would take the form it has done. As has been correctly stated, the Bill relates to two very distinct and separate principles—one is more directly in the interest of the landlord, the other in the interest of the tenant. The first is intended to give to the landlords more effective, speedy, and summary means of obtaining the rents justly due to them, and to save them and the tenants from the protracted, dilatory, and expensive processes of law to which they are now confined; and as regards this, I am glad to find that there is entire unanimity of opinion in this Council. It is a measure which has been declared necessary in the face of the experiences of the past few years by the most able revenue officers of Government, and by those interested in the collection of rents, and on this point we all seem to be agreed.

As to the second principle, however, there seems to be a decided difference of opinion. I expected to find some opposition to the measure on behalf of the landholders; but I must say I was very much startled to find that the persons who objected to the recognition of tenant-right were not the landlords, but the tenants, and that they had chosen as their mouthpiece my hon'ble friend, who has so long and so ably acted as Assistant Secretary to the Landholders' Association. It seems that on their behalf he has been instructed to represent that by giving greater legal value to a right which they already possess, and by declaring and defining their rights in their tenures, and endeavouring to ensure that those rights are respected by others, they fear that in that we shall be doing them a mischief. We shall, it is said, be giving them something which is of such tangible value that they will be able to raise money on it at 6 or 7 per cent. instead of at 50 or 100 per cent., and they are apprehensive that the possession of the property and these facilities for raising money on low interest, or at moderate interest, will prove such a temptation to them, that they may be induced to involve themselves in debt, and eventually sell their lands to pay these debts; and in this way it is urged on their behalf that, instead of giving them security of tenure, we shall end by throwing all the occupancy tenants' lands into the market, to be bought by bunniahs and money-lenders. Now this is a startling theory; but the remedy proposed on behalf of the ryots, and by the ryots' friend, is very much more startling. We are told that what they really require to give security of tenure and the

fullest possible advantage from their tenant right, is not a legal and definable definition of that right, with power to obtain the full value for it if circumstances compel them to part with it, but the right of being summarily evicted if they don't pay their rents by a particular hour on a particular day, without receiving the very slightest consideration for the value of the right of which they will be deprived. It is stated on their behalf that, if they are rendered liable to eviction, the great principles of prompt and punctual payment of their debts will be impressed upon their minds in such a practical form that we shall never hear anything more of arrears of rent, or suits for the recovery of rent.

The hon'ble gentleman proceeded to say that this right to be evicted, which he demands for his clients, would place them in precisely the same position as the landlords, under what he describes as the Sunset Law—meaning the law for the sale of estates for arrears of revenue. Now, I expected to hear my hon'ble friend state that he intended to move for an amendment of that law in such a manner that the zemindars shall be subjected to immediate and prompt eviction from their estates in the event of their revenue not being paid to the minute, without any recourse to sale or transfer, and absolutely without any consideration for the value of their rights. My hon'ble friend, however, was not consistent and logical enough to do this; and if he does, I warn him that I shall be compelled to oppose any such act of spoliation; but obviously till he does this, he cannot compare an evicted tenant to a landlord whose estate is sold for arrears. All that we ask is that the zemindars shall show to their occupancy tenants some of the consideration that they demand for themselves. My hon'ble friend alluded to Mr. Elliott's description of the evil arising from the transfer of landed property in Mysore; but even if Mr. Elliott's conclusions are just and right as regards Mysore, they describe a state of things which could never possibly arise under the Bill now under discussion. Mr. Elliott talks of land being parted with by the ryots to non-cultivating classes, and to a money-lender or Government servant in a distant part of the country; but the most cursory glance at this Bill will show that such a consequence and such a condition of things has been most carefully guarded against and could not possibly arise. The hon'ble gentleman must surely know too much of the people to suppose that a *bunniah* or money-lender would, instead of putting his money out at a rate of interest anything between 20 and 100 per cent., be contented to accept the position of a resident cultivator, facing all the risks of season and market. He speaks of the ryots of Bengal as only distinguished from those of other parts of India, in so far as they are peaceful, quiet people, incapable of turbulent conduct, and therefore undeserving of consideration and attention on the part of Government. But if I have heard of one fact more than another in the many able letters of the British Indian Association, it has been of the necessity of legislation to meet the turbulent and lawless conduct of the tenantry, especially of Eastern Bengal. I must say that, with my long experience of the grievances of the ryots, I have never heard any of them express repugnance to tenant-right, or a desire for eviction; but, as I said before, that is an objection raised on their behalf, while no objections of any kind have been raised on behalf of the zemindars; and as we are all therefore of one mind so far, that we all desire to guard the ryot in the possession of the land, I think that we may leave the details with which this common object can be best effected to the Select Committee. If an objection had been raised to the principle of the Bill on the score of undue protection of the ryot by those who represent the zemindar, it might have been necessary to come to a vote on the question of principle before reading the Bill in Council."

The motion that the Bill be read in Council was then put and carried.

On the motion of the Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie the Bill was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble the Advocate-General, the Hon'ble Mr. O'Kinealy, the Hon'ble Mr. Inglis, the Hon'ble Kristodas Pal, the Hon'ble Rajah Pramatha Natha Roy, the Hon'ble Mohini Mohun Roy, the Hon'ble Moulvi Ameer Hossein, and the Mover, with instructions to report in six weeks.

The Council then adjourned till Saturday the 25th instant.

SCHEME FOR THE GRADING OF THE SUBORDINATE OFFICERS IN THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Calcutta, the 21st January 1879.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

A letter No 4470, dated the 1st September 1877, from the Officiating Director of Public Instruction, submitting for the consideration of Government the general outlines of a scheme for grading the subordinate officers of the Education Department.

This Government letter No. 3128, dated the 6th November 1877, recommending the scheme proposed by the Director for the sanction of the Government of India.

A letter No. 2, dated 2nd January 1878, from the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, suggesting a modification of the extent of the scheme.

This Government letter No. 217, dated 12th January 1878, accepting the decision of the Government of India on this point.

Endorsement No. 110, dated 25th April 1878, from the Home Department of the Government of India, forwarding copy of a despatch to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, recommending the scheme for sanction.

Endorsement No. 187, dated the 23rd July 1878, from the Home Department of the Government of India, forwarding copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, sanctioning the scheme on the understanding that the expense involved is charged to the provincial revenues of the Lower Provinces.

A letter No. 18, dated 27th December 1878, from the Director of Public Instruction, submitting for the orders of Government a graded nominal roll of the subordinate officers of the Education Department.

THE proposal to include in a regular graded service all the subordinate officers of the Education Department has now been before Government for some years. In September 1867 the Director of Public Instruction sketched the outline of a scheme for establishing ten grades of educational officers at an additional cost to Government of a lakh-and-a-half of rupees per annum. This, however, was indefinitely postponed in 1870, partly owing to the general reduction of expenditure which was then necessary, and partly because the scheme could not readily be reconciled with other administrative changes in the department which were contemplated at the time.

2. In September 1877 the proposal was again brought forward by the present Director of Public Instruction in the first letter cited in the preamble to this resolution. Mr. Croft urged that the principles involved in grading the subordinate officers of the Education Department had already received the approval of Government, and that the reasons for improving the position of those officers were at least as forcible now as in 1870. He pointed out that, under existing arrangements, great difficulty had been found in attracting the best students of the University into the Education Department, and that the class of men who were specially suited for teaching work of a high order were deterred by the absence of definite prospects of promotion from accepting the lower-paid appointments. He stated that the establishment of a graded service would go far to remove these difficulties and to place educational work on the same level as a profession as the other branches of Government service. The certainty of attaining in the course of five years to a salary considerably exceeding that of appointment would practically equalise the value of the minimum and maximum rates of pay; and if the number of appointments in each class was fixed so as to bear a fair proportion to that in the class immediately below it, a powerful inducement would be offered to men of ability to join the service in a class far below that which they might fairly hope ultimately to reach. And this would have a marked effect in increasing the efficiency of the entire department, as the value of the higher work largely depends on the character of the earlier instruction which the students receive.

3. Having regard to financial exigencies, the Director was unable to recommend the adoption in all its details of the scheme proposed in 1867. That scheme not only involved an excessive increase of expenditure, but was more extensive in its scope than the requirements of the Educational Department really demand. Mr. Croft accordingly submitted the proposal set forth in the following table, which shows the number of existing appointments and their actual cost, as compared with the number and cost of the graded series recommended by him:—

Present Distribution.			Proposed Distribution.			
Number of appointments.	Monthly value.	Total cost	Class.	Number of appointments	Minimum and maximum salaries.	Total cost.
	Rs. Rs.	Rs.			Rs. Rs.	Rs.
2	Above 400 to 500	900	1st ...	6	400 to 500	2,860
10	„ 300 „ 400	4,000	2nd ...	10	300 „ 400	3,666
23	„ 200 „ 300	6,200	3rd ..	25	200 „ 300	6,658
36	„ 150 „ 200	6,975	4th ...	40	150 „ 200	7,333
59	„ 100 „ 150	8,425	5th ...	60	100 „ 150	8,000
76	„ 75 „ 100	7,030	6th ...	75	75 „ 100	7,031
84	„ 50 „ 75	5,735	7th ..	90	50 „ 75	6,187
241	„ 30 „ 50	11,036	8th ...	300	30 „ 50	13,500
531		50,261	.....	606		55,183
75	Add present salaries of 75 officers on Rs. 30 to be placed in the 8th class	2,250			Present cost of 606 officers ..	52,511
					Monthly increase	2,672 12
606		52,511			Annual increase	32,064

4. Among the appointments on Rs. 400, under the head of "present distribution," were included the four Assistant-Inspectorships recently created, and the head-masterships of the Hindu and Hare Schools, the pay attached to which has been raised to Rs. 400. The cost of the proposed classes was estimated in accordance with the practical rule followed by the Financial Department of the Government of India. In grades of Rs. 100 and upwards, the average salary of each class was assumed to be equal to the minimum pay of the class *plus* two-thirds of the difference between the minimum and maximum salaries, while, in the case of salaries of Rs. 100 and under, the average salary of the class was taken as equal to the minimum *plus* three-fourths of the difference between the maximum and minimum salaries, as the rate of retirement in these lower classes is less rapid. Thus estimated, the scheme involved an increased charge of Rs. 32,000 a year, or about 5 per cent. over the existing scale. The Director also explained that he proposed to meet the difficulty of combining the system of graded salaries with that of ~~not~~-grants to schools by substituting classes for fixed rates of pay in the sanctioned establishments of such schools.

5. The scheme as proposed by the Director met with the Lieutenant-Governor's entire approval and was strongly recommended to the Government of India, the sanction of that Government being required to the creation of new classes of appointments. In submitting the proposal, stress was laid upon the necessity of offering to the officers of the Education Department the same reasonable prospects of advancement as are held out to the junior members of the executive and judicial services. It was also explained that the increased cost which the arrangement would involve would be spread over several years, and would be wholly met from provincial funds.

6. The Government of India, while expressing their general approval of the scheme, were doubtful as to the expediency of including therein the lowest or 8th class, as, owing to the disproportion between the members of that class and the class immediately above it, very few of the members of the lowest class could receive promotion out of it. The Lieutenant-Governor, after careful consideration of the claims and prospects of those officers whom it had been proposed to include in the 8th class, was constrained to accept the decision of the Government of India as to the elimination of that class from the graded scheme. He expressed, however, his desire to fix the numbers of the

7th class at 100 instead of at 90 as originally proposed by the Director. The financial effect of this modification is shown as follows—

PRESENT DISTRIBUTION.			PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION.			
Number of appointments.	Monthly value.	Total cost.	Class.	Number of appointments.	Minimum and maximum salaries.	Total cost.
	Rs. Rs.	Rs.			Rs. Rs.	Rs.
2	Above 400 to 500	900	1st	6	400 to 500	2,800
10	„ 300 „ 400	4,000	2nd	10	300 „ 400	3,466
21	„ 200 „ 300	6,300	3rd	25	200 „ 300	6,666
36	„ 150 „ 200	6,975	4th	40	150 „ 200	7,333
59	„ 100 „ 150	8,425	5th	60	100 „ 150	8,000
76	„ 75 „ 100	7,030	6th	75	75 „ 100	7,031
64	„ 50 „ 75	5,735	7th	100	50 „ 75	6,875
290		39,225		316		42,371
					Present cost of 290 officers ...	39,225
					Monthly increase	3,146 13
					Annual increase	37,753

7. Under the scheme thus amended, provision is made for 316 officers instead of 290, being an addition of 26 officers to the scheme as curtailed by the Government of India. These 26 officers are now drawing salaries of Rs. 50 per month, or Rs. 15,600 per annum in all. Deducting this from the annual increase shown in the statement, it will be seen that the increased expenditure actually involved is Rs. 22,152 per annum, or nearly Rs. 10,000 less than the increase under Mr. Croft's original scheme.

8. The scheme in its amended form has now received the sanction of Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, and it remains to give effect to the arrangement by formally settling what officers of the subordinate ranks of the Education Department shall be admitted to the graded service, and publishing their names in the order which will henceforth be recognised. In determining the place of each officer, careful regard has been had to the principles explained below, and every endeavour has been made to avoid the semblance of hardship to individual officers.

9. It has been assumed in drawing up the list that higher pay under the existing system must carry with it higher rank in the graded scheme. Thus, every officer drawing a salary of Rs. 250 a month is necessarily placed, as regards his immediate position, above every officer drawing only Rs. 200 a month.

10. Secondly, it seems to be fair that, among officers drawing the same pay, relative seniority should be determined by priority of promotion to that rate of pay. In cases, however, where two or more officers were appointed to the same rate of pay in the same year, their places have been settled by seniority of service.

11. Thirdly, amongst officers drawing the same pay, at a rate which is also the limit between two classes of the graded scheme, the same rule of seniority has determined generally the selection of officers for promotion to the higher class. This principle, however, has been departed from when an unfavourable report has been recorded against an officer, or when an officer has already reached the highest promotion to which he is entitled, that is to say, when he draws the maximum rate of pay already assigned to the office which he fills and is not competent to discharge duties of a higher character. In each of these two cases, officers who by their seniority would be entitled to rank on their present pay in the higher of two classes, and ultimately to attain by yearly increments the maximum pay of that class, have been left in the lower class of which they already draw the maximum salary. Officers so circumstanced will be eligible for future promotion only when the causes at present disqualifying them are removed. Thus, a sub-inspector, ignorant of English, might learn that language, or a teacher might, while so employed, take a university degree. In either case the officer in question would become eligible for promotion.

12. In the two highest classes the number of appointments is small, and the principles set forth above have not been rigidly followed in determining the seniority of officers within those classes. But the service, character, and

other grounds of claim on behalf of such officers to immediate or future promotion have been scrutinised and compared in fuller detail, and the circumstances of each case have been fully and carefully considered by the Lieutenant-Governor in consultation with the Director.

13. On the appointment of an officer to any given class in the graded list, he will ordinarily be allowed to draw, as a matter of course, the annual increments of the class until he reaches the maximum pay of that class. But it should be clearly understood that promotion from class to class will not be determined by seniority alone. Seniority is only one of the conditions which render an officer eligible for promotion. Efficient service in the posts hitherto held, and capacity to fill posts of greater responsibility, are other determining conditions of at least equal importance. The Lieutenant-Governor therefore wishes to take this opportunity of finally laying down the rule that the mere fact of seniority will give an officer no right to complain if a junior is promoted over his head.

14. It should also be understood that the officer appointed to a post which falls vacant will not always be the officer who gains the promotion arising from the vacancy. Such promotion will be determined by seniority and by the other considerations set forth in the last paragraph. The officer who is actually appointed to fill the vacancy will, however, gain indirectly by having been selected for an appointment of higher responsibility, as he will thereby make good a claim to further promotion when his place in the list shall warrant such a step.

15. As regards the authority by which promotions are to be made from class to class, the Director points out that at present appointments in the subordinate ranks of the Education Department are not made on any consistent rule. Deputy-inspectors, drawing salaries of Rs. 100 and upwards, are appointed by Government and gazetted. All other officers are appointed by Government and gazetted only when they draw salaries of Rs. 200 and upwards. This difference between inspecting officers and other officers of the department should now cease, and the rule will be in future that all appointments in the first four classes of the subordinate service will be made by Government and gazetted. In the three lower classes, appointments and transfers will be made by the Director of Public Instruction, and in these classes he may also suspend an officer, stop his promotion, degrade him to a lower class, dismiss him or dispense with his services, without reference to Government.

16. As it is intended that the graded system now introduced should supersede all existing systems of pay in the Education Department, it becomes necessary to lay down a fixed rule governing those cases in which officers have already been appointed on a rising scale of pay. In some cases the new system will be more favourable to officers than the old. For instance, certain superintendents of madrassas have been appointed on salaries of Rs. 200 rising to Rs. 250 in eight years. Under the graded system their salaries will rise to Rs 300 in five years, and the Lieutenant-Governor sees no reason for refusing to admit them to the full benefits of their new position. Other officers, however, have been appointed on a scale of pay which extends through two classes of the revised scale. Cases in point are those of officers appointed on Rs. 150 rising, in ten years, to Rs. 250. By the original understanding on which they entered the service they would rise to salaries of Rs. 200 in five years' time, and thus far the effect of the old system would be the same as that of the graded scheme. But against the chance of rising to Rs. 300 or even more by promotion under the new arrangements must be set the certainty of rising to Rs 250 without any break. Under these circumstances, any definite rule which might be laid down for the settlement of all such cases might bear hardly upon individual officers, and the Lieutenant-Governor considers that the fairest course will be to offer every officer so circumstanced his choice of abiding by the understanding on which he entered Government service, or by taking his chance of promotion with other officers under the new system. The Director will therefore call upon all officers thus situated to make their choice within one month of the issue of this resolution.

17. Under the graded system now introduced, the pay of every officer will advance from the minimum to the maximum of his class by five equal annual increments. It therefore becomes necessary to adjust all existing salaries in

accordance with the scale of increments fixed within each class. For instance, an officer who is placed in the 3rd class is now drawing Rs. 250 a month, and will become entitled at the close of the year to an increment of pay. The ordinary increment attached to the class is Rs. 20 per annum, but, as the officer in question begins to draw increments when he is in receipt of a salary of Rs. 250, one of the three increments by which he will reach the maximum salary of the grade must be reduced to Rs. 10 instead of Rs. 20. In order to get rid of all irregularities in the system during the first year of its working, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that, in any case where a reduction of the increment is necessary at some stage of an officer's progress through a given class, the reduction shall be made in the first increment to which he becomes entitled. Thus, in the case stated above, the first increment which will be drawn by an officer placed in the third class on a salary of Rs. 250 will be Rs. 10 and not Rs. 20, and his pay will in this manner be brought into accord with the new system.

18. Under the system hitherto in force, an officer's acting allowance is calculated on the pay of the appointment in which he acts, while, under the new system, it will be calculated on the mean pay of the class in which the appointment is held, subject to the further proviso that an officer acting for another in the same class, but drawing higher pay, is entitled to no allowance. It is clear that, if the new method of calculation is applied in the case of officers now holding acting appointments, though some might gain by the change, others would lose The Lieutenant-Governor has therefore decided that all officers now officiating in higher appointments shall be entitled during the tenure of their acting appointments to the allowances which they now draw. It is believed that the number of such cases is very small, and if any loss results to Government from the arrangement it will be insignificant.

19. The Director observes that the excision of the 8th class from the scheme originally submitted by him has resulted in excluding all but a small proportion of the officers drawing salaries of Rs. 50 from any share in the benefits of the graded system. He states that, although the number of such officers exceeds 150, it has been found possible to include only 18 of them in the lowest class, the remaining appointments in that class being occupied by officers drawing Rs. 75 and under, who have not found a place in the class above. It has been a task of the very greatest difficulty to select officers for admission to the lowest class out of a large number possessing almost equal claims, and Mr. Croft accordingly expresses a hope that, at some future time, Government may find itself in a position to raise the numbers of the 7th class from 100 to 120 or 150, and of the 6th class from 75 to 80 or 90. While admitting that the selection of officers for the lowest grade must, under the circumstances, have been a matter of extreme difficulty, and that much disappointment must be caused by the omission of an 8th class from the graded scheme, the Lieutenant-Governor regrets that he can hold out no hope at present of an increase in the two lowest classes. On this point the orders of the Government of India and the Secretary of State must be accepted as final. It is possible that some few cases of exceptional hardship may be redressed by the subsequent promotion to the 7th class of officers now excluded, but fresh appointments will also be made from among University graduates who have taken good degrees, and this will in future be the regular method of recruiting the Education Department.

20. Effect will be given to the graded scheme from the 1st August 1878. This resolution, together with the nominal list of officers admitted to the graded service, will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*. It should be understood, however, that the officers placed in the three lowest classes will not thereby establish any claim to be treated as gazetted officers.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A MACKENZIE,

Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

Number.	Name.	Date of first appointment to Government service.	Present pay, and date of appointment thereto.		Present appointment.	Remarks.
	Class I.—(6).—Rs. 400 to Rs. 500.					
				Rs.		
1	Colesworthy Grant ...	1859	1873	450	Teacher of Drawing, Civil Engineering Department, Presidency College.	
2	Grish Chandra Deb ...	1842	1878	400	Head Master, Hare School.	
3	A. J. C. Behrendt ...	1856	1865	400	Assistant Professor, Patna College.	
4	W. B. Livingstone ...	1865	1867	400	Ditto, Dacca College.	
5	Brahma Mohan Mullick ...	1856	1877	400	Assistant Inspector, Burdwan Division.	
6	Bholanath Pal, M.A. ...	1859	1878	400	Head Master, Hindu School.	
	Class II.—(10).—Rs. 300 to Rs. 400.					
				Rs.		
1	Haridas Ghose ...	1850	1872	400	Assistant Professor, Berhampore College.	
2	Samuel Ager ...	1856	1874	300	Principal, Cuttack College	Draws also an extra temporary allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem under Bengal Government orders No. 756, dated 15th March 1878.
3	W. E. Cantopher ...	1862	1863	300	Head Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
4	A. S. Phillips, B.A. ...	1863	1865	300	Ditto, Patna ditto.	
5	F. Lefeuvre ...	1846	1867	300	2nd Master, ditto ditto.	
6	Chandi Charan Banerjea ...	1854	1870	300	Ditto, Hindu School.	
7	Gopal Chandra Banerjea ...	1846	1874	300	Head Master, Calcutta Normal School.	
8	H. Collier ...	1846	1875	300	Head Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction.	
9	Radhika Prasanna Mookerjea	1858	1877	300	Assistant Inspector, Bhagulpore Division.	
10	Dinanath Sen	1865	1878	300	Ditto, Chittagong ditto.	
	Class III.—(25).—Rs. 200 to Rs. 300.					
				Rs.		
1	Bireswar Mitra, M.A. ...	1863	1865	300	Head Master, Kishnaghur Collegiate School.	
2	Raj Krishna Banerjea ...	1863	1873	300	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Presidency College.	
	Kasi Kanth Mookerjea ...	1861	1878	300	*Superintendent of Education, Cooch Behar* ...	*Service placed at the disposal of the Cooch Behar State.*
3	Obaidullah	1862	1878	300	Superintendent, Dacca Madrasa.	
4	Lakhi Narayan Das, M.A. ...	1866	1866	250	Assistant Professor, Cuttack College.	
5	Hara Gobind Sen ...	1850	1873	250	Ditto, Rajshahi College.	
6	Gangadhur Acharjya ...	1864	1873	250	Head Master, Midnapore College.	
7	Bishnu Chandra Mookerjea ...	1853	1878	250	Ditto, Hooghly Normal School.	
8	Kailas Chandra Ghose ...	1853	1873	225	Ditto, Dacca Collegiate School.	
9	Abdul Hai	1852	1878	225	Head Moulvie, Calcutta Madrasa.	
10	Zulfiquar Ali ...	1860	1878	225	Superintendent, Chittagong Madrasa.	
11	Abdul Ahad	1866	1878	225	Ditto, Rajshahi Madrasa.	
12	M. Gregory	1848	1861	200	Head Master, Mozufferpore Zillah School.	
13	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty ...	1848	1862	200	2nd Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
14	Jagat Chandra Banerjea ...	1854	1863	200	Deputy Inspector, 24-Pergunnahs.	
15	Nilmani Ganguli ...	1853	1864	200	Head Master, Berhampore Collegiate School.	
16	Beni Madhub Dé, M.A. ...	1866	1866	200	Ditto, Howrah Zillah School.	
17	Nilmani Chuckerbutty ...	1848	1867	200	2nd Master, Hare School.	
18	Jadunath Mookerjea ...	1853	1870	200	Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.	
19	Abinash Chandra Chatterjea, B.A.	1867	1871	200	Lecturer, Cuttack College.	
20	Mathura Nath Chatterjea, M.A.	1869	1873	200	Ditto, Dacca College.	
21	Syed Abdullah	1874	1874	200	Deputy Inspector, Mozufferpore ...	Draws also a personal allowance of Rs. 50 a month.
22	Tarak Nath Sen	1858	1875	200	Ditto, Furreedpore.	
23	Bireswar Chuckerbutty ...	1860	1877	200	Assistant Inspector, Chota Nagpore Division.	
24	Radhanath Roy	1864	1877	200	Joint Inspector, Orissa Division.	
25	Nanda Krishna Bose, M.A. ...	1878	1878	200	Assistant Professor, Patna College ...	Draws also an extra temporary allowance of Rs. 50.
	Class IV (40).—Rs. 150 to Rs. 200.					
				Rs.		
1	Nilmani Mookerjea ...	1868	1873	200	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Presidency College.	
2	Bhuban Mohan Niogi ...	1865	1875	200	Deputy Inspector, Rajshahi.	
3	Peary Mohan Mookerjea ...	1849	1876	200	Ditto, Beerbhoom.	
4	Aghor Chandra Mookerjea ...	1856	1876	200	Head Master, Monghyr Zillah School.	

Number.	Name.	Date of first appointment to Government service.	Present pay, and date of appointment thereto.	Present appointment.	Remarks.
	Class IV (40)—Rs. 150 to Rs. 200—*continued*.				
			Rs.		
5	Mrs. M. Wheeler	1876	1876 200	Inspectress of Schools.	
6	Sib Chandra Som	1853	1877 200	Head Master, Beerbhoom Zillah School.	
7	Sarat Chandra Das	1854	1877 200	Deputy Inspector, Dinagepore.	
8	Raj Krishna Rai Chaudhuri ...	1855	1877 200	Ditto, Hooghly.	
9	Nanda Lal Das	1859	1877 200	Head Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasa.	
10	Sri Krishna Chatterjea	1859	1877 200	Head Master, Bhagulpore Zillah School.	
11	Ratna Mani Gupta	1860	1877 200	Ditto, Mymensingh ditto.	
12	Syama Charan Ganguli	1862	1877 200	Ditto, Uttarpara ditto.	
13	Kali Kumar Mitra, B.A. ...	1865	1877 200	Ditto, Patna Normal School.	
14	Chandra Nath Bhattacharjea ...	1866	1877 200	Ditto, Rungpore College.	
15	Chandra Mohan Mazumdar, M.A. ...	1871	1877 200	Ditto, Chittagong College.	
16	Ambika Charan Bose	1858	1878 200	2nd Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
17	Hara Mohan Bhattacharjea ...	1863	1878 200	Deputy Inspector, Midnapore.	
18	Bhagwan Prasad	1863	1878 200	Ditto, Monghyr.	
19	Kailas Chandra Sen	1865	1878 200	Head Master, Dacca Normal School.	
20	E. R. T. Tiery, B.A.	1868	1878 200	Ditto, Chupra Zillah School.	
21	Jagat Bandhu Laha, M.A. ...	1870	1878 200	Ditto, Barisal ditto.	
22	Bipin Bihari Gupta, M.A. ...	1877	1878 200	Lecturer, Rajshahi College.	
23	Iswar Chandra Bose	1857	1869 175	2nd Master, Dacca Collegiate School.	
24	Gobinda Chandra Mitra	1852	1873 175	Head Master, Pubna Zillah School.	
25	Uma Charan Das	1853	1874 175	Ditto, Arrah ditto.	
26	Syama Charan Das	1862	1874 170	2nd Master, Midnapore College.	
27	Barada Prasad Ghose, M.A. ...	1876	1878 170	Lecturer, Krishnaghur College.	
28	Nil Kantha Sarkar, M.A. ...	1877	1878 160	Ditto ditto.	
29	Madhub Chandra Goswami ...	1853	1858 150	Deputy Inspector, Howrah.	
30	J. F. Thomson	1858	1859 150	3rd Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
31	Somnath Mookerjea	1858	1863 150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Dacca College.	
32	Krishna Chandra Ray	1859	1863 150	3rd Master, Hare School.	
33	Chhatu Ram Tiwari	1864	1864 150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Patna College.	
34	Ramgati Nyayaratna	1856	1865 150	Ditto (ditto), Berhampore College.	
35	Nakuleswar Banerjea	1859	1865 150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Krishnaghur College.	
36	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty ...	1861	1868 150	Head Master, Cuttack Normal School.	
37	Kalidas Mookerjea	1857	1869 150	Ditto, Hooghly Branch School.	
38	Charu Chandra Chatterjea ...	1865	1869 150	Deputy Inspector, Bankoora.	
39	Kali Kumar Das, B.A.	1868	1873 150	3rd Master, Rajshahi College.	
40	Hara Prasad Banerjea	1866	1874 150	Head Master, Comillah Zillah School.	
	Class V (60).—Rs. 100 to Rs. 150.				
			Rs.		
1	Gopal Chandra Gupta	1860	1865 150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Hooghly College.	
2	Abdur Rohim	1866	1872 150	Deputy Inspector, Patna.	
3	Chandra Nath Maitra	1846	1873 150	Head Master, Bankoora Zillah School.	
4	Sasi Bhushan Sen, B.A.	1868	1873 150	Head Master, Dinagepore Zillah School.	
5	Grish Chandra Vidyaratna ...	1845	1874 150	Professor, Sanskrit College.	
6	Abdul Khair, M.A.	1874	1874 150	Assistant Professor (Arabic), Hooghly College.	
7	Hara Lal Roy, B.A.	1865	1875 150	3rd Master, Hindu School.	
8	Bidyadhur Das	1865	1875 150	Deputy Inspector, Tipperah.	
	Bhuan Lal	1868	1875 150	*Assistant Manager, Durbhunga Estate* ...	*Employed under the Court of Wards.*
9	Uma Prasad Dey	1869	1875 150	Deputy Inspector, Cuttack.	
10	Elahi Bakah	1869	1875 150	Ditto, Bhagulpore.	
11	Brajendra Kumar Guha, B.A. ...	1871	1875 150	Ditto, Backergunge.	
12	Dir Narayan Mookerjea ...	1850	1877 150	3rd Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
13	Nanda Lal Sen	1863	1877 150	Deputy Inspector, Mymensingh.	
14	Uma Kanta Roy	1863	1877 150	Ditto, Chittagong.	
15	Sarada Prasad Ganguli	1868	1877 150	Head Master, Gya Zillah School.	
16	Sib Chandra Giri, M.A.	1873	1877 150	Lecturer, Sanskrit College.	
17	Khirod Chandra Rai Chaudhuri, M.A.	1873	1877 150	Head Master, Pooree Zillah School.	
18	Sasi Bhushan Dutt, M.A. ...	1876	1877 150	Lecturer, Cuttack College.	
19	Bireswar Chatterjea, M.A. ...	1877	1877 150	Additional Lecturer, Sanskrit College.	
20	Srinath Dutt	1856	1878 150	Deputy Inspector, Manbhoom.	
21	Ram Das Chuckerbutty... ...	1860	1878 150	Head Master, Cuttack Collegiate School.	
22	Prabhat Chandra Sen	1862	1878 150	Deputy Inspector, Bogra.	

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				Rs.		
	Class V (60).—Rs. 100 to Rs. 150.—(*continued.*)					
23	Chandra Kumar Maitra	1862	1878	150	Head Master, Barrackpore Zillah School.	
24	Siv Narayan Trevedi	1864	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, Gya.	
25	Baikunthanath Roy, B.A. ...	1868	1878	150	3rd Master, Dacca Collegiate School.	
26	Mati Lal Maitra	1868	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, Moorshedabad	
27	Bhuban Mohan Sen, B.A. .	1871	1878	150	Head Master, Furreedpore Zillah School	
28	Sarat Chandra Das	1874	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, British Sikkim.	
29	Grish Chandra Bose, M A. .	1876	1878	150	Lecturer, Cuttack College.	
30	Hira Lal Mookerjea, M.A. ...	1878	1878	150	Ditto, Rajshahi College.	
31	Ishan Chandra Dutt, M.A. ...	1874	1875	135	3rd Master, Midnapore College.	
32	Gaur Mahun Basak	1863	1878	130	Head Master, Noakhally Zillah School.	
33	Ambika Charan Mookerjea ...	1861	1873	125	2nd Master, Berhampore Collegiate School.	
34	Brajanath Lahiri	1857	1875	125	Head Clerk, Presidency College.	
35	Umes Chandra Sen	1857	1876	125	Head Master, Bograh Zillah School.	
36	Dwarkanath Dutt M.A.	1876	1876	125	Assistant Lecturer, C. E. Department, Presidency College.	
37	Kunja Bihari Pal	1861	1877	125	Head Master, Hazareebagh Zillah School.	
	Kali Mohan Chaudhuri	1862	1877	125	*Ditto, Jenkins' School*	*Employed under the Cooch Behar State*
38	Durga Das Mookerjea, B A. ...	1873	1877	125	Ditto, Purulia Zillah School.	
39	Raj Kumar Sen, B A.	1874	1877	125	2nd Master, Chittagong College.	
40	Tara Pada Ghoshal, M A. ...	1874	1877	125	Ditto, Rungpore College.	
41	Tarini Das Banerjea, M.A. ...	1875	1877	125	Head Master, Ranchi Zillah School.	
42	Sri Pati Banerjea	1864	1878	125	Deputy Inspector, Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
43	Jagat Bandhu Bhadra	1865	1878	125	Head Master, Jessore Zillah School.	
44	Bhawani Charan Mookerjee, B.A. ...	1866	1878	125	Ditto, Purneah Zillah School.	
45	Kalinath Chaudhuri	1868	1878	125	Deputy Inspector, Julpigoree.	
46	William Dutt, B.A.	1869	1878	125	3rd Master, Chittagong Collegiate School.	
47	Durga Das Bose, M.A.	1877	1878	125	Ditto, Rungpore Collegiate School.	
48	Grish Chandra Chatterjea ...	1843	1851	100	2nd ditto, Kishnaghur Collegiate School.	
49	Muhammad Illahdad	1852	1854	100	2nd Moulvi, Calcutta Madrasa.	
50	Syama Charán Mookerjea ...	1841	1855	100	6th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
51	Kedarnath Bose	1855	1864	100	4th Master, Hindu School.	
52	Ram Chandra Chatterjea ...	1866	1866	100	Head Master, Bauleah Normal School.	
53	Siva Prasad Singh	1855	1867	100	3rd Master, Patna Collegiate School.	
54	Nabin Chandra Ghose	1858	1868	100	2nd Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasa.	
55	Radha Lal	1861	1868	100	Deputy Inspector, Shahabad	Temporarily
56	Siva Das Bhattacharjea ...	1866	1868	100	Head Master, Maldah Zillah School.	
57	Mahesh Chandra Chatterjea ...	1865	1869	100	Additional Deputy Inspector, Burdwan.	
58	Iswar Chandra Khushnavis ..	1868	1869	100	Deputy Inspector, Maldah.	
	Piyari Mohan Sen	1868	1869	100	*Tutor to the minor Raja of Dhenkanal* ..	*Employed under the Court of Wards*
59	Haranath Bhattacharjea, M.A. ...	1871	1871	100	4th Master, Hare School.	
60	Kanti Chandra Chatterjea ...	1856	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Nuddea.	
	Class VI (75).—Rs. 75 to Rs. 100.					
1	Kailas Chandra Ghose	1862	1863	100	4th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
2	Mati Lal Mitra	1865	1865	100	Head Master, Balasore Zillah ditto ...	On leave
3	Hari Har Das	1862	1872	100	Deputy Inspector, Rungpore.	
4	Ram Prakash Lal	1869	1873	100	Ditto, Sarun.	
5	Ambika Charan Sen, M.A. ...	1873	1873	100	Lecturer, Kishnaghur College.	
6	Giri Dhari Bose	1873	1873	100	Deputy Inspector, Pubna.	
7	Kedarnath Ghose	1873	1874	100	2nd Master, Howrah Zillah School.	
8	Fuzl-i-Ali	1873	1874	100	1st Persian Teacher, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
9	Kumad Bandhu Bose	1874	1874	100	Deputy Inspector, Noakhali.	
10	Madhu Sudan Sriratna	1874	1874	100	Professor, Sanskrit College.	
11	Ambika Charan Sarkar... ...	1874	1874	100	Head Master, Chaibassa Zillah School.	
12	Dwarka Prasad	1867	1875	100	Deputy Inspector, Purneah.	
13	Gopal Chandra Ghoshal ...	1869	1875	100	Ditto, Singbhoom.	
14	Kali Mohan Ghoshal	1875	1875	100	2nd Master, Cuttack Collegiate School.	
15	Raj Krishna Mitra	1865	1876	100	Laboratory Assistant, Presidency College.	
16	Purma Nand	1868	1876	100	Deputy Inspector, Chumparun.	
17	Syama Lal Dutt, B.A.	1870	1876	100	Head Master, Deoghur Zillah School.	
18	Futteh Bahadoor	1872	1876	100	Ditto, Motihari ditto ditto ...	Draws also a special allowance of Rs. 10 a month

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				Rs.		
	Class VI (75).—Rs. 75 to Rs. 100.—(*continued.*)					
19	Syama Prasanna Ray	1876	1876	100	Head Master, Julpigoree Zillah School.	
20	Hari Charan Das	1855	1877	100	Deputy Inspector, Lohardugga.	
21	Gobinda Chandra Singh ...	1867	1877	100	English Teacher, Patna Normal ditto.	
22	Kunja Bihari Bose, M.A.. ...	1870	1877	100	Head Master, Baraset Zillah ditto.	
23	Kuru Ram Ray	1872	1877	100	Ditto, Patna Survey ditto.	
24	E. Cleghorn	1872	1877	100	Ditto, Colinga Branch ditto.	
25	Bhagabati Charan Sen	1873	1877	100	Deputy Inspector, Pooree.	
26	Hari Charan Nag	1876	1877	100	Head Master, Dacca Survey ditto.	
27	Obhoy Charan Mitra	1877	1877	100	Ditto, Ranchi Normal ditto.	
28	Thakur Das Rakhit	1860	1878	100	2nd Master, Bhagulpore Zillah ditto.	
29	Durga Prasanna Mookerjea ...	1860	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Jessore.	
30	Gauri Sankar Ghoshal	1865	1878	100	Ditto, Calcutta.	
31	Ram Sundar Basak	1866	1878	100	Ditto, Dacca.	
32	Mahim Chandra Chatterjea, B.A. ...	1867	1878	100	Ditto, Burdwan.	
33	Becharam Ray	1867	1878	100	Ditto, Hazaribagh.	
34	Poolin Bihari Soor	1874	1878	100	Laboratory Assistant, Presidency College.	
35	Becharam Nandi, B.A.	1876	1878	100	Head Master, Palamow Zillah School.	
36	Debendranath Bose, M.A. ...	1878	1878	100	2nd ditto, Sanskrit Collegiate ditto.	
37	Narendranath Bose, M.A. ...	1878	1878	100	Assistant Lecturer, Patna College.	
38	Hara Prasad Bhattacharjea, M.A. ...	1878	1878	100	Translation Master, Hare School.	
39	Dev Sankar Dé, M.A.	1878	1878	100	2nd Master, Uttarpara Zillah ditto.	
40	Dwija Das Dutt, M.A.	1878	1878	100	Head Master, Balasore ditto ditto ...	Temporarily.
41	Beni Prasad Misra	1872	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Durbhunga	Ditto.
42	Chaturbhuj Patnaik, B.A. ...	1877	1878	95	Ditto, Balasore	Ditto.
43	Piyari Mohan Dutt	1864	1869	90	7th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
44	Sasadhar Ray	1867	1871	90	4th ditto, Midnapore ditto ditto.	
45	Raj Kumar Ray	1859	1873	90	5th ditto, Hooghly ditto ditto.	
46	Kali Kumar Guha	1856	1877	90	2nd ditto, Mymensingh Zillah ditto.	
47	Obhoy Charan Pal, B.A.... ...	1872	1877	90	5th ditto, Hindu ditto.	
48	Rajani Kantha Ghose, B.A. ..	1874	1877	90	4th ditto, Dacca Collegiate ditto.	
49	Okhoy Kumar Mookerjea ...	1868	1878	90	2nd ditto, Bankoora Zillah ditto.	
50	Rasamoy Basak, M.A.	1873	1878	90	2nd ditto, Barisal ditto ditto.	
51	Naba Kumar Banerjea	1864	1866	80	Head Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.	
52	Dwarkanath Sarkar	1870	1870	80	Ditto, ditto ditto, Western ditto.	
53	Haran Chandra Banerjea ...	1860	1871	80	3rd Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
54	Ram Narayan Tarkaratna ...	1855	1874	80	Assistant Professor, Sanscrit College.	
55	Madan Mohan Mookerjea ...	1864	1874	80	5th Master, Hare School.	
56	Abdur Rohim	1862	1874	80	3rd Maulavi, Calcutta Madrassa.	
57	Tara Kisor Mookerjea	1853	1875	80	3rd Master, Berhampore Collegiate School.	
58	Shama Churn Moorkerjea ...	1859	1876	80	Head Pundit, Hindu ditto.	
59	Kedarnath Banerjea	1869	1876	80	6th Master, ditto ditto.	
60	Suranath Chatterjea, B.A. ...	1874	1876	80	2nd ditto, Monghyr Zillah ditto.	
61	Pitambor Dé	1859	1877	80	2nd ditto, Beerbhoom ditto ditto.	
62	Madhu Sudan Rao	1873	1877	80	3rd ditto, Cuttack Collegiate ditto.	
63	Adharnath Mookerjea, M.A. ...	1877	1877	80	3rd ditto, Kishnaghur ditto ditto.	
64	Pramath Nath Chatterjea, B.A. ...	1877	1877	80	2nd ditto, Mozufferpore Zillah ditto.	
65	Kailas Chandra Bhattacharjea, B.A.	1877	1878	80	4th ditto, Chittagong Collegiate ditto.	
66	Prasanno Kumar Chatterjea, M.A. ...	1878	1878	80	2nd ditto, Arrah Zillah ditto.	
67	Sasi Bhushan Mookerjea ...	1863	1865	75	Sub-Inspector, Rungpore	Draws also personal allowance of Rs. 20 a month.
68	Ram Krishna Chatterjea ...	1865	1865	75	Ditto, Burdwan.	
69	Dwarkanath Banerjea	1866	1866	75	Ditto, Moorshedabad.	
70	Bani Madhub Chaki	1854	1867	75	Ditto, ditto.	
71	Ram Chandra Bhaumik ...	1868	1868	75	Ditto, Rungpore.	
72	Braja Ballabh Mitra	1870	1870	75	Ditto, Burdwan.	
73	Umes Chandra Bose	1873	1873	75	Head Master, Cuttack Survey School.	
74	Sagar Chandra Chuckerbutty, B.A. ...	1873	1873	75	4th ditto, Rajshahye Collegiate ditto.	
75	Jogendranath Lahiri, M.A. ...	1874	1874	75	3rd ditto, Uttarpara Zillah ditto.	
	Class VII (100).—Rs. 50 to Rs. 75.					
				Rs.		
1	Muhammad Rashid	1851	1854	75	Head Maulavi, Hooghly College.	
2	Syama Charan Chatterjea ...	1857	1865	75	Head Pundit, Calcutta Normal School.	
3	Ram Kumar Banerjea	1861	1865	75	Sub-Inspector, Mymensingh.	
4	Krishna Nath Banerjea... ...	1862	1867	75	Ditto, Backergunge.	
5	Braja Mohun Tarkalankar ...	1856	1868	75	Ditto, Moorshedabad.	
6	Lal Mohan Vidyanidhi... ...	1868	1869	75	Ditto, Burdwan.	

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	CLASS VII (100).—Rs. 50 TO Rs. 75.—(*continued.*)					
				Rs.		
7	Nil Madhub Mookerjea	1869	1869	75	Sub-Inspector, Nuddea.	
8	Mahesh Chandra Chuckerbutty ...	1869	1869	75	Ditto, Pubna.	
9	Lakhi Narayan Lahiri	1873	1873	75	Chemistry Teacher, Hooghly Normal School.	
10	Nityananda Dé	1873	1875	75	Sub-Inspector, Midnapore.	
11	Baburam Chatterjea, M.A. ...	1875	1875	75	3rd Master, Howrah Zillah School.	
12	Beni Madhub Mookerjea ...	1857	1876	75	4th Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
13	Syama Charan Sen	1858	1876	75	2nd Master, Gya Zillah School.	
14	Bana Mali Mallik	1865	1876	75	5th Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
15	Indra Kumar Chatterjea ...	1859	1877	75	Sub-Inspector, Burdwan.	
16	Janaki Prasad	1862	1877	75	Ditto, Chumparun.	
17	Rajeswar Gupta	1864	1877	75	Head Master, Chittagong Normal School.	
18	Syud Khairat Ahmed, B.A. ...	1873	1877	75	2nd ditto, Patna Survey ditto.	
19	Sadhu Charan Sil	1855	1878	75	5th ditto, Dacca Collegiate ditto.	
20	Rakhal Chandra Chatterjea ...	1856	1878	75	2nd ditto, Ranchi Zillah ditto.	
21	Sarada Kantha Sen	1864	1878	75	Sub-Inspector, Furreedpore.	
22	Adinath Mitra	1866	1878	75	Ditto, ditto.	
23	Srinath Mitra	1868	1878	75	Ditto, Jessore.	
24	Radha Kisor Chuckerbutty ...	1871	1878	75	Sub-Inspector, Dacca.	
25	Mahendranath Dutt	1873	1878	75	Ditto, 24-Pergunnahs.	
26	Tarak Bandhu Chuckerbutty ...	1874	1878	75	Ditto, Dacca.	
27	Jagat Chandra Sarkar, B.A. ...	1875	1878	75	2nd Master, Comillah Zillah School.	
28	Rajendra Nath Banerjea, B.A. ...	1875	1878	75	2nd ditto, Palamow ditto ditto.	
29	Tripura Charan Banerjea, B.A. ...	1876	1878	75	3rd ditto, Bhagulpore ditto ditto.	
30	Mahim Mohan Bose, B.A. ...	1876	1878	75	2nd ditto, Furreedpore ditto ditto.	
31	Rajendra Lal Mallik	1855	1859	70	2nd ditto, Hooghly Branch ditto.	
32	Jadunath Shaha	1848	1868	70	7th ditto, Hindu ditto.	
33	Sajiwan Lal, B.A.	1873	1873	70	2nd ditto, Patna Normal ditto.	
34	Poreshnath Ghose	1873	1873	70	Head Master, Purulia ditto ditto.	
35	Chandi Charan Dé	1849	1874	70	6th Master, Hare School.	
36	Hari Charan Bhattacharjea ...	1868	1875	70	4th ditto, Krishnaghur Collegiate School.	
37	Mahendranath Ghose	1873	1876	70	Head Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle.	
38	Kedarnath Ray	1869	1877	70	3rd Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.	
39	Mohim Chandra Bose	1874	1877	70	3rd ditto, Mymensingh Zillah ditto.	
40	Bhubaneswar Gupta	1877	1877	70	Head Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Rajshahye Circle.	
41	Raj Narayan Chuckerbutty ...	1858	1878	70	8th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
42	J. N. Jones	1875	1878	70	4th ditto, Bhagulpore Zillah ditto.	
43	Mahendranath Sen	1866	1871	65	Head Clerk, Calcutta Madrassa.	
44	Alim Khan	1858	1863	60	2nd Maulavi, Patna Collegiate ditto.	
45	Kali Prasanna Vidyaratna ...	1863	1863	60	Head Pundit, Hooghly Normal ditto.	
46	Ram Jadu Bhattacharjea ...	1867	1869	60	1st English Teacher, Calcutta ditto ditto.	
47	Hira Lal Pal, B.A.	1873	1873	60	4th Master, Howrah Zillah ditto.	
48	Rammay Tarkaratna	1860	1874	60	1st Grammar Pundit, Sanskrit College.	
49	Uma Charn Ghose	1860	1874	60	3rd Master, Barisal Zillah School.	
50	Mahamad Ismail	1864	1874	60	4th Maulvi, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
51	Obhoy Charan Bose	1868	1874	60	5th Master, Midnapore Collegiate School.	
52	Jankinath Panre	1869	1875	60	4th ditto, Berhampore ditto ditto.	
53	Keshab Lal Bose	1874	1875	60	2nd ditto, Jessore Zillah ditto.	
54	Harinath Chatterjee	1875	1875	60	2nd ditto, Deoghur ditto ditto.	
55	Kanai Lal Som	1856	1876	60	8th ditto, Hindu ditto.	
56	Rajkrishna Gupta	1870	1876	60	6th Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
57	Tribhuwan Singh	1876	1876	60	3rd Master, Gya Zillah School.	
58	Mahendra Narayan Mookerjea ...	1856	1877	60	3rd ditto, Beerbhoom ditto ditto.	
59	Hari Mohan Ganguli	1868	1877	60	3rd ditto, Chupra ditto ditto.	
60	Raj Kumar Lal	1870	1877	60	3rd ditto, Arrah ditto ditto.	
61	Gopal Chandra Chatterjea ...	1872	1877	60	2nd ditto, Pooree ditto ditto.	
62	Siddheswar Banerjea	1874	1877	60	7th ditto, Haro ditto.	
63	Syud Reazat Hossain	1875	1877	60	2nd ditto, Motihari ditto ditto.	
64	Suresh Chandra Kobiraj ...	1876	1877	60	4th ditto, Patna Collegiate ditto.	
65	Dip Narayan Singh	1872	1877	60	Head ditto, Patna Cheap English ditto.	
66	Trailokyanath Ghose, B.A. ...	1877	1877	60	2nd ditto, Balasore Zillah ditto.	
67	Taraknath Sarkar, B.A.	1877	1877	60	2nd ditto, Baraset ditto ditto.	
68	Rameswar Sen	1862	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Bankoorah.	
69	Raj Kumar Das	1868	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Furreedpore.	
70	Sriharsha Bhattacharjea ...	1868	1878	60	4th Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
71	Chundra Sekhar Mookerjea, B.A. ...	1873	1878	60	8th Master, Hare School.	
72	Ram Dayal Ghose	1873	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Nuddea	

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	CLASS VII (100).—Rs. 50 to Rs 75—(*concluded.*)					
73	Amrita Lal Ghose ...	1873	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Burdwan	
74	Lachman Prasad ...	1874	1878	60	3rd Master, Patna Normal School.	
75	Basanta Kumar Sen, B A. ...	1875	1878	60	6th ditto, Dacca Collegiate ditto.	
76	Purna Chundra Mitra, M A. ...	1878	1878	60	5th ditto, Kishnaghur ditto ditto.	
77	Hem Chandra Soor	1878	1878	60	2nd ditto, Purneah Zillah ditto.	
78	Haranath Mitra	1847	1875	55	6th ditto, Kishnaghur Collegiate ditto.	
79	Mahendranath Ghose	1864	1875	55	3rd ditto, Monghyr ditto ditto.	
80	Jiban Krishna Banerjea... .	1836	1877	55	Head Clerk, Hooghly College.	
81	Tossaduq Hossein	1869	1878	55	2nd Maulavi, Dacca Madrassa.	
82	Mahendra Narayan Mookerjea ...	1857	1859	50	3rd Master, Beerbhoom Zillah School.	
83	Bana Mali Mookerjea	1863	1866	50	2nd Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.	
84	Ram Das Mookerjea	1869	1869	50	Sub-Inspector, 24-Pergunnahs	
85	Okhoy Kumar Majumdar ...	1869	1869	50	2nd Master, Bogra Zillah School.	
86	Karali Charan Sarkar	1869	1870	50	3rd ditto, Bankoora ditto ditto.	
87	Madhu Sudan Ganguli	1870	1870	50	2nd ditto, Barrackpore ditto ditto.	
88	Mati Lal Mookerjea	1868	1873	50	Sub-Inspector, Rungpore	
89	Pareshnath De	1874	1874	50	Ditto, Jessore.	
90	Mir Sujjad Ali	1874	1874	50	Ditto, ditto.	
91	Loknath Chuckerbutty, B A ...	1875	1875	50	2nd Master, Pubna Zillah School.	
92	Bholanath Das	1867	1876	50	Sub-Inspector, Balasore.	
93	Jadunandan Sahai	1869	1876	50	Ditto, Patna.	
94	Sarat Chandra Sen	1873	1876	50	Ditto, Chittagong	
95	Ram Taran Samanta	1874	1876	50	Ditto, Hazaribagh.	
96	Hem Chandra Sen, B A.... ...	1877	1877	50	2nd Master, Hazaribagh Zillah School.	
97	Jadunath Chuckerbutty	1877	1877	50	Sub-Inspector, Rungpore.	
98	Upendranath Bagchi, B A. ..	1877	1877	50	Chemistry Lecturer, Calcutta Normal School.	
99	Gopal Chandra Mookerjea, B.A ...	1877	1878	50	2nd Master, Purulia Zillah School.	
100	Romanath Ghose, M A.	1878	1878	50	Extra Master, Hare School.	

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 18th January 1879.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
	Burdwan Divn.		
1	Burdwan, Jan. 18 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. *Amun* has been reaped and harvested. The prospects of the cold-weather crops are good. Public health is on the whole improving.
2	Bankoora, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—clear and warm. The prospects of the crops continue to be good. Fever is abating in every part of the district.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The harvest is a very full one.
4	Midnapore, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
5	Hooghly, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—not cold enough for the time of the year. Wind from the north. The *amun* crop is nearly harvested. The outturn is good. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are generally good. Fever still prevails, as also cholera at Gooptiparah in thana Balaghur.
	Howrah, „ 20 „	Nil	Weather—rather colder than last week. The few crops on the ground are doing well.
	Central Districts		
	Presidency Divn.		
6	24-Pergunnahs, Jan. 18 '79	Nil	Weather—cooler than last week. North wind blowing. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory. Cholera and small-pox are abating.
7	Nuddea, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—cool. The *amun* harvest is completed over the greater part of the district with a fair outturn. The winter crops are generally doing well. Cholera is bad near Kishnaghur and in other parts of the district, and fever is reported from several places.
8	Jessore, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *amun* harvest is nearly completed. The spring crops are promising. General health is good.
9	Moorshedabad, „ 18 „	Nil	Cool nights and mornings, hot midday. The *rubbee* crops promise well. Large exportations of rice are going on down stream and by rail to Calcutta. Prices have risen from 13½ seers (last week) to 12 seers, notwithstanding the favourable harvest.
	Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn.		
10	Dinagepore, „ 17 „	0·05	Weather—fine. The rice harvest is nearly finished. The crop is above the average. Mustard and other cold-weather crops are looking well.
11	Rajshahye, „ 18 „	Nil	The *dhan* crop is still being harvested. The *rubbee* crops continue to be favourable, but want rain. Reports of cholera have been received from Bagmara and Singrah police stations.
12	Rungpore, „ 17 „	Nil	Sun hot in the daytime. Nights cold, with heavy dews which supply the place of the Christmas rains. Prospects continue favourable. Cholera still prevails in parts of the district.
13	Bogra, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The cutting of *amun* is nearly finished. The *rubbee* crops look promising. Sugarcane is being cut. Fever is prevalent in some parts of the district. Twelve cases of cholera were reported from Bogra during the week; of these, four proved fatal.
14	Pubna, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—fine, cool, and seasonable. The harvesting of the *amun dhan* is going on. The prospects of the other crops are good. Prices are still high. The public health is fairly good.
15	Darjeeling, „ 17 „	Nil	Alternate sunshine and clouds. Heavy frost in the night. *Haimanta dhan* has turned out very well. The ground is being prepared for other crops. Wheat, barley, and buck-wheat have also been gathered.
16	Julpigoree, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—still continues warm for the time of year. Nothing to add to previous week's report. The *haimanta* crop has turned out well. The land is being prepared for the *bhadoi* crops.
	Cooch Behar, „ 16 „	Nil	Weather—not seasonable. Much hotter than usual at this time of year. The *haimanta* crop is nearly harvested. Coarse rice sells from Rs. 3 to 3-2 a maund. The cold-weather crops are looking well, but a little rain is wanted. Public health is fair, but fever is prevalent.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divn. 17	Dacca, Jan. 18 '79	Nil	Weather—hot for the season, with clouds. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
Dacca Divn. 18	Furreedpore, „ 19 „	Nil	Weather—fair; rather warmer than is usual at this time of year. The crops are good. Nearly all the *amun* has been reaped. The winter crops are in fair condition.
Dacca Divn. 19	Backergunge, „ 16 „	Nil	Weather—on the whole seasonable, though hotter than usual on one or two days. The winter harvest may be said to be completed all over the district. The outturn is very good. General health is good.
Dacca Divn. 20	Mymensingh, „ 17 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy and for the most part warm. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
Dacca Divn. 21	Tipperah, „ 17 „	Nil	Weather—fair and cold. The *amun* crop is now all gathered. The outturn is good. The minor crops are in fair condition.
Chittagong Divn. 22	Chittagong, „ 16 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The state and prospects of the crops are excellent. The *amun* crop is all reaped.
Chittagong Divn. 23	Noakholly, „ 16 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable The reaping of the *amun* crop is nearly completed; the outturn is good. The prospects of the *rubbee* cropsare favourable.
Chittagong Divn. 24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—rather cold. Foggy in the morning and clear at noon throughout the week. The mustard is in flower. Tobacco is thriving well in some places; in others transplanting has commenced.
Chittagong Divn.	Hill Tipperah „ 15 „	Nil	Temperature a little high for the season. Weather occasionally cloudy. The prospects of the crops are good everywhere. The gathering of the *amun* crop is almost finished.
BEHAR.			
Patna Divn. 25	Patna, Jan. 18 '79	Nil	Weather seasonable. No change since last report. Rain would do good.
Patna Divn. 26	Gya, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 84·5°. The *aghani* crop has almost all been cut. The *rubbee* crops are flourishing, but a good shower of rain is wanted. A few cases of small-pox have been reported, otherwise the public health is generally good. The condition of the plough-cattle is also good.
Patna Divn. 27	Shahabad, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—rather warm for the season, but cool since the 17th. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops remain favourable Some rain is wanted. Public health is good.
Patna Divn. 28	Durbhunga, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The paddy harvest has been nearly completed. The *rubbee* requires rain. Prices are steadily rising.
Patna Divn. 29	Mozufferpore, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—fine and cold. There has been no change in the state of the crops. Rain is much wanted.
Patna Divn. 30	Sarun, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—cold and fair. Slight fogs in the mornings. West wind is prevailing. No rain. The cold-weather crops are doing well, but rain is urgently required. Early mustard is being reaped. The poppy is in flower in some places. Prices are stationary Public health is good.
Patna Divn. 31	Chumparun, „ 18 „	Nil	Strong west winds. Rain is badly wanted. The *rubbee* crops are poor for want of moisture.
Bhagulpore Division. 32	Monghyr, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—cold, with west wind The state and prospects of the crops are excellent.
Bhagulpore Division. 33	Bhagulpore, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—fine and cold. New rice has come to the market, but prices have an upward tendency, owing to the heavy demand for exportation. The cold-weather crops require a little rain, especially in the south. General health is good.
Bhagulpore Division. 34	Purneah „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The *rubbee* crops are good, but rain is wanted in several parts of the district.
Bhagulpore Division. 35	Maldah, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—fair. The crops are doing well. Cases of cholera are of rather frequent occurrence in almost all parts of the district west of the river Mahanunda.
Bhagulpore Division. 36	Sonthal Pergns. „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—clear and cold. All the crops seem to be generally doing well, but rain is wanted in Doomka. Wheat and barley are in ear.

No.	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
	ORISSA.		
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack Jan 18 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* and *rubbee* crops are being harvested. Cholera and fever are still prevalent in the Jajpore sub-division.
Orissa Divn. 38	Pooree, „ 16 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* rice is being harvested. *Dalua* rice is progressing well. Common rice is selling at 15¼ to 23¼ seers for the rupee. Three coasting vessels are being loaded. Public health is good.
Orissa Divn. 39	Balasore, „ 17 „	Nil	Weather—unchanged. Most of the rice harvest has been reaped. Malarious fever is still very prevalent
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-West Frontier Agency.*		
40	Hazareebagh, Jan. 17 '79	Nil	Weather—fine, but warm for the time of year. The state and prospects of the crops are at present generally good.
41	Lohardugga, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops. General health is good.
42	Singbhoom, „ 17 „	Nil	Weather—warm. The *rubbee* crops on the ground are doing fairly. The oilseeds are being cut The price of rice is stationary.
43	Manbhoom, „ 18 „	Nil	Weather—warm and unseasonable for this time of the year. The prospects of the crops continue good and the general health is excellent.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE UNDERMENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JANUARY 1879.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in th

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE R

DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL.																					
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Burdwan ...	A 12 4	12 0	12 8	19 0	18 0	25 0	13 8	13 10	14 8	14 4	14 8	15 4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bankoora ...	B 10 4 C	10 12	13 12	14 0	14 0	24 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	W 8	14 8 to 17 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beerbhoom ...	11 0	11 0	13 8	...	...	20 0	10 8	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hooghly ...	D 10 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	11 8	10 8 to 11 0	13 0 to 13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah ...	10 8	10 8	13 8	...	...	...	9 8	9 0	9 0	11 8	11 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Districts.																					
Calcutta ...	10 4	10 8	12 0	13 4	14 0	18 0	5 11	6 3	7 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	...	18 0	...	...	...
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Nuddea ...	F 11 14	12 5	13 5	...	16 0	...	10 0	10 0	12 5	10 10	10 10	12 13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore ...	G 11 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 12	12 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moorshedabad...	H 12 0	12 0	14 0 to 15 0	...	...	27 0	11 4	10 0	10 0 to 14 0	12 8	12 0	15 0 to 15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Rajshahye ...	J 12 0	12 0	16 8 to 18 0	11 4	10 8	26 12	10 8	9 0 to 11 4	9 12	13 8 to 14 4	13 2 to 14 4	13 8 to 15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rungpore ...	K 8 0	8 0	15 13	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	11 5½	14 12	14 12	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bogra ...	12 0	12 0	9 12	...	...	...	9 12	9 8	12 0	13 8	15 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pubna ...	L 13 0	15 0	13 0 to 16 0	...	...	...	8 0	6 4	8 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Julpigoree ...	N 8 0	8 8	9 1	...	...	...	6 8	8 0	13 0	11 0	13 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Eastern Districts.																					
Dacca ...	O 9 8	9 11	12 4	...	...	...	9 0 to 10 12	8 12 to 10 0	11 7	12 4	11 7 to 13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Furreedpore ...	P 13 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	6 0	6 0	8 0	12 0	12 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Backergunge ...	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	12 8	13 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh ...	R 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	14 0	11 0	11 0	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return of wages of labour not received.

A In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10½ to 12½ seers, barley 16 seers, best rice 11 to 14½ seers, common rice 12½ to 16 seers, and gram 10 to 10½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 25 seers, best rice 12 to 15 seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, maize or Indian 20 to 24 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, best rice 12 to 15 seers, common rice 13 to 17 seers, and gram 9 to 11½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 10½ seers, barley 13 to 16 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 10½ to 13 seers, and gram 9 to 10 seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 9½ to 10½ seers, barley 13½ to 14½ seers, best rice 6 to 6½ seers, common rice 10 to 12½ seers, and gram 9½ to 10½ seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10½ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 20½ seers, best rice 7 to 12½ seers, common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram 10 to 12½ seers.

G In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 13 seers, common rice 12 to 15 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

H In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 14 seers, and gram 11 to 12 seers.

ermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th January 1879.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS

ER OR INDIAN-CORN.		GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH. ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			DISTRICTS
Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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25 0	32 0	10 8	10 8	15 0	360 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 8	4 8 to 5 8	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 9 8	7 8 to 9 8	7 8 to 8 0	Bankoora.
26 8	30 0	9 0	10 0	16 0	180 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Beerbhoom.
...	...	9 0	9 0	17 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	5 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 8 to 10 0	6 0 to 7 0	Midnapore
...	...	9 0	10 0	13 0 to 14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8 to 12 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0	Hooghly.
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...	...	8 0	8 0	13 0	75 0	64 0	80 0	8 0	6 3	7 4	7 8	7 1½	5 0 to 8 0	6 0	7 0	6 0 to 10 0	13 0 to 15 0	14 6	10 0 to 20 0	Julpigoree
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In Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 11½ seers, best rice 12½ seers, common rice 14½ seers, and gram 10 seers
In Nattore the prices are—Wheat 16½ seers, best rice 8¾ seers, common rice 12 seers and gram 8⅝ seers.
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 4 to 21 seers, best rice 9 to 12 seers, common rice 10 to 14½ seers, and gram 6¾ to 8 seers.
At Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 6¾ seers, common rice 10 seers, and gram 8 seers
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 5 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, and gram 6 to 7 seers
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 8 seers, best rice 10 to 15 seers, common rice 12 to 17 seers, and gram 6½ to 8 seers.
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 9 to 11 seers, common rice 11½ to 13 seers, and grain (at Naraingunge) 9½ seers.
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10 to 10½ seers, common rice 12 to 13 seers, and grain 8 to 12 seers.
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10½ to 12 seers, common rice 13 to 13 seers, and gram 6 to 12 seers.
In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 9 to 10 seers, best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 10 to 12 seers, and gram 7½ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

Number.	DISTRICTS	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE																													
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR			LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MUNDUA AND CHENA											
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return											
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)																														
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21	Chittagong ..	S 10 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	..	11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	..	...	...	...											
22	Noakholly ..	T ...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	17 0	...	...	.			.	.	..										
23	Tipperah ...	10 8	10 8	11 0	...	...	..	8 8	8 8	13 8	13 4	13 0	17 8	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	..										
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	..	.	...	...	...	11 6	11 7	10 0	13 5	13 5	11 6	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..										
	Hill Tipperah .	8 0	7 5	9 5	...	...	..	12 0	9 0	15 0	16 0	12 5	19 0	...	..	...	..	..	...	...	..										
	BEHAR.																														
25	Patna ...	14 0	13 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	23 0	9 8	10 0	10 8	17 8	17 8	17 0	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	..										
26	Gya ..	12 8	12 8	16 0	16 0	13 8	30 0	8 8	0 0	10 0	14 8	16 0	14 8	.	..	..	...	...	.	26 0	26 0										
27	Shahabad ...	U 12 8 to 13 0	14 0 to 15 0	13 12	16 0	17 0 to 18 0	20 4	13 0 to 14 0	13 0 to 14 0	11 0	15 0	15 0 to 16 8	12 8 to 13 0	..	..	..	25 0	26 8 to 28 0	18 0	...											
28	Durbhunga ...	12 0	12 8	16 8	17 0	16 8	25 4	11 0	12 0	10 0	14 0	14 12	13 8	...	...	...	..	.	.	21 0	24 0										
29	Mozufferpore ..	V 13 0	12 0	14 0	...	20 0	.	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	...		..	...	...										
30	Sarun ...	12 4	12 4	11 8	19 4	20 6	18 0	7 12	7 8	7 8	14 4	14 0	11 0	...	...	..	28 0	29 4	16 0	22 0	26 0										
31	Chumparun ..	W 11 0	11 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	21 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	16 0	17 8	12 8	...	...	...	..	..	..	...	...										
32	Monghyr ...	X 12 6	13 6	14 7	14 7	14 7	21 0	10 5	9 4	8 4	13 6	13 6	11 5	..	...	...	.	...	...	.	...										
33	Bhagulpore ..	Y 12 0	12 0	13 14	11 6	12 10	20 3	13 4	12 10	12 0	15 2	15 2	13 4	...	...	...	...		...	...	...										
34	Purneah ..	Z 13 0	13 0	14 0 to 18 0	..	..	...	15 8	16 0	16 0	16 8	17 0 to 18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...										
35	Malusb ...	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	32 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	16 0	14 0	18 0	...	.	18 0	...	...	...	...	...										
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	Z1 9 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	.	16 0	16 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...										
	ORISSA.																														
37	Cuttack ..	13 2	12 7	13 2	...	...	..	11 13	10 8	9 3	15 12*	14 7	14 7	.	...	...	..	...	...	6 9	21 0										
38	Pooree ...	10 8	10 8	14 7	...		...	8 9	8 9	7 14	15 0	15 0	14 7	...	...	...	...	.	...	..	...										
39	Balasore ...	8 0	8 0	11 0	..	...	..	12 8	8 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..										
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																														
40	Hazareebagh ...	Z2 11 0	11 0	14 0	...	...		8 8	9 0	10 0	15 0	17 8	15 0	...	..	..	...		...	25 0	27 0										
41	Lohardugga ...	Z3 9 0	0 0	10 0	...	...	18 0	14 0	16 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	..	...	...	...	28 0	39 0										
42	Singbhoom ...	8 0	5 0	18 0	24 0	20 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
43	Manbhoom ...	9 12	9 12	12 0	.	...	32 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	19 0	19 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	..	...	64 0	64 0										

a Return of wages of labor not received.

* In the interior the price of common rice varies from 18¾ to 26½ seers per rupee

† With one meal a day Rs. 2-5 to Rs 2-11; with two meals a day Re 1 to Rs 1-4.

S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice (at Cox's Bazar) 14 seers, and common rice 14 to 16 seers.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 8 to 16 seers, and common rice 11 to 18 seers.

U In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 13 to 14 seers, barley 15 to 18 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 14 to 15 seers, bulrush millet 18 great millet 22 to 23 seers, lesser millets 22 seers, maize or Indian-corn 21 to 23 seers, and gram 10¾ to 11¼ seers.

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 20 seers, barley 20 seers, best rice 12 to 20 seers, common rice 16 to 22 seers, lesser millets 25 to 35 maize or Indian-corn 25 to 40 seers, and gram 12 to 18 seers.

W In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 13 seers, barley 12½ to 18 seers, best rice 9 to 11 seers, common rice 15 to 18½ seers, lesser millets 32 to 40 maize or Indian-corn 30 to 35 seers, and gram 8¾ to 12 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 21st January 1879.

undermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th January 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			Average wages per month. Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.			Syce or Horse-keeper.			Common Mason Carpenter, or, Blacksmith.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																					Eastern Districts—(Cont
S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
..	...	...	7 8	6 0	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 9 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	9 0 to 15 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	...	..	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	... *a*	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	Noakholly.
...	...	...	7 8	7 8	12 0	..	...	..	8.12	8 12	8 8	... *a*	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...		320 0	320 0	320 0	6 10	8 0	7 4	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	7 5	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	6 4	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	11 0	9 12	10 0	Hill Tipperah.
																					BEHAR.
29 0	28 0	20 0	10 0	11 8	22 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 0 to 10 0	5 10 to 7 8	Patna.
32 8	24 0	19 0	9 8	10 0	20 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	. *a*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Gya.
34 0	24 0	...	9 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 9 8	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	3 0 to 3 8	3 0 to 3 8	3 0 to 3 8	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 12 0	7 0 to 12 0	7 0 to 12 0	Shahabad.
30 0	31 0	19 0	9 12	9 4	17 8	120 0	120 0	176 0	7 12	7 12	8 0	2 13 to 3 12	3 12	2 13 to 3 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 12 to 7 8	5 8 to 7 8	2 0 to 4 0	Durbhunga.
27 0	29 0	18 0	9 0	10 0	15 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 8	8 0	8 0	2 0 to 3 0	4 0 to 5 0	2 0 to 3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 8 to 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	Muzufferpore.
36 0	28 0	16 0	9 8	10 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	2 8 to 3 12	2 8 to 3 12	2 8 to 3 12	4 0 to 4 8	4 0 to 4 8	4 0 to 4 8	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Sarun.
30 0	35 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	17 0	..	...	..	8 0	8 0	7 0	2 13	2 13	2 13	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 13	5 0	5 0	Chumparun.
27 8	29 4	17 8	11 5	12 6	16 8	147 0	147 0	126 0	9 1	8 4	8 4	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	Monghyr.
27 12	27 12	18 15	10 1	11 6	20 3	138 12	138 12	151 9	8 8	8 13	8 8	3 0 to 4 0	2 13 to 3 12	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 10 0	5 10 to 9 6	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	10 0	10 0 to 11 0	14 0 to 18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	... *a*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Purneah.
...	...	24 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	40 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	7 8	7 8	3 0	5 0	6 0	4 0	6 0 to 15 0	5 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 12 0	Maldah.
30 0	30 0	23 0	9 0	9 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	240 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 12†	3 12	3 12	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	Sonthal Pergha.
																					ORISSA.
...	...	...	14 7	13 2	18 6	200 0	200 0	2 0 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	11 13	11 13	14 7	100 0	100 0	105 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 0	5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 10 0.	8 0 to 0 0	8 0 to 10 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	6 8	6 8	11 0	80 0	80 0	120 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	. *a*	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore.
																					CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
32 0	24 0	18 0	9 8	10 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazarebagh.
30 0	22 0	30 0	9 0	9 0	18 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	3 0‡	3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	5 0§ to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	26 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 0	6 0	6 8	3 0	3 0	3 0 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	Singbhoom.
24 0	26 0	40 0	9 8	9 4	16 0	130 0	130 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	5 0	4 0	5 0	9 6	9 6	7 8	Manbhoom.

X At Begusarai the prices are—Wheat 18¾ seers, barley 18¾ seers, best rice 9⅛ seers, common rice 14½ seers, jowar 19⅛ seers, lesser millets 26½ seers, maize or Indian-corn 27⅛ seers, and gram 12¾ seers.

Y At Soopole the prices are—Wheat 18 seers, best rice 20 seers, common rice 21 seers, lesser millets 35 seers, and gram 18 seers.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12½ to 16 seers, best rice 16½ to 18 seers, common rice 16½ to 24 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

Z1 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 13½ seers, best rice 16 to 19 seers, common rice 17½ to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 27½ to 33¾ seers, and gram 10 to 11¼ seers..

Z2 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 13 seers, barley 16th seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 10 seers, common rice 17 to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 26 to 27½ seers, and gram 10 seers.

Z3 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 11·81 seers, best rice 15·18 to 21 seers, common rice 16·88 to 22 seers, mohwa (at Daltonganga) 15·18 seers, murwa 27 to 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltonganga) 27 seers, and gram 9 to 11 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUNI

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET-CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta .	3 13 6	3 12 6	3 5 6	2 15 6	2 12 6	2 6 6	7 0 0	6 7 9	5 11 6	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	4 2 0	3 12 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	4 0 0 to 4 6 0	3 6 0 to 4 8 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 0 0 to 3 7 0	2 6 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 10 0	3 3 0	3 5 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
6	Patna .	2 13 9	3 1 3	2 3 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0	4 5 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	2 5 9	2 4 6	2 6 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	4 6 0	4 15 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	4 12 0	2 13 0	2 10 0	3 2 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
8	Poorse ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	3 0 0	3 3 0	2 9 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	2 5 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	...	...	...

CALCUTTA,
The 21st January 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th January* 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	
2 8 0	...	2 3 6	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 3 6	4 0 0	3 11 9	3 3 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 5 0	3 2 0	0 6 0	0 5 0	0 6 0	4 5 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 15 0	2 12 0	0 13 0	0 13 0	0 9 0	4 4 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 0	1 7 3	2 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	1 13 0	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0 0	6 0 0	3 8 0	0 6 0	0 8 0	0 5 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poorea.
...	...	...	5 14 0	1 11 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	2 10 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 8 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 1st to 4th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 5th to 11th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	Nil	11th Jan.	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rhaneegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Johanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	Nil	ditto	11th Jan.	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Maheshpaka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Central Districts						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Baraset	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barrackpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Koosbtea	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jessore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore	Narail	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Berhampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Jungypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	0·05	0.05	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	0.10	0·10	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	0.30	0·30	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	0·32	0·32	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	0.06	0·06	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	Not recd	ditto	4th Jan.	
	Pubna .	Pubna	ditto	Nil	ditto	11th Jan.	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Buxa...	ditto	0·22	0·22	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 1st to 4th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 5th to 11th January 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	Nil	11th Jan.	
		Dacca... Hospital	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Furreedpore	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Backergunge	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoakhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Chittagong Telegraph Office	0·13	ditto	0·13	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail	0·16	ditto	0·16	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	0·14	ditto	0·14	ditto	
	Noakholly	Noakholly	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	0·05	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah	Comillah	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill	0·20	ditto	0·20	ditto	
		Ruma	Nil	Not reed.	Nil	4th Jan.	
	Hill Tipperah	Hill Tipperah	0·11	Nil	0·11	11th „	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna	Patna	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Gya	Gya	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Shahabad	Arrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	0·08	0·08	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mozufferpore	Mozufferpore	ditto	Not reed.	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Durbhunga	Durbhunga	ditto	Nil	ditto	11th Jan.	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sarun	Chupra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Chumparun	Motiharee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	ditto		
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr	Monghyr	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Begoosarai	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bhagulpore	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Purneah	Purneah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	0·25	0·25	ditto	
		Deoghur	Not reed.	Nil	Nil	ditto...	Not received 1st to 4th January.
		Jamtara	Nil	Not reed.	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Godda	ditto	ditto	ditto	11th Jan.	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 1st to 4th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 5th to 11th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack Hospital	Nil	Not recd.	Nil	4th Jan.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	Not recd.	ditto			
		False Point	ditto	ditto			
	Pooree	Pooree	Nil	Nil	Nil	11th Jan.	
		Khurdah	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
	Balasore	Balasore	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Chandbally	Not recd.	Nil	ditto	11th "	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
		Barrcepudda	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	Not recd	ditto	4th Jan.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh	Hazareebagh Jail	ditto	Nill.	ditto	11th "	
		Hazareebagh Dispensary	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Lohardugga	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet	Sylhet	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sibsagar	Sibsagar	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Golaghat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Akyab	ditto	Nil	ditto	11th Jan.	
	Rajpootana	Alwar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 18th January 1879.

Alexander Pedler,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 12th to 18th January 1879.

Stations.	Date	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.*	Rain	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Jan. 12th	10	30·116	30·138	72·9	64·0	58	N E by E	5·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·971	29·993	79·9	65·9	44	N by E	4·5	...	.....	b
	13th	10	30·103	30·125	69·9	62·0	61	N E by N	3·5	...	c	c
		16	29·963	29·985	77·7	63·2	40	N by W	5·5	...	.....	b
	14th	10	30·083	30·105	71·6	62·2	57	N N E	2·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·960	29·982	79·0	64·0	40	N by W	7·3	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·072	30·094	70·9	62·6	61	N	2·3	...	c	c
		16	29·925	29·947	77·3	63·2	42	N	5·5	...	c	c
	16th	10	30·001	30·023	68·3	59·2	56	N E	0·8	...	c	c
		16	29·860	29·882	77·5	62·8	40	N W by N	4·7	...	c. ck ...	c
	17th	10	29·985	30·007	73·0	61·6	61	N W by W	1·3	...	c. ck ...	c
		16	29·830	29·852	80·4	64·1	37	N W by N	3·8	...	c	c
	18th	10	30·023	30·045	70·1	56·8	39	N E by N	4·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·877	29·899	76·0	59·1	31	N by W	9·2	...	.....	b
Sauger Island.	Jan. 12th	10	30·120	30·126	75	66	60	N E	7	...	.....	
		16	29·985	29·991	80·5	67·0	46	N	8	...	.....	b, c
	13th	10	30·103	30·109	76	65·5	55	N E	5	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·977	29·983	77·5	69	63	N W	4	...	.....	b, c
	14th	10	30·080	30·086	74·5	66	61	N N W	3	...	.. ...	b, c
		16	29·963	29·969	79	67	51	N	8	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·078	30·084	74·5	66	61	N E	4	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·934	29·940	78·5	64	41	N N E	8	...	.....	b, c
	16th	10	30·006	30·012	74	63	51	E N E	3	...	.....	Foggy.
		16	29·868	29·874	78	65	46	N W	4	...	... ..	b, c
	17th	10	29·983	29·989	75	69	72	W N W	3	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·844	29·850	78·5	72	72	S S W	4	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	30·020	30·026	73	60	43	N N W	8	...	... .	b, c
		16	29·886	29·892	77	62	38	N	16	...	.....	b
Chittagong.	Jan. 12th	10	30·017	30·112	72	66	71	N	6	...	... ..	
	13th	10	29·962	30·057	72	65	67	N W	4	...	.....	
	14th	10	29·966	30·061	69	63	70	N	4	...	.....	Very sultry
	15th	10	29·953	30·048	70	64	70	N N W	4	...	.....	
	16th	10	29·899	29·994	72·0	65·0	67	N	5	...	.....	
	17th	10	29·877	29·973	67	64	84	N	4	...	.....	Dark, gloomy weather.
	18th	10	29·866	29·960	70	65	75	N	3	..	.. ...	
Akyab.	Jan. 12th	10	30·059	30·081	80	70	58	N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	13th	10	30·047	30·069	76	69	69	N	2	...	.....	b, c
	14th	10	29·999	30·021	77	68	61	E N E	3	...	.....	b, c
	15th	10	29·988	30·010	77	64	46	N E	3	...	... ...	b, c
	16th	10	29·954	29·976	74	65	59	N N W	2	...	.....	b, c
	17th	10	29·926	29·948	76	70	73	E N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	29·950	29·972	74	68	72	N	2	...	.....	g
Kalee Point	Jan. 12th	10	30·113	30·128	75·5	70·0	75	N E	4	...	.....	b, c
	13th	10	30·100	30·115	76	66·5	59	N	5	...	.....	b
	14th	10	30·085	30·100	75·5	66	58	N N E	4	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·064	30·079	75	67·5	66	N W	5	...	.....	b
	16th	10	30·004	30·019	75	65	56	N N E	4	...	.....	b
	17th	10	29·994	30·009	75	68·5	71	Calm.	3	...	.....	
	18th	10	30·025	30·040	76	61	38	N N E	5	...	.....	b
Vizagapatam.	Jan. 12th	10	30·100	30·132	75·5	67·5	64	S E	1	...	... .	b, c
	13th	10	30·086	30·118	76	67·5	62	S E	1	...	.. ...	b, c
	14th	10	30·064	30·096	76	67	60	N N W	1	...	.....	b, c
	15th	10	30·043	30·075	76	67·5	62	N W	1	...	.....	b, c
	16th	10	30·015	30·047	75	65·5	58	W	1	...	.....	b, c
	17th	10	29·952	29·984	76·5	66	55	W	...	..	.....	b, c
	18th	10	29·967	29·999	76	73·5	47	N	1	...	.....	b, c
Colombo	Jan. 12th	10	29·926	29·967	80	73·5	72	N E	11	0·02	.....	Dark, gloomy weather.
	13th	10	29·926	29·967	76·5	72·5	82	N N E	10	...	.....	a, b, c
	14th	10	29·930	29·971	80·5	75	70	N N E	14	...	... .	b, c
	15th	10	29·908	29·949	82	73·5	65	N	15	...	.....	b, c
	16th	10	29·878	29·919	80·5	73	68	N N E	18	...	.....	b, c
	17th	10	29·890	29·931	81·5	73·0	65	N	17	...	.....	b, c
	18th	10	29·894	29·935	81	73	67	N	18	...	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 18th January 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg Meteorological Reporter to the Govt of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 12th to 18th January 1879

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain	Weather.
1879.		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Jan.	12th	136·8	30·042	68 8	80·7	19 7	61·0	62 0	0·495	58 7	70	Till noon N E, till midnight N by E.	77	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	13th	134 0	·017	66 4	78·0	20 0	58·0	60·7	·456	56 4	70	Till 10 A.M. N by E, till midnight chiefly N by W.	85	„	Chiefly clear, *f* and *w*.
„	14th	131 5	004	67 0	79 0	21·5	57·5	60 7	·449	55·9	68	Chiefly N.	76	„	Clear, *w*.
„	15th	133 2	29 983	65·6	77 9	21 2	56 7	60 3	·455	56·3	72	Till 1 A.M. N, till 10 A.M. N W, till noon N E through N, till midnight chiefly N.	79	„	Chiefly clear, *f* and *w*.
„	16th	132 2	·926	65·2	78·4	24·7	53·7	59 2	·425	54 4	68	Till 8 P.M. chiefly N, till midnight N W by N.	57	„	Chi fly cloudy, *w*.
„	17th	136 5	·895	67·9	81·5	23 0	58·5	62 0	·477	57·6	70	Till 9 P.M. chiefly N W by N, till midnight W through N W.	59	„	! ay chiefly cloudy, night clear, *w*.
„	18th	131·3	·937	67·1	76 8	16 8	60 0	57·6	·350	49·1	53	Till noon chiefly N N E through N W and N, till midnight N by W through N.	140	„	Clear, *w*.

			Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	...	29·972
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	...	30 032
			⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	...	66 9
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	...	67·0
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days	...	...	27·8
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	...	81 5
			%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	...	67
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	...	71
			Inches.
The total fall of rain from 12th to 18th January 1879	...	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	...	0·11
The total fall from 1st to 18th January 1879	...	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	...	0·21

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

w, dew; *f*, fog.

Meteorological Office, India,
The 20th January 1879.

John Eliot,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to 31st October 1878.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.			Five-year leases.		Three-year leases.				Annual leases.				Sugar-cane.		Grand Total.				Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
						Khurreef.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.												
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Estimated discharge utilised.	Leased during October.	Leased up to end of October.	Leased during October.	Leased up to end of October.	Leased during October.	Leased up to end of October.	Leased during October.	Leased up to end of October.	Leased during October.	Leased up to end of October.	Leased during October.	Leased up to end of October.	Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugarcane.	Total.		Inches during the month.	Inches during 1878-79.	Average of ten previous years of the same period.	
						Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.				
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara ...	1,269	635·58	.....	1,582	28,778	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	421	...	33	28,778	421	33	29,232	22,448	4·51	40·18	49·14	
		Pattamoondee ..	.....	... ..	.....	632	8,812	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	467	...	...	8,812	467	4	9,279	514				
		High Level, Section I	675	289·53	.....	377	12,555	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	5	...	9	12,555	5	9	12,569	10,107				
		Toldandah	1,300	286·69	.....	...	9,285	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	380	...	119	9,285	380	119	9,784	6,570				
		Machroong	650	455·96	.....	270	22,362	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	383	...	119	22,362	383	119	22,864	12,475				
		Gobri	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	85	...	6	... ..	85	6	91	... ..				
	Total of the month ...		.....	.....	.....	2,911	81,792	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1,741	...	286	81,792	1,741	286	83,819	52,114	.....	...	.....	
	Total of the corresponding month of previous year		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	..	...	...	7,943	51,376	...	626	2	113	51,376	626	115	52,114	.....	.....	...	.....	
South-Western ...	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	875	385	.....	169	48,262	...	...	...	...	...	691	...	...	...	...	48,953	...	...	48,953	8,367	2·32	48·09	9 years 51 18 8 years	
	Howrah	Panchkoorah ...	200	157	.....	42	5,956	...	...	..	...	...	133	...	...	...	...	6,089	...	...	6,089	2,663	1·55	38·61	52·65	
	Total of the month ...		... ..	.....	.....	211	54,218	...	...	...	...	...	824	...	...	...	...	55,042	...	...	55,042	11,030	.....	...	.....	
	Total of the corresponding month of previous year		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	5,479	11,030	...	...	...	...	11,030	...	...	11,030	.....	.....	...	.....	
Sone	Shahabad ...	Main Western ...	4,342	1544	1544	...	.....	...	1,069	...	...	3,109	13,518	537	559	387	1,706	14,587	539	1,706	16,832	16,595	0·05	23·15	38·93	
	Gya and Patna ..	Arrah	1,660	1393	1393	...	.....	...	774	...	...	4,870	50,935	...	...	124	...	51,799	..	124	51,833	70,314	.....	31·04	37·31	
		Patna	1,466	529	200	...	.....	—31	379	...	160	2,628	4,639	1,583	1,583	14	14	5,018	1,543	14	6,575	.....	.....	33·25	36·70	
	Total of the month ...		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	—31	2,222	...	160	10,306	69,092	1,940	1,942	401	1,844	71,314	2,102	1,844	75,260	86,909	.....	...	...	
	Total of the corresponding month of previous year		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	11,106	66,[illegible]	...	...	236	3,034	83,875	...	3,034	86,909	.....	.....	...	.....	
	Grand Total of the month ...		.....	.....	.....	3,122	1,36,010	—31	2,222	...	160	10,306	69,[illegible]	1,940	3,685	401	2,130	208,148	3,843	2,130	214,121	150,053	.....	...	.....	
	Grand Total of the corresponding month of previous year		.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	24,531	146,280	...	626	288	3,147	146,280	...	3,147	150,053	.....	.....	...	.....	

F. T. HAIG, *Col.*, R.E.,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

The 31st December 1878.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to 30th November 1878.

Circle	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.			Five-year leases.		Three-year leases.				Annual leases				Sugarcane.		Grand Total up to end of the month.				Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
						Khurreef.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.									Inches during the month.	Inches during 1878-79.	Average of ten previous years of the same period.	
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Estimated discharge utilized.	Leased during November.	Leased up to end of November.	Leased during November.	Leased up to end of November.	Leased during November.	Leased up to end of November.	Leased during November.	Leased up to end of November.	Leased during November.	Leased up to end of November.	Leased during November.	Leased up to end of November.	Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugarcane.	Total.					
						Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.				
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara	1,269	414·76	...	3,740	32,518	...	...	..	...	..	.....	...	421	..	33	32,518	421	33	32,972	27,820	3·05	43·21	49·90	
		Pattamoondee	.....	.. ..	..	1,003	9,815	...	..	...	...	...	.....	..	467	...	...	9,815	467	...	10,282	645				
		High Level, Section I	675	184·35	...	320	12,875	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	5	...	9	12,875	5	9	12,889	10,841				
		Toldundah	1,300	183·5	...		9,285	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	380	...	119	9,285	380	119	9,784	8,437				
		Machzong	650	104	...	976	23,338	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	383	...	119	23,338	383	119	23,840	19,945				
		Gobri	.. ..	.....	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	85	...	6	.....	85	6	91	...				
		Total of the month	.....	.	...	6,039	87,831	..	..	...	.	..	.....	..	1,741	...	286	87,831	1,741	286	89,858	67,688	.	.	.	
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	15,569	66,944	...	826	5	118	66,944	626	118	67,688	..	...	...	....	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	875	174		75	48,337	...	...	..	...	...	691	...	.....	...	...	49,028	.....	...	49,028	14,605	1·83	49 92	9 years 51·69	
	Howrah	Panchkoorah	300	18	.	...	5,956	...	...	...	...	.	133	...	.....	..	...	6,089	.....	...	6,089	2,817	1·34	39 95	8 years 50 53	
		Total of the month	.....	... .	...	75	54,293	..	.	...	...	..	824	...	.....	...	...	55,117	... ..		55,117	17,422	.....			
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	...	.....	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	6,392	17,423	..	... .	...	...	17,422	.....	.	17,422	...	...	...	.	
Sone	Shahabad	Main Western	4,342	261	261	...	.	...	1,069	...	..	416	13,934	...	559	208	1,972	15,003	559	1,972	17,534	18,340	0·93	21·08	38·93	
		Arrah	1,660	704	704	...	...	...	774	..	..	646	51,581	...	.....	12	136	52,355	... ...	136	52,491	71,101	0·19	31·83	37·36	
	Gya and Patna	Patna	1,466	538	.	.	..	...	379	.	160	347	4,986	..	1,383	18	32	5,365	1,543	32	6,940	.	0·90	34 15	36 70	
		Total of the month	.....	. .. .	.	..		...	2,223	.	160	1,409	70,501	...	1,942	236	2,140	72,723	2,102	2,140	76,965	89,441	...	.	..	
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	.....	.....	...		..	.	...	...	...	1,880	85,755	...	...	652	3,686	85,755	. ...	3,686	89,441	...	...	..	..	
		Grand Total of the month	.. ...	..		6,114	142124	...	2,222	.	160	1,409	71,325	...	3,685	236	2,426	215,671	3,845	2,426	221,940	174551	..	..	.	
		Grand total of the corresponding month of previous year	.....	.....	...			...	...	...	...	23,841	170,121	...	626	657	3,804	170,121	626	3,804	174,551	...	...	.	.....	

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The 20th January 1879.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statements showing the total amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Canals for the month of October 1878.

Kendrapara Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—39 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
55	Paddy	6,305	22,390	13,071	467	17,627	213 8 0	.....
19	Rice	5,461	12,624	9,147	327	12,392	126 4 0	.....
33	Gram	2,570	4,785	5,225	197	7,854	74 12 0	.....
18	Salt	2,400	11,950	3,465	124	2,226	29 6 0	.....
1	Oil cake	200	175	310	11	462	4 8 0	.....
3	Dry fish	40	200	228	8	336	4 8 0	.....
1	Til seed	810	3,100	1,599	57	2,314	25 0 0	.....
1	Castor seeds	60	150	204	7	294	3 0 0	.....
1	Furniture	50	50	112	4	168	1 0 0	.....
1	Gravel	200	8	306	11	308	3 0 0	.....
2	White stone pillars	600	9	1,013	36	576	5 0 0	.....
1	Firewood	100	12	232	8	128	1 8 0	.....
1	Wheat	50	200	112	4	28	1 0 0	.....
1	Telegraph wire	20	200	67	2	64	0 8 0	.....
2	Tiles	350	22	697	25	405	4 8 0	.....
6	Spices	710	14,200	1,431	52	1,469	19 4 0	.....
2	Copper	280	6,500	567	20	738	9 12 0	.....
1	Stone mills	100	50	211	8	336	4 0 0	.....
1	Gunny-bags	250	1,050	450	16	672	9 0 0	.....
3	Hides	1,225	12,250	1,739	61	1,978	30 1 0	.....
3	Turmeric	236	1,230	434	16	564	7 4 0	.....
10	Jaggery	1,040	5,200	2,274	81	2,370	23 12 0	.....
1	Brick	150	10	202	7	280	4 0 0	.....
2	Gallnuts	500	500	800	29	1,218	15 8 0	.....
1	Lac	200	2,000	353	13	546	7 0 0	.....
10	Sleepers	4,800	15,600	6,597	236	9,440	133 8 0	.....
1	Oil	40	1,080	90	3	120	1 8 0	.....
16	Passengers (27 in number)	.....	.....	2,330	83	2,600	30 1 2	.....
240	Empty boats	.....	.....	27,324	975	32,348	332 5 8	.....
35	Piece-goods, &c., of Messrs. Bullock Wellsted & Co.	.....	.....	23,746	848	33,920	354 0 0	.....
471	Total	23,727	1,15,540	1,04,336	3,736	1,33,741	1,477 10 10	0 2·1
661	Total of same month last year	67,120	3,62,136	1,49,894	5,353	1,94,615	1,672 4 4	0 1·8
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
37	Passengers (1,667 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	456 11 1	.....
4	Bamboos (36,850 in number)	.....	684	.....	.....	.....	134 13 6	.....
	Timber (24 in number)	.....	96	.....	.....	.....	7 14 0	.....
	Demurrage on boats	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23 13 0	.....
41	Total	.....	780	.....	.....	.....	622 3 7	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	2,399	.....	.....	.....	231 4 0	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
9	Rubble stone	1,800	27	3,474	124	1,084	17 0 6	.....
1	Furniture	50	50	102	4	168	2 8 0	.....
14	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,350	47	796	7 8 0	.....
24	Total	1,850	77	4,926	175	2,048	26 8 0	0 1·7
7	Total of same month last year	50	20	964	35	1,092	12 12 0	0 2·2
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
2	Bamboos (5,000 in number)	.....	155	.....	.....	.....	21 14 0	.....
29	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
31	Total	.....	155	.....	.....	.....	21 14 0	.....
19	Total of same month last year	.....	43	.....	.....	.....	1 3 4	.....

Kendrapara Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	ABSTRACT.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
512	Private, including miscellaneous	28,727	1,16,320	1,04,336	3,736	1,33,741	2,099 14 5	.... .
55	Government stores, including ditto ...	1,850	232	4,926	175	2,948	48 0 0	.....
567	Grand Total ...	30,577	1,16,552	1,09,262	3,911	1,36,689	2,147 14 5*	.....
687	Grand total of same month last year ...	67,170	3,64,598	1,50,858	5,388	1,95,707	2,117 7 8	.....

* Of this Rs. 405-1-3 is the total toll collection of Gobri Canal locks and Rs. 3,742-13-2 is the collection of Kendrapara Canal Lock.

Note.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,588 11 5
Amount of tollage for the month	2,147 14 5
Total ...	3,736 9 10
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	2,315 6 9
Balance at the end of the month	1,421 3 1

MEMO. OF FREE BOATS.

	No. of boats.	Maundage.	Tonnage.	Tollage realizable. Rs. A. P.
Passenger boats of Government officials	7	1,326	47	19 8 0
Boats carrying boundary pillars for Cadastral Survey	4	2,000	71	20 0 0
Boats carrying materials for Jumboo head work ...	18	15,439	551	225 12 0
	29	18,765	669	265 4 0

High Level Canal—Range I.

Length of Canal open—37 miles.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

27	Rice	4,087	16,348	8,182	293	9,038	120 6 0 .....
1	Paddy	40	80	80	3	97	1 3 3 .....
1	Dry fish	50	350	110	4	136	1 8 0 .....
1	Jaggery	80	400	155	6	204	2 4 0 .....
10	Salt	1,185	5,925	2,087	75	2,550	30 12 0 .
3	Miscellaneous	280	500	608	23	748	8 13 0 .....
16	Til seed	2,302	9,208	4,610	165	5,610	67 14 0 ... ..
5	Timber	495	1,455	971	35	1,176	16 8 0 .
1	Cotton	14	140	29	1	1	0 2 0 .....
1	Castor seed	30	100	60	2	72	0 14 6 .....
16	Passengers (121 in number)	.. ...	.....	2,117	76	2,474	32 13 3 ..
52	Empty boats	.....	.....	5,896	211	6,756	86 11 0 .....
134	Total ...	8,553	34,506	24,905	893	29,762	369 13 0 0 2·4
223	Total of same month last year ...	18,212	81,031	39,140	1,398	45,773	565 12 11 0 2·3

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

54	Rubble stone	16,309	255	32,623	1,165	1,165	161 8 0 .....
59	Empty boats	... ..	.....	16,229	* 579	5,588	89 6 0 .....
113	Total ..	16,309	255	48,852	1,744	6,753	250 14 0 0 7·4
47	Total of same month last year ...	4,400	3,583	14,296	511	4,860	100 2 0 0 3·9
	Miscellaneous.						
3	Boats passed free	Nil	... ..	Nil	...	...	Nil .....
3	Total ..	... ..	.....	.....	..	..	....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.. ..	..	...	...r.. .....

ABSTRACT.

134	Private, including miscellaneous	8,553	34,506	24,905	893	29,762	369 13 0 .....
116	Government stores, ditto	16,309	255	48,852	1,744	6,753	250 14 0 .....
250	Grand total ...	24,862	34,761	73,757	2,637	36,515	620 11 0 .....
269	Grand total of same month last year ...	22,612	84,614	53,436	1,909	50,633	665 14 11 .....

Memo.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	336 10 2
Amount of tollage for the month	620 11 0
Total ...	957 5 2
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	573 3 2
Balance at the end of the month	384 2 0

MEMO. OF FREE BOATS.

	No. of boats.	Maunds.	Tonnage.	Amount realizable.
Passenger boats of Government officials ...	3	1,104	38	15 8 0

Taldunda Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
5	Rice	1,555	4,648	3,772	134	707	20 3 5	.....
1	Paddy	395	450	675	24	72	3 6 0	.....
1	Jaggery	161	1,290	219	8	194	2 3 0	.....
1	Timbers	264	75	495	18	444	4 15 2	.....
3	Sand-cut stones	979	412	1,673	60	1,568	16 11 7	.....
1	Charcoal	188	20	300	11	161	3 0 0	.....
28	Passenger boats	.....	.....	15,034	537	1,343	76 8 1	.....
18	Empty boats	.....	.....	5,173	184	2,586	41 7 7	.....
58	Total ...	3,542	6,915	27,341	976	7,075	166 6 10	0 4·5
73	Total of same month last year ...	7,739	20,758	20,467	731	2,140	18 4 1	0 1·6
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	1,400 bamboos	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	3 3 9	.....
...	1,126 passengers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 2 7	.....
...	Demurrage of 3 boats	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21 12 9	.....
...	Total ...	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	30 7 4	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	160	.....	.....	.....	8 15 3	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
1	Cocoanuts	160	150	413	15	339	4 2 0	.....
4	Rubble	1,397	50	2,437	87	87	12 3 0	.....
5	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,293	46	254	7 11 10	.....
10	Total ...	1,557	200	4,143	148	680	24 0 10	0 6·7
19	Total of same month last year ...	4,236	163	8,552	305	2,551	13 1 4	0 0·9
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	10,000 bamboos	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	25 0 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	25 0 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	736	.....	.....	.....	87 0 0	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
58	Private, including miscellaneous	3,542	6,985	27,341	976	7,075	196 14 2	.....
10	Government stores, including ditto ...	1,557	320	4,143	148	680	49 0 10	.....
68	Grand Total ...	5,099	7,305	31,484	1,124	7,755	247 15 0	.....
92	Grand total of same month last year ...	11,975	21,816	29,019	1,036	46,997	127 4 8	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	82 12 8
Amount of tollage for the month	247 15 0
Total ...	330 11 8
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	222 0 0
Balance at the end of the month	108 11 8

High Level Canal—Range II.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—12½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

3	Paddy	415	830	832	30	326	9 10 10	.....
16	Rice	1,818	7,272	3,670	131	1,733	36 10 11	.....
1	Gunny bags	159	795	318	11	147	3 3 9	.....
2	Jaggery	116	580	233	8	88	2 2 10	.....
1	Wheat	105	315	210	8	97	2 0 0	.....
7	Salt	762	3,810	1,528	55	427	15 4 0	.....
2	Lac	135	2,160	271	10	116	2 9 7	.....
1	Iron	46	230	92	3	23	0 14 8	.....
1	Castor seeds	146	511	292	10	135	2 12 0	.....
1	Cotton	157	1,570	315	11	146	3 2 4	.....
2	Copper	269	8,070	539	19	193	5 4 0	.....
16	Passengers (146 in number)	.....	.....	2,277	82	1,054	25 4 5	.....
66	Empty boats	.....	.....	6,634	239	2,628	73 1 7	.....
119	Total ...	4,128	26,143	17,260	617	7,112	181 15 11	0 4·9
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Timbers (44 in number)	.....	179	.....	.....	.....	8 5 6	.....
...	Total ...	.....	179	.....	.....	.....	8 5 6	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

High Level Canal—Range II—continued.

Number of Boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of Boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
40	Rubble stone	8,903	140	17,027	640	8,319	178 0 0*	.....
1	Firewood	202	20	405	14	183	4 0 0	.....
1	Bamboos (100 in number)	.....	2	127	4	58	1 4 0	.....
44	Empty boats	.....	.....	8,269	295	3,828	80 8 0	.....
86	Total	9,165	162	26,728	953	12,393	263 12 0	0 4·1
..	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
119	Private, including miscellaneous	4,128	26,322	17,260	617	7,112	190 5 5	.....
86	Government stores, including miscellaneous	9,165	162	26,728	953	12,393	263 12 0	.....
205	Grand Total	13,293	26,484	43,988	1,570	19,505	454 1 5	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* The tollage in High Level Canal, Range II, is realized from 1st October 1878.

Memo.

	Rs.	A	P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	0	0	0
Amount of tollage for the month	454	1	5
Total	454	1	5
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	88	12	5
Balance at the end of the month	365	5	0

High Level Canal—Range III.

Length of Canal open—6½ miles.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) Private.

5	Paddy	888	1,776	1,781	63	440	17 12 10	.....
8	Rice	629	2,516	1,285	46	319	12 13 6	.....
1	Sugar	99	495	199	7	49	1 15 10	.....
11	Passengers (75 in number)	.....	.....	1,506	54	371	14 10 4	.....
12	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,527	55	469	15 4 1	.....
37	Total	1,616	4,787	6,298	225	1,648	62 8 7	0 7·3
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Miscellaneous.							
...	Timbers (18 in number)	.....	74	.....	.....	.....	3 7 6	.....
...	Demurrage on boats	.....	..	.....	.....	..	9 3 4	.....
...	Total	.....	74	.....	.....	.....	12 10 10	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

		Mds.	Rs				Rs A. P.	A. P.
2	Rubble stone	404	6	800	29	29	8 1 5	.....
2	Empty boats	.....	.....	352	13	13	3 8 3	.....
4	Total	404	6	1,152	42	42	11 9 8	4 5·0
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
37	Private, including miscellaneous	1,616	4,861	6 298	225	1,648	75 5 5	.....
4	Government, including miscellaneous	404	6	1,152	42	42	11 9 8	.....
41	Grand total	2,020	4,867	7,450	267	1,690	86 13 1	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Memo.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	0	0	0
Amount of tollage for the month	86	13	1
Total	86	13	1
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	20	6	5
Balance at the end of the month	66	6	11

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Midnapore Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—53 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate		Tonnage of Boats.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
41	Betel-leaves	1,036	5,848	4,730	.....	.....	30 1 3	.....
1	Betel-nuts	25	300	150	.....	.....	0 9 0	.....
8	Bricks and tiles (No. 8,675)	816	254	2,725	.....	.....	16 12 0	.....
4	Bamboos (No. 910)	110	143	490	.....	.....	3 2 9	.....
46	Brass and copper and their manufactures	4,555	1,75,900	12,550	.....	.....	102 9 6	.....
56	Coal and coke	13,900	5,937	29,175	.....	.....	248 7 0	.....
4	Cotton, raw	220	3,625	900	.....	.....	9 13 0	.....
19	Cocoanuts (No. 25,480)	341	774	2,000	.....	.....	32 10 3	.....
61	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	6,155	2,00,320	16,675	.....	.....	155 5 6	.....
7	Cotton piece-goods (European)	380	57,000	1,505	.....	.....	26 11 3	.....
22	Cotton piece-goods (Indian)	480	65,450	3,405	.....	.....	33 14 9	.....
24	Curd	1,125	2,690	4,625	.....	.....	30 3 0	.....
1,398	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,28,300	.....	.....	1,211 8 3	.....
49	Earthenware	3,771	1,090	10,600	.....	.....	59 8 6	.....
18	Firewood	1,535	474	5,335	.....	.....	20 8 9	.....
14	Fruits and nuts of all kinds	702	1,377	2,540	.....	.....	24 6 0	.....
74	Gram and pulse	6,890	30,855	19,540	.....	.....	180 14 3	.....
2	Gun powder	14	1,400	210	.....	.....	5 7 0	.....
5	Gunny cloths (pieces 510)	100	890	605	.....	.....	2 4 6	.....
4	Gunny bags (No. 2,400)	95	350	650	.....	.....	7 2 0	.....
13	Hides of cattle, untanned (No. 14,540)	1,825	22,800	4,450	.....	.....	41 9 6	.....
5	Horns	165	4,125	1,075	.....	.....	9 6 6	.....
3	Iron and its manufactures	250	2,500	950	.....	.....	8 9 0	.....
44	Jute, raw	5,160	19,687	11,870	.....	.....	44 7 9	.....
3	Lime and limestones	400	312	1,250	.....	.....	6 7 0	.....
56	Miscellaneous	3,340	6,260	11,405	.....	.....	96 13 3	.....
84	Mustard	11,280	45,150	28,980	.....	.....	214 7 0	.....
5	Other saline substances	550	1,375	1,425	.....	.....	13 12 6	.....
7	Oil-cake	1,050	2,625	3,425	.....	.....	9 1 6	.....
2	Other oil-seeds	250	800	625	.....	.....	4 15 6	.....
1,945	Passenger boats	.....	.....	1,17,780	.....	.....	1,152 4 9	.....
335	Paddy	39,221	65,738	78,010	.....	.....	1,439 2 6	.....
270	Rice	64,588	2,10 547	1,20,015	.....	.....	1,383 8 6	.....
1	Stamp paper	20	2,000	125	.....	.....	3 12 0	.....
51	Straw (1,001 kahuns)	9,047	3,923	27,320	.....	.....	105 11 0	.....
38	Sugar, unrefined	4,165	15,959	9,705	.....	.....	70 13 0	.....
1	Sugar, refined	100	1,500	200	.....	.....	1 4 0	.....
14	Spices	665	9,030	2,430	.....	.....	27 1 9	.....
41	Salt	10,825	47,100	22,875	.....	.....	207 9 3	.....
152	Sal piles (No. 6,507)	16,002	22,440	24,175	.....	.....	396 13 6	.....
36	Sand	9,065	883	16,850	.....	.....	63 3 0	.....
13	Stone plates	1,345	10,290	2,800	.....	.....	48 7 0	.....
9	Silk, raw	84	46,090	1,370	.....	.....	9 2 6	.....
6	Sheep and goats (No. 250)	77	360	640	.....	.....	8 1 0	.....
1	Til	50	200	200	.....	.....	0 12 0	.....
34	Tobacco	4,180	25,065	10,200	.....	.....	111 0 3	.....
132	Timber (No. 2,514)	18,307	36,157	27,330	.....	.....	503 6 3	.....
1	Vegetable and other kinds of provision	20	60	100	.....	.....	0 6 0	.....
19	Wheat	640	1,920	2,780	.....	.....	26 2 9	.....
2	Other fibres, raw	95	380	370	.....	.....	3 4 6	.....
5,186	Total	2,45,078	11,60,874	7,76,010	27,736	4,91,743	8,210 4 6	0 3·2
6,288	Total of same month last year	4,40,931	16,91,303	11,29,385	40,335	7,30,604	11,857 13 3	0 3·0
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (No. 16,248)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	310 10 3	.....
...	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27 13 3	.....
18	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	338 7 6	.....
47	Total of same month last year	.....	5,937	.....	.....	.....	355 7 6	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
2	Coal	340	103	775	.....	.....	6 5 0	.....
1	Pile driving machines	10	25	150	.....	.....	0 12 0	.....
1	Bamboo piles	5	10	60	.....	.....	0 4 9	.....
2	Empty boats	.....	.....	475	.....	.....	2 13 6	.....
1	Engines	200	1,000	525	.....	.....	2 10 0	.....
7	Total	556	1,138	1,985	70	618	12 13 3	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
5,204	Private, including miscellaneous	2,45,078	11,60,874	7,76,010	27,736	4,91,743	8,548 12 0	.....
7	Government stores, including ditto	555	1,138	1,985	70	618	12 13 3	.....
5,211	Grand Total	2,45,633	11,62,012	7,78,595	27,806	4,92,361	8,561 9 3	.....
6,335	Grand total of same month last year	4,40,931	16,97,240	11,29,385	40,335	7,30,604	12,213 4 9	.....

MEMO.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	738 0 7
Amount of tollage for the month	8,561 9 3
Total	9,319 9 10
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	8,206 13 9
Balance at the end of the month	1,113 12 1

Hidgellee Tidal Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—29 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

		Mds	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
1	Betel-nut	2	26	80	.....	.....	0 8 9	.....
1	Broom	8	8	70	.....	.....	0 7 6	.....
1	Bamboo	16	14	175	.....	.....	1 3 3	.....
6	Coal and coke	1,370	411	2,585	.....	.....	17 13 9	.....
3	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	12	570	370	.....	.....	5 14 6	.....
19	Cocoanuts (8,530 in number)	218	250	1,600	.....	.....	20 15 6	.....
18	Earthenware (15,360 in number)	525	254	1,820	.....	.....	19 0 9	.....
790	Empty	.....	.....	65,735	.....	.....	663 12 9	.....
11	Firewood	2,965	1,093	6,775	.....	.....	65 10 6	.....
4	Hemp	270	1,060	875	.....	.....	13 0 9	.....
1	Ice	2	10	70	.....	.....	0 7 6	.....
5	Lime stone	365	32	675	.....	.....	4 10 3	.....
129	Miscellaneous	6,871	61,906	23,370	.....	.....	320 9 3	.....
8	Mats (7,100 in number)	710	3,550	2,430	.....	.....	16 11 3	.....
57	Mustard	3,366	15,528	11,675	.....	.....	152 13 6	.....
1	Other saline substances	100	150	325	.....	.....	1 8 9	.....
2	Oil-cake	80	80	225	.....	.....	1 8 9	.....
694	Paddy	99,839	1,80,654	1,96,310	.....	.....	2,507 1 3	.....
93	Passenger boat	.....	.....	6,155	.....	.....	80 8 6	.....
40	Rice	7,255	21,075	14,785	.....	.....	193 13 6	.....
27	Salt	5,177	18,940	12,515	.....	.....	128 3 9	.....
1	Soondry file	50	25	225	.....	.....	1 8 9	.....
1	Sugar, refined	3	32	60	.....	.....	1 1 3	.....
11	Sugar, unrefined	289	1,220	1,320	.....	.....	15 4 0	.....
25	Straw (280 kahuns)	3,761	736	3,150	.....	.....	56 0 6	.....
1	Sand	40	5	80	.....	.....	0 8 0	.....
1	Skins (600 in number)	33	1,200	175	.....	.....	1 3 3	.....
1	Tiles (1,000 in number)	60	15	150	.....	.....	1 0 6	.....
39	Timber (894 in number)	4,527	8,740	8,430	.....	.....	236 8 9	.....
24	Tobacco	550	3,149	3,630	.....	.....	55 6 3	.....
2,015	Total	1,38,464	3,20,719	3,70,640	13,237	2,62,349	4,587 1 6	0 3·3
2,659	Total of the same month last year	1,91,663	3,18,168	4,69,255	16,759	3,53,066	6,229 8 3	0 3·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (No. 430)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 8 0	.....
...	Demurrage	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 14 0	.....
..	14 rafts of 336 timber	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71 4 0	.....
	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87 10 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32 10 0	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS

2	Empty	.....	.....	170	.....	.....	1 14 3	.....
1	Miscellaneous	22	27	125	.....	.....	1 6 6	.....
1	Hental wood	.....	1	125	.....	.....	1 6 6	.....
4	Total	22	28	420	15	270	4 11 3	.....
	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ABSTRACT.

2,015	Private, including miscellaneous	1,38,464	3,20,719	3,70,640	13,237	2,62,349	4,574 11 6	.....
4	Government stores, including miscellaneous	22	28	420	15	270	4 11 3	.....
2,019	Grand Total	1,38,486	3,20,747	3,71,060	13,252	2,62,619	4,579 6 9	.....
2,659	Grand total of same month last year	1,91,663	3,18,168	4,69,255	16,759	3,53,066	6,262 2 3	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	494 12 0
Amount of tollage for the month	4,679 6 9
Total	5,174 2 9
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	4,031 8 6
Balance at the end of the month	1,142 10 3

SONE CIRCLE.

Arrah Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—65 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
7	Rice	1,300	5,200	2,006	71	340	8 11 9	.....
3	Peas	600	1,800	998	35	350	4 4 6	.....
21	Salt	6,800	40,000	8,902	317	25,360	199 4 9	.....
7	Ghee	1,600	64,000	2,389	85	4,930	38 0 3	.....
6	Sugar	300	4,200	1,825	65	2,600	27 11 9	.....
12	Lime	2,400	480	3,618	129	7,482	48 15 3	.....
8	Stone	600	18	1,487	53	3,074	21 8 9	.....
5	Bales	800	64,000	1,346	48	3,840	36 12 0	.....
16	Firewood	3,300	230	19,380	692	11,072	39 2 3	.....
60	Passengerboats	.....	.....	5,600	201	11,658	72 11 6	.....
75	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,465	88	5,984	48 15 6	.....
220	Total	17,700	1,79,928	50,016	1,784	76,690	546 3 3	0 1
430	Total of same month last year	47,103	2,46,243	68,994	2,533	95,383	1,187 14 0	0 2·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.			Nil.				
...	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 3 0	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
5	Stone	400	12	3,631	129	7,482	69 6 0	.....
1	Pipe	100	12	240	8	1,376	1 8 0	.....
6	Iron	29,000	2,900	30,001	1,071	67,918	63 7 0	.....
3	Passenger boats	.....	.....	398	14	812	8 12 0	.....
2	Empty boats	.....	.....	218	7	406	1 14 3	.....
1	Iron barge of Dehree Workshop Division (passed free)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 0 0	.....
18	Total	29,500	2,924	34,488	1,229	77,994	159 15 3	.....
47	Total of same month last year	8,208	670	15,957	587	16,879	161 6 5	0 1·8
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
1	Timber (80 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47 13 0	.....
1	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47 13 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
220	Private, including miscellaneous	17,700	1,79,928	50,016	1,784	76,690	546 3 3	.....
19	Government stores, including ditto	29,500	2,924	34,488	1,229	77,994	207 12 3	.....
239	Grand Total	47,200	1,82,852	84,504	3,013	1,54,684	753 15 6	.....
478	Grand total of same month last year	55,311	2,46,913	84,951	3,120	1,12,262	1,349 7 5	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	644 1 9
Amount of tollage for the month	753 15 6
Total	1,398 1 3
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	830 12 9
Balance at the end of the month	567 4 6

Western Main Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—22 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE

2		250	5,000	600	21	546	8 10 0	.....
2	Ghee	200	1,600	535	19	494	7 8 9	.....
3	Zeerah	525	650	600	21	546	8 10 0	.....
2	Linseed	150	150	475	17	442	6 13 3	.....
1	Khalloo	300	600	400	14	364	5 12 0	.....
1	Skin	100	25	200	7	182	2 14 0	.....
12	Debris	.....	.....	1,400	51	1,198	16 0 0	.....
5	Empty boats	.....	.....	375	14	385	5 4 9	.....
	Passenger boats							
27	Total	1,325	8,025	4,575	164	4,157	61 8 9	0 2·8
47	Total of same month last year	4,351	13,379	9,350	348	7,962	113 12 6	0 2·7
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 6 0	.....
...	Demurrage of one day for 475 firewood	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 6 0	.....
...	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total of same month last year							

Western Main Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
1	Coal	40	8	75	3	15	0 9 9	.....
1	Boxes, &c.	50	25	75	3	42	0 9 9	.....
1	Empty boats	.....	.....	25	1	5	0 3 3	.....
3	Total	90	33	175	7	62	1 0 9	0 4·4
150	Total of same month last year	18,543	988	37,375	1,376	7,415	234 3 9	0 6·1
	ABSTRACT.							
27	Private, including miscellaneous	1,325	8,025	4,575	164	4,157	63 14 9	.....
3	Government stores, including ditto	90	33	175	7	62	1 6 9	.....
30	Grand Total	1,415	8,025	4,750	171	4,219	65 5 6	.....
197	Grand total of same month last year	22,894	14,367	46,725	1,724	15,377	347 0 3	.....

Memo.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	18 11 0
Amount of tollage for the month	65 5 6
Total	84 0 6
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	79 12 3
Balance at the end of the month	4 4 3

Patna Canal.

Length of Canal open—84 miles.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

	(1) PRIVATE.							
31	Other food than rice and wheat	4,767	18,473	7,244	355	16,574	171 5 7	.....
7	Linseed	1,035	4,200	2,051	73	5,548	51 9 1	.....
1	Stimulant	110	330	330	12	739	7 10 0	.....
12	Clothing	1,176	32,600	2,920	105	6,963	56 5 0	.....
8	Building materials	1,110	545	2,239	80	6,171	60 15 0	.....
21	Cooking utensils	3,652	1,810	7,002	251	7,583	185 15 0	.....
40	Miscellaneous	4,179	37,913	9,389	334	25,179	255 0 9	.....
32	Empty boats	.....	.....	3,207	112	2,986	32 12 11	.....
9	Passenger boats	.....	.....	711	24	1,107	15 0 4	.....
161	Total	16,029	95,871	35,123	1,346	72,840	836 9 8	0 2·6
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Bamboos and bullahs (in number 15,270)	.....	323	.....	.....	.....	5 8 7	.....
...	Total	.....	323	.....	.....	.....	5 8 7	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
29	Ashlar	3,006	312	7,610	276	19,129	198 14 0	.....
23	Rubble	3,521	104	8,953	320	18,926	203 14 0	.....
18	Bricks	2,300	173	5,417	286	566	53 5 3	.....
1	Lime	100	25	296	10	16	1 15 7	.....
1	Soorkee	100	8	296	11	16	1 15 7	.....
15	Kunker	4,160	380	5,670	202	5,581	86 5 3	.....
4	Other building materials	1,475	83	1,275	40	1,713	21 1 0	.....
6	Miscellaneous	.....	.....	653	23	1,236	11 11 3	.....
14	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,099	96	1,616	18 3 3	.....
111	Total	14,662	1,085	32,970	1,264	48,799	597 5 1	0 2·3
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
11	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
161	Private, including miscellaneous	16,029	96,194	35,123	1,346	72,840	842 3 3	.....
122	Government stores, including ditto	14,662	1,085	32,979	1,264	48,799	597 5 1	.....
283	Grand Total	30,691	97,279	68,102	2,610	121,639	1,439 7 4	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Memo.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	254 3 2
Amount of tollage for the month	1,439 7 4
Total	1,693 9 6
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,188 12 0
Balance at end of the month	504 13 6

ABSTRACT.

Canals	Tollage of the year 1878-79		Tollage of the year 1877-78.		Remarks
	During the month	To end of month	During the corresponding month	To end of corresponding month	
Orissa Circle	Rs A P	Rs. A P	Rs A P.	Rs A P	
Kendrapara	2,147 14 5	13,156 13 10	2,117 7 8	11,815 0 1	
High Level, Section I ..	620 11 0	4,589 9 11	665 14 11	3,288 13 6	
Taldunda	247 15 0	843 12 8	127 4 8	941 10 3	
High Level, Section II	454 1 5	454 1 5		... ..	
Ditto ditto III ..	86 13 1	86 13 1		....	
Total Orissa Circle	3,557 6 11	19,130 2 11	2,910 11 3	16,045 7 10	
South-Western Circle					
Midnapore	8,561 9 3	46,496 11 5	12,213 4 9	60,371 1 9	
Hidgellee Tidal	4,679 6 9	36,893 15 3	6,262 2 3	53,011 12 0	
Total South-Western Circle ..	13,241 0 0	83,390 10 8	18,475 7 0	1,13,382 13 0	
Sone Circle					
Arrah	753 15 6	4,986 11 0	1,149 7 5	7,755 13 8	
Western Main	65 5 6	403 8 3	347 0 3	1,507 12 0	
Patna	1,430 7 4	9,841 3 11	.	.. ..	
Total Sone Circle .	2,259 12 4	15,291 7 11	1,496 7 8	9,263 9 8	
Grand Total ...	19,057 3 3	1,17,812 5 6	23,082 9 11	1,38,691 14 6	

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Joint-Secy. to the Government of Bengal,
P. W. Dépt., Irrigation Branch.

The 15th January 1879.

Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Tirhoot State Railway for the month of December 1878.

Increases.

Coal ... ... Mds. 7,764

This traffic is seady.

Food-grains ... ... Mds. 24,137

The month opened with brisk despatches of food-grains, but as the Calcutta and other markets became glutted, and consequent on the unfavourable prospects in the northern districts of Tirhoot, the despatches fell off as early as the 10th of the month.

Hides and horns ... ... Mds. 1,168

The traffic in this staple fluctuates with rise and fall of markets, and much depends upon local collections.

Indigo ... ... Mds. 3,279

Although the outturn of indigo this year was not as favourable as last, the business done in this staple has been satisfactory, and I have no hesitation in saying that the managers of indigo concerns are well satisfied with the prompt and careful despatches of the chests to Calcutta.

Iron ... ... Mds. 274

This traffic fluctuates according to local requirements.

Piece-goods ... ... „ 6,205

This increase is satisfactory, and is due to the Mohurrum in a measure.

Railway material ... . „ 6,295

This was owing to the construction of the Diara extension to Ganges bank.

Seeds, Indigo ... ... „ 1,147

This is satisfactory as being early.

Salt ... ... „ 13,526

This increase is satisfactory, and is due in a measure to the rivers being unnavigable

Saltpetre ... ... „ 1,195

The manufacture of saltpetre, though once thriving in the district, is dying out, and any increase may be regarded as favourable.

Sugar ... ... Mds. 2,137

The sugar traffic is becoming steady and increasing.

Tobacco ... ... „ 1,595

The tobacco season is approaching, and from the favourable appearance of the plant, I hope for a satisfactory traffic in this staple.

Miscellaneous goods ... ... Mds. 3,463

There has been no fall in this traffic throughout the year, which is satisfactory.

Decreases.

Seeds, oil ... ... Mds. 11,891

Last year's business in this staple was exceptional as a run upon the opening of through booking with other railways, and heavy despatches will resume as soon as the markets revive.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

Statement showing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of December 1878 *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1877.

Staples.	1877.		1878.		1877.	1878.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	Total.	Total.		
Coal	2,549	725	10,585	453	3,274	11,038	7,764	.....
Food-grain	4,730	55,839	6,555	76,171	60,569	84,726	24,157	.....
Hides and horns	.....	2,798	3	3,963	2,798	3,966	1,168	.....
Indigo	.....	10,673	.....	13,952	10,673	13,952	3,279	.....
Iron	1,636	147	1,856	201	1,783	2,057	274	.....
Piece-goods	3,540	9	9,672	82	3,549	9,754	6,205	.. ..
Railway material	417	1,196	814	7,094	1,613	7,908	6,295	.....
Seeds, Indigo	1,261	.....	2,408	..	1,261	3,409	1,147	..
Seeds, oil	2,211	26,012	27	10,305	28,223	10,332	.....	11,891
Salt	6,407	370	19,851	472	6,777	20,303	13,526	... ..
Saltpetre	.....	15,623	. ..	16,818	15,623	16,818	1,195	.....
Sugar	46	401	80	2,504	447	2,584	2,137	.....
Tobacco	266	4,066	. ..	5,927	4,332	5,927	1,595	.....
Miscellaneous goods	2,182	5,002	3,658	6,969	7,184	10,647	3,463	.. ..
	25,245	1,22,881	55,469	1,52,931	1,48,126	2,08,420	72,185	11,891
						1,48,126	11,891	
Increase ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	60,294	60,294	

SOMASTIPORE, *the* 14*th January* 1879.

W. M. JOHNSTON, *Assistant Traffic Supdt.*

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 *days of January* 1879 *on* 1,279¾ *miles open.*

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	101,040	291,171 4 9	26,690 14 0	23,69,030 0	8,80,008 8 6	80,667 0 0	11,71,170 13 8	77,869	157,429	235,298
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	227 8 4	20 17 2	... ..	.....	... ..	915 2 7	.....	.....	... ..
For previous weeks of half-year ...	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	... ..
Total for 11 days ...	101,040	2,91,171 4 9	26,690 14 0	23,69,030 0	8,80,008 8 6	80,667 9 0	11,71,179 13 3	77,869	157,429	235,298
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding first 12 days of previous year	200,297	2,85,957 2 5	26,212 14 9	23,95,404 30	9,46,933 0 9	86,802 3 11	12,32,890 3 2	80,301	181,830	262,131
Per mile of railway, corresponding period of previous year ...	.....	223 7 2	20 9 8	.....	739 15 0	67 16 6	963 6 2	.....	... ..	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	200,297	2,85,957 2 5	26,212 14 9	23,95,404 30	9,46,933 0 9	86,802 3 11	12,32,890 3 2	80,301	181,830	262,131

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 11 *days of January* 1879 *on* 223¾ *miles open.*

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the period ...	12,120	41,466 0 3	3,801 1 1	4,75,322 0	1,22,637 14 0	11,241 16 1	1,64,103 14 3	7,793½	37,996½	45,789½
Or per mile of railway ...	... ..	185 5 2	16 19 9	.....	548 1 8	50 4 10	733 6 10	.....	... ..	... ..
For previous weeks of half-year	.....	.....	.....	... ..	... ..	..	.....	... ..	... ..	... ..
Total for 11 days ...	12,120	41,466 0 3	3,801 1 1	4,75,322 0	1,22,637 14 0	11,241 16 1	1,64,103 14 3	7,793½	37,996½	45,789½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding first 12 days of previous year ...	13,517½	34,132 14 6	3,128 17 0	2,97,433 30	76,875 2 0	7,046 17 9	1,11,008 0 6	8,057	19,407	27,464
Per mile of railway, corresponding period of previous year ...	.....	152 8 9	13 19 8	.....	343 9 3	31 9 11	496 2 0	.....	...	... ...
Total to corresponding date of previous year	13,517½	34,132 14 6	3,128 17 0	2,97,433 30	76,875 2 0	7,046 17 9	1,11,008 0 6	8,057	19,407	27,464

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 49.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878.
			8th December 1877.	7th December 1878.	To 8th December 1877.	To 7th December 1878.		
1878.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
8th December	Northern Bengal	219	7,948 0 0	24,348 0 0	34,518 0 0	8,34,587 0 0	6,00,069 0 0	.....
8th "	Tirhoot	76	7,025 0 0	10,630 0 0	2,70,617 0 0	4,05,686 0 0	1,35,069 0 0	... ..
last 10 days of Dec.	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,092 0 0	2,291 0 0	1,07,835 0 0	1,17,525 0 0	9,689 0 0	...
1st December ..	Nalhati	27½	1,522 0 0	1,827 0 0	81,772 0 0	84,236 0 0	2,464 0 0	.....
	Total ...	350½	19,187 0 0	38,896 0 0	4,94,742 0 0	14,42,033 0 0	9,47,291 0 0	... ..

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 571A.

GENERAL.—*The 23rd January* 1879.—The services of Mr. L. Hare, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dinagepore, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

The 24th January 1879.—Baboo Gour Das Bysack, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the purpose of taking up land for the Barisaul Bund Road.

The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Major T. H. Lewin of his commission as Commandant of the Darjeeling Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Baboo Sreenath Bhudder, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pooree, is transferred to Cuttack.

The 25th January 1879.—Mr. H. A. Cockerell, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial and Political Departments, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo.

Mr. C. P. L. Macaulay, Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial and Political Departments, is appointed to act as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in those Departments, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. A. Cockerell, or until further orders.

Mr. H. M. Kisch, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, on leave, is appointed to act as Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Judicial and Political Departments, during the absence, on duty, of Mr. C. P. L. Macaulay, or until further orders.

In supersession of the orders of the 18th instant, Mr. F. H. Harding, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Serampore division of the Hooghly district, is allowed leave for six weeks, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 25th January* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by the Hon'ble H. A. Cockerell of his seat in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. H. L. Dampier, under the provisions of the 20th, 30th, and 45th Sections of the Indian Council's Act of 1861, to be a member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations in the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William, *vice* the Hon'ble H. A. Cockerell.

POLICE.—*The 24th January* 1879.—Mr. J. P. Sneyd, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Jessore, was on leave, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, from the 6th to the 23rd December 1878.

The 25th January 1879.—Mr. G. H. French is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Tipperah, on being relieved of his present duties as Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Mymensing.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 23rd January* 1879.—The Rev. Brook Deedes, M.A., Domestic Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, is allowed leave for one month, under Section 12, Supplement E to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 22nd instant.

REGISTRATION.—*The 13th January* 1879.—Baboo Bidyanund Bose is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Joykristopore in Dacca, *vice* Baboo Abhoya Charan Bose.

OPIUM.—*The 25th January* 1879.—Mr. P. Cosserat, who was, under orders of the 6th instant, appointed Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Fattehgarh, is appointed to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Gya.

Mr. C. M. Jerdon, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Gya, is appointed to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Fattehgarh.

In modification of the orders of the 18th instant, Mr. C. F. Wintle is appointed to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Futtehpore.

Mr. F. H. Campbell, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Futtehpore, is appointed to be Sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Azimgurh.

FORESTS.—*The 21st January* 1879.—Mr. J. S Gamble is appointed to act as Conservator of Forests, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Dr. W. Schlich, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he received charge from Dr. Schlich.

The 25th January 1879.—Mr. J. S. Gamble, Officiating Conservator of Forests, received charge of the Forest Department, Bengal, from Dr. W. Schlich on the afternoon of the 21st instant.

MEDICAL.—*The 13th January* 1879.—Mr. R. C. Sterndale, Vice-Chairman of the Suburban Municipality, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Alipore in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs.

The 17th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Bepin Behary Gupta is appointed to act as Assistant Resident Surgeon, Campbell Hospital, Sealdah, from the 28th December last to the end of February 1879, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Kanai Lall Mullick.

The 23rd January 1879.—The services of Apothecary A. Fitzgibbon, V.C., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department.

The 24th January 1879.—The services of the following passed Hospital Apprentices attached to the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department:—

J. Nazarith. | V. M. Carleton.

The 25th January 1879.—Supernumerary Assistant Surgeon Jogendro Nath Ghose, now doing duty in the Campbell Hospital, is appointed to have medical charge of the Motiharee Charitable Dispensary, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Rojonee Lall Sett, or until further orders.

This cancels the orders of the 13th instant, appointing Assistant Surgeon Debendro Nath Roy to the Motiharee Dispensary.

The services of Assistant Surgeon Debendro Nath Roy are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 15th January*, 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Municipal Commissioners of Serampore of Mr. S. Tremearne to be their Vice Chairman.

ROAD CESS.—*The 24th January* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Dinagepore:—

Baboo Behari Lal Chuckerbutty, Merchant. | Baboo Modhoo Sudan Nundy, Merchant.
Baboo Krishna Coomar Nag, Merchant.

The following notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette*.

No. 77.—*The 8th January* 1879.—Mr. W. C. Fasson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Sylhet, reported his arrival at that station on the afternoon of the 10th October 1878.

No. 78.—*The 15th January* 1879.—Mr. H. F. Matthews, Assistant Commissioner, availed himself of the three months' privilege leave granted to him by the Chief Commissioner on the forenoon of the 15th December 1878.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th January 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that with the concurrence of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Nattore, in the district of Rajshahye, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to withdraw, with effect from 1st April 1879, the sanction given by him to the levy of a fee on the registration of carts in the said Municipality, published in Government Notification dated the 19th March 1877, at page 387, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st idem.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ROAD CESS NOTIFICATION.

DISTRICT OF MIDNAPORE.

The 25th January 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 75 of Act X (B C.) of 1871 (the District Road Cess Act), that the Road Cess Committee of the district of Midnapore have, under Section 74 of the Act, determined to levy the cesses under that Act for the year commencing from the 1st October 1878 at the following rates, being the maximum rates, and the said rates are published accordingly:—

I. Six pies, or two pice, on every rupee of the annual value of lands under Part II of the Act, and on the net profits of immovable property under Part III of the Act.

II. The following rates on non-agricultural houses and shops:—

Dwelling-houses estimated to be of the present value of—

			Yearly Cess Rs. A. P.
Not less than Rs. 100,	but less than Rs.	500 ...	1 0 0
„ 500,	„	1,000 ...	3 0 0
„ 1,000,	„	2,000 ...	4 8 0

„ 2,000 and upwards, Rs. 3 for every Rs. 1,000 or part thereof of the estimated present value.

Shops and buildings used for purposes of trade, whose estimated present value is more than Rs. 25 and less than Rs. 100, to pay a yearly tax of one rupee; if valued at Rs. 100 or more, to pay according to the rate above entered.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th January 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the headquarters of Moonsiffee Dukhin Shabazpore, in district Backergunge, has been removed from Dowlutkhan to Bhola.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—The following statement of receipts and charges on account of the Chittagong Port Fund for the year 1877-78 is published, under section 47, Act XII of 1875, for general information, in supersession of the statement published at page 735, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th July 1878:—

Final Statement of Receipts and Charges on account of Chittagong Port Fund for 1877-78.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance on 31st March 1877 ...	7,628	9	2
Port dues on vessels ...	14,374	14	8
Pilotage fees	8,290	1	6
Interest on Government securities	1,108	3	6
Canal tolls	338	2	0
Fees for registering cargo-boats	165	0	0
Fees, fines, and forfeitures ...	371	0	0
Miscellaneous	214	15	6
Cash recoveries ...	8	13	0
Total ...	32,499	11	4

	Rs.	A.	P.
Refunds, Marine	24	5	3
Licensing and Surveying of Cargo-boats.			
Establishment	360	0	0
Police, District Executive Force.			
European constables ...	166	0	0
Vessels and Boats.			
Establishments	455	0	0
Dockyard services and supplies...	19	0	0
Contingencies	2,005	6	3
Light-houses.			
Establishments	2,052	0	0
Stores	173	4	0
Contingencies	184	14	9
Pilotage Establishment.			
Establishment	3,811	14	3
Temporary establishment ...	158	6	4
Contingencies	6	2	0
Percentage on earnings ...	553	0	0
Port Establishment.			
Port Master	1,329	7	1
Establishment	1,162	2	3
Cost of stationery for 1877-78 ...	12	10	3
Contingencies	293	15	9
Service postage stamps ...	20	0	0
Travelling allowance ...	1	8	0
Canal tolls establishment ...	239	0	6
Miscellaneous pensions ...	99	9	2
Petty construction and repairs ...	272	6	3
Public Works.			
Original works	11,217	0	11
Repairs	713	13	6
Establishment	3,276	14	9
Percentage of the establishment in the office of the Accountant-General, Bengal	123	1	9
	29,630	15	0
Balance on 31st March 1878 ...	2,868	12	4
Total ...	32,499	11	4

Note.—The balance of Rs. 2,868-12-4 on 31st March 1878 is exclusive of Rs. 27,300 invested in Government securities.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd January 1879.—A plan and an estimate, amounting to Rs. 15,980, for the construction of toll offices on the inland vessels wharves, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 2917, dated 19th December 1878, and the same having been approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd January 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the lands described in the schedule hereto annexed to be reserved forests :—

DISTRICTS.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries
Darjeeling .	Hill Territory	Goompahar	*North*.—The Little Rungeet; then a line running from it along the south boundary of the Mim, Tumsong, Chongtong, and Risheehat estates *East*.—The west boundary of the Darjeeling municipality. *South*.—The Toongsong estate; then the Poobong estate; then the Palungdong khas mehal; then the Pagrainbong khas mehal; then the Silimbong and Rungbong estates. *West*.—The Nepal frontier to the Little Rungeet. The following two locations, situated within the above boundaries, are not included in the reserve forest :— (1) an area of 10 acres at Jore Pokri ; (2) an area of 10 acres at Seemana bustee.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Dooteriah	*North-west*.—The Bingjhora. *East*.—The Hill cart road. *South*.—The new Dooteriah road. *South-west*.—A demarcated line separating the reserve from the Dooteriah tea estate.
Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Rungirum, Tukdah, and Sinchal	*North-west, North, and North-east*.—The Rungnoo jhora; then the Sinchal jhora; then the Rungirum estate, at present under lease with Mr. Wilson; then the Rungnoo jhora; then the Kejok and Pashundi jhoras; then a line from the latter to the Ramaun jhora, separating the Charlesfield estate from the Government forest land; then the Ramaun jhora; then the Mineral Spring estate; then the Darjeeling Company's land; then the Tukdah khas mehal, under lease with Prem Chunder and others; then the Lockchoo khas mehal; then the Pashok estate to the Rungeeac jhora. *East and South-east*.—The Hoom khas mehal; then the Rungli Rungliot estate; then the Pomong khas mehal; then the Rungjo jhora; then the Rungbee road; then the new road from Jore bungalow to Rishap as far as the Rungbee jhora; then a line to the watershed between the Rungbee and Raing jhoras; then the watershed between the Rungbee and Raing jhoras; then the watershed between the Balasun river on the one side and the Raing and Mahanuddy rivers on the other *South*.—The Maharajah of Burdwan's land. *West*.—The Hill cart road, but excluding the following locations :— (1) Mr. Dewes'; (2) Mr. Ward's two locations; (3) Road reserve location; (4) Major Wardroper's two locations; (5) Road location; (6) Ditto; (7) The Maharajah of Burdwan's location from Chuttukpore to Puchim jhora;

		Rungirum, Tukdah, and Sinchal.	(8) The Government road location near Sonada; (9) The Hope Town location; (10) The Maharajah of Burdwan's location Paharpore; (11) Road location at Rungbul; (12) Three locations at Jore bungalow.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Badamtam ...	*North.*—The Rungneet and Great Rungeet, rivers. *East.*—The Rungnoo river. *South.*—The Rungnoo river; then Mr. Barnes' estate. *West.*—Mr. Stewart's estate.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Sumbong Pashok and Giljong.	*North.*—The Great Rungeet. *East.*—The Teesta. *South.*—The Raing and Rungjo jhoras. *West.*—The Ginlam (Jinglam) tea estate; Teesta Valley tea estate; then the Mungwa khas mehals; then the Peshok estate; then the Rungbong jhora; then Mr. Vanzuilicum's estate; then the Sumbong estate up to the Great Rungeet.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Seem ...	*North.*—A line running from the Poosongpoong ridge to the Sumbong ridge. *East and South-east.*—The Sumbong ridge. *South-west and west.*—The Poosongpoong ridge.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Dhobi Jhora ..	*North.*—The old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road. *East.*—Jawan Sing's land. *South.*—Mr. Bell's land and the Castleton tea estate. *West.*—The old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road; then the Northern Bengal Railway settlement; then again the old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Munjhoea ...	*North.*—The Pingloo Tar. *East.*—The Balasun river. *South.*—Mr. Treutler's estate. *West.*—The Singbullee and Munjhoea estates.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Khyrbanee ...	*North.*—A foot-path leading from the Mechi river to Tingling stockade. *East.*—The Munjha river. *South and South-west.*—Dr. Barker's tea estate. *West.*—The Mechi river.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Mechi ...	*North.*—The Khyrbanee forest. *East.*—Mr. Davies' estate and Lohagurree forest. *South.*—The Terai Mechi forest. *West.*—The Nepal territory.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Koohein ...	*North.*—Captain Cornish's (Mr. Lloyd's) estate. *East.*—Bhakat Bir's land. *South.*—The Koohein jhora. *West.*—The Mechi.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Lohagurree ...	*North.*—Mr. Davies' and Dr. Barker's estates. *East.*—The Munjha nuddee. *South.*—The Darjeeling Terai. *West.*—The Mechi forest.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Munjha ...	*North.*—Major Sherwill's land. *East.*—The Balasun. *South.*—The New Terai and Indian Terai tea companies. *West.*—The Munjha nuddee; within the above boundaries two locations, belonging to the Indian Terai Tea Company and to the New Terai Tea Company, are situated. These are not included in the reserve.

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Hill Territory ...	Bamunpokri ...	*North.*—Mr. Pereira's land. *East.*—The Rukti river. *South.*—The Pelkoo Dass and Bamnee jotes. *West.*—The Bansunmallee jhora.
Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Lama Gumba ...	*North.*—Mr. Owen's land. *East.*— Ditto. *South.*—Mr. Southby's land. *West.*—The Rohonee jhora. Within the above boundaries is situated a location comprising 6 acres 2 roods 3 poles, which is not included in the reserve.
Ditto	Ditto ...	Sibakhola ...	*North-east.*—The Sibakhola river. *South-east.*—Mr. Bell's land. *South.*—The Maharajah of Burdwan's land called Kurjung.' *West.*—The Hill cart road.
Ditto	Partly hill territory and partly Terai.	Sukna-Teesta Forest.	*North-west and North.*—Mr. Bell's land (survey No. 182); then the Sepoydoorah estate (survey No. 196); then the Norbong estate (survey No. 189); then the Mahanuddy river; then the Mana jhora; then the watershed between the Raing on one side and the Mahanuddy and Teesta on the other side; then a line running from the said watershed to the junction of the Raing and Rungjo rivers; then the Raing down to its junction with the Teesta. *East.*—The Teesta river. *South.*—The Boycuntpore estate; then the Gulma river; then survey Nos. 877, 882, 855, 865, 879; then the eastern half of the Mahanuddy river opposite survey Nos. 879, 866, and 870; then the Mahanuddy river; then the Moorgong estate, survey No. 827; then survey No. 845A; then Kynanooka jote; then the Ganges and Darjeeling cart road; then survey Nos. 787, 936, 944, 921, 927. *West.*—The Chamta nuddee, which skirts survey No. 973 and passes through survey No. 970; then survey Nos. 970 and 976; then the Khooklong nuddee; then a demarcated line to survey No. 182. The jote known as 'Shilibhita' is not included in the reserve.
Ditto ..	Terai	Mechi	*North.*—The Darjeeling Hills. *East.*—Survey Nos. 1009¼, 85, 106, 79, 75. *South.*—Survey No. 24. *West.*—The Mechi river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Soorj Bur Forest	*North and East.*—Survey No. 76. *South.*—Survey No. 45. *West.*—The Mechi.
Ditto .	Ditto .. .	Balasun and Dulkajhar forests.	*North.*—The Darjeeling hill territory and survey No. 997. *East.*—Survey Nos. 1001, 990A, 990, 990B, 967, 989, 903, 953. *South.*—Survey Nos. 979, 702, 673, 738, 704, 742; then the Hurlia nuddee; then survey No. 583; then the Hurlia nuddee again; then survey Nos 717, 721, 582, 630, 605 630 again; then the Taipoo nuddee; then the Kaldoe nuddee; then survey Nos. 573, 589, 577. *West.*—The Lulfa jhora; then survey Nos. 420, 419, 380, 378, 385, 407 (Tepra Bhola), 1006¼, 1006¼, 1006½. The jotes known as Major Wardroper's and Rishabari are not included in the reserve.
Ditto .	Ditto ..	Rukti	*North.*—The Silligori-Punkabari road.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Terai	Rukti	*East and South-east.*—The eastern branch of the Rukti river. *West.*—Survey Nos. 990B, 908, 911, and the western branch of the Rukti river.
Ditto ...	Hill Territory ...	Merig	*North.*—The Rungbong river. *East.*—The Murma estate. *South.*—The Phoogarhi land. *West.*—The Siminpokri, Singhee Sooba's, and Tharboo estates.
Ditto ...	D .	Nazzeok ...	*North.*—The Rilli river and its feeder the Reyoong. *East.*—The watershed between the Seth and Siok jhoras; then the watershed between the Door and Siok jhoras up to the trigonometrical point at Nazzeok. *South.*—The watershed between the Door jhora on one side and the Runcyoth and Gooling jhoras on the other side, from Nazzeok to the Teesta. *West.*—The Teesta.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Tunang	*North-West.*—The Rilli. *North-east.*—A line running along a ridge from the junction of the Rereoong and Rilli rivers to Tunang. *South-east.*—A line running along a ridge from Tunang to the junction of the Nuboong and Reyoong rivers. *South-west.*—The Reyoong river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Rinkinpung ...	*North and East.*—The Teesta Kalingpung road; then a line running south from it and nearly parallel with the Teesta until near Tunklong; then following a ridge to Rinkinpung, and another spur running in an eastern direction to the Rilli; then the Rilli. *South-east.*—The Rilli. *West.*—The Teesta.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Kalingpung ...	*West and North-west.*—The Teesta. *East, South-east, and South.*—The Torchu; then a line running nearly parallel to the Teesta, at a distance of from half to one mile to the Teesta-Kalingpung road; then the Teesta-Kalingpung road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dumsong ...	*North.*—The Rungpo Chu. *East.*—A line running along a ridge from the Rungpo Chu, between Cashun and Kohu, until close to Dumsong; then along the road from Dumsong to Duschung; then along the road from Duschung towards Kalingpung. *South.*—A line running from the Kalingpung-Duschung road to the watershed between the Teesta and Rilli rivers, meeting that watershed about three-fourths of a mile south-west of Eecha; then running first in a northerly and then a westerly direction to the Torchu. *West.*—The Torchu; and then the Teesta.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Payong ...	*North-west.*—The Kalingpung-Duschung road. *North-east.*—The watershed between the Noonchu and Maydong rivers; and then the Kalingpung-Laba road. *South-east.*—The watershed between the Noonchu and Rilli rivers. *South-west.*—A line running from the south-eastern boundary to the Kalingpung-Duschung road.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Dumsong ..	Maydong ..	*North.*—An irregular line running from the Kalingpung-Duschung road to the Pakathaw monastery. *East.*—The watershed between the Maydong and Bushett rivers. *South.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road. *West.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road, and then the watershed between the Noon Chu and Maydong rivers, and then the Kalingpung-Duschung road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Khempung ...	*North and East.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road. *South.*—The watershed between the Rilli and Jeetchu rivers as far as the Siehoor hills; then a ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali *West.*—A line running from the southern boundary to the Pako Chu; then the Pako Chu; then the Rilli; then the Kaling Chu and then a line running from the Kalung Chu to the watershed between the Rilli and Noon Chu rivers; then up that watershed to the Kalingpung-Laba road.
Ditto .	Ditto	Loolagaon ...	*North.*—A ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali. *East and South.*—The watershed between the Rilli on one side and the Jeet and Lessoo rivers on the other side. *West*—A line running from the south boundary to the Rereoong; then to the Rungno Chu; and then to the ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali.
Julpigoree ..	Western Dooars	Apalchand ...	*North.*—A demarcated line near the southern boundary of Udlabari talook and the Chel nuddee. *East.*—A demarcated line running from the Chel nuddee along the western boundary of the late Durga Mechi's land, known as Khatea Gaon Rajadanga; then in a westerly direction to the northern boundary of Binua Ram zemindar's land, known as Khilabari Rajadanga, to the Phul nuddee; then across that nuddee along the southern boundary of the sâl forest to the land of Maher Ali and others, known as Kala Duar, skirting these to the high land north of Kadambari village, along the edge of that high land to the Apalchand river, excluding the land known as Shamsher pokri; then the Apalchand river; then round the Sidabari jote, so as to exclude it; then again the Apalchand river; then a demarcated line running from the Apalchand to the Gila nuddee; then the Gila nuddee; then a demarcated line running in a southerly, easterly, and again in a southerly direction to the Duramari nuddee so as to exclude all lands under settlement with jotedars. *South.*—The Duramari and Chengamari nuddees; then a line from the latter to the Teesta so as to exclude Pataro's jote. *West.*—The Teesta river and a demarcated line running along the southern and eastern boundary of the Gazlidhuba tea estate; then the Apalchand; then the Duduamari nuddee; then a demarcated line running in a westerly and north-westerly direction to the Gonda jhora; then following the boundaries of Punjab Sing's and Mr. Haughton's jotes up to the north boundary.

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Julpigoree ...	Western Dooars...	Tundu	*North.*—The boundary between the Julpigoree and Darjeeling district. *East.*—The Jhuldaka river; then a demarcated line running near its eastern bank; then again the Jhuldaka. *South.*—A demarcated line near the west bank of the Jhuldaka; then the Jhuldaka then the Murti river; then a demarcated line running from the Murti, first in a southern and then in a western direction to the Dhurla river, meeting the latter just above Lataguri Hât. *West.*—First the Dhurla river; then a demarcated line round Borodighi jote so as to exclude it; then again the Dhurla; then a demarcated line running from the Dhurla first in an eastern and then north-eastern direction, to the Murti river; then the Murti; then a demarcated line running from the Murti to the Indong river; then the Indong.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dainah	*North.*—The Bhootan boundary. *East and South.*—The eastern bank of the Longtee river; then a demarcated line running first approximately parallel with the Dainah river, and then back to that river, then the east bank of the Dainah river, then a line running approximately parallel with the Dainah and back to the Dainah, meeting it close to its junction with the Jhaldaka; then the Dainah. *West.*—The Jhaldaka; then a demarcated line following the boundary of the Bamundanga tea estate back to the Dainah; then the Dainah; then a high bank; then again the Dainah; then the Ghateea; then the Coojee Dainah; then a high bank; then again the Coojee Dainah; then a line to the Chengmaree plateau; then along the edge of that plateau to the Dainah; then the west bank of the Dainah to the Bhootan frontier.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Muraghat ...	*North.*—A demarcated line running from the source of the Kanai nuddee to the source of the Garati nuddee. *East.*—The Garati nuddee; then a short line to the Ghairruta nuddee; then the Ghairruta nuddee. *South and West.*—The Nonai nuddee and then the Kanai nuddee.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Dulgaon ...	*North.*—A line running from the Tasahti to the Birpiti nuddee. *East.*—The Birpiti nuddee. *South.*—A line running from the Tasahti to the Birpiti nuddee. *West.*—The Tasahti nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dumchi	*North.*—A line running from the Dabdoob nuddee to a jhora which joins the Sookhan-Titi nuddee. *East.*—A jhora which joins the Sookhan-Titi, and the Sookhan-Titi nuddee. *South.*—The Sookhan-Titi nuddee and the Wihtee nuddee. *West.*—The Sap jhora and the Dabdoob nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Khairbari ...	*North-west and West.*—The Sookhan jhora and a line close to the Gungthung nuddee; then the Gungthung nuddee. *East and South-east.*—A line from the Sookan jhora to the old Toorsa nuddee; then the old Toorsa nuddee.

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Julpigoree ...	Western Dooars	Borojhar ...	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Hashmara, Balla, Tursa, and Molungi nuddees; then a demarcated line from the Molungi nuddee to the Buri Basra nuddee; then the Buri Basra and Alaikuri nuddees. *South.*—The Bania nuddee; then a demarcated line from it to the Buri Tursa; then the Buri Tursa river. *West.*—The Ulundi nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Hashmara nuddee; then the Hashmara nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Tursa; and the Tursa river up to the Bhootan frontier.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Buxa	*North.*—A demarcated line from the Alaikuri or Pana river, running in a south-easterly direction to the Alipore-Buxa road, meeting it just below Sentrabari; then running first in a north-easterly and then in a south-easterly direction to the Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Bhootan frontier; then the Guddadhur river; then a demarcated line running first west, then south, then east, back to the Guddadhur river; then again the Guddadhur river. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Guddadhur in a westerly direction to the Paror nuddee. *West.*—A demarcated line from the Paror river to the Nimti nuddee; then the Nimti nuddee; then a demarcated line running first east, then south-east, then east, and then north to the Gurm nuddee; then the Gurm nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Alaikuri river; and the Alaikuri river to the north boundary.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Raidak	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Raidak river. *South.*—A small jhora joining the Raidak river with the Nasirpak nuddee. *West.*—The Nasirpak nuddee; the Chipra nuddee; a demarcated line from the Chipra nuddee, first in a north-eastern, then eastern, then northern, and then western direction to the Dhola jhora; the Dhola jhora; and the Bhootan frontier to the north boundary.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dhampara ...	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Sunkos river. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Sunkos, first in a western, then north-western, and then again western direction to the Raidak river. *West.*—The Raidak river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Bholka	*North.*—The Sunkos river. *East.*—The Sunkos river, the Bhataldara jhora, and the Jhorai nuddee. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Jhorai, first in a westerly and then north-westerly direction, to the Kulkuli nuddee. *West.*—The Kulkuli nuddee; then a demarcated line from the Kulkuli in a north-easterly direction to the Gholanee nuddee; then the Gholanee nuddee; then a demarcated line from it in a north-easterly direction to the Sunkos.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Lohardugga ...	Palamow ...	Kechki ...	*North.*—The Aurunga river. *West.*—The Koel river. *South-east.*—A line running from the Koel to the Aurunga.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Betla	*North.*—The north boundary of mouzah Hateeyali; then the western boundary of Damooder Khar; then down a feeder of the Aurunga river to that river; then the Aurunga. *East.*—The Aurunga river. *South.*—The south boundary of Damooder Khar; then down a small stream joining the Teorahee nuddee; then up the Teorahee nuddee; then the northern boundary of Lookum Khar, Gadee, and Kocheelah mouzahs. *West.*—A straight line, running from the junction of the boundaries of Kocheelah, Ookamand, and Moondah in a northerly direction to the junction of the boundaries of Moondah, Dooramee, Ukhera, and Betal mouzah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Saidope ...	*North.*—The northern boundary of Khamee tuppa to the junction of the boundaries of Morwaie, Kullan, Jurgudh, Ganseday, and Lat, then following the western boundary of Jurgudh to a western feeder of the Douree nuddee; then down that feeder to the western boundary of Saidope; then along that boundary in a southerly direction to the foot of the hills; then following the foot of the hills to the eastern boundary of Saidope; then the eastern boundary of Saidope to an eastern branch of the Douree nuddee; then that branch until to a point about one mile north-west of Hurnomand village; then a line running in a southerly direction to the foot of the hills; then following the foot of the hills to the western boundary of Joroahur; then a line following a small stream for about one mile in a north-easterly direction and then northerly direction to the junction of the boundaries of Gadee, Cheepadohur, and Kedh; then along the northern boundary of Kedh to the Aurunga river. *East.*—The Aurunga river; then the Pooboa and Jeewa nuddees. *South.*—The western boundary of Baree tuppa; then up a feeder of the Jeewa nuddee; then following the foot of the hills up to the Charo nuddee; then the Charo nuddee and the Koel river. *West.*—The western boundary of Meral mouzah.
Dittó ...	Ditto	Kumandee ...	*North.*—A line starting from the north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah and following the foot of the hills to the western boundary of Kumandee; then along the southern boundary of Kumandee; then up a small stream; then the southern boundary of Nowagadha; then down a small stream for a short distance; then up another branch of it; then along the southern boundary of Bindi.

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Lohardugga	Palamow	Kumandee ...	*East.*—The western boundary of Bichra and Zer. *South*—The north-eastern boundary of Munkheree tuppa; then the northern boundary of Kookoo; then the Ranee Deh nuddee to where the north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah crosses it. *South-west.*—The north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah.
Ditto	Ditto .	Ramundag ..	*North.*—The Burmahee nuddee; then a line running in an eastern direction to the western boundary of Purroh; then the northern boundary of Purroh and Ramundag; then the eastern boundary of Khamee tuppa; then the northern boundary of Kantokona and Koreemoree mouzahs to the Dhadoon nuddee. *East.*—The Dhadoon nuddee. *South.*—The Jorhur nuddee and the Koel river. *West.*—The Goanjh nuddee.
Ditto	Ditto	Barasand ...	*North.*—The Koel river. *East.*—The eastern boundary of Baras and Tuppah. *South*—A line running from the east boundary of Baras and Tuppah, first in a northerly and then easterly direction, to the junction of the Baras and Checharee roads; then following the Checharee road in a southerly direction to where it crosses the northern boundary of Checharee tuppa; then following the northern boundary of Checharee tuppa in a westerly direction. *West.*—The western boundary of Baras and Tuppah.
Ditto .	Ditto . ..	Seema ...	*North.*—The southern and eastern boundary of Maromand; then the southern boundary of Loiah; then the western boundary of Hoolok; then the northern boundary of Serum; then the western boundary of Dareechapur, Jaigir, and Bareebun; then the northern boundary of Kanteh for about one mile; then a line running in a southerly direction to the south boundary of Kanteh; then the south boundary of Kanteh, Toreedag, and road to a small feeder of the Koel; then down that feeder to the Koel. *East*—The Koel river. *South.*—Starting from the Koel, first the south boundary of Palamow until where it meets the edge of the Neturhat plateau; then a line following the edge of that plateau in a northerly direction until opposite the source of a small stream which joins the Pindra nuddee about one mile below Pinda; then a straight line running in a westerly direction to where the southern boundary of mouzah Koorgee hits the western boundary of Seema tuppa. *West.*—The western boundary of Seema tuppa.
Shahabad .	Sasseeram ...	Rhotas plateau .	The Rhotas plateau being the table-land bounded on all sides by the slopes known as the Rhotas slopes, except on the south west corner, where a narrow neck of land joins it to taluka Rehul.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Rhotas slopes ..	The Rhotas slopes being sides of the hill from the plain to the crest, the summit of which forms the Rhotas plateau, the said slopes extending irregularly for a distance of about 28 miles round the plateau.

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Shahabad ...	Sasseram .	Rehal plateau ...	The Rehal plateau, comprising that part of taluka Rehal which is at present held khas by Government, and including the cultivated portion formerly settled with the Maharajah of Deo, and lately taken up under the Land Acquisition Act. The plateau is bounded on the south and east by the Rehal slopes, on the north by mouzahs Boodhua and Chunda, and on the west by mouzahs Boegar and Pipardip.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Bans-i-Koh ...	The tract of land known as the Bans-i-Koh, being a strip of land about six miles in length comprising slopes and valley; bounded on the north by the plateau villages of Dholdag, Bundah, and Sodag, and on the south by mouzahs Mudkopea and Nomadih, Amangun, Teera-Khurd, and Kalon.
24-Pergunnahs Jessore ...	Satkhira ... Khoolna, Bagirhat.	Sunderbuns ..	*North.*—From the Kalindi nuddee, eastward along the northern boundary of the ungranted portion of lot No. 164, called Koekhali, to the Jaboona river; then down the Jaboona; then along the eastern boundary of the Kalenchi Abad; then the Moor Gong; then the Aburi and Allooah khals; then up the Eshamutti river; then along the northern boundary of ungranted lot No. 169; then the Chuar Gong; and then the Colputto river to the Arpungassya river; then the Shakbaria nuddee; then the Mysaleer khal to its junction with the Seepsah river; then southwards along the Seepsah river to the point where it is joined by the Sootur Khalee river; then northwards along the said Sootur Khalee until it joins the Bhudder river; then southwards along the Bhudder river to the point where it is met by the khal or creek called Loutakhalee in the maps, but locally known as Khajoorbaria khal, and which said khal forms the northern boundary of lot No. 226, called Kurumjal; then along the south and west banks of the said Loutakhalee creek or Khajoorbaria khal to its junction with the Pussur river; then a short distance south along the Pussur river and across it to the Nora Cheela khal, which forms the northern boundary of lot No. 240; then along the said Nora Cheela khal to its junction with the gang or river called Cheela Chandpie; then across the Cheela Chandpie, and along the south bank of the Khurma nuddee or river as far east as its point of junction with the Bhola river, which flows on the west of the well-known lots, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 Khowlea Barisal. *East.*—The Bhola river; then the Bogee khal and the Hooringotta river: *South.*—The Sea: *West.*—The Kalindi nuddee and the Roymungul river.
Chittagong Hill Tracts	.....	Miani .	The area drained by the Miani river, bounded as follows:— *North.*—Hill Tipperah. *East.*—The watershed between the Miani and Kassalong rivers. *West.*—The watershed between the Miani and Chingri rivers.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest	Description of Boundaries.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	....	Miani ...	*South.*—A demarcated line from the mouth of the Miani river, east and west, to the eastern and western boundary.
Ditto .	.....	Sitapahar ...	A block consisting of two pieces of land, on the banks of the Kurnafooli, east of Sitapahar, the boundaries of which run as follows :— *First piece.*—Starting from the Kurnafooli, opposite Sitapahar, in a northern direction for about one mile ; then following a ridge towards the east and south-east until it meets the Kurnafooli, near a place called Fukeerachar ; then down the Kurnafooli until opposite Sitapahar. *The second piece* of land is bounded on the north by the Kurnafooli ; on the east by the Kaptie ; south by a line parallel with the Kurnafooli, at about three-fourths of a mile distance ; west by a small stream joining the Kurnafooli opposite Royonpara.
Ditto ...	.....	Martamori ...	*East.*—The watershed between the Martamori river on one side, and the Twine Choung and Sungoo river on the other side. *South and West.*—The watershed between the Martamori river on one side, and Arrakan and the area drained by the Bagkhali river on the other side. *North.*—A demarcated line running from Alai Khwadong east and west to the eastern and western boundaries.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 17th January 1879.—It is hereby notified, under paragraph 2 of Section 8, Act V (B C.) of 1876, that in compliance with the recommendation of the local authorities, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the Union of Chagdah, in the district of Nuddea, to be a second-class Municipality with effect from the 1st April 1879, unless good reasons to the contrary be shown within one month from the publication of this notice within the union.

1. Ghugia.	7. Jashrah.
2. Chagdah.	8. Palparah.
3. Kantalpuli.	9. Bholanipore.
4. Belladanga.	10. Goreparah.
5. Ghoshparah.	11. Khashbash Mohulla.
6. Notoongram.	12. Kaziparah.

2. The proposed Municipality consists of the twelve villages named in the margin, and will be bounded as follows :—

On the North—By the Harar Khal ;

On the West—By the bed of the river Hooghly, known locally by the name of Churuckgunga and by the village "Palpara Baour ;"

On the South—By the lands of the villages of Monshapota and Ektarpore ; and

On the East—By the lands of villages Khidirpore and Pumlia, by the Ukhundi Dheel and the Imperial road.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following forms shall be substituted for forms Nos. 2 and 3 appended to the rules for regulating labour transport under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2.

Register of Emigrants engaged by Sirdars in gangs of twenty and under, to be kept by the Magistrate under Sections 21 and 24 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1873.

Date of registry.	Register number.	Name of emigrant.	Father's name	Caste.	Age.	Sex.	Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	Relationship, if any, to others in the batch.	Period of service.	Rate of wages.	Maximum price at which rice to be supplied.	Name of garden sirdar.	District where recruited.	District where registered.	Names of garden and district for which engaged, and of Calcutta agents or manager of such garden.	Labour district to which to proceed.	Route to be taken to garden.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-named emigrants, who have one and all acknowledged in my presence their willingness to contract on the above terms, which have been fully explained to them.

Magistrate.

N B.—The above form will serve both for registration book under section 21 and for the abstract of contract under section 24.

No. 3.

Register of Emigrants recruited by Sirdars and recruiters for despatch through Contractors' Depôts, to be kept by the Magistrate under Section 43, Act VII (B.C.) of 1873.

Date of registry.	Register No.	Name of emigrant.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Sex.	Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	Relationship, if any, to others in the batch.	Period of service.	Rate of wages	Maximum price at which rice is to be supplied.	Name of depôt recruiter or sirdar recruiter.	District where recruited.	District where registered	Contractor's depôt to which to be conveyed, and where situate.	By whom conducted to depôt.	Names of garden and district for which engaged, if recruited by a sirdar recruiter	Labour district to which to proceed.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-named emigrants, who have one and all acknowledged in my presence their willingness to emigrate on the above terms, which have been fully explained to them.

Magistrate.

N. B.—A certified extract of the above is to be furnished to each emigrant. A certified extract of entries relating to each batch is to be forwarded to the Superintendent of Emigration at Calcutta.

CALCUTTA PORT FUND ACCOUNT.

The 24th January 1879.—The following account is published in supersession of that published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th February 1878, page 115.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Revised Abstract Account of Receipts and Charges under Section 47, Act XII of 1875, *of the Port of Calcutta and its Approaches, for the year* 1876-77.

RECEIPTS	AMOUNT CREDITED ON THE GOVERNMENT BOOKS. Under Revenue and Receipts. XIV, Marine.	AMOUNT CREDITED ON THE GOVERNMENT BOOKS. Under Debit Head, Local Fund, Hospital Port Due Fund.	Amount credited in the accounts of the Port Commissioners of Calcutta—*vide* their Administration Report for 1876-77, page 60.	TOTAL.
Balance at credit on the 1st April 1876	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 1,37,903 4 4	Rs. A. P. 34,055 11 11	Rs. A. P. 1,71,959 0 8
Port Dues	2,77,379 11 4	.....	.....	2,77,379 11 4
Hospital Port Dues	.....	51,197 11 0	.....	51,197 11 0
Receipts from mooring hire	.....	.....	2,30,402 2 0	2,30,402 2 0
Harbour Masters' earnings	.....	.....	1,67,813 15 8	1,67,813 15 8
Wreck and anchor	.....	.....	8,844 3 11	8,844 3 11
Moyapore magazine	.....	.....	5,859 7 0	5,859 7 0
Sale of condemned stores	.....	.....	2,621 8 7	2,621 8 7
Interest of Reserve Fund	.....	.....	15,750 0 0	15,750 0 0
Interest of amount invested for Depreciation Fund ...	.....	.....	5,885 0 0	5,885 0 0
Government subsidy for realising marine dues	.....	.....	3,500 0 0	3,500 0 0
Government contribution for River Police	.....	.....	8,936 0 0	8,936 0 0
Licensing of cargo and passenger boats	.....	.....	12,528 6 9	12,528 6 9
Fines for breach of port rules	.....	.....	1,243 0 0	1,243 0 0
Sales of hand-books	.....	.....	33 0 0	33 0 0
Deposits	.....	.....	2,000 0 0	2,000 0 0
Amount realised by sale of materials of landing stage	.....	.....	150 4 2	150 4 2
Portion of amount received for towing vessels by the barges.	.....	.....	5,722 11 8	5,722 11 8
Sale of materials of wreck *Asia*	.....	.....	54,414 14 9	54,414 14 9
Total Receipts	2,77,379 11 4	51,197 11 0	5,25,704 10 6	8,54,282 0 10
		1,89,100 15 4	5,59,760 6 5	

CHARGES.	AMOUNT DEBITED ON THE GOVERNMENT BOOKS. Under Disbursement, Imperial. XVIII, Marine.	AMOUNT DEBITED ON THE GOVERNMENT BOOKS. Under Debit Head, Local Fund, Hospital Port Due Fund.	Amount charged as expenditure in the accounts of the Port Commissioners of Calcutta—*vide* their Administration Report for 1876-77.	TOTAL.
Harbour Masters' fees	Rs. A. P. 3,033 4 0	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. 3,033 4 0
Hire of moorings (*a*)	1,511 8 0	.....	.....	1,511 8 0
Anchor vessels	5,553 11 8	.....	.. ...	5,553 11 8
River survey and buoyage (*b*)	1,23,648 13 5	.....	.. ...	1,23,648 13 5
Floating light-vessels (*c*)	1,28,643 11 11	.....	.....	1,28,643 11 11
Moiety of cost of seventh crew (*d*)	3,472 0 0	.....	.....	3,472 0 0
Light-houses (*e*)	14,115 14 5	.....	.....	14,115 14 5
Miscellaneous boats (*f*)	11,982 10 0	.....	.....	11,982 10 0
Telegrams	5 946 0 0	.....	.....	5,946 0 0
Allowance to Port Trust Commissioners for collecting marine dues.	3,500 0 0	.....	.....	3,500 0 0
Miscellaneous	459 4 9	...	.....	459 4 9
Charges of sick seamen sent to hospital ...	.. .	33,839 9 0	.....	33,839 9 0
Value of brig *Guide* to be employed as floating hospital	... ..	12,000 0 0	.....	12,000 0 0
Especial donation for hospital nurses' quarters ...	.....	10,000 0 0	.....	10,000 0 0
Salary of Health Officer	.....	14,842 0 1	.....	14,842 0 1
Salary of establishment under Health Officer... ..	.....	1,769 11 0	... ..	1,769 11 0
Contingencies	.....	169 3 6	.....	169 3 6
Percentage of establishment employed in Accountant-General's and Divisional Commissioners' Offices.	.....	259 2 6	... ..	259 2 6
Proportion of salaries (control)	....	.....	33,506 13 11	33,506 13 11
Ditto of dredger expenses	.....	.....	14,879 2 1	14,879 2 1
Ditto of interest and sinking fund	.....	.....	83,948 15 11	83,948 15 11
Municipal taxes for officers' quarters	.....	.....	938 12 4	938 12 4
Ditto for storeyard and workshop	.....	.....	701 0 7	701 0 7
Pay and allowance of Colonel Stewart	.....	.....	2,337 8 3	2,337 8 3
River Police establishment	... ..	... ..	35,760 14 8	35,760 14 8
Moordafrash ditto	.....	.....	1,297 8 0	1,297 8 0
Depreciation account	.....	.....	55,789 2 9	55,789 2 9
Repairs of boats and vessels	.....	.....	11,996 14 3	11,996 14 3
Working expenses	... ..	... ..	24,072 10 4	24,072 10 4
Salaries	... ..	... ..	1,58,679 4 9	1,58,679 4 9
Ditto, licensing boats	.....	.....	4-11 0	4 11 0
Pension and gratuities	.....	.....	3,876 6 8	3,876 6 8
Amount paid to Commissioners for the town of Calcutta for census.	.....	.....	1,000 0 8	1,000 0 8
Wreck of *Asia*	.....	.....	13,395 10 0	13,395 10 0
Miscellaneous	.....	... ..	323 5 3	323 5 3
Amount transferred for portion of cost of portico for new office.	... ..	.....	1,059 0 0	1,059 0 0
Ditto for furniture of new office ...	.....	.....	10,500 0 0	10,500 0 0
Converting Mullick's Ghât into quarters for police ..	.....	.. ..	15,000 0 0	15,000 0 0
Deduct value of extra gear used for working expenses from extra gear of dredger.	3,01,865 14 2	72,879 10 1	4,69,059 13 5 5,971 0 7	8,43,804 5 8 .....
Total Charges ...	.....	72,879 10 1	4,63,087 12 10	.....
Balance at credit on the 31st March 1877 ...	.....	1,16,221 5 3	96,672 9 7	.....
	. ..	1,89,100 15 4	5,59,760 6 5	.....

(*a*) Represents mooring hire for such vessels only as are charged to the Port Fund.
(*b*) (*c*) (*d*) (*e*) *and* (*f*) include cost of marine stores and of services rendered by the Government Dockyard which were not entered in the previous account published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th February 1878, page 115.

OFFICE OF THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL, BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 22nd November 1878.

J. WESTLAND,
Accountant-General, Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct, as an experimental measure, that the following scale of diet for emigrants, while in transit to Assam on board of steamers, shall be substituted for the scale appended to the rules for regulating Labour Transport under Act VII (B.C) of 1873, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1874 :—

SCALE.

		Per diem. Chittacks.
Maize or atta may be substituted for any portion of the rice for flour-eaters	Rice	9
Meat or fish two chittacks twice a week in lieu of one chittack of dâl *for dhangurs only* ...	Dâl	2
In the proportion of half yams and half potatoes, and, when obtainable at the stations, sâg or some such vegetables may be substituted for a portion of the yams or potatoes...	Vegetables	3
	Mustard oil	¼
	Salt	½
Condiments, &c.		¼
Consisting of—		Kuncha.
Onions		⅓
Garlic		⅓
Tamarind		⅓
Turmeric		⅓
Coriander seed		⅓
Chillies		⅓

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 572A.

The 11th January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. W. Sarson of his appointment of Honorary Magistrate in the district of Chittagong.

The 13th January 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Satkhira Bench, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class :—

Baboo Poreshnath Chatterjee, Pleader, *vice* Baboo Kedar Nath Deb.
" Purmessur Banerjee, Pleader, *vice* Baboo Kedar Nath Mookerjee.
Nazir Khan Chowdry, Gantidar, *vice* Bukshee Khan Chowdry.
Mr. J. Deverinne, Putnidar, *vice* Baboo Harrichaitanya Ghose.
Baboo Preo Nath Sircar, Zemindar, *vice* Baboo Jodu Nath Ghose.

The 14th January 1879.—Moonshi Ali Kurim, a Zemindar, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Bench of Comillah in the district of Tipperah, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 24th January 1879.—Baboo Gour Chunder Roy, B.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif of Bazitpore in Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Mohendronath Roy, B.L., or until further orders.

Baboo Hurokrishna Chatterjee, Moonsif of Cuttack and Kendrapara, is transferred to Jajpore in that district.

Baboo Hurokrishna Chatterjee is vested with the powers of a Judge of the Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such Courts up to the amount of Rs 50.

In supersession of the orders of the 11th instant, Baboo Trigunna Porsanna Bose, Second Moonsif of Cutwa in Burdwan, is appointed to be Moonsif of Cuttack and Kendrapara.

Baboo Kedar Nath Roy, Third Moonsif of Kurigaon, with head-quarters at Barobarec, is appointed to be an Additional Moonsif of Nelphamaree in Rungpore, and of the Sudder Moonsifee of that district.

Baboo Baney Madhub Mitter, Officiating First Subordinate Judge, Backergunge, is also appointed to act temporarily as Small Cause Court Judge of that district.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th January 1879.—It is hereby notified that under Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor declares the ferry on the river Jumna, between the village of Gheor on the south and Bailjuree on the north, in thana Jaffergunge, in the district of Dacca, to be a public ferry.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of Section 11 of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, the Lieutenant-Governor declares that the building in the Alms House in Amherst Street, Calcutta, is fit for a Workhouse for the reception of vagrants and for the purposes of the said Act.

2. Under Section 12 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the appointment of Mr. Thomas McGuire, the Superintendent of the Alms House, as Governor of the Workhouse, and, under the same section, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints the following gentlemen to be members of a Committee of Management of the Workhouse:—

Hon'ble W. F. McDonell, v.c., *President.*	Mr. J. Lambert.
Mr. W. M. Souttar.	„ G. Yule.
Dr. S. C. Mackenzie.	„ E. Lindstedt.
„ A. S. Lethbridge	Capt. C. J. Wilkinson.

3. Under Section 14 of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes Mr. McGuire to punish, under the supervision and direction of the Committee of Management, any vagrant who knowingly disobeys or neglects any of the rules for the management and discipline of the Workhouse, with any one of the punishments described in that section.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd January 1879.

No. 19.—*Posting.*—Mr. H. J. Handley, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, having returned from furlough to Europe, is posted to the Darjeeling Division.

No. 20.—*Transfers.*—Mr. C. J. Middleton, Assistant Engineer (temporary rank) First Grade, from the Darjeeling to the Dinagepore Division, in the interests of the public service.

The 24th January 1879.

No. 21.—Mr. A. H. Tyndall, Executive Engineer (temporary rank), Second Grade, from the Dinagepore to the Darjeeling Division, in the interests of the public service.

2. Mr. Tyndall joined the latter Division on the 9th January 1879, after noon.

No. 22.—*Notifications.*—Mr. J. F. Maxwell, Executive Engineer (temporary rank), Third Grade, availed himself of the eighteen months' furlough to Europe, granted* to him from the 16th December 1878.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 8 of 3rd January 1879.

No. 23.—The following officers holding temporary rank will revert to their permanent rank, as specified opposite to their names, from the dates mentioned:—

Mr. G. A. D. Anley, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Assistant Secretary in this Department,—from the 4th December 1878.

Captain G. F. E. S. Neill, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Darjeeling Division,—from the 4th December 1878.

Mr. J. Patterson, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division,—from the 11th November 1878.

Mr. J. F. Maxwell, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, now on furlough,—from the 4th December 1878.

Mr. W. B. Christie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Burdwan Division,—from the 4th December 1878.

Mr. E. J Meara, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division,—from the 12th December 1878.

Mr. A. G. Bremner, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division,—from the 4th December 1878.

Mr. C. J. Middleton, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division,—from the 12th December 1878.

No. 24.—*Promotions.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to make the following promotions in the Provincial Engineer Establishments in Bengal:—

ENGINEER ESTABLISHMENT—TEMPORARY.

To be Executive Engineer, First Grade.

Mr. S. A. Stewart, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, Third Calcutta Division, from the 16th September to the 11th November 1878.

To be Executive Engineer, Second Grade.

Baboo Madhub Chunder Roy, Executive Engineer (temporary rank), Third Grade, Mozufferpore Division, from the 16th September to the 11th November 1878.

To be Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade.

Mr. E. J. Meara, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Dinagepore Division, from the 16th December 1878.

Mr. J. C. G. Keddie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Patna Division, from the 31st August to the 11th November 1878.

To be Assistant Engineer, First Grade.

Mr. C. J. Middleton, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division, from the 16th December 1878.

A. CADELL, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 21st January 1879.

No. 29.—*Notification.*—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Mr. A. C. C. Rogers, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, reported his return from Madras Famine Relief Works on the forenoon of the 21st January 1879.

No. 18, dated 18th January 1879.

The 22nd January 1879.

No. 30.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. H. Apjohn, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Cossye Division, is granted furlough for 18 months with subsidiary leave for 10 days, with effect from the 20th March 1879, under Chapter IV, Section 12, and Chapter VI, Section 24, respectively, of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 31.—*Transfer.*—Mr. H. Unwin, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, is transferred, in the interests of the public service, from the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division to the Cossye Division, with effect from the 1st February 1878.

Mr. Unwin to be Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, during the absence, on furlough, of Mr. Apjohn, or until further orders.

The 24th January 1879.

No. 32.—*Posting.*—Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, is posted to the Gunduck Division of the South-Western Circle.

No. 33.—*Notifications.*—The services of Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, until further orders.

No. 34.—Under the orders of the Government of India, Public Works Department, which are republished in the notification entered in the margin, Colonel F. T. Haig, R.E., made over, and Mr. H. C. Levinge received charge of, the office of Chief Engineer and Joint-Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, on the afternoon of the 22nd January 1879.

No. 23, dated 20th January 1878.

No. 35.—*Promotions.*—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the following promotions with effect from the 23rd January 1879, *vice* Mr. H. C. Levinge, who has been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer, Third Class.

Permanent.

Mr J. P. H. Walker, from Superintending Engineer, Second to First Grade.
Major J. M. McNeile, R.E., from Executive Engineer, First, to Superintending Engineer, Third Grade.

No. 36.—*Leave.*—Mr. J. P. H. Walker, Superintending Engineer, Orissa Circle, is granted privilege leave for seven weeks, under Section 32 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 37.—*Transfers*.—Mr. H. C. Levinge, Superintending Engineer, Sone Circle, having been appointed Chief Engineer and Joint Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, the following transfers of Superintending Engineers are ordered in the interests of the public service:—

Mr. J. P. H. Walker, who, under separate orders, has been granted privilege leave for seven weeks, from the Orissa to the Sone Circle.

Major J. M. McNeile, R.E., to the Orissa Circle, but to hold charge of the Sone Circle during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Walker, or until further orders.

Mr. R. H. Rhind to have charge of the Orissa Circle as Officiating Superintending Engineer until the arrival of Major McNeile, or until further orders.

Mr. J. M. Heywood, R.E., will continue in charge of the South-Western Circle.

No. 38.—*Promotions*.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the following officiating promotions, with effect from the date on which Mr. J. P. H. Walker availed himself of privilege leave:—

Mr. R. H. Rhind, from Executive Engineer, First, to Officiating Superintending Engineer, Third Grade.

Baboo Mohesh Chunder Bose, from Assistant Engineer, First Grade, to Officiating Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade.

No. 39.—*Leave*.—Mr. T. R. Roberts, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Brahminee-Byturnee Division, is granted furlough for one year, under Section 12, Chapter IV of the Civil Leave Code.

IRRIGATION.

The 24th January 1879.

No. 40.—*Declaration*.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for an escape channel from the Arrah Branch Canal in its 16th mile at Nasrigunge, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring about 6 furlongs and 377 feet in length, and averaging from 110 feet to 240 feet in width, more or less, and containing 16 acres and 2 roods, more or less, is required within the village of Nasrigunge, pergunnah Sassiram, in the district of Shahabad.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

No. 41.—*Declaration*.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a market, a nursery for trees, and a road at Daoodnaggur on the west side of the 20th mile of the Patna Branch Canal, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose 3 plots of land measuring—1st, for the market, about 380 feet long and 230 feet broad; 2nd, for the nursery, about 220 feet long and 125 feet wide; and 3rd, for the road, about 830 feet long and 50 feet wide, more or less, and containing 2 acres and 1 pole, 2 roods and 29 poles, and 3 roods and 32 poles, more or less, respectively, are required within the villages of Akra and Daoodnaggar, pergunnah Ancha, zillah Gya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. C. LEVINGE,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

The 28th January 1879.

No. 10.—*Notification*.—Referring to Government of India, Public Works Department Notification No. 50, of the 24th January 1879, Mr. M. J. Chabrel, Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), is posted to the Central Bengal State Railway Surveys.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 16th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Burdwan, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Santipore to Mymaree *vid* Culnah.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 13th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz for Government Railway Policemen's accommodation of the East Indian Railway Company in the town of Howrah, pergunnah Boror, zillah Hooghly;

It is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 1 acre 1 rood 3½ poles, or 3 beeghas 16 cottahs 15 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Tindal Bagan Road; on the south by Chandmaree Road; on the east by Mr. George Jones' house and Baboo Hurry Mohun Bose's house; and on the west by New Street, is required in the aforesaid Town of Howrah.

This declaration is made, under the provision of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,

Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৫ জানুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই ফেব্রুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের দ্বিতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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TREASURY NOTICE.

MR. J. A. CRAVEN, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Darjeeling Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. ULICK BROWNE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN.,
Dated Rampore Beauleah, the 13th January 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

THE Latin subjects for the Gilchrist Scholarship Examination of 1880 will be "Cicero de Amicitiâ and Oratio pro Lege Manilia."

The 25th January 1879. A. W. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

SENIOR SCHOLARSHIPS,

1879.

Name of scholar.	College he comes from.	College where the scholarship is to be made tenable.	Course elected.
	FIRST GRADE, 10.		
Mohini Mohan Sen	Presidency College ...	Presidency College	B. Course.
Charles E. Sunder	St. Xavier's ditto ...	St. Xavier's College	Ditto.
Ishan Chandra Ghosh	Metropolitan Institution ...	General Assembly's Institution	A. Course.
Barada Charan Mitra	Presidency College ..	Presidency College	B. Course.
Joy Gopal De	General Assembly's Institution	General Assembly's Institution.	A. Course.
Haripada Das	Metropolitan Institution ...	Ditto ditto ...	B. Course.
Kanti Bhushan Ghosh	Krishnaghar College ...	Krishnaghar College ...	Ditto.
Ganga Charan Chattopadhyay ...	Metropolitan Institution ...	Presidency College	Ditto.
Jadab Chandra Chakravarti ...	General Assembly's Institution	General Assembly's Institution	A. Course.
Aghornath Chandra	Presidency College ...	Presidency College	B. Course.
	SECOND GRADE, 39.		
	Hooghly District.		
Lalbihari Mitra	Hooghly College	Hooghly College	B. Course.
Ratinath Chattopadhyay	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Nilmadhab Mazumdar	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Annada Prasad Basu	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Guru Prasanna Ray	Ditto ditto	Calcutta Medical College.	
Ishan Chandra Misra	Ditto ditto	Hooghly College	Ditto.
	Midnapore District.		
Ram Chandra Sanyal	Midnapore College	Krishnaghur College	A. Course.
Gobinda Chandra Mukhopadhyay	Ditto ditto	Presidency ditto	Ditto.
	TOWN OF CALCUTTA.		
Manindra Chandra Sinha	Presidency College	Presidency College	B. Course.
Harihar Lahari	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Sarat Chandra Mitra	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Atul Chandra Basu	Doveton ditto	Ditto ditto	A. Course.
Jadunath Mandal	Presidency ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Narayan Das Chattopadhyay ...	Sanskrit ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
W. A. Kelly	St. Xavier's ditto	St. Xavier's ditto	B. Course.
Jogendra Chandra Ghosh	Presidency ditto	Presidency ditto	Ditto.
Nandalal Mukhopadhyay	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Krishna Kali Mukhopadhyay ...	Sanskrit ditto	Ditto ditto	A. Course.
Banshidhar Bandyopadhyay ...	Presidency ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
	PRESIDENCY DIVISION OUTSIDE CALCUTTA.		
Kalipada Basu	Krishnaghar College	Krishnaghar College	B Course.
Upendra Nath Basu	London Missionary Society's Institution, Bhawanipore.	Presidency ditto.	
Ambika Charan Mazumdar ...	Ditto ditto ...	Ditto ditto.	
	MOORSHEDABAD DISTRICT.		
Haris Chandra Mukhopadhyay ...	Berhampore College	Hooghly College	B. Course.
Ram Lal Saha	Ditto ditto	Presidency ditto	A. Course.
	RAJSHAHYE DISTRICT.		
Lolit Mohun Lahiri	Rajshahye College	Rajshahye College	B. Course.
	DACCA AND CHITTAGONG DIVISIONS.		
	Dacca Division.		
Prasanna Kumar Guha ...	Dacca College	Dacca College	B. Course.
Mohindra Kumar Ghosh	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Sarada Charan Ghosh	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Trailokhya Nath Battacharyay ...	Ditto ditto	Presidency	A. Course.
	Chittagong Division.		
Satis Chandra Sen	Chittagong College	Presidency College	B. Course.
Reazuddin	Ditto ditto	Hooghly ditto	A. Course.

Name of scholar.	College he comes from.	College where the scholarship is to be made tenable.	Correct elected.
	Patna and Bhagulpore Divisions.		
Amjad Ali	Patna College	Patna College	B. Course.
Sarada Prasad Mukhopadhya ...	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Jagun Nath Prasad...	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Jagun Nath Sahay (Junior) ...	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.
Ganes Chandra Mitra	Ditto ditto	Medical ditto.	
Baldeo Lal	Ditto ditto	Patna ditto	Ditto.
	Orissa Division.		
Braja Lal Mukhopadhyay ...	Cuttack College	Cuttack College	B. Course.
Janaki Ballabh Ghosh	Ditto ditto	Ditto ditto	Ditto.

Fort William,
The 22nd January 1879.

A. W. CROFT,
Director of Public Instruction.

JUNIOR SCHOLARS.

1879.

First Grade.

Gobinda Lal Set	... Hindu School.
Akshay Kumar Mittra (1st)	Ditto.
Jogendra Nath Mukhopadhyay	... Ditto.
Pares Chandra Bandyopadhya	... Hare School.
Sib Krishna Ray Chaudhuri	... Uttarparah School.
Sarada Prasad Sarkar	Metropolitan Institution, Shampukur Branch.
Nritya Gopal Basu	... Metropolitan Institution.
Chandra Bhusan Sen	... Beerbhoom School.
Mohendra Nath Ray	... Howrah School.
Baikuntha Kisor Chakravarti	... Mymensingh School.

Burdwan Division.

Second Grade.

Kalipada Chandra	... Hooghly Branch School.
Nanilal Ghosh	... Beerbhoom School.
Priya Nath Madak	... Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
Upendra Nath Som	... Konnagar English School.
Ram Chandra Bundyopadhyay	... Utturparah School.
Nil Madhab Barik	... Bankura School.

Third Grade.

Jalbehari De	... Chinsurah Free Church Institution.
Bhairab Chandra Datta	... Howrah School.
Purna Chandra Sarkar	... Midnapore Collegiate School.
Behari Lal De	... Beerbhoom School.
Pares Chandra Datta	... Howrah School.
Kesav Chandra Ray	... Kulna Free Church Mission Branch School.
Kali Pada Chattopadhyay	... Kuchiakole Radhaballabh's Institution.
Radha Nath Pati	... Midnapore Collegiate School.
Bepinbehari Sinha	... Hamilton School, Tamlook.
Nritya Prasad Bhattacharyya	... Burdwan Moharaja's School.
Kuladananda Ray	... Sarada Prasad Institution, Chakdigi.
Akshoy Chandra Ghosal	... Bunwaribad H. C. E. School.

Town of Calcutta.

Second Grade.

Syama Charan Bandyopadhyay	... Hare School.
Debendra Nath Chakravarti.	... Ditto.
Surendra Lal Mittra	... Hindu School.
Atalbehari Bhaduri	... Metropolitan Institution.
Amulya Charan Basu	... Hare School.

Third Grade.

Manmatha Nath Bhattacharyya	...	Sanskrit Collegiate School.
Priya Nath Ghosh	...	Hindu School.
Kedar Nath Dhar	.	Hare School.
Lakshmi Kanta Aich	. .	Ditto.
Brajendra Nath Sil	...	General Assembly's Institution.
Bhaba Nath Ray	...	Hindu School.
Makhan Lal Basu	...	Ditto.
Nalini Nath Sen	...	Ditto.
W. C. Robeholm	. .	Doveton College.
Hriday Nath Sarkar	...	Hindu School.

PRESIDENCY DIVISION OUTSIDE CALCUTTA.

Second Grade.

Amritalal Mittra		Noral H. C. E. School.
Akshay Kumar Mukhopadhyay	.	Harinavi A. S. School.
Devijendralal Ray	.	Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
Haran Chandra Ghosh	...	South Suburban School.
Sasi Bhusan Pal	...	Barrackpore School.
Mirza Sujait Ali	...	Nizamut School, Moorshedabad.
Harendra Narayan Guha	...	Jessore School.

Third Grade.

Aghar Nath Datta	...	South Suburban School.
Suryya Narayan Ghosh	...	Kandi School.
Nandalal Nath	...	Baraset School.
Jogendra Nath Bandyopadhyay	...	Krishnaghur Collegiate School.
Tarini Prosad Mukhopadhyay	...	Kandi School.
Kumud Nath Maitra	...	L. M. S. Institution, Bhowanipore.
Kailas Chandra Mukhopadhyay	...	South Suburban School.
Hari Nath Basu	...	Noral H. C. E. School.
Probhas Chandra Ghosh	...	Jessore School.
Jogendra Nath Chattopadhyay	...	Santipore Municipal School.
Jaladhar Sen	...	Kumarkhali H. C. E. School.
Mathura Nath De	...	Jessore School.
Surendra Nath Ghosh	...	Noral H. C. E. School.

RAJSHAHI DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Akshay Kumar Maitra	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
Jagat Chandra Basu	...	Moharani Surnomoy's School, Ulipore.
Mohini Mohan Lahiri	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
Rajani Kanta Sarkar	...	Rungpore Collegiate School.
Naishuddin	..	Julpiguri School

Third Grade.

Debendra Nath Sinha	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
Kisori Mohan Chaudhuri	...	Ditto.
Madhab Chandra Chattopadhyay	...	Dinagepore School.
Sarada Charan Lahiri	...	Serajgunge H. C. E. School.
Baharuddin Ahmed	...	Bogra School.
Durgananda Sanyal	...	Rajshahi Collegiate School.
Umes Chandra Chakravarti	...	Rungpore Collegiate School.
Rai Mohan Dhar	...	Serajgunge H. C. E. School.
Krishna Nath Bhattacharyya	...	Rungpore Collegiate School.

DACCA DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Uma Charan Bandyopadhyay	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
Aswini Kumar Guha	...	Jagannath School, Dacca.
Maheswar Chakravarti	...	Mymensingh School.
Bhagabati Charan Sil	...	Pogose School, Dacca.
Naba Kumar Samaddar	...	Mymensingh School.
Hari Prasanna Majumdar	...	Ditto.
Sasi Kumar Basu	...	Ditto.

Third Grade.

Narendra Nath Sen	...	Commillah School.
Uma Charan Gupta	...	Jagannath School, Dacca.
Kali Prasanna Ray	...	Dacca Collegiate School.
Sasi Bhusan Bandyopadhyay	...	Pogose School, Dacca.

Uma Charan Sen	...	Burisal School.
Kali Prasanna Guha	...	Ditto.
Bani Kantha Bhattacharyya	...	Ditto.
Sarat Kumar Basu	...	Commillah School.
Jami Mohan Das	...	Ditto.
Juanada Govinda Chakravarti	...	Faridpore School.
Janaki Mohan Chowdhuri	...	Mymensingh School.
Hriday Nath Bhaumik	...	Ditto.
Gobinda Chandra Sen	...	Faridpore School.
Nobin Chandra Chakravarti	...	Mymensingh School.

CHITTAGONG DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Gagan Chandra Poddar	...	Chittagong Collegiate School.

Third Grade.

Fazlal Koreem	...	Noakhali School.
Ambika Charan Sen	...	Ditto.
Lalit Kumar Chakravarti	...	Chittagong Collegiate School.
Prasanna Kumar Das	...	Ditto.

PATNA DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Tapaswari Prasad	...	Chuprah School.
Mirza Muhammad Abbas	...	Mozufferpore School.
Sibadani Singh	...	Arrah School.
Syed Ahmed Hosain	...	Mozufferpore School.
Abdul Hakim	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Baladeb Sahay	...	Arrah School.

Third Grade.

Banack Prasad	...	Chuprah School.
Akshay Kumar Mittra	...	Arrah School.
Dasrath Lal	...	Gya School.
Som Nath Roy	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Muhammad Akbar Hosain.	...	Ditto ditto.
Hrishikes Gupta	...	Gya School.
Mehdi Hosain	...	Patna Collegiate School.
Raghubansa Sahay	...	Mozufferpore School.
Jawar-Hosain Khan	...	Gya School.
Ratneswar Basu	...	Arrah School.
Munaswar Sahay	...	Chuprah School.
Krishna Mohan Basu	...	Chumparun School.

BHAGULPORE DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Sures Chandra Bandyopadhyay	...	Bhagulpore School.
Hazlul Haq	...	Ditto ditto.
Gouri Prasad Misra	...	Ditto ditto.

THIRD DIVISION.

Mohib Ali Khan	...	Barari H. C. E. School.
Madusudan Sinha	...	Maldah School.
Chhedi Prasad Chowdhuri	...	Bhagulpore School.
M. D. Yusuf Ali	...	Monghyr School.
Braja Gopal Niogi	...	Bhagulpore School.
Manmohan Bandyopadhyay	...	Monghyr School.
Radhika Nath Bhaduri	...	Monghyr Christian Mission School.
Kali Pada Bandyopadhyay	...	Deoghur School.
Narayan Das	...	Bhagulpore School.

CHOTA NAGPORE DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Kalipada Ghosh	...	Pandra H. C. E. School.
Akshay Kumar Datta	...	Purulia School.

Third Grade.

Kisori Mohan Samanta	...	Pachamba English School.
Dayal Nath Bandyopadhyay	...	Ranchi School.
Bisweswar Mukhopadhyay	...	Hazaribaugh School.
Priya Lal Bandyopadhyay	...	Purulia School.
Nritya Gopal Chattopadhyay	...	Ranchi School.

ORISSA DIVISION.

Second Grade.

Man Mohan Chakravarti	...	Cuttack Collegiate School.
Narayan Das Bandyopadhyay	..	Balasore School.
Jagan Mohan Ghosh	.	Ditto.
Gopal Ballabh Das	.	Cuttack Collegiate School.

Third Grade.

Brahmananda Das	..	Cuttack Collegiate School.
Hem Chandra Chattopadhyay	.	Ditto.
Sadhu Charan Chand	...	Puri School.
Haris Chandra Ghosh	...	Ditto.
Baikuntha Nath Pal	...	Balasore School.
Salomon Nayak		Ditto.

FORT WILLIAM, the 27th January 1879. A. W. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1632B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Monday, the 3rd February 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

				Chests
Behar Opium	...	...	...	2,500
Benares ,,	...	...	...	2,500
		Total	...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th February 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Saturday, the 8th February 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 18th February 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests
On or about Tuesday, 4th March	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 3rd April	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ,,	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total	...	25,000	25,000	50,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 31st December 1878.

No. 129B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th March 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th March 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 10th March 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th March 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 3rd April	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	„	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total	...	22,500	22,500	45,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th January 1879.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on 15th January 1879.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	3,82,190	22,284	3,09,766	7,14,240
French Kurkutch	36,196	.....	.....	36,196
Italian ditto	47,566	.....	.....	47,566
Bombay ditto	1,22,777	.....	4,094	1,26,871
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ...	2,13,772	.....	75,383	2,89,155
Ceylon Kurkutch	38,086	.....	.....	38,686
Egyptian ditto	32,962	.....	.....	32,962
Total ...	8,74,149	22,284	3,89,243	12,85,676

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 22nd January 1879.

COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 17th January 1879.

No. 2198.—The rate of conversion of Indian into sterling money for Overland Money Orders has been changed to 1*s.* 7½*d.* per rupee. Schedule 20 of the Tariff Table is therefore in force until further notice.

W. WATERFIELD, *Offg. Comptroller-General.*

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PART I A.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 23rd January 1879.

No. 160.—The following Regulations with appended instructions for the grant to applicants in British India of certificates of re-admission to British nationality under Section VIII of Act 33 Vic., Cap. XIV, are published for general information :—

NATURALIZATION ACTS, 1870.

Regulations.

In exercise of the powers contained in the Naturalization Acts, 1870 & 1, the Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, Viscount Cranbrook, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, make the following Regulations :—

Forms.

I. The form of certificate granted in pursuance of the said Acts shall be as follows :—

NATURALIZATION ACTS, 1870.

Certificate of re-admission to British Nationality.

WHEREAS has presented to the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council, a memorial praying for a certificate of re-admission to British nationality, and alleging that he was a natural-born British subject, and that he became an alien by being naturalized as a subject (or *citizen*) of* on the day of 18 . That he is and that in the period of eight years preceding his application, he has resided for five years within British India, or has been for five years in the service of the Crown as and intends, if he receives the certificate of re-dmission to British nationality, for which he prays, to reside within British India [or *to serve under the Crown*] :

And whereas the Governor-General in Council has inquired into the circumstances of the case, and has received such evidence as the Governor-General in Council has deemed necessary for proving the truth of the allegations contained in such memorial :

And whereas the said has taken the oath of allegiance :

Now, in pursuance of the authority given to him by the said Acts, the Governor-General in Council grants to the aforesaid this certificate, and declares that, as from the date of this certificate, but not in respect of any previous transaction, he is

* Where the applicant is a widow, the form must be modified accordingly, and recite the allegation in the memorial that the applicant became an alien by marriage with her late husband a subject (or ci izen) of

hereby re-admitted to the status of a British subject; with this qualification, that, within the limits of the foreign State of which he became a subject, he shall not be deemed to be a British subject, unless he has ceased to be a subject (or *citizen*) of that State according to the laws thereof, or in pursuance of a treaty to that effect.

In witness whereof, *A. B.*, a Secretary to the Government of India, has hereto subscribed his name this 18 .

(Signed) *A. B.*,
Secretary to Government of India.

NATURALIZATION ACTS, 1870.

Oath of Allegiance.

No.

II. The form in which the oath of allegiance shall be subscribed shall be as follows :—

I, , do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, her heirs and successors, according to law. So help me God.

(Signed)

Sworn and subscribed this day of , before me,

(Signed)

Justice of the Peace (or *other official title*).

NATURALIZATION ACTS, 1870.

Instructions to Applicants in British India for Certificates of Re-admission to British Nationality.

The following instructions do not apply in the case of aliens who desire no more than re admission to British nationality within the limits of British India. For their case sufficient provision is made in Act No. XXX of 1852 (FOR THE NATURALIZATION OF ALIENS) :—

1. Any person resident in British India, who desires to obtain a certificate of re-admission to British nationality, so as to carry the privileges thereby conferred beyond the limits of British India, must present to the Government of India, in the Home Department, a memorial praying for the grant of such certificate.

2. The memorial must state,—

(1) The name, address, age, profession, trade or other occupation of the applicant.

(2) Whether the applicant is married, and has any children under age residing with him; and, if so, state their names and ages.

(3) That the applicant was a natural-born British subject, by reason of having been born in British territory, or by reason of his or her father or grandfather by the father's side having been a British subject.

(4) That the applicant became the subject or citizen of a foreign State; the name of the foreign State must be specified, and the mode in which the applicant became an alien: if the applicant became an alien by naturalization, the date of such naturalization must be mentioned, or if the applicant be a widow who became an alien by marriage with her late husband, the date and place of such marriage, the name of her husband, and the foreign State of which he was a subject, must be mentioned.

(5) That during the period of eight years preceding the application the applicant has for five years resided within British India (the place of places of such residence being specified), *or* that during the same period of eight years he has for five years been in the service of the Crown (the post in which he served being specified).

(6) That the applicant intends to reside in British India, or to serve under the Crown.

3. The applicant must verify the statements in his memorial by a declaration made before the Magistrate of the district, or a Magistrate of Police.

4. The statements in the memorial must be further verified, and the respectability and loyalty of applicant vouched for, by declaration made in like manner by four householders, who are natural-born British subjects, and none of them the agent, attorney, or vakil of the memorialist. The declaration may be made by such declarants jointly, or by each separately; but each of the declarants must in his declaration state, as to himself, the fact that he is a householder and natural-born British subject, the place of his residence, and the period during which he has personally known the applicant.

5. The Governor-General in Council, if he thinks fit to grant a certificate to the applicant, will cause him to be furnished in triplicate with a paper containing a blank form of oath of allegiance and a blank form of certificate.

6. The applicant will then take and subscribe in triplicate the oath of allegiance in the presence of an officer having the full powers of a Magistrate.

7. The Magistrate will then forward to the Government of India, in the Home Department, in triplicate, the paper containing the form of the certificate still in blank, and the oath of allegiance subscribed as aforesaid.

8. The certificate will then be signed, in triplicate, by a Secretary to the Government of India.

9. The Government of India, in the Home Department, will then deliver one copy of the certificate and oath of allegiance to the applicant, will retain the second in its own custody, and will forward the third to Her Majesty's Government in England for registration by the Home Government.

CRANBROOK.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 24th January 1879.

No. 60.—Mr. A. Porteous, of the Bengal Civil Service, reported his arrival at Gauhát on the 16th instant to the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 21st January 1879.

No. 31.—Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India has granted a further extension of leave, on medical certificate, for six months to the Reverend P. J. Jarbo, a Senior Chaplain on the Bengal Establishment.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

MARINE SURVEYS.—CASUALTIES AND DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Calcutta, the 21st January 1879.

No. 7 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

INDIA—WEST COAST—GULF OF CUTCH.

Fixed Light at Entrance to Toona Creek.

Information has been received from the Political Agent at Cutch Mandvee that a light was exhibited on the 5th September 1878 from a light-house recently erected on the swampy land south of Tekra Island, as a guide to vessels making for Toona, north shore of the Gulf of Cutch.

The light is a fixed *white* light, shown from an ordinary lantern elevated 17 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles.

The light tower, which is built of stone, and 23 feet high, stands on the eastern edge of a low mangrove swamp about three-quarters of a mile south of Tekra Island, Toona Creek. At high tides this swamp is overflowed, which gives the light-house the appearance of being built in the water.

Position (Admiralty Chart) : Latitude 22° 55′ 30″ N., longitude 70° 7′ 10″ E.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I.N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 21st January 1879.

By order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Gulf of Cutch, No. 43 ; Sindh and Cutch Coasts, No. 42 ; Kurrachee to Vingorla, No. 826 ; and Indian Ocean, No. 748*b* ; also Indian Marine Survey Chart, No. 15 ; and Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 345.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Fort William, the 24th January 1879.

No. 81.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Waller, Bengal Staff Corps, District Superintendent of Police, Third Grade, Bengal,—private affairs, for two years, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

Major N. Lowis, Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, First Grade, Manager of the Chota Nagpore Estate, Bengal,—private affairs, for twenty months, under Rules IX and XV of the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 86.—DEPARTURE—

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Surgeon-Major L. Cameron, M.D., G. G. O. No. 1085 of 1878,—*Peshawur*, 15th November 1878, from Calcutta.

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TRANSFER OF OFFICER.

No. 93.—The services of Lieutenant G. U. Browne, 40th Foot, are placed, temporarily, at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for appointment on His Honor's personal staff.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

No. 94.—His Excellency the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the formation of a Volunteer Rifle Corps composed of the employes of the Northern Bengal State Railway, to be designated the "Northern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps," and to notify the following appointment:—

To be Commandant.

Major J. G. Lindsay, R.E., Engineer-in-Chief, Northern Bengal State Railway.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 64.—Nilam Anandi Manullah; recorded proprietors Asmatali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,160-0-3. Share No. 1, of Dewan Ali Sadagar, recorded proprietor Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 580-0-1; share No. 2, of Ramjoy Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 64; and No. 3, of Asmat Ali, Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 516-0-2, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 401.—Kismut Bolaram Sarkar, Babait Taraf Sanaullah Khan; recorded proprietors Girish Chandra Rakit and Gurudas Rakhit; sudder jumma Rs. 1,063-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 656.—Taraf Chittra Sen Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Prasanna Kumar Waddadar and Mukta Keshi; sudder jumma Rs. 568-3-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 669.—Taraf Chhatranarayan Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Abhaya and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-10-4. Share No. 2, of Girish Chandra, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 642 7-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 813.—Kismut Durga Lockan, Krishna Charan Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, Chandra Kala, Ram Sunder Sen, Krishna Mohan Korani, Gopal Dass, Guru Das Pal, and Ram Chandra, Babait Taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe recorded proprietors Ram Sunder Sen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 883-12-6. Share No. 3 of Kasi Chandra Waddadar, Rasik Chundra, Pran Hari, Kali Kumar and Prosanno Kumar Waddadar, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 62-3-9; share No. 5, of Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 205-2-2; and share No. 6 of Chandra Kanto Pal, Chandra Kala, Gurudas Pal, Nakuleshwer Pal, Bakrashwer Pal, Ruki Das Pal, Shulapan Pal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 389-15-11, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Ramesh Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4 The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Ram Sunder Sen, Ram Mohan Sen Sasti Charan Datta, Krishna Chundra Gupta, Pitamber, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra, Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 177-13-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiyop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6. Share No. 7, of Yassin Khan, Yar Ali Khan, Sarfaraz Khan, Anwar Khan, Mahammad Samil, Amir Ali, and Hamidullah, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1469.—Taraf Kumar Kuli; recorded proprietors Golam Gaus and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,015-13-0. Share No. 1, of Shekh Abdul Fattah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-15-3; and share No. 2, of Golam Gaus, Golam Hydar, Jalfatnissa, Mahammad Mukim, Nazumannessa, Maimina, Ezaral Huq, Umed Ali, Soobratnessa, Jamirau, Ossimannessa, Mahassooma Begum, Farid Lalam and Syud Lalam, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 761-13-9, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1749.—Taraf Mahammad Ali and Rustum Ali; recorded proprietors Krishna Chandra Gupta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,483-3-6 Share of Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,612-6-8, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate for which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1868.—Kismat Mahammad Daem Nazir, Azmutullah Khan, Amirannessa, Babait Taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Mobarek Ali; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-5-3. Share of Ramkanta, Mahammad Tossi, Mosson Ali, Pitamber Parial, Manager of Srimoti Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 506-6-10, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which the revenue have been paid up under separate accounts opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1889.—Taraf Mahammad Shafi Nazir; recorded proprietors Badiar Raheman and others; sudder jumma Rs. 558-7-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Guru Das, and Hara Das Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Haradas Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sunder Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimoti Annapurna and others; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7. Share No. 1, of Ram Sundar Sen, sudder jumma Rs. 70-12-11; No. 10, of Pitamber Kanungoe, Gour Chandra Rai, Pran Huri Lalla, Prasonna Chandra, and Hari Har Bhattacharjya, sudder jumma Rs. 74-0-9; No. 12, of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemantaram De, Chaitanya Charan, and Pran Huri Lalla, sudder jumma Rs. 163-12; No. 35, of Ramdhon Barnik, sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, and the remaining share of Bhairab Charan, Chandi Charan, Kali Charan, Nossorullah Munshi, Raj Chandra, Ram Das, Pran Hari Lalla, Tripura Charan, Annada Charan Nityananda, Abdullah, Uzir Ali, *alias* Poton, Debi Charan, *alias* Debu Mahayan, Aukhil Chandra Chaudhuri, Hari Nath, Barnijan Bibi, Ram Kinker, Aukhil Chandra Sen, Ishan Chandra Choudhury, Srimati Shyama Sundari, Guru Das Rai, Ram Das Shikdar, Baisnab Charan, Mohesh, Parbbati Charan Bhattacharyya, Bhobani Das, Bidyalankar, Raj Chandra Sen, for himself and on part of minor Bangsi Mohan Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 145-5-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3039.—Taraf Shyam Raja; recorded proprietors Dhananjoy Raha and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 678-14-3. The share of Dhananjoy Raha, Gakul Chandra, Mahomed Raffi, Muraridhar Sarma, Ram Keshab, Ram Dulal Surma, Ram Kanta, Ram Mohan, Ram Charan Surma, Sharbba Chandra Chakravartti, Shadayan, Anyad Ali, Yar Ali, Jan Ali, Abdul Kader, Jaduram Surma, Ram Sunder Surma, Kailas Chandra, and Ram Kinker Surma, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 223-4-3, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3113.—Taraf Shermat Khan Choudhuri; recorded proprietors Agbar Ali Choudhury and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 527-6-6. The share of Agbar Ali Bhuniya, Dewan Bibi, Jinnat Ali Khan, and Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 361-12-6, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

COMPROMISED MEHAL.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhav; recorded proprietors Balak Das and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4. Share No. 1, of Srimati Pran Krishore, bearing sudder jumma Rs 141-0-10; share No. 2, of Srimati Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 98-0-1; share No. 3, of Ram Sundar Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 418-8-6; and share No. 4, of Srimati Rasheshwari Debya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 383-2-3, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 13407.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Lalita Thakurani and Nayantara Chaudhuria; sudder jumma of the entire taluk Rs. 701-4-3. The share of Lalita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 150-10-10 10 kranto, will be sold, excluding the portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33534.—Taluk Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Annada Charan and Tripura Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1879, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Zilwangza.

No. $\frac{14}{16}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; auction purchasers Nassarat Ali, Omed Ali Choudhury; sudder jumma Rs. 938. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Patili.

No. $\frac{11}{203}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and Abdul Hamid, sudder jumma Rs. 1,491-4-9. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, Mouza Paharchanda.

No. $\frac{151}{180}$.—Taluk Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Pran Kishna Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 985-2-0. The entire taluk will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Dy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1878 :—

Number.	Towjee number.	Name of estate.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8078	Julkar Nayanadi Rath Khola, pergunnah Bikrumpore.	Ramkristo, Kallykristo, Shoshi Mohun for self and as guardian of Lal Mohun and Kristo Mohun, Mukundalal for self and as guardian of Horendralal and Shyamlal, Chandra Benode Pal for self and as guardian of Prem Benode, Radha Benode Pal, and Chitto Benode Pal.	1,125 0 0	25 11 0	The entire mehal will be sold.

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 9th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of September 1878.

Number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8434	Government resumed estate Chur Baktabaly.	Prasanna Kumari Debya and Prannath Parey Sabait of Lakshinarayan Thakur	884 0 0	278 0 0	These are resumed estates and are settled with the proprietors. The proprietory and the settlement rights will be sold.
2	8672	Chur Oolail	Gagauchandra Datta	1,092 0 0	549 0 0	
3	9084	Kismat Hargoa, within Chur Jalna Kamta.	Bharat Chandra, Harish Chandra, Nilmadhab and Prasanna Kumar Roy Chowdhuri and Draupady, Kubja Sundari Chowdhurani and Nandalal Shaha Ray Chowdhury.	1,336 12 0 R. F. 13 6 0	177 15 10	
4	9422	Chur Bazutya	Ballabhikant Bhattacharjya ...	1,388 0 0	756 0 0	
5	9675	Chur Dighaldy, pergunnah Uttarsahpur.	Srimati Kamal Kamini, Sonamani, Ananda mayi, Chandrakala, Rajmani, Dayamayi, Jaytara, Chandra Nath, and Kali Das Mukerjea and Mr. M. David.	1,121 0 0	465 0 0	
6	9762	Chur Dalowarpur, pergunnah Bardakhat.	Munshi Golam Mowla Moulavi, Reza Robbani for self and as trustee of the estate of Asmatunnessa Bibi, Dewan Emdad Ali, Karimannessa Bibi *alias* Nanee Bibi, Dewan Azimdad Khan.	4,196 0 0	1,752 0 0	
7	10499	Surplus alluvial accretion to estate Mahaddinagar in Tuppeh Khalsa, pergunnah Sultanpratab.	Rajah Syama Sankar Ray Bahadur and Parvati Sankar Chowdhury.	1,100 0 0	400 0 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 8th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Balasore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 30th day of January 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 8th day of November 1878.

Number on the roll.	Name of pergunnah.	Name of estate.	Name of zemindar.	Sudder jumma.	Arrear of revenue due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1286	Senouth ...	Parra ...	Hansa Mani Dei and others	535 4 0	22 12 5	
125	Ditto ...	Mursidnagar...	Chowdhury Madhusudan Rai and others.	1,452 6 6	1 0 7	
231	Dhamnagar ..	Mahura ...	Chowdhuri Nilkantha Mohapatra and others.	2,279 4 2	53 14 3	Separate accounts under Act XI (B.C.) of 1859 having been opened, the share of the defaulting zemindar, to the extent of 14 annas and odd, should be sold.
1189	Bhelora Chour	Chorpado ...	Kissore Narain Choudhuri and others.	546 3 1½	3 14 8½	

BALASORE COLLECTORATE, the 3rd January 1879. J. WHITMORE, *Covtd. Dy. Collector, in charge.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 23rd January 1879.

	FOOT-PASSENGERS.		VEHICLES.		Total.	REMARKS.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
January 17th, 1879	44 6 0	44 8 6	87 10 3	71 6 6	247 15 3	
„ 18th, „	63 3 3	58 9 3	116 10 3	100 2 0	338 8 9	
„ 19th, „	72 10 3	71 7 3	106 1 3	70 0 0	320 2 9	
„ 20th, „	60 15 6	63 8 9	88 11 0	91 12 3	304 15 6	
„ 21st, „	54 3 3	56 8 0	67 5 6	71 15 3	250 0 0	
„ 22nd, „	61 6 6	56 3 6	100 9 9	94 7 3	312 11 0	
„ 23rd, „	61 6 3	53 1 9	101 7 3	83 10 0	303 9 3	
Total ...	418 3 0	406 15 0	668 7 3	583 5 3	2,076 14 6	
Total of previous 2 weeks ..	845 9 9	811 4 0	1,174 8 6	1,026 9 6	3,857 15 9	
Grand Total ...	1,263 12 9	1,218 3 0	1,843 15 9	1,609 14 9	5,934 14 3	

PORT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, the 25th January 1879. (783—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Jan. 15	6 Cases, G C K C in a cross...	Order ...	S. S. British Envoy.
,, 15	2 Cases, K C M and B in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	124 Packages, 605 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	240 Bundles Hoop Iron, XX in red or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	324 Bundles Hoop Iron, M L R or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	120 Bundles Corrugated Iron, 1412 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	2 Iron Chains, K. G. S. & Co. in a diamond or no mark.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Bundle Nail Rod, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Bundle Hoop Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	26 Bars Flat Iron, N in a diamond, bottom G or no mark.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Bar Flat Iron, 170 in a diamond, or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	2 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	16 Bundles Galvanized Sheets, U R D C in an inverted triangle.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, B D in a diamond, bottom E M... ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Counsellor.
,, 17	1 Case, C C, bottom M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, D E Y in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Cask, F. G. J. M. & Co., bottom C B... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	4 Casks, F. G. J. M. & Co., bottom I and S ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	7 Cases, F. G. J. M. & Co., bottom G S ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, F. G. J. M. & Co., bottom R M C ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, N S below M G in a diamond, outside W C S K.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Bag Fish Plates, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	7 Casks, O. J. M. & Co., bottom I and S ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, O. J. M. & Co., bottom R M C... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, O. J. M. & Co., bottom N	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	6 Packages, P in a triangle, top F E G M, bottom N T.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Cask, P in a triangle, top G M, bottom M ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 17	7 Casks, P in a triangle, top Y M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	32 Casks, R. M. & Co., bottom C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, 563 in a diamond, bottom W L... ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	3 Casks, R T C, bottom I and S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	6 Bales, R B in a block, top B, bottom G ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Bale, R B in a block, top B, bottom D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, R B in a block, top B, bottom P ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, addressed	Kalli Brothers ...	Ditto.
,, 17	2 Packages, 614 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, addressed	A. Whyte, Esq., Calcutta.	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, Y E D in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Case, 222 in a diamond, top C & Co.	Ditto ...	Ship Leonides.
,, 17	631 Bars Flat Iron, M white or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	240 Bundles Hoop Iron, D D white or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	5 Packages, M in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	1 Cask, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	42 Bundles Buckets, R K S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	3 Cases, 449 in a diamond, top R S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 17	2 Packages, T D D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	1 Case, A. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Saint Kilda.
,, 14	6 Packages, 397 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	240 Bundles Hoop Iron, K X X or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	1 Cask, 121 in a diamond, bottom M B ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	5240 Cakes Spelter, B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	1 Cask, W A, with top T in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	1 Bundle Tubes, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Cask Empty, W H. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ship Rohilla.
,, 18	25 Kegs, 200 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	50 Rundlets, E. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	S. S. Duke of Argyle.
,, 16	4 Cases, W & C P	Ditto ...	S. S. Zambesi.
,, 18	3 Packages, B. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, B & M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, B. M. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	2 Cases, C A H with C below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, C L with I in a diamond or addressed ...	H. H. the Moharajah of Joudpore.	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, D & H	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case. addressed	Miss Florence ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Jan. 18	4 Cases, G N	Order ...	S. S. Zambesi.
,, 18	1 Case, H & C in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, addressed	C. H. Hewitt, Esq., Tenaserim, Calcutta.	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, H W C L in a cross	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, K M D with 186 in a diamond, bottom W...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, K. H. & Co., with C below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	4 Cases, P W & S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, R K H K in a diamond, bottom Gibraltar...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, R B in a block, top B, bottom W ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	3 Bales, R B in a block, top B, bottom G ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Bale, R B in a block, top B, bottom D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, S E C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, S & C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, addressed	John Stansfield, Esq., Phanicherra, care of Colvin, Cowie & Co.	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, W T A in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Bar Flat Iron, no mark or D X X	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Package, W A C L in a cross or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, M A Y in a diamond or W. W. Note & Co.	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Oxford.
,, 18	84 Pipes, M E or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	3 Bales, N M N C in a diamond, outside W C S K	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	4 Bales, R B in a block, top B, bottom G ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Bale, R B in a block, top B, bottom D ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, R B in a block, top B, bottom W ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Sample Parcel, M C, bottom P or addressed ...	S. Kilburn & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Package, addressed	Geo. Grant, Esq. ...	Ditto.
,, 16	2 Casks, 222 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Order ...	S. Seirra Nevada.
,, 16	4 Casks, 397 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Cask, 317 in a diamond, top C. & Co.... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	2 Casks, K C in a diamond, bottom N	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	2 Kegs, M L K, bottom H. S. K. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Cask, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Cask, 388 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Cask, 40 in a diamond, bottom S. D & Co. ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	717 Bars Round and Flat Iron, M white or X blue or red.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	7 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	6 Bundles Round and Square Iron, no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	107 Bars Square, Flat, and Round Iron, no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	53 Bundles Round and Square Iron, no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 16	1 Case, A L, with top P in a triangle	Ditto ...	S. Ben Macdhin.
,, 18	1 Cask, 314 in a diamond, top C. & Co.... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Bale, G C M, with 15 below in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Cask, M in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	2 Casks, T D D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	2 Cases, 592 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 18	1 Case, B L	Ditto ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 25th January 1879. (782—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 21st Jan. 1879.

LIABILITIES.		Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund		20,27,480	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 1,32,72,669 7 2			
Ditto at Branches .. „	1,18,04,879 9 10	2,40,77,549	1	0
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,86,84,733	15	5
Bank Post Bills, &c.		16,93,076	7	1
Sundries		6,86,353	2	0
Rupees ...		7,71,69,192	9	6

ASSETS.		Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities		93,66,211	8	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		66,90,583	6	10
Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		1,24,70,051	8	2
Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches		1,85,26,206	12	0
Balances with other Banks		5,95,212	6	1
Bullion		.....		
Dead Stock		9,62,672	13	5
Stamps		7,085	4	6
Sundries		3,69,613	15	10
		4,89,87,637	10	10
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...Rs.	88,46,366 0 1			
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „	1,93,35,288 14 7	2,81,81,654	14	8
Rupees ...		7,71,69,192	9	6

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, *the 23rd January* 1879.

W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accott. and Dy. Secy.* (781—1)

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th January 1879.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS							4½ PER CENT. LOANS					Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent Debenture for 15 years, repayable June 1893.	5 per cent. Loan of 1858-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1872.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.					
Balance of 31st December 1878 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,47,253	31,18,600	2,28,33,300	1,13,60,700	1,93,19,400	39,33,800	3,36,000	3,05,98,000	50,92,000	3,97,86,400	51,500	33,11,000	79,800	1,30,76,900	15,44,61,105
5½ per cent. Stock transferred to 4½ per cent. Stock in London ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,51,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,51,900
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th January 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	... ..	1,00,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,00,000
Ditto at Bombay between 1st and 15th January 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	1,000	19,500	1,500	7,500	.....	.....	20,500	15,500	3,12,000	.....	.....	.....	... ..	3,77,500
Ditto at Calcutta between 1st and 15th January 1879 ..	...	.....	.....	.. ...	.. ...	17,000	5,300	10,800	.....	.. ...	500	13,900	40,500	.....	... ..	... .	.....	88,000
TOTAL ..	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,47,253	31,19,600	2,29,69,800	1,13,67,500	1,93,57,700	39,33,800	3,36,000	3,06,19,000	51,21,400	4,03,90,800	51,500	33,11,000	79,800	1,30,76,900	15,52,78,505
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	. ...	1,280	18,400	1,10,400	34,800	92,400	2,900	.....	48,100	.....	1,25,000	.....	6,000	.... .	7,98,000	12,36,780
Balance on 15th January 1879 .	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,01,200	2,28,59,400	1,13,33,200	1,92,65,300	39,30,900	3,36,000	3,05,70,900	51,21,400	4,02,65,800	51,500	33,05,000	79,800	1,22,78,900	15,40,41,725

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Nov. 1878—Enfaced from India 2,994 lakhs; retransferred from London 2,911 lakhs.

„	16th Nov	1878 to 30th	„	„	„	16	„	„	„	10 „
„	1st Dec.	„ to 15th	Dec.	„	„	98	„	„	„	14 „
„	16th	„ „ to 31st	„	„	„	36	„	„	„	7 „
„	1st Jany.	1879 to 15th	Jany.	1879	„	8	„	„	„	13 „
						3,152				2,954
						2,954				
Balance against India ...						198	„			

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 20th January 1879.

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
371	O 30—02020	50	Gopal Chunder Sircar.
	„ —02021	50	
372	O 30—01757 to —01776	50 each	Soobba Ozah.
378	O 29—57902	1,000	Thacoor Sing Rai.
379	L 31—80764	5	Messrs. Ullmann, Hirschhorn & Co.
380	O 29—95895	1,000	Ramdutt Hursookdas.
	O 35—12202	100	
	„ —15090	100	
	„ —26370	100	
381	O 14—12751	10	Shib Kristo Bose.
382	„ 34—26016	100	J. Driscoll, Inspector of River Police, Koilaghaut, Calcutta.
383	O 35—31188	100	Issan Chunder Mukerjee.
	„ —31189		
384	O 30—11690 to —11700	50 each	Messrs. R. Macallister & Co.
	L 93—86232		
	„ —85467		
	„ —85468		
	„ —72084		
	„ —93753		
384	L 93—95442	50 each	Messrs. R. Macallister & Co.
	„ —95441		
	„ —98117		
	„ —98118		
385	O 35—27045	100	Messrs. A. LeRoy & Co.
386	L 93—37893	50	The District Superintendent of Police, Dacca.
	„ 81—46372	50	
	„ 67—17673	50	
	„ 93—58003	50	
	O 39—75302	10	
	L 97—03907	10	
	O 16—35062	10	
	„ —69093	10	
	„ 19—99442	10	
	„ —99443	10	
	„ —99441	10	
	„ 20—30900	20	
387	L 93—91105	50	Ditto.
388	O 35—16399	100	Chundi Pershad.
389	„ 13—74188	10	Shaik Ismail.
390	„ 33—17836	100	Annundo Chunder Ghosal.
391	O 21—45396	20	The Post-Master General, North-Western Provinces.
392	„ 41—54669	10	Mohoruddeen.
395	„ 25—39632	20	Mrs. B. J. Tohssaint.
	„ 24—41233	20	
396	L 93—68905	50	Mohendro Nath Dey.
397	L 14—81799	20	Messrs. Kerr, Tarruck & Co.
	O 24—67695	20	
	„ 69254	20	
	„ 22—34001	20	
	„ 24—94719	20	
	„ 43—68219	10	
	„ 68220	10	
	„ 68221	10	
	„ 68394	10	
	„ 68395	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

399	O 29—56975	1,000	Colonel J. Burn.
	„ 27—73702	500	
	L 93—07034	50	
	„ 86—25565	10	
	„ —25567	10	
	„ —25568	10	
	„ —25566	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
400	O 12—32219	10	Messrs Duncan Brothers & Co.
401	„ 25—33806	20	Biprodas Mitter.
	„ —26991	20	
402	O 25—38961	20	Gocool Chand.
403	L 94—00322	100	Monower.
	„ 88—20505	10	
404	O 24—06907	20	Sham Lal Audhicary.
405	L 29—02202	5	Nanda Lal Banerjee.
	„ —01736	5	
	„ —29626	5	
406	O 40—21651	10	Ram Kumar.
407	L 31—77428	5	Mrs. M. C. Duval.
408	O 3—81939	20	Bhoodhur Mul Kalooram.
	„ 22—20961	20	
409	„ —46741	20	Hursook Das Doobee Chand.
410	L 31—43936	5	Ajodhya Pershad.
411	„ 29—72193	5	Shib Sahai.
412	„ 29—50192	5	Lukhi Narain Mullick.
413	„ 13—63097	10	Wuzeer Khan.
414	„ 34—70260	100	A. E. Blake.
	„ —56211	100	
415	L 93—83562	50	Bosant Lal.
416	„ 1—07812	10	Bilas Roy.
417	O 35—12429	100	Roma Nath Dhur.
	„ —12428	100	
	L 93—93768	50	
418	L 1—62961	10	Lolit Mohan Guha.
	A 97—28395	10	
419	O 23—44540	20	F. Mahony.
420	L 93—68298	50	H. H. Fox, C.S.
	O 41—19178	10	
421	„ 35—25814	100	Issur Chunder Ghose.
	„ —24123	100	
422	A 21—75553	10	Rajendra Chandra Ghose.
	„ 19—06837	10	
	„ 21—13845	10	
	„ 19—06858	10	
423	O 23—24054	20	C. G. D Betts.
424	„ 9—04439	10	Poorno Chunder Dutt.
425	L 97—50379	10	Kural Chunder Chatterjee.
426	A 11—94405	50	Annoda Prosad Rudra.
427	L 48—35982	20	Gunesh Bhutt.
	„ 58—58965	10	
428	L 94—69426	100	G. L Smith, B C.S.
429	O 14—02452	10	Hurro Chunder Mukerjee.
430	„ 19—33576	10	Hafez Mohamed.
	„ 39—45741	10	
431	„ 40—18331	10	Lal Mohan Ghose.
	„ 23—97183	20	
432	„ 22—51953	20	Kali Das Sett.
433	„ 19—76000	10	W. W. R. Burgess.
	L 13—31434	20	
234	L 29—77089	5	Nilrutton Bose.
	„ 30—02381		
235	L 28—39943	5	Sham Lal Audhicary.
	„ —39945		
236	L 20—22583	5	J. Smith.
	„ —22584		
237	L 86—42928	10	Prosanno Kumar Mitter.
	„ —42927		
238	O 14—13144	10	Kali Prosanno Mitter.
	„ —13143		
239	L 74—44406	10	Mohes Chunder Santra.
	„ —44409		
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy.
	„ —57898		
241	A 99—68211	20	Jhummuck Bhagut.
	„ —68212		
242	L 32—38034	10	Choonee Lal.
	„ —38035		
	„ 23—58065	5	
	„ —58066		
244	L 10—95725	5	Bissumbhor Kormokur.
	„ —95789		
245	L 96—38631	10	Opoorbo Kissen Sen.
	„ 91510		
246	O 24—89376	20	W. J. Ainsworth.
	„ 89377		
247	O 22—80895	20	Luckhun Chunder Mullick.
	„ 80896		
	O 5—34729	10	
	„ 34730		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
247	O 16—24549 } „ 24546 }	10	Luckhun Chunder Mullick.
248	A 96—18187 } L 1—63763 }	10	Tonsook Roy.
249	L 22—34971 } „ 34974 }	5	Wooma Charan Nundi.
250	A 72—19937 } A 71—54557 }	20	Rye Churn Mukerjee.
233	L 3—05070 } L 4—30157 }	10	Gris Chunder Das.
148	L 5—05559 } „ 05560 }	10	Chunder Brothers & Co.
243	L 17—32663 } „ 32673 }	5	Roghoobur Dial.
251	O 25—39943 } „ 39948 }	20	The Treasury Officer, Burdwan.
252	O 14—99336 } „ 99339 }	10	Rutnessur Mullick.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 21st January 1879.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
5	Bundles Half Round Iron, no mark ...	Star of Denmark.
1	Case, D. B & Co. [278] ...	Baron Blantyre.
2	Bars Flat Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
4	Quarter Casks, Dr. Caudle, 9-12, care of S. Kilburne & Co. ...	Star of Germany.
2	Kegs, no mark	Ditto.
1	Case, R & C. 157 ...	Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, T X X ...	Lady Belhaven.
1	Cask, no mark ...	North.
5	Cakes and Pieces Spelter, T ...	Star of Russia.
2	Bundles Nail Rod Iron, no mark ...	Chusan.
1	Bar Angle Iron, no mark ...	Talisman.
1	Parcel, A R M ...	Dorunda.
1	Parcel, O 71 ...	Ditto.
1	Bar Round Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Coil Wire Rope, no mark ...	Manora.
3	Tins, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Case, [W D & B 211] H ..	Ditto.
1	Parcel, F C & O T ...	Ditto.
48	Nuts and Bolts, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, no mark ...	Gilroy.
1	Cask, no mark ...	Eldorado.
1	Bundle Sheet Iron, H D F ...	Counsellor.
1	Parcel, Ralli Brothers ...	Ditto.
1	Drum, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Cask, W M 1 ...	Bengala.
2	Bars Round Iron, no mark ...	Pleiades.
1	Case, Mr. J. Russel ...	City of Oxford.
1	Parcel, Proprietor, *Pioneer*, Allahabad ..	Nepaul.
1	Case, Baboo Ram Churn Ghose, 32, Shampookur Lane ...	Poonah.
2	Iron Weights, no mark ...	Malwa.
1	Plate Iron, [X] ...	City of London.
1	Parcel, [B] C or Andrew Yule & Co., 300-315 ...	City of Venice.
5	Pipes, M B ...	Ditto.
2	Iron Pipes, no mark ...	Ditto.
2	Iron Pipes, no mark ...	City of Khios
1	Package, [O H] 180-184 ...	Queen Anne.
81	Tin Plates, no mark ...	Ditto.
2	Cakes Spelter, T W C ...	Daphne.
1	Cake Spelter, no mark ...	Ditto.
2	Kegs, no mark ..	City of Paris.
3	Kegs, B. K. P. & Co. ...	City of Paris.
30	Bars Flat Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
20	Bars Square Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Bundle Square Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark ...	Ditto.
1	Case, R B [200] ...	Loch Eck.
1	Case, President, Mess Committee, R. M. Royal Artillery ...	Deccan.
1	Case, [R B R] T 21 ...	Ditto.
1	Case, Harman & Co. ...	Arabia.
1	Case, [R J] ...	Arratoon Apcar.
1	Bag, R M P V ...	Ava.
2	Bags, T M M, L A T ...	Mabel.
1	Bag, no mark ...	Marchioness of Londonderry.
2	Kegs, no mark ...	Rajpootana.
1	Bag, J N ...	Madura.
5	Bags, J N ...	Goa.
1	Bag, G A ...	Pemba.
1	Bag, no mark ...	Ditto.

N. B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 1st February 1879.

5	Bundles Rod Iron, no mark ...	Cath Cart.
16	Bars Rod Iron, no mark ...	Ditto.

N. B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 1st February 1879.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 25th January 1879.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Government steamer *Pioneer*, which conveys passengers between Chandbally and Cuttack, will, on and after this date, and until further notice, leave the latter station at 9 A.M. instead of 2 P.M., as notified on the 9th December 1878. The time of leaving Chandbally will continue to be 2 P.M., subject to modifications to suit the arrival of the Calcutta steamer.

T. S. C. LEVINGE, C.E.,
Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

Dated the 24th January 1879.

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer for the Road Cess Works of Pubna. Salary, including travelling allowance, Rs. 65.

None need apply who have not passed the Overseer's examination, and have not had at least two years' experience in the Public Works Department.

Applications to be made to the undersigned not later than the 30th instant.

W. M. CLAY, *Chairman, D. R. Cess, Pubna.*

PUBNA, the 8th January 1879. (758—3)

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Sub-Divisional Office at Alipore (about 12 miles north of Cooch Behar) in the Western Duars of Bhootan, in the district of Julpigoree. Salary Rs 60 per month, rising to Rs. 80 by biennial increments of Rs. 2. A good knowledge of English is indispensable; and preference will be given to a person who has already fulfilled the duties of a head clerk in a sub-divisional office in a regulation district, and who is well acquainted with the routine work of a sub-divisional office.

The Head Clerk gets Rs. 5 extra pay for the very little work he has to perform in connection with the Sub-Registrar's Office there, but this is not a permanent addition to the salary of the post.

Apply to the Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree before the 16th February 1879, with copies of testimonials which will not be returned.

W. C. MULLER, *Dy. Magte. in charge, for Dy. Commr., Julpigoree.*

DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, JULPIGOREE, the 20th Jan. 1879.

UNDER Section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, No. VI of 1878, notice is hereby given that on the 12th December last, 13 silver old coins valued at Rs. 13 were found at "Jhnoah Kottee," in mouzah Khunjurpore, pergunnah Bhagulpore, by the proprietor of that bungalow. All persons claiming the whole or any portion thereof are required to appear personally or by agents before the Collector of Bhagulpore at 11 A.M., on Monday, the 19th May 1879, and establish their claims thereto.

CHUNDER NARAIN SINGH, *Depy. Collr. in charge*

BHAGULPORE COLLECTORATE, the 11th Jan. 1879. (785—1)

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows :—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

LOST the following Share Certificates in the Kursiong and Darjeeling Tea Company Limited—
Nos. 1121 and 1132,
standing in the name of
(750—4) COL. W. S. FERRIS.

Stolen.

THE Government Promissory Notes Nos. 034705, 4 per cent. of 1854-55, for Rs. 1,000, and 093935, 4 per cent. of 1865, for Rs. 500, both standing originally in the names of J. H. Belchambers, W. L. Wenger, G. S. Sykes, and R. Williamson, the proprietors, by whom they were never endorsed to any other person. Payment of the above notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped in the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietors.

R. SCOTT MONCRIEFF.
16, STRAND ROAD. (759—3)

Great Eastern Hotel Wine and General Purveying Company, "Limited."

THE Transfer Register of the Company will be closed from the 25th to the 31st instant, both days inclusive.

An *ad-interim* dividend will be payable on and after the 1st proximo, at the rate of 2 per cent., or Rs. 5 per share, for the half-year ended 31st August last, as declared at the ordinary general meeting of Shareholders held on the 30th November 1878.

By order of the Directors,
A. CUMMING, *Secretary.*
CALCUTTA, the 17th January 1879. (766—1)

Calcutta Jute Mills Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the office of the Company, No. 3, Fairlie Place, Calcutta, at noon, on Thursday, the 27th March 1879, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and passing the Accounts for the half-year ending 31st December 1878, electing Directors and Auditor, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought forward.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 14th to the 27th March 1879, both days inclusive.

By order,
A. R. MCINTOSH & Co., *Agents and Secretaries.*
CALCUTTA, the 31st December 1878. (777—3)

Soom Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 27th February next, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts, declaring a final dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAMSON, MAGOR AND Co., *Secretaries.*
CALCUTTA, the 24th January 1879. (780—5)

Notice to Creditors.

Estate Johann Frederick Ludwig Hollmann, late of Moulmein, in British Burmah, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above estate, to which letters of administration were duly granted by the High Court at Calcutta on the 16th day of September 1878, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 1st day of March 1879, and notice is also hereby given that after the expiration of the last mentioned day, the Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator shall then have notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator shall have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 18th day of January 1879.

(771—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Notice to Creditors.

Estate James Frederick Cockburn, deceased, late of Indore, Central India, Executive Engineer.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above estate, to which letters of administration were duly granted by the High Court at Calcutta on the 16th day of December 1878, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 1st day of March 1879; and notice is also hereby given that after the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator shall then have notice; and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator shall have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 18th day of January 1879.

(772—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

In the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

IN the matter of JACOOB ABRAHAM COHEN and AARON ABRAHAM COHEN, carrying on business in Rangoon, Thayetmyo, Shwegheen, Tounghoo, and Calcutta, as General Merchants and Contractors, Insolvents.

All the real and personal estate and effects of the above named Insolvents having been vested in me as Official Assignee, notice is hereby given that all persons holding property belonging to the said Insolvents are required to deliver the same to me, and all persons indebted to the above estate are requested to pay the amounts of their respective debts to me.

JNO. E. G. VILLA, *Official Assignee.*
RANGOON, the 18th January 1879. (784—2)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of WILLIAM LITTON, an Insolvent.

ON Tuesday, the 7th day of January instant, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that unless cause be shown to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally as wlel as his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

G. Gregory, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ERNESTO CLERICI, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 14th day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 20th day of January 1879.

IN the matter of CHINTAMONEY GHOSE, of No. 34, Durmahattah Street, in the Town of Calcutta, dealer in country produce, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

SHAMULDHONE DUTT, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of WOOMESH CHUNDER SING and BHYRUB CHUNDER SING, both of No. 71, Punchanuntollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, carrying on business in co-partnership together at Lower Circular Road, Boytuckhanna Bazar, as grain-dealers, under the style and firm of Woomesh Chunder Sing, Insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvents seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 21st day of January instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvents were vested in the Official Assignee.

B. C. DUTT, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of WOOMESH CHUNDER SING and BHYRUB CHUNDER SING, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 21st day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

BOLYCHUND DUTT, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 25th day of January 1879.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of ALICK APCAR, JUNIOR, an Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court on Tuesday, the fourth day of February next, for an order that the petition of the above-named Insolvent be dismissed according to the terms contained in the deed of arrangement executed by the creditors of the said Insolvent dated this 20th day of January 1879.

(773—2) JOHN HARE, *Attorney for the Insolvent.*

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	29th Jan.	*Rajpootana.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	31st ,,	*Purulia.*
Ceylon, Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai and Yokohama.	6 ,,	1st Feb.	From Bombay.
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Persian Gulf	6 ,,	3rd ,,	From Bombay.

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E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 27th January 1879.

MEMORANDUM showing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,,	7-45 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Pureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
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All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Oolooberiah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Week days	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 5 P.M	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-50	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E.	8-50	1-30	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Napit Bazar E C.	8-47	1-17	4-39	
Ballaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-35	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Novr. 1878.

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Adlard, G. E.
Anderson, Miss Paschal.
Anger, F. W.
Augier, J.
Berrill, Mrs.
Blair, P. W.
Bremner, G.
Brewer, Mrs.
Burredge, E. J.
Castelo, Mrs. L.
Chater, Miss E.
Cotton, Mrs. S. C.
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De Urban.
Dixon, W.
Dolby, C.
Domance, A.
Dougal, R. K.
D'Rozario, M.
Edmans, A.
Fernand, Miss E.
Forbes, A.
Frye, J. R.
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Graham, G. D.
Groeme, G. H.
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Leech, William.
Lemarchand, A.
Levey, A.
Madden, W. S.
Malcolm, Thomas.
Maker, W. P.
Mariner, —.
Mason, A. H.
Matheson, Jardine.
Mells, R.
Mohamed, J.
Neebol, H.
Nicolay, E. T.
Nightingale, Messrs. & Co.
O'Dell, Master.
Ogden, Charles.
Paul, Miss R. H.
Percey, —.
Pitchar, Serjeant.

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Rundall and Bigley.
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Slater, A. W.
Stanley, James.
Sylvestre, Charles.
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Tence to Noorpore Junction ...	}		
Entrance below Chourasia...	9	6	
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Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	6	Geeriah.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	0*	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	9	Juggernath, Kodderpore, and Balcarigunge.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3	0	Dewangunge.
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance	}		Closed.
Thence to Tatarparah	}		
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia.	}		
From Hât Bolia to Boalmaree.	}		
From Boalmaree to Alickdeah.	}		
From Alickdeah to Kissengunge.	}		
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges. ...	}		Closed.
Thence to Junction with the Byrub. ...	}		
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jullinghee.	3	6	Akrigunge and Junction.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	4	6	Aumtollah.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3	9	Radahnugger.

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T. BEATTY, C.E.,
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BERHAMPORE, the 27th January 1879.

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PRELIMINARY.

Short title. 1. This Act may be called "The Indian Stamp Act, 1879:"

Local extent. It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement. And it shall come into force on the first day of April 1879.

Repeal of enactments. 2. On and after that day, the Acts specified in the third schedule shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column of the same schedule. But all rules made under the General Stamp Act, 1869, and then in force shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been made hereunder. And all references made to the General Stamp Act, 1869, in enactments passed subse-

quently thereto, shall be deemed to be made to this Act.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,— Interpretation-clause.

(1.) "Banker" includes a bank and any person acting as a banker: "Banker."

(2.) "Bill of exchange" includes a hundí: "Bill of exchange."

(3.) "Bill of lading" means any instrument signed by the owner of a vessel or his agent, acknowledging the receipt of goods therein described, and undertaking to deliver the same at a place and to a person therein mentioned or indicated: "Bill of lading."

(4.) "Bond" means— "Bond."

(*a*) any instrument whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another, on condition that the obligation shall be void if a specified act is performed, or is not performed, as the case may be;

(*b*) any instrument attested by a witness and not payable to order or bearer, whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another; and

(*c*) any instrument so attested whereby a person obliges himself to deliver grain or other agricultural produce to another:

(5.) "Chargeable" means, as applied to an instrument executed or first executed after this Act comes into force, chargeable under this Act, and, as applied to any other instrument, chargeable under the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or, where several persons executed the instrument at different times, first executed: "Chargeable."

(6.) "Cheque" means a bill of exchange drawn on a banker and payable on demand: "Cheque."

(7.) "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority" means, in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the territories respectively under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces, the Board of Revenue: in the Presidency of Bombay, outside Sind and the limits of the town of Bombay, a Revenue Commissioner: in Sind, the Commissioner: in the Panjáb, the Financial Commissioner; and elsewhere, the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office: "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority."

(8.) "Collector" means, within the limits of the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, the Collector of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, respectively, and, without those limits, the Collector of a District, and includes a Deputy Commissioner and any officer whom the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office: "Collector."

(9.) "Conveyance" means any instrument by which property (whether moveable or immoveable) is transferred on sale: "Conveyance."

(10.) "Duly stamped," as applied to an instrument, means stamped, or written upon paper bearing an impressed stamp, in accordance with the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed: "Duly stamped."

(11.) "Instrument of partition" means any instrument whereby co-owners of any property divide or agree to divide such property in severalty, and includes also a final order for effecting a partition passed by any Revenue-authority: "Instrument of partition."

(12.) "Lease" means a lease of immoveable property and includes also "Lease."

(*a*) a patta,

(*b*) a kabúliyat or other undertaking in writing, not being a counterpart of a lease, to cultivate, occupy or pay or deliver rent for, immoveable property,

(*c*) any instrument by which tolls of any description are let, and

(*d*) any writing on an application for a lease intended to signify that the application is granted:

(13.) "Mortgage-deed" includes every instrument whereby, for the purpose of securing money advanced, or to be advanced, by way of loan, or an existing or future debt, or the performance of an engagement, one person transfers, or creates, to or in favour of another, a right over specified property: "Mortgage-deed."

(14.) "Paper" includes vellum, parchment or any other material on which an instrument may be written: "Paper."

(15.) "Policy of insurance" means any instrument by which one person, in consideration of a premium, engages to indemnify another against loss, damage or liability arising from an unknown or contingent event: "Policy of insurance."

It includes a life-policy:

(16.) "Power-of-attorney" means any instrument (not chargeable with a fee under the law relating to Court-fees for the time being in force) empowering a specified person to act in the stead of the person executing it: "Power-of-attorney."

(17.) "Receipt" means any note, memorandum, writing or advertisement whereby any money or any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note is acknowledged to have been received, or whereby any other moveable property is acknowledged to have been received in satisfaction of a debt, or whereby any debt or demand, or any part of a debt or demand, is acknowledged to have been satisfied or discharged, or which signifies or imports any such acknowledgment, whether the same is or is not signed with the name of any person: "Receipt."

(18.) "Schedule" means a schedule to this Act annexed: "Schedule."

(19.) "Settlement" means any non-testamentary disposition in writing, of moveable or immoveable property, made— "Settlement."

(*a*) in consideration of marriage,

(*b*) for the purpose of distributing property of the settlor among his family or those for whom he desires to provide, or

(*c*) for any religious or charitable purpose:

It includes an agreement in writing to make such a disposition:

(20.) "Vessel" means anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property: "Vessel."

(21.) "Written" and "writing" include every mode in which words or figures can be expressed upon paper.

"Written," "writing."

4. The schedules and everything therein contained shall be read and construed as part of this Act.

Schedules to be read as part of Act.

CHAPTER II.

STAMP-DUTIES.

A.—Of the Liability of Instruments to duty.

5. Subject to the exemptions contained in the second schedule, the following instruments shall be chargeable with duty of the amount indicated in the first schedule as the proper duty therefor respectively, that is to say:—

Instruments chargeable with duty.

(*a*) every instrument mentioned in the first schedule, and which, not having been previously executed by any person, is executed in British India on or after the first day of April 1879;

(*b*) every bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note drawn or made out of British India on or after that day and accepted or paid, or presented for acceptance or payment, or endorsed, transferred or otherwise negotiated, in British India; and

(*c*) every instrument (other than a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note) mentioned in the first schedule, which, not having been previously executed by any person, is executed out of British India on or after that day, relates to any property situate, or to any matter or thing done or to be done, in British India, and is received in British India.

6. Where, in the case of any sale, lease, mortgage or settlement, several instruments are employed for completing the transaction, the principal instrument only shall be chargeable with the duty prescribed for the conveyance, lease, mortgage or settlement in the first schedule, and each of the other instruments shall be chargeable with a duty of one rupee instead of the duty (if any) prescribed for it in that schedule.

Several instruments used in single transactions.

The parties may determine for themselves which of the instruments so employed shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be the principal instrument.

7. Any instrument comprising or relating to several distinct matters shall be chargeable with the aggregate amount of the duties with which separate instruments, each comprising or relating to one of such matters, would be chargeable under this Act.

Instruments relating to several distinct matters.

Subject to the provisions of the first clause of this section, an instrument so framed as to come within two or more of the descriptions in the first schedule shall, where the duties chargeable thereunder are different, be chargeable only with the highest of such duties; but nothing herein contained shall render chargeable with duty exceeding one rupee a counterpart or duplicate of any instrument chargeable with duty and in respect of which the proper duty has been paid.

Instruments coming within several descriptions in schedule I.

8. The Governor General in Council may, by order published in the *Gazette of India*,

Power to reduce or remit rates of duty.

(*a*) reduce or remit, whether prospectively or retrospectively, in the whole or any part of British India, the duties with which any instruments or any particular class of instruments, or any of the instruments belonging to such class, or any instruments when executed by or in favour of any particular class of persons, or by or in favour of any members of such class, are chargeable, and

(*b*) cancel or vary such order to the extent of the powers hereby given.

B.—Of Stamps and the Mode of using them.

9. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, all duties with which any instruments are chargeable shall be paid, and such payment shall be indicated on such instruments, by means of stamps—

Duties how to be paid.

(*a*) according to the provisions herein contained, or

(*b*) when no such provision is applicable thereto—as the Governor General in Council may by rule direct.

The rules made under this section may, among other matters, regulate—

(1) in the case of each kind of instrument—the description of stamps which may be used,

(2) in the case of instruments stamped with impressed stamps—the number of stamps which may be used,

(3) in the case of hundís—the size of the paper on which they are written.

10. The following instruments may be stamped with adhesive stamps, namely:—

Use of adhesive stamps.

(*a*) instruments chargeable with the duty of one anna except parts of bills of exchange payable otherwise than on demand and drawn in sets;

(*b*) bills of exchange, cheques and promissory notes drawn or made out of British India;

(*c*) entry as an advocate, vakil or attorney on the roll of a High Court;

(*d*) notarial acts; and

(*e*) transfers by endorsement of shares of public companies and associations.

11. Whoever affixes any adhesive stamp to any instrument chargeable with duty and which has been executed by any person, shall, when affixing such stamp, cancel the same so that it cannot be used again,

Cancellation of adhesive stamps.

and whoever executes any instrument on any paper bearing an adhesive stamp shall, at the time of execution, unless such stamp has been already cancelled in manner aforesaid, cancel the same so that it cannot be used again.

Any instrument bearing an adhesive stamp which has not been cancelled so that it cannot be used again shall, so far as such stamp is concerned, be deemed to be unstamped.

12. Every instrument written upon paper stamped with an impressed stamp, shall be written in such manner, that the stamp may appear on the face of the instrument and cannot be used for or applied to any other instrument.

How instruments stamped with impressed stamps are to be written.

Only one instrument to be on same stamp

13. No second instrument chargeable with duty shall be written upon a piece of stamped paper upon which an instrument chargeable with duty has already been written: provided that nothing in this section shall prevent any endorsement which is duly stamped or is not chargeable with duty being made upon any instrument for the purpose of transferring any right created or evidenced thereby, or of acknowledging the receipt of any money or goods the payment or delivery of which is secured thereby.

Instrument written contrary to section 12 or 13 deemed unstamped.

14. Every instrument written in contravention of section twelve or thirteen, shall be deemed to be unstamped.

Denoting duty.

15. Where the duty with which an instrument is chargeable, or its exemption from duty, depends in any manner upon the duty actually paid in respect of another instrument, the payment of such last-mentioned duty shall, if application be made in writing to the Collector for that purpose, and on production of both the instruments, be denoted upon such first-mentioned instrument in such manner as the Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe.

C.—Of the Time of stamping Instruments.

Instruments executed in British India.

16. All instruments chargeable with duty and executed by any person in British India shall be stamped before or at the time of execution.

Instruments other than bills, cheques and notes executed out of British India.

17. Every instrument chargeable with duty executed only out of British India, and not being a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note, may be stamped within three months after it has been first received in British India; or, where such instrument cannot, with reference to the description of stamp prescribed therefor, be duly stamped by a private person, it may be taken within the said period of three months to the Collector, and he shall stamp the same, in such manner as the Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe, with a stamp of such value as the person so taking such instrument may require and pay for.

Bills, cheques and notes drawn out of British India.

18. The first holder in British India of any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note drawn or made out of British India shall, before he presents the same for acceptance or payment, or endorses, transfers or otherwise negotiates the same in British India, affix thereto the proper stamp and cancel the same:

Provided that if, at the time any such bill, cheque or note comes into the hands of any holder thereof in British India, the proper adhesive stamp is affixed thereto and cancelled in manner prescribed by section eleven, and such holder has no reason to believe that such stamp was affixed or cancelled otherwise than by the person and at the time required by this Act, such stamp shall, so far as relates to such holder, be deemed to have been duly affixed and cancelled. But nothing contained in this proviso shall relieve any person from any penalty incurred by him for omitting to affix or cancel a stamp.

D.—Of Valuations for duty.

Conversion of amount expressed in certain currencies.

19. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of an amount expressed in pounds sterling, pounds currency, francs or dollars, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such money in the currency of British India according to the following scale:—

One pound sterling or pound currency is equivalent to ten rupees:

One hundred francs are equivalent to forty rupees:

One Mexican or China dollar is equivalent to two rupees four annas.

Conversion of amount expressed in other foreign currencies.

20. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of any money expressed in any other foreign or colonial currency, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such money in the currency of British India according to the current rate of exchange on the day of the date of the instrument.

Stock and marketable securities how to be valued.

21. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of any stock or of any marketable security, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such stock or security according to the average price thereof on the day of the date of the instrument.

Effect of statement of rate of exchange or average price.

22. Where an instrument contains a statement of current rate of exchange, or average price, as the case may require, and is stamped in accordance with such statement, it shall, so far as regards the subject-matter of such statement, be presumed, until the contrary is proved, to be duly stamped.

Instruments reserving interest.

23. Where interest is expressly made payable by the terms of an instrument, such instrument shall not be chargeable with duty higher than that with which it would have been chargeable had no mention of interest been made therein.

How transfer in consideration of debt, or subject to future payment, &c., to be charged.

24. Where any property is transferred to any person in consideration, wholly or in part, of any debt due to him, or subject either certainly or contingently to the payment or transfer of any money or stock, whether being or constituting a charge or incumbrance upon the property or not, such debt, money or stock is to be deemed the whole or part, as the case may be, of the consideration in respect whereof the transfer is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty.

Valuation in case of annuity, &c.

25. Where an instrument is executed to secure the payment of an annuity, or other sum payable periodically, or where the consideration for a conveyance is an annuity or other sum payable periodically, the amount secured by such instrument, or the consideration for such conveyance (as the case may be), shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be—

(*a*) where the sum is payable for a definite period so that the total amount to be paid can be previously ascertained—such total amount;

(*b*) where the sum is payable in perpetuity or for an indefinite time not terminable with any life in being at the date of such instrument or conveyance—the total amount which, according to the terms of such instrument or conveyance, will or may be payable during the period of twenty years next after the date of such instrument or conveyance; and

(*c*) where the sum is payable for an indefinite time terminable with any life in being at the date of such instrument or conveyance—the total amount which will or may be payable as aforesaid during the period of twelve years next after the date of such instrument or conveyance.

Stamp where value of subject-matter is indeterminate.

26. Where the amount or value of the subject-matter of any instrument chargeable with *ad valorem* duty cannot be, or (in the case of an instrument executed before this Act comes into force) could not have been, ascertained, at the date of its execution or first execution, nothing shall be claimable under such instrument more than the highest amount or value for which, if stated in an instrument of the same description, the stamp actually used would, at the date of such execution, have been sufficient.

Facts affecting duty to be set forth in instrument.

27. The consideration (if any) and all other facts and circumstances affecting the chargeability of any instrument with duty, or the amount of the duty with which it is chargeable, shall be fully and truly set forth therein.

Direction as to duty in case of certain conveyances.

28. (*a.*) Where any property has been contracted to be sold for one consideration for the whole, and is conveyed to the purchaser in separate parts by different instruments, the consideration shall be apportioned in such manner as the parties think fit, so that a distinct consideration for each separate part is set forth in the conveyance relating thereto, and such conveyance shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of such distinct consideration.

(b.) Where property contracted to be purchased for one consideration for the whole, by two or more persons jointly, or by any person for himself and others, or wholly for others, is conveyed in parts by separate instruments to the persons by or for whom the same was purchased, for distinct parts of the consideration, the conveyance of each separate part shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the distinct part of the consideration therein specified.

(*c.*) Where a person having contracted for the purchase of any property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, contracts to sell the same to any other person, and the property is in consequence conveyed immediately to the sub-purchaser, the conveyance shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the consideration for the sale by the original purchaser to the sub-purchaser.

(*d.*) Where a person having contracted for the purchase of any property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, contracts to sell the whole, or any part, thereof, to any other person or persons, and the property is in consequence conveyed by the original seller to different persons in parts, the conveyance of each part sold to a sub-purchaser shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect only of the consideration paid by such sub-purchaser, without regard to the amount or value of the original consideration, and the conveyance of the residue (if any) of such property to the original purchaser shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect only of the excess of the original consideration over the aggregate of the considerations paid by the sub-purchasers:

Provided that the duty on such last mentioned conveyance shall in no case be less than one rupee.

(*e.*) Where a sub-purchaser takes an actual conveyance of the interest of the person immediately selling to him, which is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the consideration paid by him, and is duly stamped accordingly, any conveyance to be afterwards made to him of the same property by the original seller shall be chargeable with a duty equal to that which would be chargeable on a conveyance for the consideration obtained by such original seller; or where such duty would exceed five rupees, with a duty of five rupees.

E.—Duty by whom payable.

Duties by whom payable.

29. In the absence of an agreement to the contrary, the expense of providing the proper stamp shall be borne—

(*a*) in the case of any instrument described in numbers 2, 11, 13, 14, 15, 24, 28, 29, 30, 44, 53, 54, 55, 57 and 60 (*a*) and (*b*) of the first schedule—by the person drawing, making or executing such instrument:

(*b*) in the case of a policy of insurance—by the insured:

(*c*) in the case of a conveyance—by the grantee: in the case of a lease or agreement to lease—by the lessee or intended lessee:

(*d*) in the case of a counterpart of a lease—by the lessor:

(*e*) in the case of an instrument of partition—by the parties thereto in proportion to their respective shares in the property comprised therein, or when the partition is made in execution of an order passed by a Revenue-authority, in such proportion as such authority directs:

(*f*) in the case of an instrument of exchange—by the parties in equal shares: and

(*g*) in the case of a certificate of sale—by the purchaser of the property to which such certificate relates.

CHAPTER III.

ADJUDICATION AS TO STAMPS.

Adjudication as to proper stamp.

30. When any instrument, whether executed or not, and whether previously stamped or not, is brought to the Collector, and the person bringing it applies to have the opinion of that officer as to the duty (if any) with which it is chargeable, and pays a fee of such amount (not exceeding five rupees and not less than eight annas) as the Collector may in each case direct, the Collector shall determine the duty (if any) with which, in his judgment, the instrument is chargeable:

Collector may call for abstract and evidence.

and may for that purpose require to be furnished with an abstract of the instrument, and also with such affidavit or other evidence as he may deem necessary to prove that all the facts and circumstances affecting the chargeability of the instrument with duty, or the amount of the

duty with which it is chargeable, are fully and truly set forth therein, and may refuse to proceed upon any such application until such abstract and evidence have been furnished accordingly :

Proviso.

Provided that no evidence furnished in pursuance of this section shall be used against any person in any civil proceeding, except in an enquiry as to the duty with which the instrument to which it relates is chargeable; and every person by whom any such evidence is furnished shall, on payment of the full duty with which the instrument to which it relates is chargeable, be relieved from any penalty he may have incurred under this Act by reason of the omission to state truly in such instrument any of the facts or circumstances aforesaid.

Certificate by Collector.

31. When an instrument brought to the Collector under section thirty is in his opinion one of a description chargeable with duty and

(*a*) the Collector determines that it is already fully stamped, or

(*b*) the duty determined by the Collector under section thirty, or such a sum as, with the duty already paid in respect of the instrument, is equal to the duty so determined, has been paid,

the Collector shall certify by endorsement on such instrument that the full duty (stating the amount) with which it is chargeable has been paid.

When such instrument is in his opinion not chargeable with duty, the Collector shall certify in manner aforesaid that such instrument is not so chargeable.

Any instrument upon which an endorsement has been made under this section shall be deemed to be duly stamped, or not chargeable with duty, as the case may be; and if chargeable with duty, shall be receivable in evidence or otherwise, and may be acted upon and registered as if it had been originally duly stamped :

Nothing in this section shall authorize the Collector to endorse—

any instrument executed or first executed in British India and brought to him after the expiration of one month from the date of its execution or first execution (as the case may be) ;

any instrument executed or first executed out of British India and brought to him after the expiration of three months after it has been first received in British India ; or

any instrument chargeable with the duty of one anna, or any bill of exchange or promissory note, when brought to him after the drawing or execution thereof on paper not duly stamped.

Payment of fees under section 30 how made.

32. Every payment of a fee under section thirty shall be made in stamps, or cash, as the Governor General in Council may by rule direct.

CHAPTER IV.

INSTRUMENTS NOT DULY STAMPED.

Examination and impounding of instruments.

33. Every person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, and

every person in charge of a public office except an officer of Police,

before whom any instrument chargeable in his opinion with duty is produced or comes, in the performance of his functions, shall, if it appears to him that such instrument is not duly stamped, impound the same.

For that purpose every such person shall examine every instrument so chargeable and so produced or coming before him, in order to ascertain whether it is stamped with a stamp of the value and description required by the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed.

Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to require any Magistrate or Judge of a criminal Court to examine or impound any instrument coming before him in the course of any proceeding other than a proceeding under chapter forty or chapter forty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or chapter eighteen of the Presidency Magistrates Act :

Provided also that, in the case of a Judge of a High Court, the duty of examining and impounding any instrument under this section may be delegated to such officer as the Court appoints in this behalf.

The Local Government may from time to time, in cases of doubt, determine who shall be deemed to be, for the purpose of this section, persons in charge of public offices.

Instruments not duly stamped inadmissible in evidence, &c.

34. No instrument chargeable with duty shall be admitted in evidence for any purpose by any person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, or shall be acted upon, registered or authenticated by any such person or by any public officer, unless such instrument is duly stamped :

Proviso.

Provided that—

Instruments admissible on payment of duty and penalty,

1st, any such instrument, not being an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only or a bill of exchange or promissory note, shall, subject to all just exceptions, be admitted in evidence on payment of the duty with which the same is chargeable or (in the case of an instrument insufficiently stamped) of the amount required to make up such duty, together with a penalty of five rupees, or when ten times the amount of the proper duty or deficient portion thereof exceeds five rupees, of a sum equal to ten times such duty or portion ;

and in certain criminal proceedings.

2nd, nothing herein contained shall prevent the admission of any instrument in evidence in any proceeding in a criminal Court other than a proceeding under chapter forty or chapter forty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or chapter eighteen of the Presidency Magistrates Act ;

Admission of instrument not to be questioned.

3rd, when an instrument has been admitted in evidence, such admission shall not, except as provided in section fifty, be called in question at any stage of the same suit or proceeding on the ground that the instrument has not been duly stamped.

Instruments impounded how dealt with.

35. When the person impounding an instrument under section thirty-three has by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence and admits such instrument in evidence upon payment of a penalty as provided by section thirty-four, he shall send to the Collector an authenticated copy of such instrument, together with a certificate in writing, stating the amount of the duty and penalty levied in respect thereof, and shall send such amount to the Collector, or to such person as he may appoint in this behalf.

In every other case, the person so impounding an instrument shall send it in original to the Collector.

Collector's power to refund penalty paid under section 35, 1st para.

36. When a copy of an instrument is sent to a Collector under the first paragraph of section thirty-five, he may, if he thinks fit, upon application made to him in this behalf, refund any portion of the penalty in excess of five rupees which has been paid in respect of such instrument, or

when such instrument has been impounded only because it has been written in contravention of section twelve, or section thirteen, he may refund the whole penalty so paid.

Collector's power to stamp instruments impounded.

37. When the Collector impounds any instrument under section thirty-three, or receives any instrument sent to him under the second clause of section thirty-five, he shall adopt the following procedure :—

(*a*.) If he is of opinion that such instrument is duly stamped, or is not chargeable with duty, he shall certify by endorsement thereon that it is duly stamped, or that it is not so chargeable (as the case may be), and shall upon application made to him in this behalf deliver such instrument to the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the officer impounding it, or as such person may direct.

(*b*.) If the Collector is of opinion that such instrument is chargeable with duty and is not duly stamped, he shall require the payment of the proper duty or the amount required to make up the same, together with a penalty of five rupees ; or if ten times the amount of the proper duty or of the deficient portion thereof exceeds five rupees, then such penalty, not less than five rupees and not more than ten times the amount of such duty or portion, as he thinks fit :

Provided that, when such instrument has been impounded only because it has been written in contravention of section twelve or section thirteen, the Collector may, if he thinks fit, remit the whole penalty prescribed by this section.

Every certificate under clause (*a*) of this section shall, for the purposes of this Act, be conclusive evidence of the matters stated therein.

Nothing in this section applies to an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only, or to a bill of exchange or promissory note.

Instruments unduly stamped by accident.

38. If any instrument chargeable with duty and which is not duly stamped is produced by any person of his own motion before the Collector within one year from the date of its execution or first execution, and such person brings to the notice of the Collector the fact that such instrument is not duly stamped, and offers to pay to the Collector the amount of the proper duty, or the amount required to make up the same, and the Collector is satisfied that the omission to duly stamp such instrument has been occasioned by accident, mistake or urgent necessity, he may, instead of proceeding under sections thirty-three and thirty-seven, receive such amount and proceed as next hereinafter prescribed.

Nothing in this section applies to an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only or to a bill of exchange or promissory note.

Endorsement of instruments on which duty has been paid under section 34, 37 or 38.

39. When the duty and penalty (if any) leviable in respect of any instrument have been paid under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight, the person admitting such instrument in evidence, or the Collector (as the case may be), shall certify by endorsement thereon that the proper duty or (as the case may be) the proper duty and penalty (stating the amount of each) have been levied in respect thereof, and the name and residence of the person paying them.

Every instrument so endorsed shall thereupon be admissible in evidence, and may be registered and acted upon and authenticated as if it had been duly stamped, and shall be delivered on his application in this behalf to the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the officer impounding it, or as such person may direct :

Provided that no instrument which has been admitted in evidence upon payment of duty and a penalty under section thirty-four shall be so delivered before the expiration of one month from the date of such impounding, or if the Collector has certified that its further detention is necessary and has not cancelled such certificate :

Provided also that nothing in this section shall affect the Code of Civil Procedure, section 144, clause 3.

Prosecution for offence against stamp-law.

40. The payment of a penalty under this chapter in respect of an instrument shall not bar the prosecution of any person who appears to have committed an offence against the stamp-law in respect of such instrument :

Proviso.

But no such prosecution shall be instituted in the case of any instrument in respect of which such a penalty has been paid, unless it appears to the Collector that the offence was committed with an intention of evading payment of the proper duty.

Persons paying duty or penalty may recover same in certain cases.

41. When any duty or penalty has been paid, under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight, by any person in respect of an instrument, and by agreement, or under the provisions of section twenty-nine or any other enactment in force at the time such instrument was executed, some other person was bound to bear the expense of providing the proper stamp for such instrument, the first-mentioned person shall be entitled to recover from such other person the amount of the duty or penalty so paid ; and for the purpose of such recovery any certificate granted in respect of such instrument under section thirty-nine shall be conclusive evidence of the matters therein certified.

Remission of penalty paid under section 34 or 37.

42. When any penalty is paid under section thirty-four or thirty-seven, the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may, upon application in writing made within one year from the date of the payment, refund such penalty wholly or in part.

Non-liability for loss of instruments sent under section 35.

43. If any instrument sent to a Collector under the second paragraph of section thirty-five be lost, destroyed or damaged during transmission, the person sending the same shall not be liable for such loss, destruction or damage.

Copy may be made of instrument so sent.

When any instrument is about to be so sent, the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the person impounding the same may require a copy thereof to be

made at the expense of such first-mentioned person and authenticated by the person impounding such instrument.

Power of payee to stamp bills, notes and cheques received by him unstamped.

44. When any bill of exchange or promissory note chargeable with the duty of one anna, or any cheque, is presented for payment unstamped, the person to whom it is so presented may affix thereto the necessary adhesive stamp, and upon cancelling the same in manner hereinbefore provided may pay the sum payable upon such bill, note or cheque, and may charge the duty against the person who ought to have paid the same, or deduct it from the sum payable as aforesaid, and such bill, note or cheque shall, so far as respects the duty, be deemed good and valid.

But nothing herein contained shall relieve any person from any penalty he may have incurred in relation to such bill, note or cheque.

CHAPTER V.

REFERENCE AND REVISION.

Procedure where Collector feels doubt as to duty chargeable.

45. If any Collector acting under section thirty, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight feels doubt as to the amount of duty with which any instrument is chargeable, he may draw up a statement of the case, and refer it, with his own opinion thereon, for the decision of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, and such Authority shall consider the case and send a copy of its decision to the Collector, and he shall proceed to assess and charge the duty (if any) in conformity with such decision.

Reference by Revenue Authority to High Court.

46. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may state any case referred to it under section forty-five or otherwise coming to its notice and refer such case with its own opinion thereon, if the case arises in the territories for the time being administered by the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council or the Governor of Bombay in Council—to the High Court of Judicature at Madras or Bombay as the case may be: if it arises in the North-Western Provinces or Oudh—to the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces: if it arises in the territories for the time being administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb—to the Chief Court of the Panjáb: if it arises in the Central Provinces—to the High Court of Judicature at Bombay; and if it arises in any other part of British India—to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William.

Every such case shall be decided by not less than three Judges of the High Court or Chief Court to which it is referred, and in case of difference the opinion of the majority shall prevail.

Power of Court to call for further particulars.

47. If the High Court or Chief Court is not satisfied that the statements contained in the case are sufficient to enable it to determine the questions raised thereby, the Court may refer the case back to the Revenue-Authority by which it was stated, to make such additions thereto or alterations therein as the Court may direct in that behalf.

Procedure in disposing of reference.

48. The High Court or Chief Court, upon the hearing of any such case, shall decide the questions raised thereby and shall deliver its judgment thereon containing the grounds on which such decision is founded: and it shall send to the Revenue-Authority by which the case was stated, a copy of such judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar, and the Revenue-Authority shall, on receiving such copy, dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

Reference by other Courts to High Court.

49. If any Court other than a Court mentioned in section forty-six feels doubt as to the amount of duty to be paid in respect of any instrument under the first proviso to section thirty-four, the Judge may draw up a statement of the case and refer it with his own opinion thereon for the decision of the High Court or Chief Court to which, if he were the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, he would under section forty-six refer the same, and such Court shall deal with the case as if it had been referred under section forty-six, and send a copy of its judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar to the Judge making the reference, who shall, on receiving such copy, dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

References made under this section, when made by a Court subordinate to a District Court, shall be made through the District Court, and when made by any subordinate Revenue Court shall be made through the Court immediately superior.

Revision of certain decisions of Courts regarding the sufficiency of stamps.

50. When any Court in the exercise of civil or revenue jurisdiction makes any order admitting any instrument in evidence as duly stamped or as not requiring a stamp, or upon payment of duty and a penalty under section thirty-four, the Court to which appeals lie from, or references are made by, such first-mentioned Court may, of its own motion or on the application of the Collector, take such order into consideration; and if it is of opinion that such instrument should not have been admitted in evidence without the payment of duty and penalty under section thirty-four, or without the payment of a higher duty and penalty than those paid, may record a declaration to that effect, and determine the amount of duty with which such instrument is chargeable, and may require any person in whose possession or power such instrument then is to produce the same, and may impound the same when produced.

When any declaration has been recorded under this section, the Court recording the same shall send a copy thereof to the Collector and, where the instrument to which it relates has been impounded or is otherwise in the possession of such Court, shall also send him such instrument; and thereupon the Collector may, notwithstanding anything contained in the order admitting such instrument in evidence, or in any certificate granted under section thirty-nine, or in section forty, prosecute any person for any offence against the stamp-law which the Collector considers him to have committed in respect of such instrument:

Provided that no such prosecution shall be instituted where the amount (including duty and penalty) which according to the determination of such

Court was payable in respect of the instrument under section thirty-four is paid to the Collector, unless he thinks that the offence was committed with an intention of evading payment of the proper duty:

Provided also that, except for the purposes of such prosecution, no declaration made under this section shall affect the validity of any order admitting any instrument in evidence, or of any certificate granted under section thirty-nine.

CHAPTER VI.

ALLOWANCES FOR SPOILED STAMPS AND STAMPS NO LONGER REQUIRED.

Allowance for spoiled stamps.

51. Subject to such rules as may be made by the Governor General in Council as to the evidence which the Collector may require, allowance shall be made by the Collector for impressed stamps spoiled in the cases hereinafter mentioned, namely:—

(*a*.) The stamp on any paper inadvertently and undesignedly spoiled, obliterated or by any means rendered unfit for the purpose intended, before any instrument written thereon is executed by any person:

(*b*.) The stamp used or intended to be used for any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note, signed by or on behalf of the drawer or intended drawer, but not delivered out of his hands to the payee or intended payee, or any person on his behalf, or deposited with any person as a security for the payment of money, or in any way negotiated, issued or put in circulation, or made use of in any other manner, and which, being a bill of exchange or cheque, has not been accepted by the drawee, and provided that the paper on which any such stamp is impressed does not bear any signature intended as or for the acceptance of any bill of exchange or cheque to be afterwards written thereon:

(*c*.) The stamp used or intended to be used for any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note signed by, or on behalf of, the drawer thereof, but which from any omission or error has been spoiled or rendered useless, although the same, being a bill of exchange or cheque, may have been presented for acceptance or accepted or endorsed, or, being a promissory note, may have been delivered to the payee, provided that another completed and duly stamped bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note is produced identical in every particular, except in the correction of such omission or error as aforesaid, with the spoiled bill, cheque or note:

(*d*) The stamp used for any of the following instruments, that is to say:—

(1) an instrument executed by any party thereto, but afterwards found by a competent Court to be absolutely void in law from the beginning:

(2) an instrument executed by any person, but afterwards found unfit, by reason of any error or mistake therein, for the purpose originally intended:

(3) an instrument executed by any party thereto, but which, by reason of the death of any person, by whom it is necessary that it should be executed, without having executed the same, or of the refusal of any such person to execute the same, or to advance any money intended to be thereby secured, cannot be completed so as to effect the intended transaction in the form proposed:

(4) an instrument executed by any party thereto which, for want of the execution thereof by some material party, and his inability or refusal to sign the same, is in fact incomplete and insufficient for the purpose for which it was intended:

(5) an instrument executed by any party thereto which, by reason of the refusal of any person to act under the same, or by the refusal or non-acceptance of any office thereby granted, totally fails of the intended purpose:

(6) an instrument executed by any party thereto which becomes useless in consequence of the transaction intended to be thereby effected being effected by some other instrument duly stamped:

(7) an instrument executed by any party thereto which is inadvertently and undesignedly spoiled, and in lieu whereof another instrument made between the same parties and for the same purpose is executed and duly stamped:

Provided that in the case of an executed instrument—

(*a*) such instrument is given up to be cancelled:

(*b*) the application for relief is made within six months after the date of the instrument or, if it is not dated, within six months after the execution thereof by the person by whom it was first or alone executed, except where from unavoidable circumstances any instrument for which another instrument has been substituted cannot be given up to be cancelled within the aforesaid period, and in that case within six months after the date or execution of the substituted instrument, and except where the spoiled instrument has been sent out of British India, and in that case within six months after it has been received back in British India:

Provided also that, in the case of stamped paper not having any executed instrument written thereon, the application for relief is made within six months after the stamp has been spoiled as aforesaid.

Allowance for misused stamps.

52. When any person has inadvertently used, for an instrument chargeable with duty, a stamp of a description other than that prescribed for such instrument by the rules made under this Act, or a stamp of greater value than was necessary, or has inadvertently used any stamp for an instrument not chargeable with any duty, or when any stamp used for an instrument has been inadvertently rendered useless under section fourteen owing to such instrument having been written in contravention of the provi-

sions of section twelve, the Collector may, on application made within six months after the date of the instrument or, if it is not dated, within six months after the execution thereof by the person by whom it was first or alone executed, and upon the instrument, if chargeable with duty, being re-stamped with the proper duty, cancel and allow as spoiled the stamp so misused or rendered useless.

Allowance under sections 51 and 52 how to be made.

53. In any case in which allowance is made for spoiled or misused stamps, the Collector may give in lieu thereof (*a*) other stamps of the same description and value, or, (*b*) if required, and he thinks fit, stamps of any other description to the same amount in value, or (*c*) at his discretion, the same value in money, deducting one anna for each rupee or fraction of a rupee.

Allowance for stamps not required for use.

54. When any person is possessed of a stamp which has not been spoiled or rendered unfit or useless for the purpose intended, but for which he has no immediate use, the Collector shall repay to such person the value of such stamp in money, deducting one anna for each rupee or portion of a rupee, upon such person delivering up the same to be cancelled, and proving to the Collector's satisfaction that it was purchased by such person with a *bonâ fide* intention to use it, and that he has paid the full price thereof, and that it was so purchased within the period of six months next preceding the date on which it is so delivered.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Powers to make rules relating to sale of stamps.

55. The Local Government, subject to the control of the Governor General in Council, may make rules consistent herewith for regulating the supply and sale of stamps and stamped papers, the persons by whom alone such sale is to be conducted, and the duties and remuneration of such persons.

Power to make rules generally to carry out Act.

56. The Governor General in Council may make rules consistent herewith to carry out generally the purposes of this Act.

Certain powers exerciseable from time to time.

57. All powers to make appointments, rules and orders conferred by this Act may be exercised from time to time as occasion requires.

Publication of rules.

All rules made under this Act other than rules made under section fifty-five shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and all rules made under section fifty-five shall be published in the local Gazette. All rules published as required by this section shall, upon such publication, have the force of law.

Obligation to give receipt in certain cases.

58. Any person receiving any money exceeding twenty rupees in amount, or any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note for an amount exceeding twenty rupees, or receiving in satisfaction of a debt any moveable property exceeding twenty rupees in value shall, on demand by the person paying or delivering such money, bill, cheque, note or property, give a duly stamped receipt for the same.

Saving as to Court-fees.

59. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the duties chargeable under any enactment for the time being in force relating to Court-fees.

Act to be translated, indexed and sold cheaply.

60. Every Local Government shall cause this Act to be carefully translated into the principal vernacular languages of the territories administered by it. A full alphabetical index shall be added to every such translation, and the translation and index shall be printed and sold to the public at a price not exceeding four annas per copy.

CHAPTER VIII.

CRIMINAL OFFENCES AND PROCEDURE.

Penalty for executing, &c., instrument not duly stamped.

61. Any person drawing, making, issuing, endorsing or transferring, or signing otherwise than as a witness, or presenting for acceptance or payment, or accepting, paying or receiving payment of, or in any manner negotiating, any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note without the same being duly stamped,

any person executing or signing otherwise than as a witness any other instrument chargeable with duty without the same being duly stamped, and

any person voting or attempting to vote under any proxy not duly stamped,

shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees:

Provided that, when any penalty has been paid in respect of any instrument under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section fifty, the amount of such penalty shall be allowed in reduction of the fine (if any) subsequently imposed under this section in respect of the same instrument upon the person who paid such penalty.

Penalty for failure to cancel adhesive stamp.

62. Any person required by section eleven to cancel an adhesive stamp and failing to cancel such stamp in manner prescribed by that section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for omission to comply with provisions of section 27.

63. Any person who, with intent to defraud the Government of any duty,

(*a*) executes any instrument in which all the facts and circumstances required by section twenty-seven to be set forth in such instrument are not fully and truly set forth, or

(*b*) being employed or concerned in or about the preparation of any instrument, neglects or omits, fully and truly to set forth therein all such facts and circumstances,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to five thousand rupees.

64. Any person who, being required under section fifty-eight to give a receipt, refuses or neglects to give the same, or who, with intent to defraud the Government of any duty, upon a payment of money or delivery of property exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value, gives a receipt for an amount or value not exceeding twenty rupees, or separates or divides the money or property paid or delivered, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for refusal to give receipt and for devices to evade duty on receipts.

65. Every person who—

(*a*) receives, or takes credit for, any premium or consideration for any contract of insurance, and does not, within one month after receiving, or taking credit for, such premium or consideration, make out and execute a duly stamped policy of such insurance; or

Penalty for not making out policy,

(*b*) makes, executes or delivers out any policy which is not duly stamped, or pays or allows in account, or agrees to pay or allow in account, any money upon, or in respect of, any such policy,

or making, &c., any policy not duly stamped.

shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

66. Any person drawing or executing a bill of exchange or a policy of marine insurance purporting to be drawn or executed in a set of two or more, and not at the same time drawing or executing on paper duly stamped the whole number of bills or policies of which such bill or policy purports the set to consist, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

Penalty for not drawing full number of bills or marine policies purporting to be in sets.

67. Whoever, with intent to defraud the Government of duty, draws, makes or issues any bill of exchange or promissory note bearing a date subsequent to that on which such bill or note is actually drawn or made, and whoever, knowing that such bill or note has been so post-dated, endorses, transfers, presents for acceptance or payment, or accepts, pays or receives payment of, such bill or note, or in any manner negotiates the same,

Penalty for post-dating bills, &c.;

and whoever, with the like intent, practises or is concerned in any act, contrivance or device not specially provided for by this Act or any other law for the time being in force,

for other devices to defraud the revenue.

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

68. Any person appointed to sell stamps who disobeys any rule made under section fifty-five, and any person not so appointed who sells or offers for sale any stamp, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Penalty for breach of rule relating to sale of stamps and for unauthorized sale.

69. No prosecution in respect of any offence punishable under this Act, or the General Stamp Act, 1869, or any Act thereby repealed, shall be instituted without the sanction of the Collector or such other officer as the Local Government generally, or the Collector specially, authorizes in that behalf.

Institution and conduct of prosecutions.

The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, or any officer authorized by it in this behalf, may stay any such prosecution or compound any such offence.

70. No Magistrate other than a Presidency Magistrate and a Magistrate whose powers are not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class shall try any offence under this Act.

Jurisdiction of Magistrates.

71. Every such offence committed in respect of any instrument may be tried in any district or Presidency-town in which such instrument is found, as well as in any district or Presidency-town in which such offence might be tried under the law relating to criminal procedure for the time being in force.

Place of trial.

72. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act or omission which constitutes an offence against this Act, or the rules made under it:

Operation of other laws not barred.

Provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

SCHEDULE I.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
1. ACKNOWLEDGMENT of a debt exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value, written or signed by, or on behalf of a debtor in order to supply evidence of such debt in any book (other than a banker's pass-book) or on a separate piece of paper, when such book or paper is left in the creditor's possession ...	... ...	One anna.
2. ADMINISTRATION-BOND ...	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
ADOPTION DEED ...	See *Instrument, No. 38.*	
3. AFFIDAVIT or declaration in writing on oath or affirmation made before a person authorized by law to administer an oath ...	... ...	One rupee.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No 1).		
4. AGREEMENT TO LEASE	... ...	The same duty as a Lease (No. 39).
5. AGREEMENT OR MEMORANDUM OF AN AGREEMENT ...	(*a.*) If relating to the sale of any Government security, share in a Company or Association or Bill of Exchange ...	One anna.
	(*b.*) Whereby the owner or occupier of land in a village in the Bombay Presidency agrees to relinquish his rights therein to the Government, and to accept rights in other land in exchange for the right so relinquished	Four annas.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 2).	(*c.*) If not otherwise provided for by this Act...	Eight annas.
6. APPOINTMENT, in execution of a power, whether of trustees or of property moveable or immoveable, where made by any writing not being a Will	... ...	Fifteen rupees.
7. APPRAISEMENT or valuation made otherwise than under an order of the Court in the course of a suit ...	... ...	The same duty as an award (No. 10).
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 3 & 4).		
APPRENTICESHIP DEED ...	See *Instrument, No. 31.*	
8. ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF A COMPANY ...	... ...	Twenty-five rupees.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.								
9. ARTICLES OF CLERKSHIP or contract whereby any person first becomes bound to serve as a clerk in order to his admission as an Attorney in any High Court		Two hundred and fifty rupees.								
ASSIGNMENT ...	See *Conveyance, No. 21 and Transfer, No. 60.*									
AUTHORITY TO ADOPT ...	See *Instrument, No. 38.*									
10. AWARD, that is to say, any decision in writing by an arbitrator or umpire on a reference made otherwise than by an order of the Court in the course of a suit ... *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 6).*	(*a.*) Where the amount or value of the property to which the award relates as set forth in such award does not exceed Rs. 1,000 ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for such amount.								
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	Five rupees.								
11. BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE, not being a cheque, bond, bank-note or currency-note ...	(*a.*) When payable on demand and the amount exceeds Rs. 20	One anna.								
	(*b.*) When payable otherwise than on demand, but not more than one year after date or sight.	If drawn singly.			If drawn in set of two, for each part of the set.			If drawn in set of three, for each part of the set.		
		Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
	If the amount of the bill or note does not exceed Rs. 200	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
	If it exceeds 200 and does not exceed 400	0	4	0	0	2	0	0	2	0
	„ 400 „ 600	0	6	0	0	3	0	0	2	0
	„ 600 „ 1,000	0	10	0	0	5	0	0	4	0
	„ 1,000 „ 1,200	0	12	0	0	6	0	0	4	0
	„ 1,200 „ 1,600	1	0	0	0	8	0	0	6	0
	„ 1,600 „ 2,500	1	8	0	0	12	0	0	8	0
	For every Rs. 2,500 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 2,500 up to Rs. 10,000 ...	1	8	0	0	12	0	0	8	0
	For every Rs. 5,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 10,000 up to Rs. 30,000 ...	3	0	0	1	8	0	1	0	0
	And for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 30,000...	6	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	0

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
11. BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE, &c.—*contd.*	(*c*) When payable at more than one year after date or sight	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount of such bill or note.
12. BILL OF LADING	... ...	Four annas. If a Bill of Lading is drawn in parts, the proper stamp therefor must be borne by each one of the set.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 7).		
13. BOND (not otherwise provided for by this Act) ... *See Administration-Bond (No. 2), Customs-Bond (No. 24), Indemnity-Bond (No. 28), Security-Bond (No. 14).* *See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 8).*	When the amount or value secured does not exceed Rs. 10	Two annas.
	When such amount or value exceeds Rs. 10, but does not exceed 50	Four annas.
	When such amount or value exceeds Rs. 50, but does not exceed 100	Eight annas.
	and for every Rs. 100 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 100 up to 1,000	Eight annas.
	and for every Rs. 500 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	Two rupees eight annas.
14. BOND OR MORTGAGE-DEED executed by way of security for the due execution of an office, or to account for money received by virtue thereof ... *See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 8 and 12).*	(*a*.) When the amount secured does not exceed ... 1,000	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
	(*b*.) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
15. BOTTOMRY-BOND, that is to say, any instrument whereby the master of a sea-going ship borrows money on the security of the ship to enable him to preserve the ship or prosecute her voyage	... ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
16. CERTIFICATE OF SALE, granted to the purchaser of any property sold by public auction by a Civil or Revenue Court, or Collector or other Revenue-officer ...	... ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount of the purchase-money.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.			PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
17. CERTIFICATE OR OTHER DOCUMENT evidencing the right or title of the holder thereof, or any other person, either to any shares, scrip or stock in or of any Company or Association, or to become proprietor of shares, scrip or stock in or of any Company or Association ...	...	...	One anna.
18. CHARTER-PARTY, that is to say, any instrument (except an agreement for the hire of a tug-steamer) whereby a vessel or some specified principal part thereof is let for the specified purposes of the charterer ...	...	...	One rupee.
19. CHEQUE, for an amount exceeding twenty rupees ...	...	...	One anna.
20. COMPOSITION-DEED, that is to say, any instrument executed by a debtor whereby he conveys his property for the benefit of his creditors, or whereby payment of a composition or dividend on their debts is secured to the creditors, or whereby provision is made for the continuance of the debtor's business, under the supervision of inspectors or under letters of license, for the benefit of his creditors	...	...	Ten rupees.
21. CONVEYANCE, not being a TRANSFER mentioned in No. 60. *See Exemptions, Schedule II, (Nos. 5 and 17).*	When the amount of the consideration for such conveyance as set forth therein does not exceed Rs. 50	Rs. 50	Eight annas.
	When it exceeds Rs. 50 but does not exceed...	100	One rupee.
	For every Rs. 100 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 100 up to ...	1,000	One rupee.
	and for every Rs. 500 or part thereof in excess of ...	1,000	Five rupees.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
CO-PARTNERSHIP...	See *Instrument, No. 32.*	
22. COPY OR EXTRACT, certified to be a true copy or extract, by or by order of any public officer and not chargeable under the law for the time being in force relating to Court-fees ...	(*a.*) If the original was not chargeable with duty, or if the duty with which it was chargeable does not exceed one rupee. ...	Eight annas.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	One rupee.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 9 and 10).		
23. COUNTERPART OR DUPLICATE of any instrument chargeable with duty, and in respect of which the proper duty has been paid ...	(*a.*) If the duty with which the original instrument is chargeable does not exceed one rupee.	The same duty as is payable on the original.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	One rupee.
24. CUSTOMS-BOND ...	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
25. DECLARATION OF ANY TRUST of or concerning any property, when made by any writing not being a will ...	... ...	Fifteen rupees.
26. DELIVERY-ORDER IN RESPECT OF GOODS, that is to say, any instrument entitling any person therein named, or his assigns, or the holder thereof, to the delivery of any goods lying in any dock or port, or in any warehouse in which goods are stored or deposited on rent or hire, or upon any wharf, such instrument being signed by or on behalf of the owner of such goods, upon the sale or transfer of the property therein, when such goods exceed in value twenty rupees ...	... ...	One anna.
DEPOSIT OF TITLE-DEEDS ...	See *Instrument, No. 29.*	
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ...	See *Instrument, No. 33.*	
DUPLICATE ...	See *Counterpart, No. 23.*	

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
27. ENTRY AS AN ADVOCATE, VAKÍL OR ATTORNEY ON THE ROLL OF ANY HIGH COURT in exercise of powers conferred on such Court by letters patent ...	In the case of an Advocate or Vakíl	Five hundred rupees.
	In the case of an Attorney ...	Two hundred and fifty rupees.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 11).		
EXCHANGE ...	See *Instrument, No. 35.*	
EXTRACT ...	See *Copy, No. 22.*	
FURTHER CHARGE ...	See *Instrument, No. 30.*	
GIFT ...	See *Instrument, No. 36.*	
28. INDEMNITY-BOND	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
INSPECTORSHIP-DEED	See *Composition-deed, No. 20.*	
29. INSTRUMENT EVIDENCING AN AGREEMENT TO SECURE THE REPAYMENT OF A LOAN made upon the deposit of title-deeds or other valuable security, or upon the hypothecation of moveable property ..	(*a.*) When such loan is repayable more than three months, but not more than one year, from the date of such instrument.	The same duty as a Bill of Exchange (No. 11 (*b*)) for the amount secured.
	(*b.*) When such loan is repayable not more than three months from the date of such instrument.	Half the duty payable on a Bill of Exchange (No. 11 (*b*)) for the amount secured.
30. INSTRUMENT IMPOSING A FURTHER CHARGE ON MORTGAGED PROPERTY ...	(*a.*) When the original mortgage is one of the description referred to in No. 44, clause (*a*), of this schedule.	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount secured by such instrument.
	(*b.*) When such mortgage is one of the description referred to in No. 44, clause (*b*), of this schedule.	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount secured by such instrument.
31. INSTRUMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP, including every writing relating to the service or tuition of any apprentice, clerk or servant, placed with any master to learn any profession, trade or employment, except articles of clerkship (No. 9 of this schedule)	... ...	Five rupees.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 12 (c)).		
32. INSTRUMENT OF CO-PARTNERSHIP	... ...	Ten rupees.
33. INSTRUMENT OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ...	... ...	Five rupees.
34. INSTRUMENT OF DIVORCE, that is to say, any instrument by which any person effects the dissolution of his marriage ...	... ...	One rupee.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.	PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
35. INSTRUMENT OF EXCHANGE of any property	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the value of the property of greater value as set forth in such instrument.
36. INSTRUMENT OF GIFT (OTHER THAN A SETTLEMENT OR WILL)	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the value of the property as set forth in such instrument.
37. INSTRUMENT OF PARTITION	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount of the value of the property divided as set forth in such instrument.
38. INSTRUMENT (OTHER THAN A WILL) CONFERRING OR PURPORTING TO CONFER AN AUTHORITY TO ADOPT	Ten rupees.
INSURANCE ... See *Policy, No. 49.*	
39. LEASE. See *Agreement to lease* (*No. 4*). See *Exemptions, Schedule II* (*No. 13*). (*a*) Where by such lease the rent is fixed and no premium is paid or delivered and such lease purports to be for a term—	
of less than one year ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the whole amount payable or deliverable under such lease.
of not less than one year, but not more than three years ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the average annual rent reserved.
exceeding three years ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of the average annual rent reserved.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
39. LEASE,—*contd.* See *Agreement to lease (No. 4).* See *Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 13).*	(*b*) Where by such lease the rent is fixed and no premium is paid or delivered and such lease does not purport to be for any definite term ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of the average annual rent which would be paid or delivered for the first ten years if the lease continued so long.
	(*c*) Where the lease is granted for a fine or premium, and where no rent is reserved...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of such fine or premium as set forth in the lease.
	(*d*) Where the lease is granted for a fine or premium in addition to rent reserved ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of such fine or premium as set forth in the lease, in addition to the duty which would have been payable on such lease if no fine or premium had been paid or delivered: Provided that, when an agreement to lease is stamped with the *ad valorem* stamp required for a lease, and a lease in pursuance of such agreement is subsequently executed, the duty on such lease shall not exceed eight annas.
40. LETTER OF ALLOTMENT OF SHARES in any Company, or proposed Company, or in respect of any loan to be raised by any Company or proposed Company		One anna.
41. LETTER OF CREDIT, that is to say, any instrument by which one person authorizes another to give credit to the person in whose favour it is drawn ...		One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
42. LETTER OF LICENSE, that is to say, any agreement between a debtor and his creditors that the latter shall, for a specified time, suspend their claims and allow the debtor to carry on business at his own discretion		Ten rupees.
43. MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF A COMPANY		Fifteen rupees.
44. MORTGAGE-DEED not provided for by No. 14, No. 15, No. 29 or No. 55 of this schedule.	(*a*) When at the time of execution possession of the property or any part of the property comprised in such deed is given by the mortgagor or agreed to be given ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount secured by such deed.
See *Exemptions, Schedule II, No. 12, and No. 14 (b).*	(*b*) When at the time of execution possession is not given or agreed to be given as aforesaid ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount secured by such deed.
45. NOTARIAL ACT, that is to say, any instrument, endorsement, note, attestation, certificate or entry made or signed by a Notary Public in the execution of the duties of his office or by any other person lawfully acting as a Notary Public		One rupee.
46. NOTE OR MEMORANDUM sent by a Broker or Agent to his principal intimating the purchase or sale on account of such principal of any goods, stock or marketable security exceeding in value twenty rupees		One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.	
47. NOTE OF PROTEST BY THE MASTER OF A SHIP		Eight annas.	
PARTITION ...	See *Instrument, No. 37.*		
PARTNERSHIP ...	See *Instrument, Nos. 32 and 33.*		
48. PETITION FOR LEAVE TO FILE A SPECIFICATION OF AN INVENTION, or for the extension of the term of the exclusive privilege of making or using or selling such invention in India		One hundred rupees.	
		If drawn singly.	If drawn in duplicate, for each part.
49. POLICY OF INSURANCE ... *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 14 (a)).*	(*a*). In the case of Sea-insurance—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	When the amount insured does not exceed ... ... Rs. 1,000	0 4 0	0 2 0
	And for every further sum of Rs. 1,000 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	0 4 0	0 2 0
	(*b*). In the case of any other insurance—		
	When the amount insured does not exceed 1,000	0 6 0	0 3 0
	And for every further sum of Rs. 1,000 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	0 6 0	0 3 0
50. POWER-OF-ATTORNEY, not being a proxy chargeable under No. 51. ...	(*a*.) When executed for the sole purpose of procuring the presentation of one or more documents for registration in relation to a single transaction	Eight annas.	
	(*b*.) When authorizing one person or more to act in a single transaction other than that mentioned in (*a*) ...	One rupee.	

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
50. POWER-OF-ATTORNEY, not being a proxy chargeable under No. 51—*contd.*	(*c.*) When authorizing not more than five persons to act jointly and severally in more than one transaction or generally ...	Five rupees.
	(*d.*) When authorizing more than five but not more than ten persons to act jointly and severally in more than one transaction or generally	Ten rupees.
	(*e.*) In any other case	One rupee for each person authorized.
Explanation.—For the purposes of this number more persons than one when belonging to the same firm shall be deemed to be one person.		
PROMISSORY NOTE	See *Bill of Exchange, No. 11.*	
PROTEST, that is to say, any declaration in writing made by a Notary Public, or other person lawfully acting as such, attesting the dishonour of a bill of exchange or promissory note ...	See *Notarial Act, No. 45.*	
PROTEST BY THE MASTER OF A SHIP, that is to say, any declaration of the particulars of her voyage drawn up by him with a view to the adjustment of losses or the calculation of averages, and every declaration in writing made by him against charterers or the consignees for not loading or unloading the ship, when such declaration is attested or certified by a Notary Public or other person lawfully acting as such	See *Notarial Act, No. 45.*	
51. PROXY empowering any person to vote at any one meeting of— (*a.*) Members of a Company whose stock or funds is or are divided into shares and transferable: (*b.*) Municipal Commissioners: (*c.*) Proprietors, Members or Contributors to the funds of any Institution	... ...	One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.	PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
52. RECEIPT FOR ANY MONEY OR OTHER PROPERTY THE AMOUNT OR VALUE OF WHICH EXCEEDS TWENTY RUPEES	One anna.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 15).	
53. RE-CONVEYANCE OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY ... (*a.*) If the consideration for which the property was mortgaged does not exceed Rs. 1,000	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for the amount of such consideration as set forth in the re-conveyance.
(*b.*) In any other case ...	Ten rupees.
54. RELEASE, that is to say, any instrument whereby a person renounces a claim upon another person or against any specified property ... (*a.*) If the amount or value of the claim does not exceed 1,000	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for such amount or value as set forth in the release.
(*b.*) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
55. RESPONDENTIA-BOND, that is to say, any instrument securing a loan on the cargo laden or to be laden on board a ship and making repayment contingent on the arrival of the cargo at the port of destination	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
56. REVOCATION OF ANY TRUST of or concerning any property by any instrument other than a will	Ten rupees.
57. SETTLEMENT	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for a sum equal to the amount or value of the property settled as set forth in such settlement.
58. SHIPPING-ORDER for or relating to the conveyance of goods on board of any vessel	One anna.
SPECIFICATION ... See *Petition, No. 48.*	

SCHEDULE I—*concluded.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
59. SURRENDER OF LEASE ...	(*a.*) When the duty with which the lease is chargeable does not exceed five rupees ...	The duty with which such lease is chargeable.
See Exemption Schedule II (No. 16).	(*b.*) In any other case	Five rupees.
60. TRANSFER ..	(*a.*) Of shares in a Company or Association	One-quarter of the duty payable on a Conveyance (No. 21).
	(*b.*) Of any interest secured by a Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy of Insurance—	
	1. If the duty on such Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy does not exceed five rupees	The duty with which such Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy of Insurance is chargeable.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 17).	2. In any other case ...	Five rupees.
	(*c.*) Of any property under the Administrator General's Act, 1874, section 31 ...	Ten rupees.
	(*d.*) Of any trust-property from one trustee to another trustee without consideration ...	Five rupees.
TRUST	See *Declaration, No. 25.* *Revocation, No. 56.*	
VALUATION ...	See *Appraisement, No. 7.*	
61. WARRANT FOR GOODS, that is to say, any instrument evidencing the title of any person therein named, or his assigns, or the holder thereof, to the property in any goods lying in or upon any dock, warehouse or wharf, such instrument being signed or certified by or on behalf of the person in whose custody such goods may be ...	... ...	Four annas.

SCHEDULE II.

INSTRUMENTS EXEMPTED FROM STAMP-DUTY.

1. Affidavit or declaration in writing when made—
   (*a*) as a condition of enlistment under the Indian Articles of War;
   (*b*) for the immediate purpose of being filed or used in any Court or before the officer of any Court; or
   (*c*) for the sole purpose of enabling any person to receive any pension or charitable allowance.

2. Agreement or memorandum of agreement—
   (*a*) for or relating to the sale of goods or merchandize exclusively, not being a note or memorandum chargeable under No. 46 of schedule I;
   (*b*) for service in British Burma under the Chief Commissioner of that Province entered into between Natives of India emigrating to British Burma and the Superintendent of State Emigration or other Government officer acting as representative of the said Chief Commissioner;
   (*c*) made by raiyats for the cultivation of the poppy for Government;
   (*d*) made in the form of tenders to the Government of India for or relating to any loan;
   (*e*) made regarding the occupancy of land denoted by a survey-number, and the payment of revenue therefor, under Bombay Act I of 1865;
   (*f*) made under the European Vagrancy Act, 1874, section 17.

3. Appraisement or valuation made for the information of one party only, and not being in any manner obligatory between parties either by agreement or operation of law.

4. Appraisement of crops for the purpose of ascertaining the amount to be given to a landlord as rent.

5. Assignment of copyright by entry made under Act No. XX of 1847, section 5.

6. Award under Bombay Act VI of 1873, section 81, or Bombay Act III of 1874, section 18.

7. Bill of lading, when the goods therein described are received at a place within the limits of any port as defined under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, and are to be delivered at another place within the limits of the same port.

8. Bond when executed by—
   (*a*) the sureties of middlemen (lambardárs or khattadárs) taking advances for the cultivation of the poppy for Government;
   (*b*) headmen nominated under rules framed in accordance with Bengal Act III of 1876, section 99, for the due performance of their duties under that Act;
   (*c*) any person for the purpose of guaranteeing that the local income derived from private subscriptions to a charitable dispensary or hospital or any other object of public utility shall not be less than a specified sum per mensem.

9. Copy of any paper which a public officer is expressly required by law to make or furnish for record in any public office or for any public purpose.

10. Copy of registration of emigrants furnished under section 27 or section 29 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1871.

11. Entry—
   (*a*) of an advocate, vakíl or attorney on the roll of any High Court, when he has previously been enrolled in a High Court established by Royal Charter;
   (*b*) on the roll of any High Court, as an attorney, of an articled clerk bound as such before this Act comes into force.

12. Instruments—
   (*a*) executed by persons taking advances under the Land Improvement Act, 1871, or by their sureties, as security for the repayment of such advances;
   (*b*) executed by officers of Government or their sureties to secure the due execution of an office or the due accounting for money received by virtue thereof;
   (*c*) of apprenticeship executed by a Magistrate under Act XIX of 1850 or by which a person is apprenticed by or at the charge of any public charity.

13. Leases and Counterparts—

(*a*) Leases of fisheries granted under the Burma Fisheries Act, 1875;

(*b*) Lease, executed in the case of a cultivator without the payment or delivery of any fine or premium, when a definite term is expressed and such term does not exceed one year, or when the annual rent reserved does not exceed one hundred rupees;

(*c*) Counterpart of any lease granted to a cultivator.

14. Letter—

(*a*) of cover or engagement to issue a policy of insurance:

Provided that, unless such letter or engagement bear the stamp prescribed by this Act for such policy, nothing shall be claimable thereunder, nor shall it be available for any purpose except to compel the delivery of the policy therein mentioned.

(*b*) of hypothecation accompanying a bill of exchange.

15. Receipt—

(*a*) endorsed on or contained in any instrument duly stamped, or exempted under this schedule, No. 18, acknowledging the receipt of the consideration-money therein expressed, or the receipt of any principal-money, interest or annuity or other periodical payment thereby secured;

(*b*) for any payment of money without consideration;

(*c*) for any payment of rent by a cultivator on account of land assessed to Government revenue, or (in the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay) of inám lands;

(*d*) for pay by non-commissioned officers or soldiers of Her Majesty's Army, or Her Majesty's Indian Army, when serving in such capacity;

(*e*) for pensions or allowances by persons receiving such pensions or allowances in respect of their service as such non-commissioned officers or soldiers, and not serving the Government in any other capacity;

(*f*) given by holders of family-certificates in cases where the person from whose pay or allowances the sum comprised in the receipt has been assigned is a non-commissioned officer or soldier of either of the said Armies, and serving in such capacity;

(*g*) given by a headman or lambardár for land-revenue or taxes collected by him;

(*h*) given for money or securities for money deposited in the hands of any banker, to be accounted for:

Provided the same be not expressed to be received of, or by the hands of, any other than the person to whom the same is to be accounted for;

Provided also, that this exemption shall not extend to a receipt or acknowledgment for any sum paid or deposited for or upon a letter of allotment of a share, or in respect of a call upon any scrip or share of or in any Company or Association, or proposed or intended Company or Association.

16. Surrender of lease when such lease is exempted from duty.

17. Transfers by endorsement—

(*a*) of a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note;

(*b*) of a bill of lading;

(*c*) of a policy of insurance;

(*d*) of mortgages of rates and taxes authorized by any Act for the time being in force in British India;

(*e*) of securities of the Government of India;

(*f*) of a warrant for goods (No. 61 of schedule I).

General Exemption.

18. Any instrument executed by, or on behalf of, or in favour of, Government in cases where, but for this exemption, the Government would be liable to pay the duty chargeable in respect of such instrument.

SCHEDULE III.

ACTS REPEALED.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1847 ...	Copyright	In section five, the words "without being subject to any stamp or duty."
X of 1866 ...	The Indian Companies Act ...	In section eleven, the words "shall bear the same stamp as if it were a deed, and."
		In section sixteen, the words "they shall bear the same stamp as if they were contained in a deed."
XVIII of 1869 ...	The General Stamp Act ...	The whole.
VII of 1871 ...	The Indian Emigration Act	In sections twenty-seven and twenty-nine, the words "which shall not require a stamp."
XIX of 1873 ...	The North-Western Provinces Land-Revenue Act, 1873.	In section one hundred and eighty-three, the words "stamped or."
II of 1874 ...	The Administrator General's Act.	In section thirty-one, the words "bearing a stamp of ten rupees and."
IX of 1874 ...	The European Vagrancy Act	In section seventeen, the words "may be on unstamped paper and."
XV of 1876 ...	Bombay Municipal Debentures	In section two, the words "and no such indorsement shall be chargeable with any stamp-duty."

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

APPENDIX TO

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, 1879.

FOURTH QUARTER.

BENGAL LIBRARY CATALOGUE OF BOOKS

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						ASSAMESE
29	Hita-Sádhiká; or, the Promoter of Good.	Assamese.	Padmávatí Dévi Phukanání.	Reader, E.	Printed and published at 16, New Aryan Press, No. 43-1, Bhaváni Charan Datta's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ramánáth Ghosh.
						BENGALI
1727	A new Arithmetic in Bengali. Part I.	Bengali	Navín Chandra Bhattáchárya.	Arithmetic, E.	Printed and published at the Eastern Bengal Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Navín Chandra De.
1728	Ganita Víjnán; or, Arithmetic.	ditto ...	Jay Gopál Goswámí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Stanhope Press, 249, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by J. C. Bose & Co.
1729	Shubhankarí; or, the Formulæ of Shubhankar.	ditto ...	Gauríkánta Ráya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Suburban Press, Bhaváníporo, Calcutta.	Printed by Priyanáth Mallik, and published by Káshíshwara Bhattáchárya.
1730	Rasáyan; or, Chemistry in Bengali.	ditto ...	Dr. Jádav Chandra Basu.	Chemistry E.	Printed at the Ráya Press, 44, Veniátolá Lane, Calcutta, and published at Chinsurah.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghoshál, and published by Jádav Chandra Basu.
1731	Kautukratnávalí; or, a Collection of Amusing Experiments.	ditto	Jagat Durlava Basák.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vidyáratna Press, 285, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Arunodaya Ghosh, and published by Veni Mádhav De & Co.
1732	Ajaysinha-Vilásvatí Nátak; or, Ajaysinha and Vilásvatí. A drama.	ditto ...	Jogendra Náráyana Dás Ghosh.	Drama ...	Printed at the Kar Press 107, Shyám Bazár Street, and published at 28, Shobhárám Basák's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Jadunáth Mandal, and published by Jogendra Náráyana Ghosh.
1733	Nritan Rámábhisheh Nátak; or, a new drama on the Anointing of Rám.	ditto ...	Umesh Chandra Bhattáchárya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Kávya Prakásh Press, 3, Haripál's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Umesh Chandra Bhattáchárya.
1734	Sarojiní Nátak; or, Sarojiní. A drama.	ditto ...	Jyotindra Náth Tagore.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Válmíki Press, 55, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Kálíkinkar Chakravartí.
1735	Vidyunmálíní; or, the Female decked with a garland of Lightning. Part II.	ditto ...	Krishna Dás Shur.	Fiction ...	Printed at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta, and published at Telínípárá.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by Girish Chandra Vidyáratna.

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PAMPHLET.									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Dec. 10th	44	12mo.	1st ...	500	Printed.	0 3 0	Padmávátí Dévi Phukananí.	Containing simple reading lesson for children.	28
BOOKS.									
1878.									
Sept. 5th	155	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 10 0	Not given ...	For the use of páthshálás and intermediate schools. With numerous exercises and examples.	1727
„ 6th	396	12mo. ...	8th ...	3,000	ditto ...	1 4 0	Jay Gopál Goswámí of Santipore.	The whole course of arithmetic in Bengali explained in a lucid style. It is a standard work.	1728
Aug. 15th	194	Dy.12mo	2nd ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Gaurikánta Ráya, Beliádángá, Krishnagur.	Shubhankar's formulæ explained and illustrated.	1729
Oct. 30th	105	8vo. ...	1st ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Jádav Chandra Basu, Chinsurah.	One of the best text books on the subject in Bengali.	1730
Nov. 1st	144	12mo. ...	2nd ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Jagat Durlava Basák of Páthuriághátá Street, Calcutta.	A collection of interesting and amusing chemical and other experiments.	1731
Sept. 19th	183	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	1 2 0	Jogendra Náráyana Ghosh, 28, Shobhárám Basák's Lane, Calcutta.	A clever adaptation of Shakespeare's Romeo and Juliet. The work has been neatly got up. The scene is laid in Rájputáná, and the characters are chosen from the ranks of Rájput nobles and princes.	1732
„ 25th	121	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,200	ditto ...	0 8 0	Not given ...	A close imitation of an abler work of the same name by Mano-Mohan Basu, and based on the well-known story in the life of Ráma, which tells how, when every preparation had been made for his coronation, he was obliged to go into exile with his wife and brother for 14 years to fulfil a promise his father had made to Kaikeyí, Ráma's stepmother.	1733
„ 10th	185	8vo. ...	2nd ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 4 0	Jyotirindra Náth Tagore, Jorásánko, Calcutta.	Baffled in his first attempt to take Chittore, Aláuddín of Delhi secretly deputed one of his men, a Muhammadan, to repair to the city and sow dissensions among the Rájput chiefs. For this purpose he assumed the guise of a Hindu devotee and secured the reverence of the inhabitants by his sanctity. The impostor so far succeeds in his efforts that he is appointed priest of the local temple of Káli, while secretly carrying on correspondence with Aláuddin; to further whose wishes, he gives it out that the city may be delivered from the hands of the invader if the heroine, Sarojini, daughter of the Ráná, be offered up in sacrifice. This is strenuously opposed by the loving parents, while eagerly demanded by a portion of the inhabitants, who regard this as the only means of escape. This circumstance gives rise to internecine war and bloodshed. Meanwhile Chittore is taken and pillaged. The heroic Rájput females, however, including Sarojini, burn themselves to death to avoid outrage at the hands of the savage invaders. Many unnecessary characters are introduced into the work, and the dialogues are tediously long. There are, however, not a few passages evincing considerable pathos, and tenderness, and martial spirit.	1734
Oct. 28th	110	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 16 0	Krishna Dás Shur, Chandernagore.	Vijay Ketu, a young prince, who is betrothed to Vidyunmáliní, the heroine, conceives a dislike towards her and falls in love with Indu Máliní, the daughter of a rich merchant. The heroine finds this out, and by her skill and cleverness prevents the meeting of the lovers for a time, and at last effects a reconciliation between herself, the prince, and her rival, who is now discovered to be the daughter of a king. The prince marries them both, while his companion obtains the hand of a witty female attendant of Indu Máliní. The story is pointless and uninteresting; the style is pedantic and occasionally vulgar. The work is a worthless production.	1735

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						BENGALI
1736	Ei ek nútan ! Amár gupta kathá !! Atí "Aschar-ya !!!" or, A new thing my wonderful secrets Part III.	Bengali	Not given ...	Fiction ...	Printed at the Rájakiyá Press, 71, Cornwallis Street, published at Sobhá Bazar, Calcutta.	Printed by Sárish Chandra Bhattáchárya, and published by Sadáshiv Mitra.
1737	Chandra Ketu A historical tale.	ditto ...	Kedárnáth Chakravartí.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Rájakiyá Press, 71 Cornwallis' Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Shrísh Chandra Bhattácharya, and published by Girish Chandra Sarkár.
1738	Jívan Prabhát; or, the Dawn of Life.	ditto ...	Ramesh Chandra Datta.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Stanhope Press, 249, Bow Bazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by I. C. Bose & Co.
1739	Shakespeare krita Granthávalír Bangánuvád; or, a Bengali translation of Shakespeare's works. Vol. I. No. 2.	ditto ...	Translated by Kedárnáth Gangopádhyáya.	ditto ...	Printed at the Shíl Press, 33, Chitpore Road, and published at 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Vinod Vihárí Shíl.
1740	Vishád Pratimá; or, the Image of sorrow.	ditto ...	Rám Chandra Chaudhurí.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Bhárat Mihir Press, Mymensingh.	Printed by Jadunáth Bhattáchárya, and published by Rám Chandra Chaudhurí.
1741	Bhúgol Vrittánta; or, Geography.	ditto ...	Adináth Chattopádhyáya.	Geography, E.	Printed and published at the Bhárat Mihir Press, Mymensingh.	Printed by Jadunáth Bhattáchárya, and published by Adináth Chatterji.
1742	Bánglá Vyákaran; or, A Bengali Grammar.	ditto ...	Rámgati Nyáyaratna.	Grammar, E.	Printed and published at the Vudhodaya Press, Hooghly.	Printed and published by Káshináth Bhattáchárya.
1743	Bhárat Bhaishajya Tattwa; or, the principles of Indian Medicine. Part I.	Ditto ...	Amvíkácharan Rakshit.	Medicine, H.	Printed and published at the Chikítsá Tattwa Press, 28, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Bholánáth Chatterji, and published by Nrisinha Prasád Rakshit.
1744	Chikitsákalpadrum; or, the Cyclopœdia of practice of medicine. No. 10.	ditto ...	Jadunáth Mukerji, L. M. S.	Medicine ..	Printed and published at the Chikítsá Prakásh Press, No. 198, Bow-Bazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Nityánánda Ghosh.
1745	Dhátríshikshá ebang Prasútishikshá; or, a Guide to native midwives and mothers.	ditto ...	ditto ...	Midwifery	ditto	ditto ... ...

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BOOKS.—(Continued.)									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Oct. 15th	192	8vo. ...	2nd ...	300	Printed	0 13 0	Kumár Upendra Krishna Dev Báhádur, Shobá Bazár, Calcutta.	The present is Part III of a work complete in four parts. It is written in imitation of the Mysteries of Paris and other works of that worthless stuff.	1736
A narrative in a sensational style and abounding in intrigues, murders, &c., &c. the work, however, commanded an extensive sale when it was first published.									
Dec. 2nd	151	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	1 0 0	Kedárnáth Chakravartí of Nandan Bágán Street, Calcutta.	An interesting work written on the strength of the saying of Professor Max Müller at the Congress of Orientalists held in	1737
1874, that a nation which does not study its past can ever hope to be great. In the book before us is described the conquest of a portion of Bengal by a Muhammadan named Goráchánd who came disguised as a fakir after the last Hindu King, Lakshman Sen, had been deposed by Bakthiár Khiliji. Chandra Ketu, was the king of Balanda, now an insignificant place in the sub-division of Barasot. How he fought with Goráchánd, was taken prisoner, and regained his liberty ; the heroism, and adventures of Víjay Ketu, who defeated the invaders ; the treachery of Rám Hájrá, a Hindu, who had called in the Muhammadans ; and the tragic death of the females of the king's household and the end of Víjay Ketu and Chandra Ketu, who drowned themselves, are all described with much spirit. There are interesting traditions respecting this Muhammadan invasion and decaying monuments are still to be found in the Balanda Pergunnah.									
Nov. 8th	300	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 4 0	Ramesh Chandra Datta, Esq., c.s., Tipperah.	A tale of the times of Arungzebe The cruel, ambitious, bigoted, and crafty character of that monarch, the rise of the Mahratta power, and the courage and daring of Shiváji are described in vivid colors. There is an interesting love episode in the work, in which Raghunáth, a young man of respectable, but disguised lineage, a soldier in Shiváji's army, figures as the hero, and succeeds after encountering many mishaps in winning and marrying Sharajuválá, a beautiful Rajput damsel.	1738
Sept. 16th	64	8vo. ...	1st ...	600	ditto ...	0 6 0	Vinod Vihárí Shil, 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	A translation into Bengali prose interspersed with poetry of Shakespeare's Tempest. The execution is stiff and occasionally unintelligible. The work has little to recommend it.	1739
,, 27th	138	Dy 12mo	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 12 0	Rámchandra Chaudhuri, of Vikrámpore, Dacca.	The love adventures and reverses of Ashwiní Kumár a daring young man who is represented as flourishing in Bengal in the	1740
17th century. Through circumstances over which he had no control, he successively came in contact with and attracted the hearts of Hemlatá, a rich heiress of Benares, whom he subsequently married, and of Nalini, the betrothed of his childhood. The latter was forcibly carried away by a band of robbers on the day of the wedding, but after many years, during which period her fate was totally unknown to Ashwiní Kumár, she came across her husband, and naturally claimed him as her own. Ashwiní Kumár, however, was hesitating and jealous ; the virtuous lady who did not deserve this treatment pined away, and at last went mad. After this, once only was she seen by her husband in Benares in a state of complete destitution. The tale is pathetic, and told with considerable skill.									
,, 27th	174	Dy 12mo.	1st ...	1,000	ditto ..	0 10 0	Adináth Chatterjí of Mymensingh.	A descriptive geography suited for use in schools.	1741
,, 8th	120	12mo. ...	4th ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 6 0	Rámgati Nyáyaratna, Hooghly.	A useful grammar.	1742
,, 18th	192	8vo. ...	1st ...	550	ditto ...	1 12 0	Amviká Charan Rakshit of Jendah.	Compiled from several approved Sanskrit and English medical works. The object of the writer is to stimulate inquiry	1743
among the graduates of the Calcutta Medical College regarding the Hindu system of medicine and native drugs. The work is written in a simple Bengali style, and the arrangement followed is that obtaining in English works on medicine.									
Dec. 2nd	16	4to. ...	1st ...	1,050	ditto ...	1 0 0	Jadunáth Mukerji, L.M.S., 198, Bow Bazár Street, Calcutta.	Treats of medicine, surgery, midwifery, and opthalmic disease.	1744
Sept. 30th	247	8vo. ...	4th ...	1,000	ditto ...	2 0 0	ditto ...	The present is a revised and considerably enlarged edition. The work has proved exceedingly useful for the purpose	1745
for which it was intended. It is written in the form of a dialogue in simple and colloquial Bengali, intelligible to ignorant native midwives and mothers, and contains almost every information that is necessary.									

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						BENGALI
1746	Mánava, Janmatattwa, Dhátrívidyá, Nava-prasúta-shishu-o-stri-játir vyádhi Sangraha; or, a Treatise on the Science and Practice of Midwifery with diseases of newly born infants and women.	Bengali	Annadácharan Khástagir, A.S.	Midwifery	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kavíratna, and published by Annadácharan Khástagri.
1747	Pránkrishnaushadhávalí; or, the Book of Medicine by Pránkrishna.	ditto ...	Late Pránkrishna Viswhás.	Medicine	Printed and published at the Kávya Prakásh Press, 3, Haripál's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Umesh Chandra Bhattácharya.
1748	Ekhan Así; or, Farewell	ditto ...	Rájá Krishnendra Ráya.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Bhárat Press, 367, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Pratáp Chandra Ráya.
1749	Padártha-vidyá; or, Elements of Natural Philosophy.	ditto ...	Akshayakumár Datta.	Natural Philosophy, E	Printed at the new Sanskrit Press, 14, Goábágán Street, and published at 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Gopálchandra De, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
1750	Prakriti Tattwa; or, Investigations into Nature.	ditto ...	Shrí Shrírám Pálit.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Válmíki Press, 55, Amherst Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Kálíkinkar Chakravarti.
1751	Kavivar Bhárat Chandra Ráya Gunákarer Grantha Sankalan Pustiká; or, the collected works of Bhárat Chandra Ráya the great poet.	ditto ...	Bhárat Chandra Ráya.	Poetry ...	Printed at the Kavitá Ratnákar Press, 17, Vrindávan Basák's Street, and published at 115, Chitpore Road, Calcutta,	Printed by Fakír Chánd Dás, and published by Vishwambhar Láhá.
1752	Kusum Málá; or, the Garland of Flowers.	ditto ...	Gopál Krishna Ghosh.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the New Bengal Press, 38, Shyámpukur Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Jogendranáth Vidyáratna.
1753	Padya Prakásh; or Poetical Class Book. Part III.	ditto ...	Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji, M.A.	ditto E. ...	Printed and published at the New School Book Press, 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Vihárílál Chakravartí.
1754	Prabhás Khanda; or, the book relating to Krishna's doings at the Shrine of Prabhás. Parts 1 to 10.	ditto ...	Ishwara Chandra Sarkár.	Poetry ...	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Datta.
1755	Rádhá Krishna vilás; or, the love of Rádhá and Krishna.	ditto ...	Jayanáráyan Mukerji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Kamalákánta Press, Press, 334, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Ganesh Chandra Ghosh, and published by Vaneshwara Ghosh.
1756	Subhadráharan Kávya; or, the Rape of Subhadrá. A poem.	ditto ...	Late-Yajneshwar Háldár.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, 37, Mechuá Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghosh & Co., and published by Durgámaní Dásí.
1757	Vanakusum; or Flowers of the Forest. Part II.	ditto ...	Shítalákánta Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Ráya Press, 35, Veniátolá Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghoshál, and published by the author.

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BOOKS.—(Continued.									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Nov. 12th	808	8vo. ...	2nd ...	1000	Printed	7 0 0	Annadácharan Khástagir, Kásipore.	Designed for the use of Native Doctors and Bengali classes of medical schools. In this second edition the author has embodied the results of his own experience of 21 years, and of the discoveries made since the work was first published. It is a standard work in Bengali on the subject.	1746
Sept. 27th	193	8vo. ...	6th ...	3000	ditto ...	1 0 0	Not given ...	A book on medicine compiled by the late Pránkrishna Vishwás of Khardaha from Hindú, Muhammadan, and English sources.	1747
Dec. 9th	111	8vo. ...	2nd ...	500	ditto ..	1 8 0	Rájá Krishnenda Ráya Báhádur of Balihar, Rájsháhye.	A collection of short moral essays in the form of exhortations and admonition of a dying person to his relatives and friends. The object of the writer is to show the transitory and unsubstantial nature of our earthly possessions, and the necessity of thinking of God and things spiritual betimes.	1748
Nov. 28th	143	12mo. ...	20th..	4000	ditto ..	0 10 0	Akshayakumár Datta of Bally.	The properties of matter and of the laws of motion.	1749
Oct. 10th	130	12mo. ...	1st ...	1000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Shrírám Pálit of Bara Bazár, Calcutta.	Lessons in verse on the sky, atoms, the fire, electricity, &c., &c., &c. The lines are stiff, and occasionally unintelligible.	1750
Sept. 6th	674	12mo. ...	Not given.	1250	ditto ...	0 12 0	Vishwambhar Láhá, 15, Tárak Chatterji's Lane, Calcutta.	Bhárat Chandra Ráya's Poetical works. With a life of the poet and illustrations.	1751
Oct. 30th	146	8vo. ...	1st ...	510	ditto ...	1 0 0	Gopál Krishna Ghosh, Rájá Nava Krishna's Lane, Calcutta.	A collection of 31 small pieces in verse on different subjects, such as,—a dream; the lady in the imagination; lines on the death of a friend; the bird, &c., &c. The verses are musical and display much feeling. The work is very neatly got up.	1752
Nov. 16th	139	12mo. ...	4th ...	2000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Nrisinha Chandra Mukerji, M.A.	Adapted for the use of schools. The present edition has prefixed to it, an essay on poetry and Bengali versification and figures of speech.	1753
Nov. 20th	347	12mo. ...	2nd ...	1200	ditto ...	0 8 0	Trailokyanáth Datta, 177, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	The acts of Krishna in Vrindávan, Mathurá, Dwárká, and Puri, and the manifestation of his godhead to his followers on all occasions. The work professes to be a compilation from different *purán*.	1754
Sept. 17th	126	12mo. ...	1st ...	3000	ditta ...	0 7 0	Váneshwara Ghosh, Calcutta.	The flirtations of Krishna with the milkmaids of Braj.	1755
Nov. 23rd	141	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 7 0	Durgámani Dási of Krishnaghur.	Describes in harmonious verse how Subhadrá, with the consent of her brother Krishna, was secretly married to Arjun; how Valarám was opposed to the marriage and ordered his army to fight with Arjun when he was carrying away his bride: and how at last every thing ended peacefully. The story is taken from the Mahábhárat.	1756
Oct. 1st	120	12mo. ...	1st ..	500	ditto ...	0 10 3	Shítalákánta Chatterji, Dacca.	Ten small poems of considerable merit. A few are translations from English; the others are original. Even in these, English imagery and sentiments abound. The author is a well-read man. The work is dodicated to his brother Babu Nishikánta Chatterji, the Professor of Bengali in the University of St. Petersburgh.	1757

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						BENGALI
1758	Vinodmálá Gíti Kávya; or, the Delightful Garland. Lyric Poems.	Bengali	Harish Chandra Niyogí.	Poetry ...	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Tattwa Press, 28, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Bholánáth Chatterji and, published by Pravodh Chandra Niyogí.
1759	Yohaner Susamáchár; or, the Gospel according to St. John.	ditto ...	Not given ...	Religion, C.	Printed and published at the Rájakíya Press, 71, Cornwallis Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Shrísh Chandra Bhattácharya.
1760	Kalki Purán; or, the Purán about Kalkí.	ditto ...	Translated by Bhuvan Chandra Basák.	Religion, H.	Printed and published at the Samvád Jnán Ratnákar Press, 8, Nimtalá Ghát Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Bhuvan Chandra Basák.
1761	Káshi Khanda Purán; or, the Purán about Káshí.	ditto ...	Rendered into Bengali verse by Sítánáth Vasu Mallik.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Jnánollás Press, 19, Vrindávan Vasák's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Krishnalál Chaudhurí.
1762	Gadya Mahábhárat; or, the Mahábhárat in Prose. No. 27.	ditto ...	Translated by Mahendra Náth Bhattácharya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Bhárat Press, 367, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Pratáp Chandra Ráya.
1763	Ditto. No. 28 ...	ditto ...	Translated by Shrínáth Bhattácharya	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
1764	Ditto. No. 29 ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
1765	Rámáyana. Vol. II. No. 6	ditto ...	Translated into Bengali verse by Rájkrishna Ráya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, 37, Mechuá Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Ashutosh Ghosh & Co.
1766	Ditto. Vol. II. No. 7	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Albert Press, 8, Mitter's Lane, Calcutta.	ditto ...
1767	Rámáyana. Vol. VI. No. 7	ditto ...	Translated by Gangá Govinda Bhattácharya.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Datta Press, Sealdah, Calcutta.	Printed by Abhaya Govinda Bhattácharya, and published by Gangá Govinda Bhattácharya.
1768	Ditto, „ VI. „ 8	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
1769	Ditto, „ VI. „ 9	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
1770	Ditto, „ VI. „ 10	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
1771	Ditto, „ VI. „ 11	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
1772	Ditto, „ VII. „ 1	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
1773	Ditto, „ VII. „ 2	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
1774	Ditto, „ VII. „ 3	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto

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BOOKS.—(Continued.)									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Sept. 14th	244	12mo. ...	1st ...	250	ditto ...	1 8 0	Vinod Káminí Niyogí, Bágbazár, Calcutta.	The work is very neatly got up. A new feature is observable in the printing. Every line begins as in English poetry with a capital letter. There are altogether in this book 31 small lyrical poems, most of which treat of love. The author's conception of this sentiment, however, is not very elevated or refined. There is a poem in which the writer dwells on the past glories of India in imitation of Byron's "Isles of Modern Greece." The last piece, headed the Deserted Village, possesses some merit. The striking passages, however, are all taken from Goldsmith and Gray. The book is dedicated to a lady.	1758
Nov. 15th	106	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 6 0	Miss Harding of Krishnagar.	A free translation, the first of its kind "by a Bengali gentleman" in more idiomatic and easy language than that of the present Bengali versions by European Missionaries—criticism is invited by the translator.	1759
Dec. 16th	122	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,200	ditto ...	0 8 0	Bhuvan Chandra Basák, 8, Nimtalá Ghát Street, Calcutta.	The glories and acts of Kalkí, the tenth and last incarnation of Vishnu, when war will be waged with Budhism and infidelity in general. Translated into colloquial Bengali.	1760
Aug. 22nd	192	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,500	ditto ...	0 6 6	Krishna Lál Chandra, Calcutta.	The glories and great sanctity of Káshi, or Benares the favorite abode of Mahádev.	1761
Oct. 19th	96	8vo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Pratáv Chandra Ráya, Jorásánko.	The Udyoga Parva and part of the Bhíshma Parva.	1762
Nov. 23rd	104	8vo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	The Bhíshma Parva ...	1763
Dec. 9th	104	8vo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto ...	1764
„ 15th	40	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ..	0 8 0	Ashutosh Ghosh & Co., 37, Mechuá Bazár Street, Calcutta.	The Ajodhyá Kánda. The translation is able and enriched with notes.	1765
Dec. 8th	40	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Ashutosh Ghosh & Co., 8, Mitter's Lane, Calcutta.	ditto ditto ...	1766
Sept. 1st	80	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Gangá Govinda Bhattáchárya of Sealdah, Calcutta.	The Lanká Kánda. Rám and his brother assisted by the monkey host fight with Rávan, the ten-headed giant King of Lanká, and his army of Rákshas. The style of the translation is graceful.	1767
„ 4th	80	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1768
„ 7th	80	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1769
„ 11th	80	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	Abhaya Govinda Bhattáchárya and Gangá Govinda Bhattáchárya of Sealdah, Calcutta.	ditto	1770
„ 15th	80	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1771
„ 18th	70	8vo. ..	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	The Uttará Kánda. The early history of the Rákshases and of Rávan.	1772
„ 29th	80	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1773
Nov. 1st	80	8vo. ..	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 12 0	ditto ...	ditto	1774

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						BENGALI
1775	Ati vrihat Saptakánda Rámáyan; or, the Great Rámáyan in seven books.	dBengali	Late Kritívás Pandit.	Religion, H	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafarchandra Datta, and published by Vinód Vihárí Shíl.
1776	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Datta.
1777	Shrí-Shrímat Rám Rasáyan; or, the Rámáyan.	ditto ...	Translated by the late Raghunandan Goswámí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vidyáratna Press, 285, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Arunodaya Ghosh, and published by Venímádháva De and Co.
1778	MahábháratíyáAshtádash Parva; or, the Mahábhárat in 18 Parvas.	ditto ...	The late Kásirám Dás.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Harihar Press, 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Govinda Chandra Datta, and published by Akshayakumár Ráya and Co.
1779	The Mahábharat translated from the Sanskrita text into Bengali verse. No. 8.	ditto ...	Nimái Chandra Sinha.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vudhodaya Press, Hooghly.	Printed and published by Káshínáth Bhattáchárya.
1780	Bhakti-ratnàkara; or, Ocean of Devotion. Part I.	ditto ..	Ghanéshyám ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Satyaratna Press, Berhampore.	Printed by Navín Chandra Chaudhurí, and published by Rádhikánáth Thákur.
1781	Mahábhárata. No. 2 ...	ditto ...	Kálívar Védántavágísh.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Roy Press, 35, Veniátolá Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghosál, and published by Kédarnáth Ráya.
1782	Iphisíadér pratì Paul Preríter patra; or, the Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Ephesians.	ditto ...	Bible Translation Society.	ditto, C.	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, 24, Lower Circular Road, and published at the Bible Translation Society's Depository, Calcutta. —	Printed by Rev. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Bible Translation Society.
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2312	Krishi Pravesh; or, An Agricultural Primer.	Bengali.	Kálímaya Ghatak.	Agriculture, E.	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Tattwa Press, 28, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Bholánáth Chatterji.
2313	Pratham Bhág Dhárápát; or, Arithmetical Tables Part I.	ditto ...	Siddheswar Niyogí	Arithmetic, E.	Printed at the B. P. Mazumdár's Press, 22, Jhámápukur Lane, and published at 50, Old China Bazár, Calcutta.	Printed by B. P. Mazumdár, and published by the Commercial Library.
2314	Ditto ditto ...	ditto ...	Vaishnava Charan Sinha.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Saraswatí Press, 49, Mechuábazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Kshetra Mohan Mukerji, and published by Vaishnava Charan Sinha.
2315	Núthan Dhárápát; or, New Arithmetical Tables.	ditto ..	Vipin Vihárí Shíl.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by the Shíl Press Depository.
2316	Abhimanyuvadh Játrá; or, the slaughter of Abhimanyu. An opera.	ditto ...	Akshaya Kumár Dé.	Drama ...	Printed and published at the Kávya Prakásh Press, 3, Haripál's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Umesh Chandra Bhattácharya, and published by Hridyalál Datta.

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BOOKS.—(Concluded.)									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Oct. 10th	448	8vo. ...	1st ...	4,000	Printed	0 8 0	Vinod Vihári Shíl, 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	The whole of the Rámáyana ...	1775
Nov. 28th	458	8vo. ...	Not given.	2,500	ditto ...	0 6 0	Trailokyanáth Datta, 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	ditto	1776
„ 4th	959	8vo. ..	2nd ...	1,000	ditto ...	4 0 0	Venímádhav De and Co., 90 and 91, Ahírítolá Street, Calcutta.	The whole of the Rámáyana. This is generally a more correct version than that of Kritívás, The acts of Ráma are, however, regarded herein from a Vaishnava point of view.	1777
Sept. 14th	918	8vo. ...	4th ..	1,000	ditto ..	2 4 0	Akshaya Kumár Ráya and Co., Calcutta.	The whole of the Mahábhárat.	1778
„ 6nd	32	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 5 6	Nimái Charan Sinha.	Containing the Adi Parva ...	1779
Dec. 3rd	80	8vo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	.....	A religious work of the Vaishnava sect, giving brief descriptions in verse of Vishnu, Rupsanátan, Nityánanda, Gauránga, &c.	1780
Oct. 15th	192	8vo. ...	1st ...	100	ditto ...	0 12 0	Kédárnáth Ráyá No. 35, Veniátolá.	Containing the Vana Parva ...	1781
Dec. 7th	44	Rl. 8vo.	1st ...	1000	ditto ...	0 2 0	.....	Annotated in Bengali	1782
PAMPHLETS.									
1878.	Pages.								
Oct. 13th	36	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	Printed..	0 2 0	Kálímaya Ghatak of Ranághát.	A useful work well adapted for use in páthsháls. It is written in a simple style, and contains directions for growing edible vegetables and cereals, and has much information respecting cultivation, manure, and other kindred subjects.	2312
„ 2nd	24	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Siddeshwar Niyogí, 50, Old China Bazar, Calcutta.	Arithmetical tables and weights and measures.	2313
„ 25th	32	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Vaishnava Charan Sinha, Calcutta	Ditto ditto ...	2314
„ 20th	30	12mo. ...	5th ...	3,000	ditto ...	0 1 3	The Shíl Press Depository, 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Ditto ditto ...	2315
Sept. 29th	68	12mo. ...	3rd ..	3,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Not given ...	Abhimanyu, the heroic son of one of the Pándavs, is slaughtered by the seven charioteers of the Kurus in a most unequal fight with them. The plot is taken from the Mahábhárat; the production is of no value.	2316

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						BENGAL.
2317	Arjuner lakshaya bhed, arthát Draupadí swayamvar nátak; or, Arjun's hitting the mark, or Draupadí's choice of her own husband.	Bengali.	Tinkari Vishvás.	Drama ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Premchánd Dhar.
2318	Dev-Dampati-milan bá Shíver viváha; or, the Union of the Divine couple, being the Marriage of Shíva.	ditto ...	Gopál Chandra Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sudhásindhu Press, 54, Valarám De's Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Rákhál Chandra Dás, and published by Rámkánái Dás.
2319	Ebárkár alpa majá, dutin-din Durgápujá; or, A little amusement this time; Durgápujá for two or three days.	ditto ...	Nagendranáth Sen.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Suburban Press, Bhawánipore, Calcutta.	Printed by Príyanáth Mallik, and pulished by Káshíshwar Bhattáchárya.
2320	Kávya Nayanotsava; or, the Delight of the Poetic Eye. Part I.	ditto ...	Navakrishna Banerji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Jyotish Prakásh Press, 7, Shivkrishna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Adwaitacharan Ghosh, and published by Navakrishna Banerji.
2321	Kokil Samvád Játrágán; or, the bird Kokil as a Messenger. An opera.	ditto ...	Rámkumár Basák.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Munshi Maulá Baksh.
2322	Rámvanavás Játrá; or, the Exile of Ráma. An opera.	ditto ...	Kedár Náth Gánguli.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by Naderchánd Shíl.
2323	Sabhyatá Sopán, Drishya Samájchitra; or, Stepping stone to enlightenment. Scene. A Picture of Society.	ditto ...	Prasannakumár Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed at the Gupta Press, 24, Mírjáfir's Lane, and published at the Canning Library, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Dás, and published by Prasannakumár Chatterji.

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1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Nov. 27th	44	8vo. ...	2nd ...	1,500	Printed	0 2 0	Prem Chánd Dhar, 320, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	The marriage of Arjun with Draupadí after the former had succeeded in hitting a mark placed on high at a great distance. Taken from the Adi Parva of the Mahábhárat.	2317
„ 15th	58	12mo. ...	1st ...	Not given.	ditto ...	0 6 0	Gopál Chandra Mitra, 130, Masjid Bárí Street, Calcutta.	The marriage of Shíva with Gaurí, the daughter of Himálaya. She was Shíva's consort in a former birth and willingly gave up her life on hearing her father revile Shíva. The latter, ever since her death, had become a stern ascetic. To induce him to marry again, the gods deputed the Indian Cupid to disturb his ascetic devotions. The enraged Shív reduced Madan or Cupid to ashes, but was persuaded to marry Gaurí. The incidents and most of the sentiments are taken from the "Kumár Sambhava" of Kálidás.	2318
Sept. 26th	16	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Nagendra Náth Sen, Bhowanipore, Calcutta.	Describes how on the occasion of the Durgápujá, Hindu wives anxiously expect the return home of their husbands absent elsewhere on business, how it is a season of general rejoicings, and how most young Bengalis spend the holidays in drinking and other unholy pleasures. The title of the work is accounted for by the fact that, last year the Durgápujá lasted only for three days to the great chagrin of the merry-makers. There are occasional obscene passages in the work.	2319
Nov. 21st	32	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Navakrishna Banerjee, Jorásánko.	Under this pretentious title the author proposes to publish in monthly parts, poems and dramas composed by himself. In the present number he has commenced a drama entitled "Satya Chandrodaya;" or, the Rise of the Moon of Truth, an allegory in which the conflict of Hinduism with so called Bráhmoism and unbelief at the present time, or Kaliyuga, is described in great detail. Genuine or Vedik Hinduism is described as a sovereign enthroned in the heart of the pious, which is its empire. He is attended by all the virtues as his ministers and generals; while Kali or the infidelity of the present iron age, is firmly seated as in a citadel in the heart of the dishonest with Atheists and Bráhmos and drunkards and hypocrites and prostitutes as his companions and supporters. A war is brought about between the two sovereigns, and the scene of action is the heart of the doubtful. The contending armies fight hard to gain this position. Here the first part closes.	2320
Sept. 16th	46	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Not given.	Krishna had for some time been seated on the throne of Mathurá, when one day the chanting of a love song by some unknown person reminded him of his acts in Vrindávan, of the parents who had brought him up with so much affection, of his simple-hearted cowherd companions, and of his amorous sports with Rádhá and other milkmaids. His heart was filled with sadness, and he sent his friend Uddhava to Vrindávan to carry news of his coming in a short time. The messenger on his arrival met with a sight truly miserable; every body in Vrindávan, every living thing, the kine and the birds, were pining away because of the absence of Krishna. Rádhá in the perturbed state of her mind was asking the Kokil to carry a message to Krishna. Uddhava returned, mentioned what he had seen, and the result was the return of Krishna to Vrindávan. The work seems to be exceedingly popular with the Vaishnava Hindus of Eastern Bengal; and from peculiarities of language bears evidence of the residence of the author.	2321
„ 20th	68	12mo. ...	1st ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	Naderchúnd Shíl, 326, Chitpore Road, Calcutta	Descriptive of Ráma having been sent into exile at the request of his step-mother Kaikeyí on the day on which every thing had been arranged for his anointment. Taken from the Rámáyan.	2322
„ 18th	36	12mo. ...	First .	500	ditto ...	0 4 0	Prasannakumár Chatterji.	Describes the intemperate habits, atheistic tendencies, and the love of tall talk and speech, making on patriotism and political topics which characterize the young Bengalis who have received an English education. The work embraces a variety of topics, such for instance, as the utter hypocrisy of many Christian Missionaries who, while ostensibly engaged in the work of preaching the Gospel, treat the natives of the country in a most cruel manner, and do not shrink even on the slightest provocation to murder them. Their style of preaching, their pronunciation of the Bengali, the abuse they pour upon Hindu gods and goddesses, and the wicked and hypocritical character of the Native Christian converts are all powerfully satirized. The writer throws much ridicule on the manner in which, trials of Europeans accused of murdering natives are conducted in the law courts. How a European beats to death an inoffensive native servant, a syce for instance; how his widow and children are paid a few rupees as compensation for the loss of their guardian; how suborned witnesses are procured; how the European medical officer is bribed into saying that the death was due to a rupture of the spleen; how the ignorant witnesses for the prosecution are bullied into making contradictory statements by the perplexing cross-examination of the Council for the defendant; how the Judge sums up, and how a European jury acquit the accused; and how, lastly, the conductors of the prosecution are fined, and occasionally imprisoned, for seeking to bring troubles upon an innocent (?) European, are described with great force. Reference is also made in the work to the Vernacular Press Act, and the spirit which led the authorities to pass that measure. It is an altogether mischievous production, calculated to foster discontent and mislead ignorant people.	2323

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						BENGAL
2324	Unmulita latá nátak; or, the Creeper eradicated. A drama.	Bengali	Shashadhar Ghosh.	Drama ...	Printed and published at the Kar Press, 107, Shyám Bazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Jadunáth Mandal, and published by Shashadhar Ghosh.
2325	Vijaya ba Pratimá visarjan; or, the Vijaya, or the casting into the water the image of Durgá.	ditto ...	Atul Krishna Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Beadon Press, 66, Beadon Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Hara Chandra Das.
2326	Chaturá; or, the Cunning one.	ditto ...	Surendra Lál Shome.	Fiction ...	Printed and published at the Calcutta Press, 84 and 90, Rádhá Bazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Mukerji & Co. and published by Surendralál Shome.
2327	Induválá (the heroine's name).	ditto ...	Nahendra Náth Tagore.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Beadon Press, 66, Beadon Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Hara Chandra Das.
2328	Kathámálá; or, Fables...	Bengali..	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara.	Fiction, E.	Printed at the Sanskrit Press, 62, Amherst Street, and published at 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Pítámvar Banerji, and published by the Sanskrit Depository.
2329	Paschimé Bángálí; or, the Bengali in the North-Western Provinces.	ditto ...	Shashi Bhúshan Mukerji.	Fiction ...	Printed and published at the Káshi-khanda Press, Táliganj, Calcutta.	Printed by Rámkumár Dás, and published by the Author.
2330	Turuska Upanyás; or, a Turkish Tale. Part I.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
2331	Bánglá Itihás Dwitíya Bháger Prashnottar; or, Questions and Answers on the History of Bengal. Part II.	ditto ...	Matilál Chakravartí.	History E.	Printed and published at the East Bengal Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Navín Chandra Dé.
2332	Dwitíya Bhág Nítisárer Shavdártha; or, the Meanings of Words in the second part of the Nítisár.	ditto ...	Kártik Prasád Pánre.	Key E. ...	Printed and published at the Bengal Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Lachhman Basák
2333	Dwitíya Bhág Shishu Shikshár Artha Pustak; or, Key to the second part of the Shishu Shikshá.	ditto ...	Vihárílál Ráya Chaudhurí.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the B. P. M.'s Press, No. 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Varadá Prasád Mazumdár.
2334	Dwitíya Bhág Varna Parichayer Artha Pustak; or, Key to the second part of the Varna Parichaya.	ditto ...	Narendranáth Shíl.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, No. 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by the Shíl Press Depository.
2335	Padya-Dípiká; or, Key to the third part of the Padya Páth.	ditto ...	Not given ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna's Press, No. 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.

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PAMPHLETS.—(Continued.)									
1878	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Oct. 8th	56	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	Printed	0 12 0	Shashadhar Ghosh of Kálípárá.	Descriptive of the evils of Kulinism, as being chiefly responsible for the large number of deaths from suicide committed by young girls who are affianced by their parents to men for whom they do not feel the least affection. Dwijendra, the hero, the son of a zamindár, falls in love with the daughter of a person who, by the rules of Kulinism, is prevented from marrying her to him. A Kulin bridegroom is selected; but the girl dislikes him and prefers Dwijendra. Not being, however, consulted in the matter, and finding herself about to be married to the former, she commits suicide. The production is not marked by any ability.	2324
„ 30th	12	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 1 0	Not given ...	An operatic piece composed for the occasion of the Vijaya Dashamí, or the day on which the image of Durgá, after having been worshipped for the three previous days, must be consigned to the water. It is an occasion of general rejoicings and friendly greetings. According to the legend, Durgá, on this day, returns to her husband Shiva after having spent the three previous days with her parents Himálaya and Menaká.	2325
Sept. 20th	22	12mo. ...	1st ...	1100	ditto ...	0 1 3	Not given ...	Describes with considerable humour how, through the skilfulness of Vindu, a woman of no great virtue, a young man who, ever since his marriage, had not even so much as looked on his wife, and was even after other men's wives, was reconciled to her. This reconciliation was brought about by the latter disguising and presenting herself to her husband as a new acquaintance.	2326
Nov. 4th	39	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 6 0	Not given ...	A love-tale. Nishikánta, a young man, marries Induválá when she is very young, but conceiving a dislike towards her and deserts her in a short time. After some years the heroine, goes in quest of her husband, and meets with many mishaps before she discovers and is reconciled to him. The work is full of incidents which do not always present sequence, and are some of them exceedingly absurd.	2327
Nov. 25th	94	12mo. ...	20th...	5,000	Printed	0 4 0	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara, Calcutta.	Translated from the fables of Æsop.	2328
Sept. 2nd	40	Dy. 8vo.	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 6	Shashi Bhúshan Mukerji, Kálíghát.	A tale of Benares in which the leading actors are Bengalis. The writer intends to publish the work in parts. In the first part, are described how a young Bengali was rescued from drowning in the waters of the Ganges at Benares by an unknown person, how the deliverer suddenly disappeared, how the young man was tended in his distress by a generous-hearted Bengali, and how subsequently he was carried off at night by a band of ruffians.	2329
„ 2nd	48	Dy. 8vo.	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	ditto ..	Translation from an English novel by Reynolds entitled "The Loves of the Harem." The work is to be published in parts.	2330
Oct. 1st	31	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 4 0	Not given ..	The production is meagre .	2331
„ 20th	16	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 3 0	ditto ...	.....	2332
Nov. 20th	9	12mo. ...	2nd ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 1 3	Varadá Prasád Mazumdár, No. 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta.	.....	2333
Oct. 15th	10	12mo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 3	The Shíl Press Depository, No 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	.....	2334
Sept. 4th	96	12mo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 6 0	Chandícharan Chatterji, Nadia.	Notes, grammatical and explanatory, on the extracts contained in the third part of the Padyapáth.	2335

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2336	Pratham Bhág Padya Manjarír Shavdártha; or, Meanings of Words in the first part of the Padya Manjarí.	Bengali	ditto ..	Key, E. ...	Printed and published at the Bánglá Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Lachhman Basák.
2337	Ratna Sárer Artha Pustak; or, Key to the Ratna Sár.	ditto ..	Audhor Chandra Mazumdár.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, 24, Mírjáfir's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by [illegible]atilál Dás, and published by [illegible]dhar Chandra Mazumdár.
2338	Tritiyá Bhág Shishu Shikshár Artha Pustak; or, Key to the Third Part of the Shishu Shikshá	ditto ...	Narendra Kumár Shíl.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by the Shíl Press Depository.
2339	Tritiyá Bhág Chárupáther Artha Pustak; or, Key to the Third Part of the Chárupáth.	ditto .	Vihárílál Ráya Chaudhurí and Annadá Prasád Mazumdár.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the B. P. M.'s Press, 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Varadá Prasád Mazumdár.
2340	Tritiyá Páther Artha Pustak; or, Key to the Tritiyá Páth.	ditto ...	Mákhanlál Chaudhurí.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ... ...
2341	Tritiyá Bhág Shishu Shikshár Artha Pustak; or, Key to the Third Part of the Shishu Shikshá.	ditto ..	Víreshwar Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed as above and published at 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed as above and published by the Sanskrit Press Depository.
2342	Vodhodayer Artha Pustak; or, Key to the Vodhodaya.	ditto	Narendra Kumár Shíl.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by the Shíl Press Depository.
2343	Vodhodayer Shavdártha; or, Meanings of Words in the Vodhodaya.	ditto ...	Not given ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Bánglá Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Lachhman Basák.
2344	Panchávat Káryavidhi; or, Code of Procedure for Panchávats.	ditto ...	Varadá Dás Vasu.	Law ...	Printed and published at the Presidency Press, 75, Bentinck Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by J. N. Ghosh & Co.
2345	Puncháyat Guide ..	ditto ...	Rás Vihárí Vishwás.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Káshi Khanda Press, Táliganj, Calcutta.	Printed by Rámkumár Dás, and published by Rás Vihárí Vishwás.
2346	Stridhanádhikár Vyavastha; or, the Law relating to the inheritance of Stridhan or property of women.	Bengali.	Chandranáth Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Oriental Press, 21, Strand Road, Bhawánipore, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Púrna Chandra Mukerji.
2347	Hám-o-Arakta Jwar; or, the Measles and Scarlatina.	ditto ...	Sharat Chandra Datta.	Medicine.	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Tattwa Press, 28, Upper Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Bholá Náth Chatterji, and published by the National Co.
2348	Sarpághát-pratikára; or, Remedies for Serpent bites.	ditto ..	Hridayanáth Dás.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Mission Press, Midnapore.	Printed by R. M. Lawrence, and published by Hridayanáth Dás.
2349	Deshíya Mudrá Jantra Vishayak prastáva; or, a Short Essay on the Vernacular Press.	ditto ...	Rajaní Kánta Gupta.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Chikitsá Prakásh Press, Bow Bazar Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Nityánanda Ghosh, and published by Nityánanda Ghosh and Vipin Vihárí Ráya
2350	Backergunge Hitaishiní Sabhár Sámvatsarik Kárya Vivaran; or, the Yearly Proceedings of the Backergunge Hitaishiní Sabhá.	ditto ...	Not given ...	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Oriental Press, 21, Strand Road, Bhawánipore, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Varadákánta Vidyaratna.

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Oct. 14th	7	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	Printed	0 1 0	Not given ...	.....	2336
Oct. [illegible]	7	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ..	0 2 0	Ádhar Chandra Mazumdár, 5, Madan Mohan Sen's Lane, Calcutta.	.....	2337
,, 30th	14	12mo. ...	1st ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	The Shíl Press Depository, 118, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	.....	2338
Sept. 15th	84	12mo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ..	0 6 0	Varadá Prasád Mazumdár, 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta	.....	2339
Nov. 22nd	16	12mo. ...	1st ..	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	ditto ...	.....	2340
,, 15th	18	12mo. ...	2nd ..	4,000	ditto ...	0 1 6	The Sanskrit Press Depository, 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	.....	2341
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Sept. 4th	17	8vo. ...	1st ..	4,000	ditto ..	0 2 0	Not given ...	.....	2343
Oct. 1st	76	8vo. ..	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Varadá Dás Vasu of Konnaghar.	Acts VI (B C.) of 1870 and I (B.C) of 1871 with copious notes and rules for the guidance of the Panchâyats and other useful information.	2344
Sept. 27th	56	Rl. 8vo.	2nd ...	3,000	ditto ...	0 6 0	Rás Vihárí Vishwás, Officiating Inspector of Police, Jessore.	Act VI (B.C.) of 1870 with notes, explanations, illustrations, &c., &c.	2345
July 20th	8	Dy. 8vo.	1st ...	250	ditto ...	0 8 0	Chandra Náth Chatterji, Bhawánipore.	Maxims of Hindu Law on the subject, explained in the form of questions and answers.	2346
Oct. 10th	16	32mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 0 3	Sharat Chandra Datta, 55, College Street, Calcutta.	Treatment according to the principles of Homeopathy.	2347
Nov. 13th	27	8vo. ..	3rd ...	500	ditto ...	0 5 0	Hridayanáth Dás, Midnapore.	Receipts for snake-bites reprinted from the *Education Gazette* The writer originally submitted them through the medium of that journal for the approbation of Dr. Shortt of Madras. The book contains also receipts for some of the diseases commonly prevalent in this country.	2348
Sept. 28th	38	8vo. ..	1st ..	1,000	ditto ..	0 3 0	Rajanikánta Gupta, Hindu Hostel, Calcutta.	Written at the request, and published under the auspices of the Indian Association. The work contains the history of the Newspaper Press from its introduction into India down to the passing of Act IX of 1878, with brief notices of debates in Parliament and the minutes of the members of the Indian Council. It dwells on the advantages of a free press and the injurious consequences likely to result from the passing of the Press Act.	2349
Aug. 5th	18	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ..	Nil	Amrita Chandra Ghosh, Secretary to the Society, Backergunge.	Proceedings for the year 1877-78. The object of the assembly is to promote female education, and prevent the growth of intemperance.	2350

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2351	Sanmukhe Durgá Pujá ek paysá hadda majá; or, the Durgá Pujá is approaching, a Fund of Amusement for one pice.	Bengali	Avinásh Chandra Banerji.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Columbian Press, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Gangá Charan Ghosh.
2352	Sádháran Bráhma Samájer niyamávalí; or, the Rules of the General Bráhma Samáj.	ditto ...	The Sádháran Bráhma Samáj.	ditto ...	Printed at the Ráya Press, 44, Veniátolá Lane, and published at 93, College Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghoshál, and published by the Sádháran Bráhma Samáj.
2353	Sámájik Shásan; or, the Discipline of the Samáj or Church.	ditto ...	Not given ..	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Press, Dacca.	Printed and published by Munshi Maulá Baksh.
2354	Bhárat6 dukh; or, India in distress. Part I.	ditto ...	Harabandhu Datta.	Poetry ...	Printed at the Bánglá Press, Dacca.	Printed by Lachhman Basák.
2355	Kalitó Durgá Pujá; or, the Hindu festival of Durgá Pujá during the *Kali* or iron age.	ditto ...	Kántibhúshana Mukerji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the B. P. M'z Press, No. 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Varadáprasád Majumdár, and published by the author.
2356	Satítwa rakshíní; or, the preservation of chastity.	ditto ...	Aghornáth Mukerji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Som Prakásh Press, No. 23, Rassápaglá, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Kédárnáth Mukerji.
2357	Samarochchhás; or, the overflowing of war.	ditto ...	Garerí Prasád Majumdár.	ditto ..	Printed and published at the Albert Press, 37, Mechuábazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Ashutosh Ghosh and Co., and published by the author.
2358	Durgotsava; or, the Durgá Pujá festival.	ditto ...	Not given ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed as above, and published by Pannálál Basu.
2359	Sapta Samvodhana Kávya	ditto ...	Pramathanáth Mitra.	ditto ...	ditto ...	Printed as above, and published by the author.
2360	Apúrva-Sangíta; or, Wonderful Songs.	ditto	Upéndranáth Mitra.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, No. 24, Mirjáfir's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Dás and published by the author.
2361	Sangíta-Kusum-málá; or, Garland of Flowers of Songs.	ditto ...	Gosáindás Sarkár.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
2362	Kavi-Káhiní; or, Sayings of a Poet.	ditto ...	Ravíndranáth Thákur.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Saraswatí Press, No. 47, Máchuá Bazár Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Kshétramohan Mukerji, and published by Prabadh Chandra Ghosh.
2363	Vrihat-Lakshmí Charita; or, a description of the great Lakshmí.	ditto ...	Vaikunthanáth Máji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Sudhárnava Press, No. 117, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Trailokyanáth Datta.

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Oct. 26th	16	12mo. ..	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	The Sádháran Bráhma Sámaj, 93, College Street, Calcutta.	The rules framed by the seceders from the Samáj, of which Keshav Chandra Sen is the Minister.	2352
„ 17th	17	8vo. ...	1st ...	750	ditto ...	0 1 0	Not given ...	An address to the Bráhma community on the question of the marriage of Keshav Chandra Sen's daughter with the Mahárájá of Cooch Behar. The writer regards the marriage as opposed to the fundamental principles of the Bráhmá Samáj.	2353
Sept. 19th	46	12vo. ...	1st ...	500	Printed	0 5 0	.....	A description of the distress of India consequent on losing its dependence and coming under a foreign yoke. The author also describes the battles which took place between the *Hindu kshetriyas* (warrior caste) and the foreigner.	2354
„ 22nd	10	12mo. ...	1st ...	2,000	ditto ...	0 0 3	Kantibhúshana Mukerji, No. 36, Chuterpárá Lane, Calcutta.	Describing the joy and alacrity with which Hindus in general but more especially the native clerks in offices hail the advent of this great national festival of the *Durgá Pujá*, the large purchases of articles made prior to proceeding to their homes by rail, and the drunkenness that prevails during this festive season.	2355
„ 28th	45	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 4 0	Aghornáth Mukerjee, Joynager.	Pourtraying the distress of a girl widow, and the efforts she made to preserve her chastity intact, after the death of her husband.	2356
„ 24th	10	12mo. ...	1st ...	250	ditto ...	0 2 0	Gauríprasád Majumdár.	Particulars, of the Russo-Turkish war put in verse. The writer also dwells on the strength, valour, prowess of both nations, and the destruction of the sovereignty of the *Muhammadans*, once so powerful. Russia is upbraided for her avarice in wishing to acquire a further extent of kingdom when she has already got so much.	2357
„ 26th	18	18mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 2 0	Pannálál Basu, Bhavánípur.	The poet in the present title of the present pamphlet, amongst other subjects describes the state of India. The white English are blamed for introducing spirituous liquors into the country.	2358
Nov. 20th	44	12mo. ...	1st ...	250	ditto ...	0 4 0	Pramathanáth Mitra, Calcutta.	Verses addressed to the light, sun, trees, &c., wherein the writer takes occasion to give a brief description of each subject.	2359
Oct. 10th	12	12mo. ...	1st ...	200	ditto ...	Not given	Upéndranáth Mitra.	Love poems and verses employed between a lover and his beloved one.	2360
„ 25th	8	12mo. ...	1st ...	300	ditto ...	Not given	Gosaindás Sarkar, of Ilchobá.	Religious hymns and love poems.	2361
Nov. 5th	53	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 6 0	Pravodh Chandra Ghosh, Calcutta.	The meditations of a poet on the vicissitudes of his life and experience, pourtrayed in verse.	2362
„ 12th	55	12mo. ...	4th ...	2,500	ditto ...	0 1 3	Trailokyanáth Datta. No. 177, Chitpore Road.	Account of the conversation between the goddess Lakshmí and the god Náráyana: the way in which a shepherd by name Vinod used to worship the former; and the disputes as to precedence between Lakshmí and Saraswatí, the goddesses of wealth and learning respectively, who had one common husband Krishna.	2363

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2364	Ostádi-tarjá-larái ; or, the Master-piece of Responsive Songs. Part I.	Bengali..	Compiled by Parán Chandra Dás.	Poetry ...	Printed and published at the Sudhásindhu Press, Balarám Dey's Street, No. 54, Jorásánko, Calcutta.	Printed by Rákhálchandra Dás, and published by Rámkánai Dás.
2365	Jimríta-váhana : a Name	ditto ..	Anukul Chandra Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed at the Banga Darshana Press, Kántálpárá.	Printed by Rásánath Banerji, and published by the author.
2366	Pápér Práyaschitta ; or, Atonement for Sin.	ditto ..	Haridás Nág ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, No. 24, Mirjáfir's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Dás, and published by the author.
2367	Padya-manjarí ; or, Blossoms of Poetry.	ditto ...	Prasanna Chandra Vidyáratna.	Poetry, E.	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, No. 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, and published at the Sanskrit Press Depository, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by Girish Chandra Vidyáratna.
2368	Padyapáth ; or, the Poetical Reader No. I.	ditto ..	Compiled by Jadu Gopál Chatterji.	ditto ...	Printed at No. 44, Amherst Street, and published at No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Vihárilál Banerji, and published by the Manager of the Sanskrit Press Depository.
2369	Ditto No. III.	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto ...	ditto
2370	Gupta Press Varnamálá ; or, the Gupta Press Primer. Part I.	ditto ..	Durgá Charan Gupta.	Primer, E.	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, No. 24, Mirjáfir's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Das, and published by the author.
2371	Ditto ditto. Part II ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto ...	ditto ...
2372	Ditto ditto. Part III...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ditto ...	ditto ...
2373	Pratham Páth ; or, First Reading.	ditto ...	Sátkari Datta	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, No. 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by Sátkari Datta.
2374	Shishu Shikshá ; or, Infant Instructor.	ditto ...	The late Madan Mohan Tarkálankára.	ditto E.	Printed at the Sanskrita Press, No. 62, Amherst Street, and published at No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Pitámvar Banerjí, and published by the Manager of the Sanskrita Press Depository.
2375	Shishuvodhak-nútan ; or, the Infant's New Instructor.	ditto ...	Vipin Vihárí Shíl.	ditto E.	Printed and published at the Shíl Press, No. 333, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Nafar Chandra Datta, and published by the Manager of the Shíl Press Depository.
2376	Varna-parichaya ; or, Acquaintance with Letters. Part I. Simple letters	ditto ..	Ishwar Chandra Vidyáságara.	ditto ...	Printed at the Sanskrit Press, No. 62, Amherst Street, and published at No. 3, Mirzapore Street.	Printed by Pitámvar Banerji, and published by the Manager of the Sanskrit Press Depository.
2377	Válya-shikshá ; or, Infant instruction.	ditto ...	Not given ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the New School Book Press, No. 8, Dixon's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Vihárilál Chatterji.

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PAMPHLETS.—(Continued.)									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. a. p.			
Nov. 15th	50	8vo. ...	1st ...	Not given.	Printed..	0 6 0	Rámkánái Dás, Baláram Dey's Street.	Competitive songs on incidents relating to the gods and goddesses; on *Shishupál* and *Bhim*; also on a few other ordinary miscellaneous subjects.	2364
„ 15th	26	16mo. ...	1st ...	300	ditto ...	0 1 0	Anukul Chandra Chatterji, Kántálpárá.	Jímúta-váhana, the hero of the present work, used to be called a bastard, as he could not tell who his father was, since his mother, a Brahmini widow, conceived him by the sun-god. His mother thereafter informed him of the circumstance of his birth, on being asked to do so. Jimúta-váhana next goes in quest of his father and after long and deep meditations towards the sun, finds his parent, who then bestowed on him the two following blessings, viz. that a dead child would live again and that barren women would beget children on worshipping Jimúta-váhana. The author also describes the way in which such worship is to be performed.	2365
„ 2nd	25	12mo. ...	1st ...	750	ditto ...	0 2 0	Haridás Nág, of Krishnagar.	With reference to the case of Venígopál, who was tried, convicted, and sentenced last year for misappropriation of the D. P. W. funds of Krishnagar.	2366
„ 7th	12	12mo. ...	15th...	2,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Prasanna Chandra Vidyáratna of Dacca.	Simple and easy poetical pieces on the love of God and our mothers, the morn, spring, forests, suppression of angry feelings, &c.	2367
„ 23rd	40	12mo. ...	27th...	6,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	Jadu Gopál Chatterji, No. 44, Amherst Street.	Simple and easy poems on the earth, the preciousness of time, learning, a description of morning, parents, and instructors, &c.	2368
„ 15th	91	12mo. ...	18th...	2,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	ditto ...	Poems of a more difficult nature than the above, intended for pupils of riper years.	2369
Aug. 22nd	12	16mo. square.	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 1 9 for the 3 parts.	Durgá Charan Gupta, No. 24, Mírjáfir's Lane, Calcutta.	A novel kind of Bengali primer containing the vowels, each letter in large size occupying the entire page.	2370
ditto ...	39	16mo. square.	1st ..	500	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	A novel kind of Bengali primer containing the consonants, hard letters, and the nasal vowels each in one page.	2371
ditto ..	51	16mo. ... square.	1st ...	500	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	A novel kind of Bengali primer containing the compound letters each in one page.	2372
Aug. 27th	32	12mo. ...	21st ...	10,000	ditto ...	0 1 0	Sátkari Datta, of Nivádhá.	Containing the simple letters, easy words, sentences, and reading lessons, illustrated.	2373
Nov. 22nd	26	12mo. ...	88th..	10,000 ...	ditto ...	0 1 0	Ishwar Chandra Vidyáságara, Calcutta.	Containing the alphabet, simple words and sentences, and easy reading lessons in prose and verse.	2374
Oct. 25th	86	12mo. ...	1st ...	3,000 ...	ditto ...	0 1 0	Shíl Press Depository, No. 118, Chitpore Road	Containing the illustrated alphabet, arithmetical tables, and simple verses.	2375
Nov. 13th	36	12mo. ...	78th ..	2,000	ditto ..	0 1 0	Ishwar Chandra Vidyáságara, Calcutta.	Containing the alphabet, easy words, sentences, and simple reading lessons.	2376
„ 7th	48	12mo ..	5th ...	6,000	ditto ...	0 1 6	Rám Sundar Basák, Dacca.	Containing the simple and compound letters; words, sentences, and easy pieces in prose and verse; names of trees, animals, fruits, musical instruments, and eight points of the compass, &c., intended for the use of vernacular schools and páthsháls.	2377

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						BENGALI
2378	Chárupáth; or, Entertaining Lessons in Science and Literature. Part II.	Bengali	Akshaya Kumár Datta.	Reader, E.	Printed at the new Sanskrita Press, No. 14, Goá Bagán Street, and published at No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Gopál Chandra Dé, and published by the Manager of the Sanskrita Press Depository.
2379	Jnánodaya; or, the Rise of Knowledge. Part I	ditto ...	Nakuléshwara Vidyábhúshaná.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Suburban Press, No. 28, Jeliápára Road, Bhavánípur.	Printed by Priyanáth Mallik, and published by Káshishwar Bhattáchárya.
2380	Páthmálá; or, Garland of Reading Lessons. Part I.	ditto ..	Dámodara Mukerji.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the New Sanskrita Press, No. 14, Goábagán, Calcutta.	Printed by Gopál Chandra Dé, and published by H. M. Mukerji & Co.
2381	Ditto ditto. Part II	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2382	Saralpáth; or, Easy Reading Lessons. Part I.	ditto ...	Gopál Chandra Gupta.	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Vudhodaya Press, Hooghly.	Printed and published by Káshináth Bhattáchárya.
2383	Shishu Shikshá; or, Infant Instruction. Part III.	ditto ..	The late Madan Mohan Tarkálankára.	ditto ...	Printed at the Sanskrita Press, No. 62, Amherst Street, and published at No. 3, Mirzapore Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Pítámvara Banerji, and published by the Manager of the Sanskrita Press Depository.
2384	Varna parichaya; or, Acquaintance with Letters. Compound letters. Part II.	ditto ...	Ishwar Chandra Vidyáságara.	ditto ..	Printed as above, and published at the Sanskrita Press Depository.	ditto ...
2385	Darvéshdigór Kriyá; or, the Sayings and Doings of the Darvéshés; or, Muhammadan ascetics.	ditto ..	Girish Chandra Sén.	Religion, B.	Printed and published at the Indian Mirror Press, No. 6, College Square, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Manimohan Rakshit.
2386	Drishtánta-málá; or, Parables. First Series.	ditto ...	Tinkari Chatterji.	ditto, C. ...	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24, Lower Circular Road, and published at the Christian Tract and Book Society's Depôt, Calcutta.	Printed by Royd. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Calcutta Christian Tract and Book Society.
2387	Ditto ditto. Second Series.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
2388	Ditto ditto. Third Series.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
2389	Ditto ditto. Fourth Series.	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...

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PAMPHLETS.—(Continued)									
1878.	Pages					Rs. A. P.			
Sept. 20th	92	12mo. ...	21st ...	8,000 ...	Printed	0 6 0	Akshaya Kumár Datta, of Bally.	One of the best Bengali readers containing lessons on morals the life of John Frederick Oberlin, and on the moon, constellations, comets, &c.	2378
Oct. 1st	68	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000 ...	ditto ..	0 6 0	Káshisheshwara Bhattáchárya, Bharánípur.	Containing reading lessons among other subjects on simple botany the minerals, lightning, painting, and photography, &c. This new work is a very useful one, treating as it does of a variety of subjects in a plain and easy style.	2379
Dec. 2nd	50	12mo. .	1st ...	1,000 ...	ditto ...	0 2 0	Dámodara Mukerjí, of No. 1, Goábagán Street	Easy illustrated reading lessons in prose and verse on pleasant and useful subjects.	2380
Nov. 25th	72	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000 ...	ditto ...	0 3 0	ditto ..	Illustrated reading lessons in prose and verse, slightly differing from the above and having more difficult words than Part I A brief sketch of the Queen Empress Victoria is given with portrait bust; children are desired to remember her as a mother.	2381
Sept. 12th	36	12mo. .	6th ...	5,000 ...	ditto ...	0 2 0	Gopál Chandra Gupta, Hooghly.	Containing easy reading lessons in prose and verse on conduct, in school, rice, paddy, morn, stealing, &c.	2382
Nov. 22nd	44	12mo. ...	56th...	10,000 ...	ditto ...	0 1 6	Ishwara Chandra Vidyáságara, Calcutta.	Containing simple reading lessons in prose on various subjects.	2383
„ 12th	43	12mo. ...	76th	10,000 ...	ditto ...	0 1 3	ditto ...	Containing the compound letters easy words, sentences, and reading lessons in prose.	2384
Sept. 21st	68	16mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 3 0	Bráhmo Samáj Mission Office, No. 6, College Square, Calcutta.	The Bráhmo Samáj, it seems, has, in this little work, given a brief account of the lives of 18 Muhammadan dárvéshés or ascetics commencing with Omar, in order to show how these devout and religious recluses came to know God and feel His existence.	2385
Oct. 14th	16	32mo ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 1 6	ditto ...	Four parables to show that God tempts no man who is drawn away by his own lust and enticed; to believe no lying fables; to forsake the religion of parents if contrary to the Bible; and the refusal of man to seek God's protection.	2386
„ 14th	16	32mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto .	0 1 6	ditto ..	Four parables showing the sovereignty, unity, and invisibility of the godhead; also that God should not be worshipped by images.	2387
„ 14th	16	32mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 1 6	ditto ...	Four parables enjoining Christian courage, the avoidance of idol and image worship, and of the committing of bad actions.	2388
„ 14th	16	32mo. .	1st . .	500	ditto ...	0 1 6	ditto ...	Three parables enjoining the pursuit of a holy life, the turning away from evil teachers, the dependence of the Christian on God to turn sinners away from evil; not to incur God's wrath, but to fly unto Jesus for salvation.	2389

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2390	Drishtánta-málá; or, Parables. Fifth Series.	Bengali	Tinkari Chatterji.	Religion, C.	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24, Lower Circular Road, and published at the Christian Tract and Book Society's Depôt, Calcutta.	Printed by Revd. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Calcutta Christian Tract and Book Society.
2391	*Ditto* ditto. Sixth Series.	ditto ..	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ..	ditto
2392	Dwija; or, the Twice Born (the term applied to a Bramin).	ditto	Translated by H. C. Ráhá	ditto ...	Printed at the Gupta Press, No. 24, Mírjáfir's Lane, and published at No. 23, Chowringhee Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Dé, and published by A. L. O. E.
2393	Satyanáráyaner-pánchálí; or, Metrical Verses on Satyanáráyana.	ditto ..	Satya Kinkar Bhattachárya.	ditto, H....	Printed at the Girish Press, Dacca.	Printed by Munshi Maulá Bakah.
2394	Pechakopákhyán; or, Story of an Owl.	ditto ..	Káshídás Mitra	ditto ...	Printed at the Norman Press, Bow Bazár Street, Calcutta, and published at Benares.	Printed by Rájendra Náth Kumár, and published by the author.
						ENGLISH
410	Indian Ready Reckoner.	English	F. A. D. Merces	Accounts	Printed and published at the People's Press, No. 56, Middle Road, Entally.	Printer's name not given, and published by the author.
411	Indian Gardens and what to grow in them.	ditto ..	Lieutenant Colonel F. M. Shelly.	Botany ..	Printed and published at T. Black & Co.'s Press No. 55, Bentinck Street, Calcutta.	Printed by T. Black & Co., and published by the Agricultural and Horticultural Society of India.
412	The Plays and Poems of William Shakespeare. King Henry VIII. Part III, No. 30.	ditto ..	Edited by S. C. Mallik.	Drama ...	Printed and published at the Sanátan Press, No. 2, Báburám Seal's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Rajanikánta Sarkár, and published by S. C. Mallik.
413	Ditto. Winter's Tale. Part I, No. 31.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ...
414	A key to Poetical English Reader No. 2. (Majumdár's Series).	ditto ...	Kailásh Chandra Datta, M.A.	Key, E. ...	Printed and published at B. P. M's Press, No. 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by B. P. Majumdár.
415	The unrepealed Acts of the Bengal Legislative Council.	ditto ...	Edited by F. Clarke, Barrister-at-Law.	Law ...	Printed at the Calcutta Central Press, No. 5, Council House Street, Calcutta, and published by Thacker, Spink & Co., No. 1-1, Fancy Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by the Calcutta Central Press Company, Limited, and published by Thacker, Spink & Co.

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1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
Oct. 14th	16	32mo. ...	1st ...	500	Printed	0 1 6	Bráhmo Samáj Misson Office, No. 6, College Square, Calcutta.	Four parables showing that Christ is the only Saviour for a repentant sinner; long repetitions of prayers are unnecessary; that man should seek to be cleansed in the blood of Christ alone, as all men are sinners.	2390
„ 14th	16	32mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 1 6	ditto ...	Four parables showing that man requires to be born again and made a new creature through Christ; that there is no fear of punishment for a person following Jesus, and who does not rely upon himself, but upon the mercy of a risen Saviour.	2391
Sept. 13th	18	18mo. ...	1st ...	5,000	ditto ...	0 0 3	A. L. O. E, No. 23, Chowringhee Road.	Kálí Charan, a high and much respected Brahmin, who used to take his lodgings under a tree and considered himself very holy, one day observed a low caste *chamár*, who was lame, touch his food, at which he became enraged and abused the man. At night he dreamt that he was no better than the man he had so spurned. Thereafter Kálí Charan became anxious about his soul, and managed to procure a Bible for himself.	2392
„ 22nd	20	12mo. ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	0 2 0	.....	Describes how a poor Brahmin, a wood-cutter, and a woman, by name Lilávatí, by worshipping the god Náráyana, managed to get out of all their distress and trouble. Since this occurrence all Hindu females have come into the habit of making vows to this God.	2393
Nov. 13th	30	12mo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 2 0	Káshí Dás Mitra, Benares.	The writer by means of a fable of an owl and a goose describes the respective conditions of bad and good persons, those who know God and those who do not.	2394
BOOKS									
1878.									
Nov. 5th	910	Dy. 8vo.	5th ...	500	ditto ...	16 0 0	F. A. D. Merces, of No. 56, South Road, Entally.	Showing cost of goods by number, weight, &c., including fractions of a maund at any rate from $\frac{1}{2}$ pie to Rs. 250; also containing tables of income, weight, exchange, interest, and commission.	410
„ 30th	130	ditto ...	2nd ...	300	ditto ...	1 8 0	....	How to grow vegetable and flower plants, ornamental and flowery shrubs: also direction as to cutting and grafts.	411
„ 26th	72	8vo. ...	2nd ...	...	ditto ...	0 8 0	S. C. Mullik, No. 2, Báburam Seal's Lane.	A reprint of Malone's Shakespeare, with the corrections and illustrations of various commentators, comprehending a life of the poet and an enlarged history of the stage, with a new glossarial index.	412
Dec. 6th	72	ditto ...	2nd ...	500	ditto ...	.....	ditto ...	ditto ditto ..	413
Nov. 28th	104	8vo. ...	5th ...	1,000	ditto ...	1 2 0	Baradáprosád Majumdár.	.....	414
Oct. 15th	1070	ditto ...	1st ...	1,000	ditto ...	22 0 0	F. Clarke ...	With chronological table, notes, and index.	415

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						ENGLISH.
416	The Indian Contract Act, No. IX of 1872.	English	Hon'ble Justice H. S. Cunningham, M.A., and H. H. Shepherd M.A., Barrister-at-Law.	Law ...	Printed and published at Thacker Spink & Co.'s Press, No. 1-1, Fancy Lane, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Thacker, Spink & Co.
417	The Code of Civil Procedure, being Act X of 1877.	ditto ...	L. P. Delves Broughton, assisted by W. F. Agnew and G. S. Henderson, Barristers-at-Law.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
418	Poetical English Reader. No. 2.	ditto ...	The Calcutta School Book Society.	Poetry, E.	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24, Circular Road, Calcutta, and published at No. 10, Government Place, East.	Printed by Rev. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Calcutta School Book Society.
419	Table Talk; by William Cowper.	ditto ...	Compiled by Surésh Chandra Dóva.	ditto	Printed at the Calcutta Press, Nos. 84 and 90, Rádhá Bazár Street, Calcutta, and published at No. 89, Grey Street.	Printed by Mukerji & Co., and published by the author.
420	The English Reader No. 1.	ditto ...	The Calcutta School Book Society.	Reader, E.	Printed at the Baptist Mission Press, No. 24, Circular Road, Calcutta, and published at the Calcutta School Book Society's Deposiorty.	Printed by the Rev. G. H. Rouse, and published by the Calcutta School Book Society.
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538	High Education in India.	ditto ...	Chandranáth Basu, M.A.	Miscellaneous.	Printed at the Válmiki Press, No. 55, Amherst Street, and published at the Canning Library, No. 55, College Street, Calcutta.	Printed by Kálíkinkar Chakravarti, and published by Jágésh Chandra Banerji.
539	Lord Macaulay and High Education in India.	ditto ...	Surendranáth Banerji.	ditto ...	Printed at the Stanhope Press, No. 249, Bow Bazár Street, and published as above.	Printed by J. C. Basu and Co., and published as above.
540	Report of the Proceedings of the second Public Meeting, held at the Town Hall in connection with the Vernacular Press Act.	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto
541	The Statistical Statements of Howrah. Part I.	ditto ...	Annadáprasád Datta.	ditto ...	Printed as above, and published at Calcutta.	Printed as above, and published by the author.

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Nov. 26th	648	8vo. ...	3rd ...	500	Printed	14 0 0	H. S. Cunningham	With an introduction and explanatory notes, table of contents, appendix, and index.	416
Dec. 7th	1194	ditto ..	5th ...	2,500	ditto ...	30 0 0	Thacker, Spink & Co., Calcutta.	With notes and an appendix. A learned, valuable, and useful work; also the Limitation and Specific Relief Acts; High Court Letters Patent, &c.	417
Nov. 15th	122	12mo. ...	7th ...	5,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Calcutta School Book Society, No. 10, Government Place.	Containing 65 easy fables in verse.	418
„ 25th	162	8vo. ...	1st ...	700	ditto ...	1 8 0	Surósh Chandra Déva, No 87, Grey Street.	The compiler has taken much pains over his notes, philological, critical etymological, explanatory, &c. There are also a life of the poet, criticisms and question papers; likewise an index of all the important words used in the notes.	419
„ 16th	160	12mo. ...	Revised edition.	5,000	ditto ...	0 8 0	Calcutta School Book Society, No. 10, Government Place, East.	Containing a selection of pieces in prose suited to the capacities of Indian youth, and adapted to improve the younger classes of learners in reading by a progressive arrangement of the lessons.	420
PAMPHLETS.									
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Sept 15th	36	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 8 0	Chandranáth Basu, Simlea, Calcutta.	An essay read at the Bethune Society on the 25th April 1878, advocating high education, recommending practical scientific training with the view of encouraging industry amongst the people of India, and procuring thereby for them a new intellectual faith and a new intellectual temper, leading them to fulfil the inevitable destiny which England has opened out for the country and the natives.	538
„ 24th	22	8vo. ...	1st ...	502	ditto ..	0 3 0	Suréndranáth Banerji, Taltallah, Calcutta.	An address delivered at the 35th Hare Anniversary, wherein mention is also made of the great men who promoted native education. The abolition of some of the colleges in Bengal by Sir George Campbell and that of the Delhi College is deplored. As to the last mentioned the writer takes Government to task for stinting an expenditure of Rs. 12,000 for its maintenance, whilst it did not grudge to spend 60 *lakhs* for the *Delhi darbár* and *six lakhs* a year for the Simla exodus.	539
Oct. 17th	52	8vo. ...	1st ..	502	ditto ...	0 4 0	A. M. Basu, No. 93, College Street, Calcutta.	This meeting, attended by over 1,000 persons, was held at the Town Hall on the afternoon of 6th September 1878, to thank Mr. Gladstone and other members of Parliament who had opposed the Vernacular Press Act, and to take steps for the formation of a standing Committee in the interests of the Vernacular Press.	540
„ 21st	55	8vo. ...	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 4 0	Annadáprasád Datta, of Ránághát.	Containing geological and historical observations, religions, and observations of the different classes, administration, police, jail, and educational statistics, &c.	541

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						ENGLISH
542	An examination of Mr Garrett's proposal that married persons may not be allowed to pass the Entrance Examination.	English	Tarini Kumár Ghosh, B.A.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Calcutta Press, Nos. 84 and 90, Rádhá Bazár, Calcutta.	Printed by Mukerji & Co.
543	A Lecture on "Where there is a will there is a way."	ditto ...	Syad Abulfazl-ul-faiáz, of Rangpur.	ditto ...	Printed and published at B. P. M.'s Press, No. 22, Jhámápukur Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by B. P. Mozumdár, and published by the author.
544	Map of Afghánistan ...	ditto ...	F. Linde ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at No. 55, Bentinck Street, Calcutta.	Printed by T. Black & Co., and published by the author.
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Oct. 26th	26	Rl. 8vo.	1st ...	500	ditto ...	0 4 0	Abhayachandra Sarkár, Kadamtalá, Chinsurah.	This is the first number of a new Indian Punch, proposing to entertain the native reading public with humorous and satirical pieces.	575
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403	Stray Feathers. Vol. VII, Nos. 1 and 2 (bound together).	English	Edited by Allan Hume.	Ornithology.	Printed and published at the Central Press Company's Press, Limited, No. 5, Council House Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by A. Acton, Central Press Company, Limited.
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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 25th January 1879.

	No.	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
BENGAL.				
		Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn.	1	Burdwan, Jan 25 '79	Nil	Weather—cool and dry. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable
	2	Bankoora, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—much cooler than last week, but clear and bright. No change in the prospects of any of the crops since last report Fever is gradually disappearing
	3	Beerbhoom „ 26 „	Nil	The weather has turned suddenly colder. There is nothing further to report about the crops.
	4	Midnapore, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
	5	Hooghly, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cold and clear. The *amun* crop is nearly harvested. The prospects of the cold-weather crops are good. Fever has much abated. Cholera still continues at Gooptiparah.
		Howrah, „ 27 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The small amount of crop still on the ground is doing well
		Central Districts		
Presidency Divn.	6	24-Pergunnans, Jan. 25 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. The price of rice is very high. Public health in general is good.
	7	Nuddea, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cold. The *amun* harvest is over. The outturn is nowhere below the average; but the prices are still high. The winter crops generally are doing well. Cholera is still reported, and a few deaths have also been caused by small-pox.
	8	Jessore, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—fine and cool. The storing of the *amun* crop is nearly completed. The winter crops promise well. General health is good.
	9	Moorshedabad, „ 25 „	Nil	The weather has again become cooler Clear bright days The *rubbee* continues to promise well. The price of rice remains high, and exportation continues. Health is good.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn.	10	Dinagepore, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—clear and cold. The cold-weather crops are progressing favourably. The price of rice varies from 13 to 18 seers per rupee.
	11	Rajshahye, „ 25 „	Nil	No rain during the week. The *dhan* crop still continues to be reaped, but it is being exported abundantly from several parts of the district. The *rubbee* crops, though thriving, still require rain. Cholera has disappeared.
	12	Rungpore, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—colder. The prospects of tobacco are good, and of wheat and mustard are moderate. Rain would cause an improvement. Cholera is disappearing, but small-pox is reported from Bagdogra.
	13	Bogra, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cooler than last week. North wind is prevalent. Almost all the *amun* has been reaped. The *rubbee* crops are doing well. Fever still prevails. Cholera is on the decrease.
	14	Pubna, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—clear and cold. The prospects of the crops are good. Public health is good. No report has been received from Serajgunge.
	15	Darjeeling, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy. Very cold. Threatening snow or rain. The few crops on the ground are doing well. The ground is being cleared for other crops.
	16	Julpigoree, „ 25 „	Nil	Hazy foggy mornings. Weather considerably cooler than last week. The ploughing of land for *bhadoi* is slowly progressing Mustard and tobacco are doing well, the plucking of the latter has commenced. In the Dooars the mustard is said to be rather backward for want of rain.
		Cooch Behar, „ 23 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable, clear, and cool. The reaping of the rice crop is completed. The prospects of the winter crops continue to be promising, but a little rain would have greatly benefited them. The state of the public health is good.

	No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)				
		Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divn.	17	Dacca, Jan 25 '79	Nil	Weather—much colder for the last two days, and now seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
	18	Furreedpore, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. The *amun* has been harvested with good outturn. The *kalai* is also being reaped. The winter crops generally are doing well, except in the Bhusna thana. A little rain would do good.
	19	Backergunge, „ 23 „	Nil	Weather—warmer than usual. Cultivation of the spring crops is progressing. Prices have fallen in Perozepore. General health is good.
	20	Mymensingh, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
	21	Tipperah, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The cold-weather crops are looking well. In spite of the heavy crop of rice prices are yet high. Cholera in a sporadic form is reported from most parts of the district.
Chittagong Divn	22	Chittagong, „ 23 „	A few drops.	A few drops of rain fell on the 21st instant. Weather fine since. Nothing new to report in the state and prospects of the crops. Prices show a tendency to rise. Public health is good.
	23	Noakholly, „ 23 „	Nil	Weather—cold. The reaping of the *amun* crop is finished. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are fair.
	24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 21 „	0·03	Weather—seasonable. Very cold throughout the week. Cloudy on the 21st. Tobacco and mustard plants are thriving well.
		Hill Tipperah „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy in the morning in the first part of the week; latterly seasonably cold and bright. The prospects of the crops continue good. Sugarcane, mustard, and other winter crops are being gathered.
BEHAR				
Patna Divn.	25	Patna, Jan 25 '79	Nil	Weather—very cold. There has been no change in the state of the crops. Rain is wanted.
	26	Gya, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The thermometer in the shade was 79·5°. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops continue to be favourable, but rain is wanted to secure a good outturn. Several cases of small-pox have been reported from Gya, Aurungabad, Nubbinuggur, and Nowada. The health of the plough-cattle is good.
	27	Shahabad, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change to report. Rain is urgently wanted to ensure the *rubbee* crops. Public health is good.
	28	Durbhunga, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—very cold, with west wind. No change since last report. The *rubbee* is suffering much from want of rain. Prices are rising.
	29	Mozufferpore, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cold and clear. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are less promising than heretofore. The country is exceedingly dry, and rain is greatly needed.
	30	Sarun, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—very cold. West wind (favourable to the *rubbee* crops) is prevailing. The cold-weather crops are decidedly suffering for want of rain. *Kalai* and cotton are doing well. Sugarcane manufacture is going on. Prices are stationary. Public health is good.
	31	Chumparun, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Cool west winds in the day. The *rubbee* crops are poor for want of rain.
Bhagulpore Division.	32	Monghyr, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—very cold, with west wind. The state and prospects of the crops are excellent.
	33	Bhagulpore, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—very cold. West wind is prevailing. The prospects of the winter crops are favourable. The price of rice continues high. General health is very good.
	34	Purneah „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—fine and cold. The state and prospects of the crops are fair, but rain is required in places.
	35	Maldah, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—fair. The reaping of the *kaimanta* paddy is about to close. The *matora* plants are flowering. The wheat plants are thriving. The prospects of the crops are good. Fever has abated, as the weather has become quite cool. Cases of cholera are decreasing.
	36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—fine and cold, but sultry in Pakour. The prospects of the crops continue satisfactory, but rain is wanted in Doomka and Godda. In Jamtara *rahar* is ripening, sugarcane is being planted, and the old crop of sugarcane is being cut.

No	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
ORISSA DIVN. 37	Cuttack, Jan. 25 '79	Nil	Weather—fine and seasonable. The harvesting of the *sarad* and *rubbee* crops is going on. The sowing of the *dalua* or spring rice has commenced. Cholera is on the decrease.
ORISSA DIVN. 38	Pooree, „ 23 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* rice is being harvested. The prospects of the *dalua* rice are fair. Common rice sells at 16 to 21 seers for the rupee. Public health is good
ORISSA DIVN. 39	Balasore, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—cool and seasonable. The paddy harvest is well in now.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Jan. 24 '79	Nil	Weather—fine, and for the last day or two colder. The *rubbee* crops are at present flourishing, but rain would do good
41	Lohardugga, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cold, with frosty nights. The *rubbee* crops promise well, except in the Palamow sub-division, where they are said to have been much injured by frost. General health is good.
42	Singbhoom, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *rubbee* crops are doing fairly. The price of rice is the same. The district is healthy.
43	Manbhoom, „ 25 „	Nil	Weather—cooler and more seasonable. The condition of the crops continues good, and the general health is fair.

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Divisions.	Districts	Stations	Rain from 6th to 11th Jan 1879	Rain from 12th to 18th Jan. 1879	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks
					Inches	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts		Inches	Inches		1879	
Burdwan	Burdwan ...	Burdwan ..	Nil	Nil	Nil	18th Jan.	
		Cutwa ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Culna ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bood-Bood ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Banseegunge ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	Not recd	Not recd	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Roypore ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore ...	Nil	Nil	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Tumlook ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	11th Jan.	
		Contai .. Dy. Collr 's Office	ditto	Nil	ditto	18th Jan	
		Contai .. Exe Engr 's Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Maheshraka ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Presidency	Central Districts						
	24-Pergunnahs ..	Saugor Island ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore .. Observatory ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore .. Dispensary ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore .. Jail .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Busseerhat .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Baraset . .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barripore . .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barrackpore .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ..	Berhampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kaudee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Rajshahye	Dinagepore ..	Dinagepore	0·05	ditto	0·05	ditto	
		Raigunge	0 10	ditto	0 10	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	0·30	ditto	0·30	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	0 32	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Chanchal	0·06	ditto	0·06	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Panchbibi . .	Not recd	Not recd	ditto	4th Jan.	
	Pubna ...	Pubna ..	Nil	Nil	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Seraigunge ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Buxa	0 22	ditto	0·22	ditto	
		Titalya	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 5th to 11th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 12th to 18th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	Nil	18th Jan.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoonkhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	0·13	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	ditto	0·16	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	0·14	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	ditto	0·20	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	Not recd.	Nil	11th Jan.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	ditto	Nil	0·11	18th „	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sasseram	0·08	ditto	0·08	ditto	
		Buxar	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Bhuboosh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	Not recd.	Not recd.	ditto	4th Jan.	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	Nil	ditto	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	11th Jan.	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	Nil	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Begoosera	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rajmehal	0·25	ditto	0·25	ditto	
		Deoghur	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto ...	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	11th Jan.	
		Godda	ditto	Nil	ditto	18th „	

Divisions	Districts	Stations	Rain from 5th to 11th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 12th to 18th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches	Up to date	
ORISSA.			Inches	Inches		1879	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack	Nil	Not recd.	Nil	11th Jan.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
		False Point	Not recd.	ditto			
	Pooree	Pooree	Nil	Nil	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Khurdah .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
	Balasore	Balasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Soreh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	Not recd	ditto	11th Jan.	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	ditto	Nil	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	1·14	Not recd.	1·14	11th Jan	
		Golaghat	0 62	ditto	0·62	ditto	
		Jorhat	1 00	ditto	1 00	ditto	
	Burman ...	Akyab	Nil	Nil	Nil.	18th Jan.	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	11th Jan.	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 25th January 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 19th to 25th January 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity (Sat. = 100).	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.*	Rain	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Jan. 19th	10	30·015	30·037	69·5	57.1	42	N N E	2·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·905	29·927	75·0	57·2	26	N N W	7·3	...	.....	b
	20th	10	30·024	30·046	67·4	58·0	54	N E	3·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·909	29·931	76·3	60·3	34	N	5·8	...	.....	b
	21st	10	30·066	30·088	70·3	61·2	57	N E by E	3·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·940	29·962	77·0	62·7	41	N N E	6·8	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	30·105	30·127	69·7	60·7	57	N E by N	3·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·977	29·999	77·5	58·3	25	N	5·8	...	.....	b
	23rd	10	30·105	30·127	68·9	57·7	46	N	2·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·969	29·991	76·0	57·0	24	N	8·0	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·091	30·113	67·0	55·5	44	N by E	1·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·961	29·983	74·0	56·1	26	W by N	6·0	...	.....	b
	25th	10	30·079	30·101	67·4	54·0	35	N E	3·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·945	29·967	74·2	56·6	27	N W by W	5·2	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Jan. 19th	10	30·014	30·020	72	59·5	44	N	7	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·905	29·911	75·5	59	32	N	12	...	.....	b, c
	20th	10	30·017	30·023	71	63	62	N	5	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·911	29·917	76·5	62	40	N	8	...	.....	b
	21st	10	30·056	30·062	72	64	62	N N W	7	...	.....	b c
		16	29·942	29·948	78	65·5	48	N N W	8	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	30·106	30·112	72·5	65	65	N N W	5	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·987	29·993	78	60	29	N	8	...	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	30·098	30·104	73	61·5	49	N	5	...	.....	b
		16	29·969	29·975	77·5	59·5	29	N N E	12	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·093	30·099	71	57	37	E N E	5	...	.....	b
		16	29·965	29·971	76	62·5	44	S S W	4	...	.....	b
	25th	10	30·088	30·094	71	59	45	N	3	...	.....	b
		16	29·963	29·969	76·5	65·0	51	S S W	4	...	.....	b
Chittagong	Jan. 19th	10	29·897	29·992	69	63·5	78	N	4	...	.....	
	20th	10	29·905	30·000	71	64	66	N	5	...	.....	
	21st	10	29·939	30·033	74	65·5	61	N	5	...	.....	
	22nd	10	29·985	30·080	72	64	62	N	5	...	.....	
	23rd	10	29·997	30·092	71	61	53	N	5	...	.....	
	24th	10	29·983	30·079	67	57	50	N	5	...	.....	
	25th	10	29·970	30·066	65	55·5	52	N N E	6	..	.....	
Akyab.	Jan. 19th	10	29·933	30·955	77	68	61	N	2	...	.....	b, c
	20th	10	29·947	30·969	78	72	74	N	2	...	.....	*Dark, gloomy weather.*
	21st	10	30·050	30·072	82	75	71	N	2	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	30·028	30·050	78	72	74	N	4	...	.....	*Dark, gloomy weather.*
	23rd	10	29·999	30·021	81	72	63	N	4	...	.....	b, c
	24th	10	30·014	30·036	73	64	58	N	4	...	.....	b, c
	25th	10	30·017	30·039	72·5	61	48	N	4	...	.....	b
False Point.	Jan. 19th	10	30·008	30·024	74	61	43	N E	8	...	.....	*Sea rough.*
	20th	10	30·030	30·046	73	60	43	N E	7	...	.....	b
	21st	10	30·057	30·073	74	63	51	N N E	7	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	30·107	30·123	73	62	51	N N E	7	...	.....	b
	23rd	10	30·093	30·109	72	62	54	N N E	6	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·089	30·105	71	61·5	56	N N E	6	...	.....	b
	25th	10	30·095	30·111	71·5	65	69	Calm.	4	...	.....	b
Vizagapatam	Jan. 19th	10	30·073	30·007	76	65	53	N E	1	...	.....	b
	20th	10	30·989	30·001	75	63	48	N E	1	...	.....	b
	21st	10	30·992	30·024	77	61	35	N E	1	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	30·057	30·089	78	66	50	E	4	...	.....	b, c
	23rd	10	30·068	30·100	77	66	53	S E	3	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·068	30·100	76·5	66·5	57	E	2	...	.....	b
	25th	10	30·070	30·102	77	67·5	59	W	1	...	.....	b
Colombo.	Jan. 19th	10	30·872	30·913	80	70	58	N N E	17	...	.....	b, c
	20th	10	30·872	30·913	80	72	66	N N E	17	...	.....	b, c
	21st	10	30·888	30·929	82	73·5	65	E	8	...	.....	b, c
	22nd	10	30·921	30·962	82	75	71	E S E	5	...	.....	b
	23rd	10	30·927	30·968	83	75	67	N N W	5	...	.....	b
	24th	10	30·944	30·985	83·5	73·5	60	N E	8	...	.....	b
	25th	10	30·949	30·990	83·5	75·0	65	N N E	13	...	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th January 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 19th to 25th January 1879

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1879		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Jan.	19th	134·9	29·945	62·9	75·1	22·1	53·0	54·8	0·325	47·1	57	Chiefly N. by W. ..	88	Nil	Clear, *w*.
„	20th	133·8	·951	62·6	76·9	25·2	51·7	56·3	·373	50·9	65	Till 9 A.M. N by W; till noon N E by E through N and N E; till midnight N through N E and N.	84	„	Clear, *w*.
„	21st	133·7	·984	64·2	77·3	24·8	52·5	57·8	·394	52·3	65	Till 9½ A.M. N; till midnight chiefly N E by N	88	„	Clear, *w*
„	22nd	135·1	30·023	64·0	77·9	25·8	52·1	56·2	·347	48·9	58	Till noon chiefly N E by N; till midnight chiefly N.	78	„	Clear, *f* and *w*
„	23rd	135·5	·017	61·9	76·6	26·7	49·9	54·3	·324	47·1	58	Till 10½ A.M. N; till midnight chiefly N by E.	80	„	Clear, *w*.
	24th	134·1	·002	59·8	74·4	26·9	47·5	52·5	·301	45·1	58	Till noon N by E, till midnight W by N through N W.	66	„	Clear, *f* and *w*
	25th	134·5	29·999	60·0	74·9	26·7	48·2	52·0	·284	43·6	55	Till 3 A.M. W by N; till 9 A.M. N W, till 1 P.M. N E through N, till midnight W by N through N and N W.	79	„	Clear, *w*.

		Inches
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	29·989
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	30 012
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	62 2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	68 2
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ..	...	30·4
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	77 9
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	59
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 19th to 25th January 1879	...	Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·05
The total fall from 1st to 25th January 1879	...	Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	.	0·26

The mean pressure, temperature, &c, are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

f, fog; *w*, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 27th January 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Abstract of Observations as received in the Office of the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal during the month of December 1878.

N. B.—The Barometric data are reduced for temperature and not for height above sea-level.

STATIONS.	Height above sea-level.	BAROMETER. Mean	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Range.	RADIATION THERMOMETER. Solar. Mean.	Above max in shade.	Max 1 Day.	Max O	Gross. Mean.	Below min. in shade	Min. Day.	Min. O	TEMPERATURE OF AIR. Mean of max.	Mean daily range.	Mean of min.	Mean.	Mean of 10 hours	Mean of 16 hours.	Highest max. Day.	Highest max. O	Absolute range.	Lowest min. Day.	Lowest min. O	VAPOUR TENSION. Mean.	From minima.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	HUMIDITY. Mean	From minimum.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	RAIN-FALL. In inches.	Number of days.
Seebsangor ...	333	29 689	29·747	29·606	·142	132·9	57·0	12th	141·4	46·4	5·0	26th	39 6	75 9	24·5	51 4	63·5	63 3	72 8	1st	79 6	36·0	27th	43 6	...	·374	·503	·481	...	97	87	59	0·03	1
Goalpara ...	..	..	..	..	...	.	...	..	...	...	...	.....	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	6913	23 435	23·472	23 398	·074	111 6	58·4	3rd	119 7	30·9	7 2	23nd	27·2	54 9	16·8	38 1	45 3	47·5	51·1	7th	60 9	26·9	22nd	34·0	...	·173	·219	·253	...	74	67	68	Nil	...
Purneah ...	125	29 855	29 929	29·79-	·132	...	...	...	..	42·7	8 8	30th	35 7	78 7	27 3	51·3	64 5	67 8	75 4	1st	84 8	39 8	30th	45 0	...	·341	·418	·437	...	88	56	49	Nil	...
Durbhunga ...	166·32	·841	·904	·779	·125	132 8	58·0	2nd	149 4	..	...	.. .	...	74 8	21·0	53 8	58·6	59·9	63 4	1 & 2nd	81 4	35 6	28th	45·8	...	·302	·519	·555	...	74	99	94	Nil	...
Patna ...	179	·835	·903	·779	·124	139 5	64 6	1st	148·6	45·0	4·6	29th	36·1	74 9	25 3	49 6	62·7	65 5	74 0	1st	83 2	41 4	22 & 29th	40 8	...	·311	392	·405	...	84	60	47	Nil	...
Gya ...	356	·649	701	·603	·098	121 2	45 0	2nd	135 8	41·8	9 3	24th	29 6	76·2	25 4	50·8	64 6	71 8	73 3	3rd	83 9	44 3	24th	39 8	...	·316	·313	·308	...	81	39	37	Nil	...
Hazareebagh ...	2010	27 944	27 997	27·907	·090	127 9	56·8	1st & 3rd	143 4	41·1	8 2	24th	31·0	71·1	21 8	49 3	60·1	65·0	69 2	3rd,	78·4	39 2	24th	39·2	...	·253	234	·223	...	67	36	31	0·25	2
Berhampore ..	66·45	29 911	29·979	29 861	·118	129·3	51·9	1st	143·7	54·5	2·2	29th	44·7	77·4	20·7	56 7	65 8	68·6	74 7	2 & 3rd	84·6	37 5	28 & 29th	47 1	...	·415	·442	·449	...	88	62	52	0·21	2
Burdwan ...	99 09	·879	·950	828	·123	139 0	61·4	2nd	152 2	45 9	12·0	28th	29 9	77·6	19 7	57 9	67·6	70·4	76 8	3rd	84 5	37 8	28th	46 7	...	·409	·461	·512	...	83	61	55	0·22	3
Jessore ...	33 3	·932	·993	·889	·104	130·8	52·5	1st	140 6	48 0	10 0	28th	33 3	78·3	20 3	58 0	68·1	73·8	74 9	1st	86·0	40·8	29th	45·2	...	·430	·483	·478	...	87	57	54	0 44	2
Dacca ...	35	·924	·982	·871	·111	145 4	65 3	1st, 2nd & 30th	155 8	48·7	11·0	13th	37 3	80·1	20·4	59·7	70 4	73·9	77·0	1 & 6th	87·2	34·3	28th	52·9	...	·466	·545	·507	...	89	65	54	0·45	2
Silchar ...	87 4	·874	936	·812	·124	137·4	57·0	30th	148 1	...	..	... ..		80·4	21·2	59·2	69 8	72·1	79·2	7th	86 5	36·1	29th	50·4	...	·467	·565	·550	...	91	72	55	0·52	1
Chittagong ..	90	·858	·911	·811	·101	132 1	50·9	14th	153·3	58 3	5·1	29 & 31st	45 9	81·2	17·5	63 6	72 8	74 9	78 5	1st	87 4	37·1	29th	50·3	...	·522	·596	·621	...	87	68	63	Nil	...
Demagiri ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.. ...		75 5	17 0	58 5	66·1	71 2	73 8	3rd	81·0	34·7	29th	46 3	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	.	0 85	4
Akpore ...	21 38	·958	30 027	29·910	·117	133·3	53 8	8th	142·7	51·4	6 9	29th	35 0	76 5	18·1	58·4	65·7	69·0	74 8	3rd	82 2	37·2	29th	45·0	468	·448	·460	·411	72	90	63	50	0·51	4
Sangor Island	6	·967	·029	921	·108	131 4	55 6	29th	153 5	53 9	7 3	28th	38·0	75·8	15·0	60·7	68·9	71·2	75 1	2nd	84 4	34 4	28th	50·0	515	·453	·519	·506	72	83	67	57	0·58	3
Cuttack ...	80	·897	29·950	847	·103	134 9	54 4	12th	148 1	50 4	9·8	31st	35 7	80 5	20·3	60·2	69·6	73 1	76 6	2nd	86 7	35·8	31st	50·9	...	·432	·421	·445	...	91	51	49	0·41	5
False Point ...	15 3	·969	30·020	·919	·101	137 9	60·9	9th	162·1	48 7	12 8	30th	33 8	77 0	15 5	61 5	67·6	72·7	73·7	2nd	82·5	31·4	30th	51 1	...	·486	·514	·481	.	87	63	58	4·71	5
Vizagapatam ..	81	897	29·957	·852	·105	110·3	31·1	20th	117·6	63 3	11·1	17th	47·9	78 8	4 4	74·4	76·6	76 8	78·0	4th	85 5	16 0	16th	69 5	604	·363	571	·609	66	42	61	63	25 80	7
Akyab ...	20 44	·913	·957	·866	·090	133·3	48 7	6th	153·5	62·1	5 8	29th	47·2	85·1	17·2	67·9	75 9	78 9	80·6	7 & 8th	90 1	33·8	29th	56 3	...	·671	·738	·721	...	97	74	69	0 41	2
Port Blair ...	61 16	·827	·875	·779	·096	142·3	57·2	27th	155·0	72·2	3·8	29 & 31st	66 3	85·1	9·1	76·0	79 0	82·0	82·0	26th	88·4	16 7	31st	71·7	...	·892	·900	·895	...	100	82	82	15·46	17
Nancowry ...	76	·82	·858	·783	·076	145·7	60 7	27th	161·0	70·8	6·3	20th	68·9	85 0	7·9	77·1	79·8	83 6	82 5	12 & 26th	86·8	11·7	20th	75·1	...	·821	·871	·846	...	88	76	76	7·20	15

Calcutta (Alipore).

Mean barometric pressure of 25 years ...	30·027	Mean temperature of 25 years	68 0	Mean humidity of 25 years	71
Ditto ditto of 1878 ...	29·958	Ditto ditto of 1878	65 7	Ditto ditto of 1878	72
Defect in 1878	·069	Defect in 1878	2 3	Excess in 1878	1
Mean rainfall of 50 years	0·28				
Actual fall in 1878	0 51				
Excess in 1878	0 23				

Calcutta,
The 25th January 1879.

Alexander Pedler,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Mean Pressures and Temperatures of the preceding Table reduced to sea-level, with Anemometric Results and Cloud Observations.

Stations.	Mean barometric pressure reduced to sea-level.	Mean temperature reduced to sea-level.	Wind. North.	North-east.	East.	South-east.	South.	South-west.	West.	North-west.	Calm.	Percentage and resultant.	Mean velocity daily.	Mean clouds.
Seebsaugor	30·031	64·2	..	26	26	...	...	...	...	...	10	77 N 68° E	21·7	4·48
Goalpara	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Darjeeling	.....	...	...	...	...	...	5	10	10	2	35	34 S 60° W	9·6	3·10
Purneah	29·988	64·8	...	12	10	1	...	1	29	7	1	32 N 52° W	36·2	1·27
Durbhunga	30·010	59·0	3	6	5	2	...	15	26	5	...	48 S 88° W	45·9	1·79
Patna	30·025	63 1	...	7	7	..	2	7	32	2	5	43 S 89° W	12·3	2·02
Gya	30·048	65·4	1	1	..	...	...	5	5	15	35	33 N 65° W	20·3	2·53
Hazareebagh	30·038	64 6	10	6	4	2	...	...	11	29	...	64 N 33° W	109·3	2·84
Berhampore	29 981	65 9	21	2	4	1	...	...	5	29	...	24 N 25° W	55·9	2·85
Burdwan	·984	67·8	24	1	2	...	...	...	2	32	1	84 N 25° W	59·7	3·08
Jessore	·967	68·2	29	9	2	3	...	2	1	16	...	70 N 4° W	25·4	2·82
Dacca	·961	70·5	7	1	1	3	2	2	11	16	19	39 N 56° W	57·8	2·66
Silchar	·966	70·0	5	13	14	5	3	4	3	1	15	32 N 76° E	38·0	3·77
Chittagong	·953	73·0	18	7	1	...	...	3	12	3	15	43 N 24° W	64·5	3·90
Demagiri	.....	...	10	18	2	7	7	3	...	11	4	31 N 31° E	...	0·80
Alipore	·980	65·7	62	8	1	...	3	3	13	33	1	74 N 20° W	86·3	3·35
Saugor Island ...	·973	68 9	77	29	1	...	...	1	..	16	...	88 N 6° E	162·7	3·66
Cuttack	·981	69·8	19	29	1	...	...	...	5	3	5	71 N 18° E	58·4	3 24
False Point	·985	67·6	8	39	10	1	...	...	...	4	...	83 N 43° E	167·3	4·06
Vizagapatam ...	·929	76·7	5	27	17	42	19	3	2	9	...	48 S 70° E	40·3	4·60
Akyab	·935	75·9	12	11	7	3	5	4	3	3	...	27 N 2° E	46·4	4·11
Port Blair	·890	79·1	9	12	35	5	1	...	...	...	...	79 N 75° E	208·8	6·90
Nancoury	·901	80·0	...	12	12	22	3	12	1	...	...	52 S 55° E	102·9	6 18

NOTE.

Barometric Pressure.—The pressures in column 2 of the above table for all stations below 500 feet are reduced from those given in column 3 of the table on the previous page, by adding the weight of a column of air of the temperatures given in column 18. For stations above 500 feet elevation the reduction is made by Captain Allan Cunningham's table, "Prof. Papers on Indian Engineering, No. CXIII." The temperatures at the sea-level are taken from column 3 of the above table.

Temperature.—The temperatures in column 3 are reduced from those in column 18 on the preceding page, by adding 1° Fahrenheit for every 450 feet.

Wind Resultant.—The resultant wind direction and its comparative predominance are calculated from the whole number of wind observations recorded during the month. The relative predominance in the direction of the resultant is given as a percentage of the whole number of observations. The direction is computed in the usual way by Lambert's formula.

Cloud.—This column gives the average proportion of clouded sky, a cloudless sky being indicated by *o*, and one completely overcast by 1*o*.

The above, being all comparable, afford the data for constructing a meteorological chart for the month, which will show the isobaric and isothermal lines and the resultant wind directions, which last may be represented by arrows of varying length, proportioned to the prevalence of the wind. To these may be added the rainfall from the previous tables.

Alexander Pedler,

Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Calcutta,

The 25th January 1879.

Reports of Fluctuation of Traffic on the East Indian Railway from 24th November to 31st December 1878

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY, TRAFFIC MANAGER'S OFFICE, JAMALPORE, THE 17TH DECEMBER 1878.

Remarks on Traffic of East Indian Railway from 24th November to 31st December 1878

THE approximate figures for the period are as follows:—

	Coaching.		Goods		Total
	No.	Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs
1878	606 624	10 98 866	78 76 724	30 99 368	41 88,234
1877	455,627	10,92,672	75,35,686	28,18 621	39 11,293
Increase	10,997		3,41,038	2,80,747	2,76,941
Decrease	...	3,806	... ..	.....	

The principal items of merchandise which call for remark are—

Increases.

Beer, Commissariat	Gunny.	Piece-goods.
Cotton	Iron	Salt.
Government stores.	Jaggree and sugar.	Tobacco.

Decreases.

Coal, up	Seeds.	Tea.
Edible grain and pulses.	Stone	

And the fluctuations may be attributed to the following causes:—

Beer, Commissariat	Mds.	24,434	Rs.	46,605	
Large despatches have been made this month to the military stations in the North-West and Oudh					
Cotton	Mds.	1,16,676	Rs.	1,91,894	
The despatches are chiefly from the North-West.					
Government stores, Commissariat	,,	10,435	,,	15 708	
Ordnance	,,	5,022	,,	14,787	
		15,457		30,490	
Stores for the frontier forces					
Gunny	,,	47 893	,,	54 211	
Iron	,,	10,213	,,	19,448	
Jaggree	,,	1,54,646	,,	33,803	
Sugar	,,	4,905	,,	6,566	
Piece-goods	,,	30 454	,,	47,652	
Salt	,,	1,01,254	,,	17,314	
Tobacco	,,	14,107	,,	11,343	

Decreases.

Coal, up	Mds.	1,14,330	Rs.	24,224	

EDIBLE GRAINS AND PULSES

The figures in these staples shew—

Increases.	Mds.	Rs	*Decreases.*	Mds.	Rs.
Rice	1,91,250	....	Barley	86,442	8,059
			.. ...	.....	22,509
Other grains ..	5 22,636	13,743	Wheat ...	1,54,066	2,510
			Pulses ...	1,93,766	24,240
Total ...	7,14,156	13,743	Total ...	4,34,274	57,318
Seeds , . .	...		...	1,43,820	1,20,568

The market in Calcutta has been dull during the past month, and the falling off at Patna alone is equal to nearly 6,000 tons

	Mds.	Rs.
Stone—		
Decrease	33,100	.....
Increase		696

The traffic in rubble stone is not so large as it was last year, while the traffic from Arrah and Mirzapore has increased

Tea ... ... Mds 7,910 Rs 3,833

HALF-YEARLY FIGURES.

In coaching the half-yearly figures (approximate) show a slight increase of one per cent. in earnings, but for merchandise the decrease is fifteen per cent

The train mileage for the period has been—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total.
1878	259,359	532,231	791,590
1877	246,568	535,190	781,758
Increase	12,791	.....	9,832
Decrease	.....	2,959	. ...

Earnings per train mile—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1878	4 8 2	5 13 2	5 4 8
1877	4 0 11	5 4 3	5 0 1
Increase		0 8 11	0 4 7
Decrease	0 8 9	.....	.....

Shunting mileage increase—744 hours
This is chiefly at Jubbulpore, where we have three shunting engines at work.

Jubbulpore line traffic—

	Coaching.		Goods.		Total
	No.	Rs	Mds.	Rs	Rs
1878	33,722	1,55,658	17,91,664	4,66,518	6,22,176
1877	38,095	1,30,238	10,35,398	2,63,467	3,93,705
Increase	.....	25,414	7,56,266	2,03,051	2,28,465
Decrease	4,373	.....	.....	.....	.....

In coaching the increase is attributable to the extra troop trains moving this month, while the merchandise, as already explained, is owing to the food-grains conveyed to Bombay and Guzerat.

The train mileage for the period has been—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total.
1878	30,735	120,675	151,410
1877	27,772	55,813	83,585
Increase	2,963	64,862	67,825
Decrease	.....	.....	.....

Total earnings per train mile—

Total decrease, Rs. 0-9-6.

URBAN BROUGHTON, *Deputy Traffic Manager.*

MAIN LINE.

Statement showing the Totals and Increases and Decreases of Staples during five weeks and three days ending 31*st December* 1878.

STAPLES.	WEIGHT.		AMOUNT.		1878.			
	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.	Increase.		Decrease.	
	Mds.	Mds	Rs	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.
Beer, Commissariat	5,595	30,029	1,744	46,349	24,434	46,605	.....	.....
„ not Commissariat	7,456	7,942	10,373	9,638	386	.....	.....	734
Betel-nuts and leaves	15,871	16,074	16,795	17,721	203	926	.....	.....
Boots and shoes	4,030	4,256	6,762	7,144	226	382	.....	.....
Brass and brassware	13 689	14,497	11,731	12,005	808	284	.....	.....
Bricks	15,458	14,957	4,863	4,809	.....	.....	501	43
Coal, up	5,34,801	4,90,471	2,04,558	1,20,334	.....	.....	1,14,330	24,224
„ down	15,83,539	15,71,866	2,16,511	2,18,075	.....	1,564	10,673	.....
Copper	9,728	9,599	12,396	13,185	.....	760	129	.....
Cotton	31,161	1,47,837	32,111	2,24,005	1,16,676	1,91,894	.....	.....
„ twist	10,971	10,893	13,860	15,877	.....	17	79	.....
Dyewood	4,495	5,950	4,516	6,161	1,457	1,625	.....	.....
Empty cocpahs	5,831	6,761	3,995	4,369	930	374	.....	.....
Firewood	12,534	9,646	477	686	.....	209	2,888	.....
Fruits	38,509	37,009	31,191	34,710	.....	3,519	1,500	.....
Glass and glassware	9,011	8,498	9,073	8,786	.....	.....	513	286
Ghee and oil	39,739	43,798	36,596	35,929	4,059	.....	.....	667
G B T packages	3,448	4,230	8,480	12,889	772	4,409	.....	.....
Government Commissariat stores	15,390	25,825	18,297	34,900	10,435	16,703	.....	.....
„ Ordnance stores	10,290	15,313	15,367	30,154	5,023	14,787	.....	.....
GRAINS, EDIBLE, & PULSES. Barley	93,681	9,969	11,024	2,965	.....	.....	86,442	8,059
GRAINS, EDIBLE, & PULSES. Oats	3,471	2,779	1,295	985	.....	.....	692	310
GRAINS, EDIBLE, & PULSES. Rice	6,68,566	7,99,880	1,74,787	1,52,278	1,91,520	.....	.....	22,509
GRAINS, EDIBLE, & PULSES. Wheat	2,71,319	1,17,253	41,699	39,189	.....	.....	1,54,066	2,510
GRAINS, EDIBLE, & PULSES. Other grains	9,50,103	13,72,744	2,83,456	2,97,301	5,22,636	13,743	.....	.....
GRAINS, EDIBLE, & PULSES. Pulses of all kinds	5,21,408	5,27,642	1,09,183	84,943	.....	.....	1,93,766	24,240
Gunny	93,791	1,40,684	82,102	1,06,313	47,893	24,211	.....	.....
Hides and horns	1,00,513	1,09,780	72,686	75,442	9,267	2,756	.....	.....
Indigo	89,787	87,670	1,12,586	1,34,771	.....	22,185	2,087	.....
Iron	85,210	95,453	77,196	96,574	10,243	19,446	.....	.....
Jaggree	96,203	2,50,849	23,294	56,097	1,54,646	33,803	.....	.....
Lac	27,658	33,438	18,197	20,106	4,980	1,909	.....	.....
Minerals	36,838	44,602	7,063	10,091	7,764	3,039	.....	.....
Oil-cake	11,358	9,180	5,537	2,714	.....	.....	2,358	2,823
Opium	90,856	90,365	97,801	96,672	.....	.....	491	1,129
Paper	7,847	7,611	12,703	11,889	.....	.....	236	814
Piece-goods	1,48,313	1,75,767	1,68,810	2,11,462	30,454	47,652	.....	.....
Railway materials, construction account	2,165	2,833	537	213	668	.....	.....	324
„ „ foreign	60,129	1,12,757	89,615	63,814	43,635	.....	.....	25,801
Roots	54,903	53,670	18,088	17,614	.....	.....	533	474
Salt	4,08,096	5,09,330	1,13,198	1,30,512	1,01,234	17,314	.....	.....
Saltpetre	65,883	68,870	26,365	31,265	2,987	4,880	.....	.....
Seeds	7,63,370	6,19,550	3,06,711	1,88,143	.....	.....	1,43,820	1,20,568
Silk	3,951	2,059	3,916	2,065	.....	.....	1,873	1,851
Spelter	9,718	8,722	12,194	11,018	.....	.....	996	1,176
Spices	12,612	9,298	11,830	7,640	.....	.....	3,314	4,190
Stones	1,01,264	68,164	12,250	12,926	.....	696	33,100	.....
Sugar	80,807	83,713	19,003	25,569	4,905	6,566	.....	.....
Tea	16,110	8,200	18,367	14,534	.....	.....	7,910	3,833
Timber	24,495	26,894	15,227	13,719	1,899	.....	.....	1,508
Tobacco	27,162	41,269	14,235	25,578	14,107	11,343	.....	.....
Turmeric	5,663	9,088	3,882	6,749	4,325	2,867	.....	.....
Wines	8,945	8,629	18,613	17,834	.....	.....	316	779
Miscellaneous	1,54,201	1,85,891	1,80,914	1,91,811	31,190	10,897	.....	.....
Total ...	73,03,489	76,80,747	27,90,040	30,73,053	13,39,761	5,36,367	7,62,503	2,46,354

Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Eastern Bengal Railway for the four weeks ending 28th December 1878.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY COMPANY, TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SEALDAH TERMINUS.

Report on Goods Traffic for the four weeks ending 28th December 1878.

Dated Calcutta, the 16th January 1879.

From—W. INNES, ESQ., Acting Traffic Superintendent,
To—The Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, Calcutta.

THE total traffic was 5,61,958 maunds, as against 5,65,432 maunds for the corresponding period of 1877, being a decrease of 3,474 maunds.

The upward traffic shows a decrease of 34 368 maunds, which is principally on account of short despatch of salt, by 27,360 maunds, miscellaneous 8,682, cotton 3,688, twist 1,213, piece-goods 984, sugar 750, and ales, &c., 488 maunds.

The decrease in salt is attributable in some measure to the number of close holidays in this period, as also to inactivity in the market.

Against this decrease Railway materials shows an increase of maunds 4,441 and seeds 1,000.

The downward traffic shows a total of 4,19,623 maunds, against 3,88 729 maunds for 1877, being an increase of 30,894 maunds, due to jute 84 368, tea 9,163, hides 9,076, gunny 6,759, and cotton 1,372.

There is, however, a considerable falling off in the following commodities: grain 41,767 maunds, turmeric 17,715, sugar 796, and miscellaneous goods 10,490 (mostly composed of chillies and ginger), seeds 8,480.

The increase in jute, hides, and gunny is due to increased activity in the market. That for tea, to the opening of the Northern Bengal State Railway.

The decrease in grain is due to the heavy despatch last year consequent upon the Madras famine, seeds and sugar, to short crops and miscellaneous, to short crops of ginger and chillies, turmeric, to want of demand for export.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Statement showing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line for the four weeks ending the 28th December 1878, *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1877.

DESCRIPTION.	1877.		1878.		1877.	1878.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	Total.	Total.		
Ale, beer, wine, &c.	1,508	.....	1,020	6	1,508	1,026	.....	482
Cotton, bundles of	60	508	219	406	568	625	57	.....
Do., bales of	3,940	... .	93	1,372	3,940	1,465	.....	2,475
Grain, including rice	4,947	51,870	4,740	10 123	56,817	14,863	.....	41,954
Gunny, bundles of...	1,567	78	1,011	1,696	1,645	2,707	1,062	.....
Do., bales of	32	7,852	.....	12,993	7,884	12,993	5,109	.....
Hides, bundles of	32	5,878	5	15,954	5,910	15,959	10,049	.....
Do., bales of	.....	.	.. ...	848	.....	848	848	.....
Jute, drums of	2	2,04,489	3,753	2,52,202	2,04,491	2,56,015	51,524	. ...
Do., bales of	... .	39,493	62	76,088	39,493	76,150	36,657	. .
Piece-goods	27,742	34	26,758	158	27,776	26,916	.....	860
Railway materials, foreign ...	12,450	.....	16,891	.....	12,450	16,891	4,441	.....
Salt	56,920	.....	29,560	.....	56 920	29,560	.....	27,360
Seeds	1,889	19,332	2,888	10,862	21,221	13,740	.....	7,481
Sugar	1,291	924	541	128	2,215	669	. .	1,546
Tea	3	1,019	158	10,182	1,022	10,340	9,318	.....
Tobacco, bundles of	532	9,174	494	8,007	9,706	8,501	.....	1,205
Do., bales of	.....	.. ...	.. ..	.....	.....	.. ...	.....	.....
Turmeric	.. ...	19,627	149	1,912	19,627	2,061	.. ..	17,566
Twist	4,381	1,331	3,168	6	5,712	3,174	.....	2,538
Miscellaneous	59,407	27,120	50,825	16,630	86,527	67,455	.....	19,072
Total ...	1,76,703	3,88,729	1,42,336	4,19,623	5,65,432	5,61,958	1,19,065	1,22,539
					5,61,958	.....	.....	1,19,065
				Decrease ...	3,474	.....	.....	3,474

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th January 1879 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching	Merchandise	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	149,293	2,18,558 0 3	20,034 9 9	15,76,217 30	5,80,802 8 0	53,240 4 7	7,99,360 8 3	46,293	100,860½	147,153½
Or per mile of railway ..	...	170 12 6	15 13 1	..	453 13 6	41 12 1	624 10 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 11 days of half-year	191,940	2,91,171 4 9	26,690 14 0	23,69,050 0	8,80,008 8 6	80,667 0 0	11,71,179 13 3	77,869	157,429	235,298
Total for 3 weeks ...	341,233	5,09,729 5 0	46,725 3 9	39,45,247 30	14,60,811 0 6	1,33,907 13 7	19,70,540 5 6	124,162	258,289½	382,451½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year .	121,304½	1,74,248 2 1	15,972 14 11	12,46,719 20	5,20,180 6 0	47,683 4 0	6,94,428 8 1	47,390	101,051	148,441
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	136 2 7	12 9 8	.....	406 7 6	37 5 2	542 10 1	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	321,601½	4,60,205 4 6	42,185 9 8	36,42,134 10	14,67,113 6 9	1,34,485 7 11	19,27,318 11 3	127,691	282,881	410,572

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th January 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	10,315	33,831 0 9	3,101 8 7	2,99,162 10	80,199 13 0	7,351 13 0	1,14,030 13 9	5,422½	19,103½	24,527
Or per mile of railway ..	..	151 3 2	13 17 2	..	358 7 6	32 17 2	509 10 2	.....	.....	.....
For previous 11 days of half-year	12,120	41,466 0 3	3,801 1 1	4,75,322 0	1,22,637 14 0	11,241 16 1	1,64,103 14 3	7,799½	37,990½	45,789½
Total for 3 weeks ...	22,435	75,297 1 0	6,902 4 8	7,74,484 10	2,02,837 11 0	18,593 9 1	2,78,134 12 0	13,217	57,099½	70,316½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year .	7,675½	19,976 7 6	1,831 3 6	1,45,380 10	44,947 6 0	4,120 3 6	64,923 13 6	5,024	10,708	15,732
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ..	.....	89 4 6	8 3 8	.. ..	200 14 1	18 8 4	290 2 7	... ..	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	21,193	54,109 6 0	4,960 0 6	4,42,814 0	1,21,822 8 0	11,167 1 3	1,75,931 14 0	13,081	30,115	43,196

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for last 3 days of December 1878 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the 3 days	13,940½	10,213 [illegible] 9	937 2 7	50,736 0	18,260 14 3	1,678 18 4	2,611 0 11
Or per mile of railway	88	[illegible] 8 4	5 18 0	319 24	115 0 6	10 10 11	16 8 11
For previous 26 weeks of half-year	1,013,188	6,75,436 5 1	61,914 5 6	50,30,848 27	15,17,550 8 5	139,106 15 7	201,023 1 3
Total for the half-year ...	10,27,128½	6,85,651 8 10	62,851 8 3	50,81,584 27	15,35,811 6 8	140,782 13 11	203,634 2 2
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding 2 days of previous year	14,571	7,630 4 11	698 10 7	79,449 7	36,714 15 7	3,363 10 9	4,064 1 4
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	92	48 0 0	4 8 0	500 19	231 4 5	21 4 0	25 12 0
Total to corresponding date of previous year ..	976,472½	6,31,676 0 8	57,903 14 8	73,48,190 21	19,01,792 15 9	179,831 0 3	237,734 14 11

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY

Approximate Return of Traffic for first 4 days of January 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the 4 days	18,229½	13,489 9 0	1,236 10 10	47,991 4	5,479 6 3	777 3 9	2,013 14 7
Or per mile of railway .	115	84 15 7	7 15 9	302 12	53 6 6	4 17 11	12 13 6
For previous weeks of half-year ...	....	.....	.....	.... .	. ..	.....	. .
Total for first 4 days ..	18,229½	13,489 9 0	1,236 10 10	47,991 4	9,479 6 3	777 3 9	2,013 14 7
Comparison							
Total for corresponding 5 days of previous year	25,823	18,132 9 9	1,662 3 1	1,23,439 23	20,749 4 9	2,452 0 5	4,114 3 6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ..	163	114 3 6	10 9 5	777 23	168 3 0	15 8 11	25 13 6
Total to corresponding date of previous year	25,823	18,132 9 9	1,662 3 1	1,23,439 23	20,749 4 9	2,452 0 5	4,114 3 6

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 11th January 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total receipts
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	35,256	28,307 15 0	2,594 17 10	1,80,576 0	27,018 7 6	2,476 13 11	5,071 11 9
Or per mile of railway	222	178 5 1	16 6 11	1,137 20	170 3 1	13 12 0	31 18 11
For previous 4 days of January	18,229½	13,489 9 0	1,236 10 10	47,991 4	8,478 6 3	777 2 9	2,013 14 7
Total for 2 weeks ...	53,485½	41,797 8 0	3,831 8 8	2,28,567 4	35,496 13 9	3,253 17 8	7,085 6 4
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	32,362	24,399 0 4	2,236 11 7	2,22,504 26	45,513 8 8	4,172 1 5	6,408 13 0
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	204	153 11 1	14 1 9	1,402 7	286 11 2	26 5 7	40 7 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	58,185	42,531 10 1	3,898 14 8	3,46,034 14	72,262 12 11	6,624 1 10	10,522 16 4

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 50.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending 15th December 1877	Receipts for week ending 14th December 1878	Total receipts from 1st January To 15th December 1877.	Total receipts from 1st January To 14th December 1878.	Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878
		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
14th December 1878	Northern Bengal	219	1,915 0 0	26,024 0 0	36,433 0 0	8,60,621 0 0	8,24,188 0 0	... ..
28th " "	Tirhoot	76	7,934 0 0	16,216 0 0	2,78,551 0 0	4,21,901 0 0	1,43,350 0 0	
11th January 1879	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	1,894 0 0	2,456 0 0	1,09,729 0 0	1,19,980 0 0	10,251 0 0	
21st December 1878	Nalhati	27½	1,689 0 0	1,701 0 0	83,461 0 0	85,937 0 0	2,476 0 0	
	Total ...	350½	13,432 0 0	46,397 0 0	5,08,174 0 0	14,88,439 0 0	9,80,265 0 0	... .

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 731A.

GENERAL.—*The 29th January* 1879.—Baboo Bogola Prosono Mozoomdar, Special Sub-Registrar of Noakholly, is appointed to act until further orders as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and is posted to Tipperah.

Baboo Ram Narain Banerjee, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, First Grade, Bhagulpore, on deputation, is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and is posted to Dinagepore.

Mr. C. C. Quinn, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Durbhunga, is allowed furlough for a period of seven months from the 14th April 1879, or subsequent date, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for twenty-one days, under Section 24 (*a*) of the Code.

Baboo Shyamadhub Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under Section 12 - 2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted him under orders dated the 9th instant.

The services of Mr. H. H Risley, Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue and General Departments, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

Mr. C. W. Bolton, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to act as Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue and General Departments, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. H. H. Risley, or until further orders.

Baboo Radha Shyam Sing, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may be relieved.

Baboo Okhoy Coomar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, on leave, is transferred temporarily to the Sudder Station of the Dacca district.

The 30th January 1879.—Major T. H. Lewin, Deputy Commissioner, Darjeeling, is allowed subsidiary leave for one month, under Section 24—2 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 24th proximo

Mr. H. Savage, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Raneegunge, Burdwan, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Chittagong district.

Mr. C. S. Bayley, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Jessore, is transferred to Burdwan, and is appointed to have charge of the Raneegunge Division of that district.

Mr. H. F. J. Kean, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Chumparun, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Monghyr.

Mr. A. Weekes, Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade, is appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Chumparun, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. F. K. Hewitt, or until further orders.

The 31st January 1879.—Moulvi Abdool Luteef, Khan Bahadoor, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sealdah, 24-Pergunnahs, having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 30th ultimo, the unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted him under orders dated the 15th October 1878, is cancelled.

The 1st February 1879.—Mr. W. H. Page, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sarun, is allowed leave for two months and eleven days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee of Management for the Zoological Gardens at Alipore :—

Rajah Rajendro Mullick, Bahadoor. | Nawab Amir Ali.

The 3rd February 1879 —Mr. D. B. Allen, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Jehanabad, Gya, who reported his return from furlough on the 10th ultimo, is allowed subsidiary leave from that date to the 21st idem, inclusive, to enable him to join his appointment.

Moulvi Abdul Ghuffoor, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is transferred to Beerbhoom.

Baboo Dwarkanath Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Beerbhoom, is transferred to Chittagong.

Mr. J. A. Craven, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X (B C.) of 1871.

Moulvi Mohamed Serajul Huq, Sub-Deputy Collector, employed on settlement duty, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is allowed leave for two months, under Sections 3 and 15, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted him under orders dated the 17th December 1878.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the day on which he may avail himself of it, within one month from the date of these orders.

The 4th February 1879.—Mr H Cox, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Mozufferpore, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Buxar division of the Shahabad district.

Mr. C. B. Garrett, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, First Grade, is allowed furlough to Europe for a period of two years, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for thirty days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from the 16th ultimo.

Mr. F. W. Badcock, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, having reported his return from furlough, is allowed subsidiary leave from the 31st December 1878 to the 18th January 1879.

The services of Baboo Kally Churn Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, are placed at the disposal of the Board of Revenue for employment as Manager of the Narail estate in Jessore.

Mr. S. Jacob, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahye, is transferred to Rungpore.

Baboo Nobo Kumar Bose is appointed temporarily to act as a Deputy Collector for employment on settlement work in Midnapore, till relieved by Baboo Gossain Das Dutt.

Baboo Gossain Das Dutt, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is transferred to Midnapore, for employment on settlement work in that district, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Koilash Chunder Chatterjee, or until further orders.

Baboo Dwarkanath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pubna, is transferred to Bogra.

Mr. W. H. Gordon, Officiating Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge, Darjeeling and Julpigoree, is appointed to act as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Dinagepore.

Mr. R. M. Towers is appointed to be Judge of the principal Courts of Small Causes in Nuddea and Jessore and Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Kishnaghur, Ranaghat, and Meherpore, but to continue to act, until further orders, as Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpore.

Mr. R. F. Rampini, Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge, Darjeeling and Julpigoree, on leave, is appointed to be Additional District and Sessions Judge of Chittagong, *vice* Mr. R. M. Towers.

Subject to the sanction of the Government of India, Baboo Hurry Mohun Chundra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is appointed to be Second Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division.

This supersedes the orders of the 20th ultimo, appointing Mr. C. N. Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chooadanga, Nuddea, to be Second Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division.

The services of Mr. Alexander Porteous, who has recently been appointed to be a member of the Bengal Civil Service, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Home Department.

POLICE.—*The 29th January* 1879.—Mr. H. Schurr, Officiating Assistant Superintendent, Police, Burdwan, is allowed leave for one month and nine days, under Section 12—2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 10th instant, or any date on which he may avail himself of it.

EDUCATION.—*The 29th January* 1879.—Mr. A. W. Garrett, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle, is allowed furlough to Europe for a period of 15 months from the 1st proximo, or any subsequent date, under Section 12, Chapter IV of the Civil Leave Code.

The 31st January 1879.—Mr. J. Willson, of the Bengal Educational Service, having reported his return from furlough on the 16th November last, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 20th September 1878, is cancelled.

The 1st February 1879.—Mr. C. M. W. Brett, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be Secretary to the District School Committee, Hazareebagh, *vice* Mr. S. S. Jones.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Bethune School:—

Baboo Durga Mohun Dass.
" Anund Mohun Ghose, Barrister-at-Law.
The Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle.

The 3rd February 1879.—Baboo Nilmani Das, Moonsif of Maldah, is appointed to be a member of the District School Committee of Maldah, *vice* Baboo Wooma Churn Dutt, transferred.

The following appointments are made in the Bengal Subordinate Educational Service:—

Baboo Bishun Chundra Mookerjea, Head-Master, Hooghly Normal School, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Burdwan.

Baboo Kailas Chundra Sen, Head-Master, Dacca Normal School, is appointed to be Deputy Inspector of Schools, Dacca.

Baboo Jagat Bundhu Laha, M A., Head-Master, Burrisaul Zillah School, is appointed to be Head-Master, Dacca Normal School.

Baboo Hara Prosad Banerjea, Head-Master, Comillah Zillah School, is appointed to be Head-Master, Burrisaul Zillah School.

Baboo Ramgati Nyaratna, Assistant Professor of Sanskrit, Berhampore College, is appointed to be Head-Master, Hooghly Normal School.

Baboo Madhab Chandra Gasvami, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Howrah, is appointed to be Assistant Professor of Sanskrit, Berhampore College.

MEDICAL.—*The 20th January* 1879.—Baboo Gynendra Kumar Roy Chowdhry is appointed to be Secretary to the Committee for the Management of the Takee Charitable Dispensary, *vice* Baboo Jadub Chunder Gossami, resigned.

The 30th January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Soorjee Narain Singh, Teacher of Materia Medica and Medical Jurisprudence, Dacca Medical School, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

The 31st January 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Amrita Lal Das, doing duty in the Medical College Hospital, is appointed temporarily to the medical charge of the Northern Bengal State Railway until further orders.

This cancels the orders of the 18th ultimo, appointing Assistant Surgeon Amrita Lal Das to have temporary medical charge of Pooree.

The 3rd February 1879.—Surgeon-Major E. G. McDowell was in medical charge of the Lock-Hospital, Hazareebagh, from the 9th to the 11th June 1878, inclusive, *vice* Surgeon Major E. A. Birch.

Surgeon-Major J. J. Wood, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Hazareebagh, is also appointed to have medical charge of the Lock-Hospital at that station from the 12th June 1878, *vice* Surgeon-Major E. G. McDowell.

Assistant Surgeon Bhola Nath Pal is appointed to have medical charge of the Station and Harbour of False Point, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Hera Lal Dutt.

The 4th February 1879.—The orders of the 13th January 1879, placing the services of Assistant Surgeon Hari Dass Mitter at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, are cancelled.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 21st January* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Kooshtea Municipality in the district of Nuddea :—

Baboo Sreenath Chuckerbutty, Head Master, Kooshtea Government Aided School.
„ Troylokho Nath Mitter, Pleader.
„ Mohima Chunder Roy, Jotedar.

The Lieutenant-Governor approves of the election by the Commissioners of the Bhagulpore Municipality of Mr. W. Connan, Executive Engineer, to be their Vice-Chairman.

Baboo Siva Prosunno Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Raneegunge Municipality.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be Commissioners of the Raneegunge Municipality :—

Baboo Gour Mohun Ghosh. | Baboo Gour Dutt Marwari.
Baboo Ram Ratan Marwari.

The 24th January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves of the election by the Commissioners of the Hazaribagh Municipality of Mr. C. M. W. Brett, to be their Vice-Chairman, *vice* Mr. S. S. Jones.

ROAD CESS.—*The 3rd February* 1879.—Baboo Jwahir Bhagat, Cultivator of Sahibgunge, in Gya, is appointed to be a member of the District Road Cess Committee of that district, *vice* Baboo Dila Mahto.

The 4th February 1879.—Mr. E. Sanpin, of the Turtipore Factory, is appointed to be a member of the Maldah District Road Cess Committee.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the Jessore District Road Cess Committee :—

Mr. J Oatts, Indigo Planter. | Baboo Bepin Behari Bose, Talookdar.
Baboo Dokhina Prosad Bose, Government Pleader. | „ Khetter Gopal Banerjee, Manager of the Morellgunge estate.

Baboo Kally Churn Ghose, Manager of the Narail estate, is appointed to be a member of the Jessore District Road Cess Committee.

Baboo Khetter Gopal Banerjee, Manager of the Morellgunge estate, is appointed to be a member of the Bagirhat Branch Road Cess Committee.

ERRATUM.—*The 4th February* 1879.—In the orders of the 20th January 1879, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, placing the services of Assistant Surgeon Runga Lall Sannyal at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, *for* "Runga Lall Sannyal" *read* "Kunja Lall Sannyal."

The following notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 30.—*The 24th January* 1879.—Mr. A. Porteous, C.S., Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, is posted to the head-quarters station of the district of Kamrup.

No. 32.—Baboo Gobind Chandra Bysack, B.L., is appointed to be an Extra Munsif in the district of Sylhet for a period of four months, with effect from the date on which he may join his appointment at Nabiganj.

No. 6.—*The 24th January* 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 37 of Act X of 1872, the Chief Commissioner has been pleased to invest Mr. A. Porteous, C.S., Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, Kamrup, with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to declare that the west bank of the main stream of the river Jamoona or Daokoba shall be the common boundary between districts Mymensing and Bogra. The course by which steamers proceed up stream during the dry season shall be, for the time being, taken to be such main stream.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the recruiting of labourers under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873 is not authorized in Sirgoojah and the other tributary mehals of Chota Nagpore. The Deputy Commissioner of Lohardugga will countersign no certificates of either garden sirdars or recruiters intended for use within those mehals, and will register no labourers brought from thence.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—The following statement of receipts and charges on account of the Chittagong Port Fund for the year 1877-78 is published, under section 47, Act XII of 1875, for general information, in supersession of the statement published at page 735, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th July 1878:—

Final Statement of Receipts and Charges on account of Chittagong Port Fund for 1877-78.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance on 31st March 1877 ...	7,628	9	2
Port dues on vessels ...	14,374	14	8
Pilotage fees	8,290	1	6
Interest on Government securities	1,103	3	6
Canal tolls	338	2	0
Fees for registering cargo-boats	165	0	0
Fees, fines, and forfeitures ...	371	0	0
Miscellaneous	214	15	6
Cash recoveries	8	13	0
Total ...	32,499	11	4

	Rs.	A.	P.
Refunds, Marine	24	5	3
Licensing and Surveying of Cargo-boats.			
Establishment	360	0	0
Police, District Executive Force.			
European constables ...	166	0	0
Vessels and Boats.			
Establishments	455	0	0
Dockyard services and supplies...	19	0	0
Contingencies	2,005	6	3
Light-houses.			
Establishments	2,952	0	0
Stores	173	4	0
Contingencies	184	14	9
Pilotage Establishment.			
Establishment	3,811	14	3
Temporary establishment ...	158	6	4
Contingencies	6	2	0
Percentage on earnings ...	553	0	0
Port Establishment.			
Port Master	1,329	7	1
Establishment	1,162	2	3
Cost of stationery for 1877-78 ...	12	10	3
Contingencies	293	15	9
Service postage stamps ...	20	0	0
Travelling allowance ...	1	8	0
Canal tolls establishment ...	239	0	6
Miscellaneous pensions ...	99	9	2
Petty construction and repairs ...	272	6	3
Public Works.			
Original works	11,217	0	11
Repairs	713	13	6
Establishment	3,276	14	9
Percentage of the establishment in the office of the Accountant-General, Bengal	123	1	9
	29,630	15	0
Balance on 31st March 1878 ...	2,868	12	4
Total ...	32,499	11	4

Note.—The balance of Rs. 2,868-12-4 on 31st March 1878 is exclusive of Rs. 27,300 invested in Government securities.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd January 1879.—A plan and an estimate, amounting to Rs. 15,980, for the construction of toll offices on the inland vessels wharves, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 2917, dated 19th December 1878, and the same having been approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd January 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the lands described in the schedule hereto annexed to be reserved forests :—

DISTRICTS.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Hill Territory ...	Goompahar ...	*North.*—The Little Rungeet; then a line running from it along the south boundary of the Mim, Tumsong, Chongtong, and Risheehat estates. *East.*—The west boundary of the Darjeeling municipality. *South.*—The Toongsong estate; then the Poobong estate; then the Palungdong khas mehal; then the Pagrainbong khas mehal; then the Silimbong and Rungbong estates. *West.*—The Nepal frontier to the Little Rungeet. The following two locations, situated within the above boundaries, are not included in the reserve forest :— (1) an area of 10 acres at Jore Pokri; (2) an area of 10 acres at Seemana bustee.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Dooteriah ...	*North-west.*—The Bing jhora. *East.*—The Hill cart road. *South.*—The new Dooteriah road. *South-west.*—A demarcated line separating the reserve from the Dooteriah tea estate.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Rungirum, Tukdah, and Sinchal.	*North-west, North, and North-east.*—The Rungnoo jhora; then the Sinchal jhora; then the Rungirum estate, at present under lease with Mr. Wilson; then the Rungnoo jhora; then the Kejok and Pashundi jhoras; then a line from the latter to the Ramaun jhora, separating the Charlesfield estate from the Government forest land; then the Ramaun jhora; then the Mineral Spring estate; then the Darjeeling Company's land; then the Tukdah khas mehal, under lease with Prem Chunder and others; then the Lockchoo khas mehal; then the Pashok estate to the Rungeeac jhora. *East and South-east.*—The Hoom khas mehal; then the Rungli Rungliot estate; then the Pomong khas mehal; then the Rungjo jhora; then the Rungbee road; then the new road from Jore bungalow to Rishap as far as the Rungbee jhora; then a line to the watershed between the Rungbee and Raing jhoras; then the watershed between the Rungbee and Raing jhoras; then the watershed between the Balasun river on the one side and the Raing and Mahanuddy rivers on the other. *South.*—The Maharajah of Burdwan's land. *West.*—The Hill cart road, but excluding the following locations :— (1) Mr. Dewes'; (2) Mr. Ward's two locations; (3) Road reserve location; (4) Major Wardroper's two locations; (5) Road location; (6) Ditto; (7) The Maharajah of Burdwan's location from Chuttukpore to Puchim jhora;

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Darjeeling ...	Hill Territory .	Rungirum, Tukdah, and Sinchal.	(8) The Government road location near Sonada; (9) The Hope Town location; (10) The Maharajah of Burdwan's location Paharpore; (11) Road location at Rungbul; (12) Three locations at Jore bungalow.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Badamtam ..	*North.*—The Rungneet and Great Rungeet, rivers. *East.*—The Rungnoo river. *South.*—The Rungnoo river; then Mr. Barnes' estate. *West.*—Mr. Stewart's estate.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Sumbong Pashok and Giljong.	*North.*—The Great Rungeet. *East.*—The Teesta. *South.*—The Raing and Rungjo jhoras. *West.*—The Ginlam (Jinglam) tea estate; Teesta Valley tea estate; then the Mungwa khas mehals; then the Peshok estate; then the Rungbong jhora; then Mr. Vanzuilicum's estate; then the Sumbong estate up to the Great Rungeet.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Seem ...	*North.*—A line running from the Poosongpoong ridge to the Sumbong ridge. *East and South-east.*—The Sumbong ridge. *South-west and west.*—The Poosongpoong ridge.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Dhobi Jhora .	*North.*—The old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road. *East.*—Jawan Sing's land. *South.*—Mr. Bell's land and the Castleton tea estate. *West.*—The old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road; then the Northern Bengal Railway settlement; then again the old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road.
Ditto ...	Ditt ...	Munjhooa ...	*North.*—The Pingloo Tar. *East.*—The Balasun river. *South.*—Mr. Treutler's estate. *West.*—The Singbullee and Munjhooa estates.
Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Khyrbanee ...	*North.*—A foot-path leading from the Mechi river to Tingling stockade. *East.*—The Munjha river. *South and South-west.*—Dr. Barker's tea estate. *West.*—The Mechi river.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Mechi ...	*North.*—The Khyrbanee forest. *East.*—Mr. Davies' estate and Lohagurree forest. *South.*—The Terai Mechi forest. *West.*—The Nepal territory.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Koohein ...	*North.*—Captain Cornish's (Mr. Lloyd's) estate. *East.*—Bhakat Bir's land. *South.*—The Koohein jhora. *West.*—The Mechi.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Lohagurree ...	*North.*—Mr. Davies' and Dr. Barker's estates. *East.*—The Munjha nuddee. *South.*—The Darjeeling Terai. *West.*—The Mechi forest.
Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Munjha	*North.*—Major Sherwill's land. *East.*—The Balasun. *South.*—The New Terai and Indian Terai tea companies. *West.*—The Munjha nuddee; within the above boundaries two locations, belonging to the Indian Terai Tea Company and to the New Terai Tea Company, are situated. These are not included in the reserve.

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Darjeeling .	Hill Territory ...	Bamunpokri ...	*North.*—Mr. Pereira's land. *East.*—The Rukti river. *South.*—The Pelkoo Dass and Bamnee jotes. *West.*—The Bansunmallee jhora.
Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Lama Gumba ...	*North.*—Mr. Owen's land. *East.*— Ditto. *South.*—Mr. Southby's land. *West.*—The Rohonee jhora. Within the above boundaries is situated a location comprising 6 acres 2 roods 3 poles, which is not included in the reserve.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Sibakhola ...	*North-east.*—The Sibakhola river. *South-east.*—Mr. Bell's land. *South.*—The Maharajah of Burdwan's land called Kurjung. *West.*—The Hill cart road.
Ditto ...	Partly hill territory and partly Terai.	Sukna-Teesta Forest.	*North-west and North.*—Mr. Bell's land (survey No. 182); then the Sepoydoorah estate (survey No. 196); then the Norbong estate (survey No. 189); then the Mahanuddy river; then the Mana jhora; then the watershed between the Raing on one side and the Mahanuddy and Teesta on the other side; then a line running from the said watershed to the junction of the Raing and Rungjo rivers; then the Raing down to its junction with the Teesta. *East.*—The Teesta river. *South.*—The Boycuntpore estate; then the Gulma river; then survey Nos. 877, 882, 855, 865, 879; then the eastern half of the Mahanuddy river opposite survey Nos. 879, 866, and 870; then the Mahanuddy river; then the Moorgong estate, survey No. 827; then survey No. 845A; then Kynanooka jote; then the Ganges and Darjeeling cart road; then survey Nos. 787, 936, 944, 921, 927. *West.*—The Chamta nuddee, which skirts survey No. 973 and passes through survey No. 970; then survey Nos. 970 and 976; then the Khooklong nuddee; then a demarcated line to survey No. 182. The jote known as 'Shilibhita' is not included in the reserve.
Ditto ...	Terai	Mechi	*North.*—The Darjeeling Hills. *East.*—Survey Nos. 1009¼, 35, 106, 70, 75. *South.*—Survey No. 24. *West.*—The Mechi river.
Ditto	Ditto	Soorj Bur Forest	*North and East.*—Survey No. 76. *South.*—Survey No. 45. *West.*—The Mechi.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Balasun and Dulkajhar forests.	*North.*—The Darjeeling hill territory and survey No. 997. *East.*—Survey Nos. 1001, 990A, 990, 990B, 967, 989, 903, 953. *South.*—Survey Nos. 979, 702, 673, 738, 704, 742; then the Hurlia nuddee; then survey No. 583; then the Hurlia nuddee again; then survey Nos. 717, 721, 582, 636, 605 636 again; then the Taipoo nuddee; then the Kaldoe nuddee; then survey Nos. 573, 589, 577. *West.*—The Lulfa jhora; then survey Nos. 420, 419, 380, 378, 385, 407 (Tepra Bhola), 1006¼, 1006¾, 1006½. The jotes known as Major Wardroper's and Rishabari are not included in the reserve.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Rukti	*North.*—The Silligori-Punkabari road.

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Darjeeling ...	Terai	Rukti	*East and South-east.*—The eastern branch of the Rukti river. *West.*—Survey Nos. 920B, 908, 911, and the western branch of the Rukti river.
Ditto .	Hill Territory ...	Merig	*North.*—The Rungbong river. *East.*—The Murma estate. *South.*—The Phoogarhi land. *West.*—The Siminpokri, Singhee Sooba's, and Tharboo estates.
Ditto ...	Dumsong ...	Nazzeok .	*North.*—The Rilli river and its feeder the Reyoong. *East.*—The watershed between the Seth and Siok jhoras; then the watershed between the Door and Siok jhoras up to the trigonometrical point at Nazzeok. *South.*—The watershed between the Door jhora on one side and the Runeyoth and Gooling jhoras on the other side, from Nazzeok to the Teesta. *West.*—The Teesta.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Tunang.. ...	*North-West.*—The Rilli. *North-east.*—A line running along a ridge from the junction of the Rereoong and Rilli rivers to Tunang. *South-east.*—A line running along a ridge from Tunang to the junction of the Nuboong and Reyoong rivers. *South-west.*—The Reyoong river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Rinkinpung .	*North and East.*—The Teesta Kalingpung road; then a line running south from it and nearly parallel with the Teesta until near Tunklong; then following a ridge to Rinkinpung, and another spur running in an eastern direction to the Rilli; then the Rilli. *South-east.*—The Rilli. *West.*—The Teesta.
Ditto .	Ditto	Kalingpung ...	*West and North-west.*—The Teesta. *East, South-east, and South.*—The Torchu; then a line running nearly parallel to the Teesta, at a distance of from half to one mile to the Teesta-Kalingpung road; then the Teesta-Kalingpung road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dumsong ...	*North.*—The Rungpo Chu. *East.*—A line running along a ridge from the Rungpo Chu, between Cashun and Kohu, until close to Dumsong; then along the road from Dumsong to Duschung; then along the road from Duschung towards Kalingpung. *South.*—A line running from the Kalingpung-Duschung road to the watershed between the Teesta and Rilli rivers, meeting that watershed about three-fourths of a mile south-west of Eecha; then running first in a northerly and then a westerly direction to the Torchu. *West.*—The Torchu; and then the Teesta.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Payong... ...	*North west.*—The Kalingpung-Duschung road. *North-east.*—The watershed between the Noonchu and Maydong rivers; and then the Kalingpung-Laba road. *South-east.*—The watershed between the Noonchu and Rilli rivers. *South-west.*—A line running from the south-eastern boundary to the Kalingpung-Duschung road.

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Darjeeling ...	Dumsòng ...	Maydong ..	*North.*—An irregular line running from the Kalingpung Duschung road to the Pakathaw monastery. *East.*—The watershed between the Maydong and Rushett rivers. *South.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road. *West.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road, and then the watershed between the Noon Chu and Maydong rivers, and then the Kalingpung-Duschung road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Khempung ..	*North and East.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road. *South.*—The watershed between the Rilli and Jeetchu rivers as far as the Siehoor hills; then a ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali. *West.*—A line running from the southern boundary to the Pako Chu, then the Pako Chu; then the Rilli; then the Kaling Chu and then a line running from the Kalung Chu to the watershed between the Rilli and Noon Chu rivers; then up that watershed to the Kalingpung-Laba road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Loolagaon ...	*North.*—A ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali. *East and South.*—The watershed between the Rilli on one side and the Jeet and Lessoo rivers on the other side. *West.*—A line running from the south boundary to the Rereoong; then to the Rungno Chu; and then to the ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali.
Julpigoree ...	Western Dooars	Apalchand ...	*North.*—A demarcated line near the southern boundary of Udlabari talook and the Chel nuddee. *East.*—A demarcated line running from the Chel nuddee along the western boundary of the late Durga Mechi's land, known as Khatea Gaon Rajadanga; then in a westerly direction to the northern boundary of Binua Ram zemindar's land, known as Khilabari Rajadanga, to the Phul nuddee; then across that nuddee along the southern boundary of the sâl forest to the land of Maher Ali and others, known as Kala Duar, skirting these to the high land north of Kadambari village, along the edge of that high land to the Apalchand river, excluding the land known as Shamsher pokri; then the Apalchand river; then round the Sidabari jote, so as to exclude it; then again the Apalchand river; then a demarcated line running from the Apalchand to the Gila nuddee; then the Gila nuddee; then a demarcated line running in a southerly, easterly, and again in a southerly direction to the Duramari nuddee so as to exclude all lands under settlement with jotedars. *South.*—The Duramari and Chengamari nuddees; then a line from the latter to the Teesta so as to exclude Pataro's jote. *West.*—The Teesta river and a demarcated line running along the southern and eastern boundary of the Gazlidhuba tea estate; then the Apalchand; then the Duduamari nuddee; then a demarcated line running in a westerly and north-westerly direction to the Gonda jhora; then following the boundaries of Punjab Sing's and Mr. Haughton's jotes up to the north boundary.

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Julpigoree	Western Dooars...	Tundu	*North.*—The boundary between the Julpigoree and Darjeeling district. *East.*—The Jhuldaka river; then a demarcated line running near its eastern bank; then again the Jhuldaka. *South.*—A demarcated line near the west bank of the Jhuldaka; then the Jhuldaka; then the Murti river; then a demarcated line running from the Murti, first in a southern and then in a western direction to the Dhurla river, meeting the latter just above Lataguri Hât. *West.*—First the Dhurla river; then a demarcated line round Borodighi jote so as to exclude it; then again the Dhurla; then a demarcated line running from the Dhurla, first in an eastern and then north-eastern direction, to the Murti river; then the Murti; then a demarcated line running from the Murti to the Indong river; then the Indong.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dainah	*North.*—The Bhootan boundary. *East and South.*—The eastern bank of the Longtee river; then a demarcated line running first approximately parallel with the Dainah river, and then back to that river; then the east bank of the Dainah river; then a line running approximately parallel with the Dainah and back to the Dainah, meeting it close to its junction with the Jhaldaka; then the Dainah. *West.*—The Jhaldaka; then a demarcated line following the boundary of the Bamundanga tea estate back to the Dainah; then the Dainah; then a high bank; then again the Dainah; then the Ghateea; then the Coojee Dainah; then a high bank; then again the Coojee Dainah; then a line to the Chengmaree plateau; then along the edge of that plateau to the Dainah; then the west bank of the Dainah to the Bhootan frontier.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Muraghat ...	*North.*—A demarcated line running from the source of the Kanai nuddee to the source of the Garati nuddee. *East.*—The Garati nuddee; then a short line to the Ghairruta nuddee; then the Ghairruta nuddee. *South and West.*—The Nonai nuddee and then the Kanai nuddee.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Dulgaon ...	*North.*—A line running from the Tasahti to the Birpiti nuddee. *East.*—The Birpiti nuddee. *South.*—A line running from the Tasahti to the Birpiti nuddee. *West.*—The Tasahti nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dumchi ...	*North.*—A line running from the Dabdoob nuddee to a jhora which joins the Sookhan-Titi nuddee. *East.*—A jhora which joins the Sookhan-Titi, and the Sookhan-Titi nuddee. *South.*—The Sookhan-Titi nuddee and the Wihtee nuddee. *West.*—The Sap jhora and the Dabdoob nuddee
Ditto ...	Ditto	Khairbari ...	*North-west and West.*—The Sookhan jhora and a line close to the Gungthung nuddee then the Gungthung nuddee. *East and South-east.*—A line from the Sookan jhora to the old Toorsa nuddee; then the old Toorsa nuddee.

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Julpigoree ...	Western Dooars	Borojhar ...	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Hashmara, Balla, Tursa, and Molungi nuddees; then a demarcated line from the Molungi nuddee to the Buri Basra nuddee; then the Buri Basra and Alaikuri nuddees. *South.*—The Bania nuddee; then a demarcated line from it to the Buri Tursa; then the Buri Tursa river. *West.*—The Ulundi nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Hashmara nuddee; then the Hashmara nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Tursa; and the Tursa river up to the Bhootan frontier.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Buxa	*North.*—A demarcated line from the Alaikuri or Pana river, running in a south-easterly direction to the Alipore-Buxa road, meeting it just below Sentrabari; then running first in a north-easterly and then in a south-easterly direction to the Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Bhootan frontier; then the Guddadhur river; then a demarcated line running first west, then south, then east, back to the Guddadhur river; then again the Guddadhur river. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Guddadhur in a westerly direction to the Paror nuddee. *West.*—A demarcated line from the Paror river to the Nimti nuddee; then the Nimti nuddee; then a demarcated line running first east, then south-east, then east, and then north to the Gurm nuddee; then the Gurm nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Alaikuri river; and the Alaikuri river to the north boundary.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Raidak	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Raidak river. *South.*—A small jhora joining the Raidak river with the Nasirpak nuddee. *West.*—The Nasirpak nuddee; the Chipra nuddee; a demarcated line from the Chipra nuddee, first in a north-eastern, then eastern, then northern, and then western direction to the Dhola jhora; the Dhola jhora; and the Bhootan frontier to the north boundary.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dhampara	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Sunkos river. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Sunkos, first in a western, then north-western, and then again western direction to the Raidak river. *West.*—The Raidak river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Bholka	*North.*—The Sunkos river. *East.*—The Sunkos river, the Bhataldara jhora, and the Jhorai nuddee. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Jhorai, first in a westerly and then north-westerly direction, to the Kulkuli nuddee. *West.*—The Kulkuli nuddee; then a demarcated line from the Kulkuli in a north-easterly direction to the Gholanee nuddee; then the Gholanee nuddee; then a demarcated line from it in a north-easterly direction to the Sunkos.

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Lohardugga ...	Palamow ...	Kechki ...	*North.*—The Aurunga river. *West.*—The Koel river. *South-east.*—A line running from the Koel to the Aurunga.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Betla	*North.*—The north boundary of mouzah Hateeyali; then the western boundary of Damooder Khar; then down a feeder of the Aurunga river to that river; then the Aurunga. *East.*—The Aurunga river. *South.*—The south boundary of Damooder Khar; then down a small stream joining the Teorahee nuddee; then up the Teorahee nuddee; then the northern boundary of Lookum Khar, Gadee, and Kocheelah mouzahs. *West.*—A straight line running from the junction of the boundaries of Kocheelah, Ookamand, and Moondah in a northerly direction to the junction of the boundaries of Moondah, Dooramee, Ukbera, and Betal mouzah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Saidope ...	*North.*—The northern boundary of Khamee tuppa to the junction of the boundaries of Morwaie, Kullan, Jurgudh, Ganseday, and Lat, then following the western boundary of Jurgudh to a western feeder of the Douree nuddee; then down that feeder to the western boundary of Saidope; then along that boundary in a southerly direction to the foot of the hills; then following the foot of the hills to the eastern boundary of Saidope; then the eastern boundary of Saidope to an eastern branch of the Douree nuddee; then that branch until to a point about one mile north-west of Hurnomand village; then a line running in a southerly direction to the foot of the hills; then following the foot of the hills to the western boundary of Joroahur; then a line following a small stream for about one mile in a north-easterly direction and then northerly direction to the junction of the boundaries of Gadee, Cheepadohur, and Kedh; then along the northern boundary of Kedh to the Aurunga river. *East.*—The Aurunga river; then the Poobon and Jeewa nuddees. *South.*—The western boundary of Baree tuppa; then up a feeder of the Jeewa nuddee; then following the foot of the hills up to the Charo nuddee; then the Charo nuddee and the Koel river. *West.*—The western boundary of Meral mouzah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Kumandee ...	*North.*—A line starting from the north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah and following the foot of the hills to the western boundary of Kumandee; then along the southern boundary of Kumandee; then up a small stream; then the southern boundary of Nowagadha; then down a small stream for a short distance; then up another branch of it; then along the southern boundary of Bindi.

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Lohardugga ...	Palamow ..	Kumandee ...	*East.*—The western boundary of Bichra and Zer. *South*—The north-eastern boundary of Munkheree tuppa; then the northern boundary of Kookoo; then the Ranee Deh nuddee to where the north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah crosses it. *South-west.*—The north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Ramundag ...	*North.*—The Burmahee nuddee; then a line running in an eastern direction to the western boundary of Purroh; then the northern boundary of Purroh and Ramundag; then the eastern boundary of Khamee tuppa; then the northern boundary of Kantokona and Koreemoree mouzahs to the Dhadoon nuddee. *East.*—The Dhadoon nuddee. *South*—The Jorhur nuddee and the Koel river. *West.*—The Goanjh nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Barasand ...	*North.*—The Koel river. *East.*—The eastern boundary of Baras and Tuppah. *South*—A line running from the east boundary of Baras and Tuppah, first in a northerly and then easterly direction, to the junction of the Baras and Checharee roads; then following the Checharee road in a southerly direction to where it crosses the northern boundary of Checharee tuppa; then following the northern boundary of Checharee tuppa in a westerly direction. *West*—The western boundary of Baras and Tuppah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Seema ...	*North.*—The southern and eastern boundary of Maromand; then the southern boundary of Loiah; then the western boundary of Hoolok; then the northern boundary of Serum; then the western boundary of Dareechapur, Jaigir, and Bareebun; then the northern boundary of Kanteh for about one mile; then a line running in a southerly direction to the south boundary of Kanteh; then the south boundary of Kanteh, Toreedag, and road to a small feeder of the Koel; then down that feeder to the Koel. *East*—The Koel river. *South.*—Starting from the Koel, first the south boundary of Palamow until where it meets the edge of the Neturhat plateau; then a line following the edge of that plateau in a northerly direction until opposite the source of a small stream which joins the Pindra nuddee about one mile below Pinda; then a straight line running in a westerly direction to where the southern boundary of mouzah Koorgee hits the western boundary of Seema tuppa. *West.*—The western boundary of Seema tuppa.
Shahabad ...	Sasseeram ...	Rhotas plateau ..	The Rhotas plateau being the table-land bounded on all sides by the slopes known as the Rhotas slopes, except on the south west corner, where a narrow neck of land joins it to taluka Rehul.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Rhotas slopes ..	The Rhotas slopes being sides of the hill from the plain to the crest, the summit of which forms the Rhotas plateau, the said slopes extending irregularly for a distance of about 28 miles round the plateau.

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Shahabad ...	Sasseram ...	Rehal plateau ...	The Rehal plateau, comprising that part of taluka Rehal which is at present held khas by Government, and including the cultivated portion formerly settled with the Maharajah of Deo, and lately taken up under the Land Acquisition Act. The plateau is bounded on the south and east by the Rehal slopes, on the north by mouzahs Boodhua and Chunda, and on the west by mouzahs Borgar and Pipardip.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Bans-i-Koh ...	The tract of land known as the Bans-i-Koh, being a strip of land about six miles in length comprising slopes and valley; bounded on the north by the plateau villages of Dholdag, Bundah, and Sodag, and on the south by mouzahs Mudkopea and Nomadih, Amangua, Teera-Khurd, and Kalon.
24-Pergunnahs Jessore ...	Satkhira ... Khoolna, Bagirhat.	Sunderbuns ...	*North.*—From the Kalindi nuddee, eastward along the northern boundary of the ungranted portion of lot No. 164, called Koekhali, to the Jaboona river; then down the Jaboona; then along the eastern boundary of the Kalenchi Abad; then the Moor Gong; then the Aburi and Allooah khals; then up the Eshamutti river; then along the northern boundary of ungranted lot No. 169; then the Chuar Gong; and then the Colputto river to the Arpungassya river; then the Shakbaria nuddee; then the Mysaleer khal to its junction with the Seepsah river; then southwards along the Seepsah river to the point where it is joined by the Sootur Khalee river; then northwards along the said Sootur Khalee until it joins the Bhudder river; then southwards along the Bhudder river to the point where it is met by the khal or creek called Loutakhalee in the maps, but locally known as Khajoorbaria khal, and which said khal forms the northern boundary of lot No. 226, called Kurumjal; then along the south and west banks of the said Loutakhalee creek or Khajoorbaria khal to its junction with the Pussur river; then a short distance south along the Pussur river and across it to the Nora Cheela khal, which forms the northern boundary of lot No. 240; then along the said Nora Cheela khal to its junction with the gang or river called Cheela Chandpie; then across the Cheela Chandpie, and along the south bank of the Khurma nuddee or river as far east as its point of junction with the Bhola river, which flows on the west of the well-known lots, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 Khowlea Barisal. *East.*—The Bhola river; then the Bogee khal and the Hooringotta river. *South.*—The Sea. *West.*—The Kalindi nuddee and the Roymungul river.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	.....	Miani	The area drained by the Miani river, bounded as follows:— *North.*—Hill Tipperah. *East.*—The watershed between the Miani and Kassalong rivers. *West.*—The watershed between the Miani and Chingri rivers.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest	Description of Boundaries.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	.....	Miani .	*South.*—A demarcated line from the mouth of the Miani river, east and west, to the eastern and western boundary.
Ditto ...	.....	Sitapahar ...	A block consisting of two pieces of land, on the banks of the Kurnafooli, east of Sitapahar, the boundaries of which run as follows :— *First piece.*—Starting from the Kurnafooli, opposite Sitapahar, in a northern direction for about one mile ; then following a ridge towards the east and south-east until it meets the Kurnafooli, near a place called Fukeerachar ; then down the Kurnafooli until opposite Sitapahar. *The second piece* of land is bounded on the north by the Kurnafooli ; on the east by the Kaptie ; south by a line parallel with the Kurnafooli, at about three-fourths of a mile distance ; west by a small stream joining the Kurnafooli opposite Royonpara.
Ditto ...	.....?	Martamori ...	*East.*—The watershed between the Martamori river on one side, and the Twine Choung and Sungoo river on the other side. *South and West.*—The watershed between the Martamori river on one side, and Arrakan and the area drained by the Bagkhali river on the other side. *North.*—A demarcated line running from Alai Khwadong east and west to the eastern and western boundaries.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 17th January 1879.—It is hereby notified, under paragraph 2 of Section 8, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, that in compliance with the recommendation of the local authorities, the Lieutenant-Governor intends to declare the Union of Chagdah, in the district of Nuddea, to be a second-class Municipality with effect from the 1st April 1879, unless good reasons to the contrary be shown within one month from the publication of this notice within the union.

1. Ghugia.	7. Jashrah.
2. Chagdah.	8. Palparah.
3. Kantalpuli.	9. Bhobanipore.
4. Beliadanga.	10. Goreparah.
5. Ghoshparah.	11. Khashbash Mohulla.
6. Notoongram.	12. Kaziparah.

2. The proposed Municipality consists of the twelve villages named in the margin, and will be bounded as follows :—

On the North—By the Harar Khal ;

On the West—By the bed of the river Hooghly, known locally by the name of Churuckgunga and by the village "Palpara Baour ;"

On the South—By the lands of the villages of Monshapota and Ektarpore ; and

On the East—By the lands of villages Khidirpore and Pumlia, by the Ukhundi Bheel and the Imperial road.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that the following forms shall be substituted for forms Nos. 2 and 3 appended to the rules for regulating labour transport under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873, which were published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 21st January 1874.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 2.

Register of Emigrants engaged by Sirdars in gangs of twenty and under, to be kept by the Magistrate under Sections 21 and 24 of Act VII (B.C.) of 1873.

Date of registry.	Register number.	Name of emigrant.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Sex.	Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	Relationship, if any, to others in the batch.	Period of service.	Rate of wages.	Maximum price at which rice to be supplied.	Name of garden sirdar.	District where recruited.	District where registered.	Names of garden and district for which engaged, and of Calcutta agents or manager of such garden.	Labour district to which to proceed.	Route to be taken to garden.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-named emigrants, who have one and all acknowledged in my presence their willingness to contract on the above terms, which have been fully explained to them.

Magistrate.

N. B.—The above form will serve both for registration boo under section 21 and for the abstract of contract under section 24.

No. 8.

Register of Emigrants recruited by Sirdars and recruiters for despatch through Contractors' Depôts, to be kept by the Magistrate under Section 43, Act VII (B.C.) of 1873.

Date of registry.	Register No.	Name of emigrant.	Father's name.	Caste.	Age.	Sex.	Zillah.	Pergunnah.	Mouzah.	Relationship, if any, to others in the batch.	Period of service.	Rate of wages.	Maximum price at which rice is to be supplied.	Name of depôt recruiter or sirdar recruiter.	District where recruited.	District where registered.	Contractor's depôt to which to be conveyed, and where situate	By whom conducted to depôt.	Names of garden and district for which engaged, if recruited by a sirdar recruiter.	Labour district to which to proceed.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22

I hereby certify that I have duly examined the above-named emigrants, who have one and all acknowledged in my presence their willingness to emigrate on the above terms, which have been fully explained to them.

Magistrate.

N. B.—A certified extract of the above is to be furnished to each emigrant A certified extract of entries relating to each batch is to be forwarded to the Superintendent of Emigration at Calcutta.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 732A.

The 21st January 1879.—Dr. R. A. Barker, Civil Medical Officer, Bograh, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the bench of Magistrates at the Sudder Station of Bograh, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 29th January 1879.—Baboo Bogola Prosono Mozoomdar, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to act as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Tipperah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Baboo Ram Narain Banerjee, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to act as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Dinagepore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Mr. C. G. M. Shircore, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

The 31st January 1879.—Baboo Mohim Chunder Ghose, B.L., Moonsif of Madaripore, in Furreedpore, is promoted to the Second Grade of Moonsiffs, *vice* Moulvie Abool Hossein.

Baboo Hem Chunder Mitter, Attorney-at-Law, is appointed to be a Moonsiff of the Fourth Grade, and is posted to Arrareah, in Purneah.

The 3rd February 1879.—Syed Moazzim Hossein, temporary Additional District Judge, Behar, is allowed leave for one month, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 1st February* 1879.—Baboo Madhub Chundra Chakrabutti, a Moonsif of Satkhirah, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, has been allowed leave of absence for two months, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

The 3rd February 1879.—Baboo Probode Chunder Dutt, Moonsif of Nattore, in the district of Rajshahye, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Clause 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Tara Prosunno Banerjee, Moonsif of Chuprah, in the district of Sarun, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, from the 15th February 1879, or from any date on which he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Judapati Banerjee, Third Moonsif of Comillah, in the district of Tipperah, has been allowed leave of absence for two months, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may avail himself of it.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Under the provisions of Sections 5 and 7 of Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the Chaugaon Sub-Registry Office in the district of Rajshahye from Chaugaon to Singra.

This change will have effect on and from the 1st February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Under Section 6 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the appointment of a separate Rural Sub-Registrar to the charge of the Sub-Registry Office of Bhola, in the district of Backergunge, and appoints Syed Abdus Salam to be Rural Sub-Registrar of the place.

These arrangements will take effect from the 15th February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Mr. Edward Branson Harris, C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be also Sub-Registrar of Monghyr, *vice* Mr. H. S. Thompson, deceased.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the district of Maldah be excluded from the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and be included in that of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye, and that the Sessions Court do sit for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the District Magistracy of Maldah, at Maldah, which place has been approved of by the High Court.

2. Application will be made to the Government of India for sanction to the abolition of the office of Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge in the districts of Darjeeling and Julpigoree. The Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division do cease to exercise jurisdiction as Civil and Sessions Judge in those districts, and that the district of Darjeeling be included in the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge now exercised by the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner in the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Darjeeling as the place where the sittings of the Court of Session shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor further directs that, saving always the provisions of Act XVI of 1869, the district of Julpigoree be included within the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judges of Rungpore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge exercised by the Deputy Commissioner of the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Julpigoree as the place where the sittings of the Court of Sessions shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

4. These arrangements will take effect from the 1st February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th January 1879.—It is hereby notified that under Section 3, Regulation VI of 1819, the Lieutenant-Governor declares the ferry on the river Jumna, between the village of Gheor on the south and Bailjuree on the north, in thana Jaffergunge, in the district of Dacca, to be a public ferry.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION

The 21st January 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of Section 11 of the European Vagrancy Act IX of 1874, the Lieutenant-Governor declares that the building in the Alms House in Amherst Street, Calcutta, is fit for a Workhouse for the reception of vagrants and for the purposes of the said Act.

2. Under Section 12 of the said Act, the Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions the appointment of Mr. Thomas McGuire, the Superintendent of the Alms House, as Governor of the Workhouse, and, under the same section, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints the following gentlemen to be members of a Committee of Management of the Workhouse:—

Hon'ble W. F. McDonell, v.c., *President.*	Mr. J. Lambert.
Mr. W. M. Souttar.	,, G. Yule.
Dr. S. C. Mackenzie.	,, E. Lindstedt.
,, A. S. Lethbridge.	Capt. C. J. Wilkinson.

3. Under Section 14 of the Act the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes Mr. McGuire to punish, under the supervision and direction of the Committee of Management, any vagrant who knowingly disobeys or neglects any of the rules for the management and discipline of the Workhouse, with any one of the punishments described in that section.

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th January 1879.

No. 25.—Posting.—Mr. F. Sills, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, having returned* from Madras Famine Relief Works, is posted to the First Calcutta Division.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No 3 of 3rd January 1879.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 31st January 1879

No. 26.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a brick-field for making bricks for the Kajla road, in the village of Mashkatadighi, pergunnah Laskerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 beeghas and 2 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Sairat Mollah's land; on the east by Katakhally khal and Tarun Mundle's land; on the south by the Nattore road; and on the west by Neamut Mundle's lands, is required within the aforesaid village of Mashkatadighi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all to whom it may concern.

No. 27.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a brick-field for manufacturing bricks for the Kajla road, in the village of Talaimary, pergunnah Lashkarpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2 beeghas 10 cottahs and 7 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by bamboo tope of Makand Lal Sarkar and Ramdhan Mundle's uncultivated lands; on the east by the road leading to Talaimary Hât; on the south by the *matial* of Ram Lal Moitra and Bhagabutty Churn Baboo; and on the west by the Golabari of Ramdhan Mundle, is required within the aforesaid village of Talaimary.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all to whom it may concern.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 31st January 1879.

No. 28.—*Transfer.*—Mr L. R. Roberts, Superintending Engineer (temporary rank), Second Grade, Officiating Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, is transferred to the North-Western Circle.

No. 29.—*Leave of Absence* —The undermentioned officer has been allowed an extension of his furlough by the Secretary of State for India:—

W. H. Nightingale, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Public Works Department, for three weeks.

The 1st February 1879.

No. 30.—Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, attached to the Dacca Division, is allowed privilege leave for one month, under Civil Leave Code, Supplement F, Section 12, in extension of the privilege leave already granted† to him.

† Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No 11 of 20th January 1879.

LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 3rd February 1879.

No. 31.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for raising and metalling the Kajla road in the village of Ramchandrapore, pergunnah Lushkerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose the following plots of lands, measuring more or less 6 beeghas 12 cottahs and 14 chittacks of standard measurement, is required within the aforesaid village of Ramchandrapore.

Plot No. 1.—Bounded on the west by the pucca roads east of Bagichapara Police section-house, north by lands of Barkat Shaikh and Lal Mistree, east by Baboo Khansama's jote lands, and south by Lal Mistree's jote lands.

Plot No. 2.—Bounded on the east and west by Lal Mistree's lands, and on the north and south by Baboo Khansama's lands.

Plot No. 3.—Bounded on the west by Baboo Khansama's lands, on the north and south by Lall Mistree's lands, and on the east by the Nattore road.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 32.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the repair of the Nattore road in the village of Tarapore, pergunnah Lushkerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose four pieces of land, measuring more or less 1 beegha 15 cottahs; 2 beeghas 2 cottahs; 2 beeghas 8 cottahs; and 7 beeghas 12 cottahs 2 dhools, respectively, of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid village of Tarapore.

Plot No. 1.—On the north by land belonging to Burcut Ghorami.
On the south by the Nattore road.
On the east by land belonging to Mohu Sarkar.
On the west by land belonging to Noor Mahomed.

Plot No. 2.—On the north by land belonging to Tozu Mondol.
On the south by the Nattore road.
On the east by land belonging to Misu Mondol.
On the west by waste land of Tozu Mondol.

Plot No. 3.—On the north by land belonging to Shital Mondol and another.
On the south by the Nattore road.
On the east by land belonging to Tozu Mondol.
On the west by land belonging to Tozu Mondol.

Plot No. 4.—On the north by the Nattore road
On the south by land belonging to Idur Sarkar.
On the west by land belonging to Obi Sirdar and Baboo Mridha.
On the east by land belonging to Tilou Mondol

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No 33.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the repair of the Nattore road in the village of Tarof Shuchurn, pergunnah Lushkerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 13 cottahs 19 dhoolo of standard measurement, bounded on the north by land belonging to Mohes Mondol, on the south by the Nattore road, on the east by land belonging to Soku Mondol, on the west by land belonging to Shohabut Mondol, is required within the aforesaid village of Tarof Shuchurn.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 34.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the repair of the Nattore road in the village of Kapasia, pergunnah Lushkerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose three pieces of land, measuring more or less 1 beegha, 3 cottahs 4 chittacks, and 7 cottahs, respectively, of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid village of Kapasia.

Plot No. 1.—On the north by land belonging to Rahuman Bibi.
On the south by the Nattore road.
On the east by land belonging to Anar Shanar.
On the west by a ditch.

Plot No. 2.—On the north by the Nattore road.
On the south by waste land belonging to Anar Shanar.
On the east by land belonging to Anar Shanar.
On the west by a ditch.

Plot No. 3.—On the north by the Nattore road.
On the south by land belonging to Modhu Shaik.
On the east by land belonging to Monir Mridha.
On the west by a ditch.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 35.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the repair of the Nattore road in the village of Belpukurah, pergunnah Lushkerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less one beegha of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the Nattore road, on the south by land belonging to Ram Kumar Mundal, on the east by land belonging to Saku Mundal, on the west by Ram Kumar Mundal's land, is required within the aforesaid village of Belpukurah.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

No. 36.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the repair of the Nattore road in the village of Maiparah, pergunnah Lushkerpore, zillah Rajshahye, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two pieces of land, measuring more or less one beegha each of standard measurement, bounded as follows, are required within the aforesaid village of Maiparah.

Plot No. 1.—On the north by the Nattore road.
On the south by land belonging to Nassar Khalifa.
On the east by land belonging to Godou Mundal.
On the west by a ditch.

Plot No. 2.—On the north by land belonging to Sorif Mundal.
On the south by the Nattore road.
On the east by land belonging to Chand Sirkar.
On the west by land belonging to Hakim Sardar.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

The 4th February 1879.

No. 37.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of new court-houses at Motiharee, in the village of Belbunwa, pergunnah Mujhowa, zillah Chumparun, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 120 beeghas standard measurement, and bounded on the north by a village road and beyond by land cultivated by ryots Chutter Kanhar, Purroon Doosad, Seesunkur Thakoor and Bhudae Mullah; on the east by a village road, and beyond by land cultivated by ryots Jugroop Koery, Dhutaree Kanhar, Fakeer Kanhar, Bular Thakoor and Kannye Lall; on the south by land cultivated by ryots Mohur Aheer, Buskit Hazam, Bular Thakoor and Ramcharan Mullah, and on the west by land cultivated by Fakeer Kanhar, is required within the aforesaid village of Belbunwa, near Motiharee.

2. This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. CADELL, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 29th January 1879.

No. 42.—*Erratum.*—In notification No. 31, dated 22nd January 1879, *for* "1st February 1878" *read* "1st February 1879."

No. 43.—In notification No. 37, dated 24th January 1879, *for* "*Mr.* J. M. Heywood, R.E.," *read* "*Major* J. M. Heywood, R.E."

The 1st February 1879.

No. 44.—*Notifications.*—The following extract from notification No. 56, dated 29th January 1879, of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information:—

* * * * *

"Mr. C. Taylor, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Bengal Irrigation Branch, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department."

The 3rd February 1879.

No. 45.—Mr. F. Simon, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Brahminee-Byturnee Division on the forenoon of the 22nd January 1879.

No. 46.—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Mr. J. P. H. Walker, Superintending Engineer, First Grade, made over charge of the Orissa Circle to Mr. R. H. Rhind on the afternoon of the 23rd January 1879, and availed himself of the privilege leave granted to him from that date.

Nos. 36 and 37, dated 24th January 1879.

No. 47.—The officiating promotions gazetted in the orders marginally noted will have effect from the 24th January 1879.

No. 38, dated 24th January 1879.

No. 48.—*Leave.*—Mr. P. B. Roberts, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Gunduck Division, is granted privilege leave for six weeks, under Section 32 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 49.—Mr. P. Dejoux, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Cement Experiments Division, is granted privilege leave for one month, under Section 32 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 50.—*Notification.*—Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Gunduck Division on the forenoon of the 25th January 1879.

H. C. LEVINGE,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

The 3rd February 1879.

Corrigenda.—In notification No. 51 of the 31st December 1878, for "*Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank),*" read "*Assistant Engineer, First Grade.*"

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[First Publication]

DECLARATION.

WHEREAS it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, as a building site for the East Indian Railway Company in the village of Jerriagadee, pergunnah Khurruckdeeha, zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, more or less, four cottahs and ten chittacks of standard measurement, is required in the said village of Jerriagadee, bounded on the north by land already in possession of the East Indian Railway Company, and on the south, east, and west by cultivated land in the village of Giridi.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

WHEREAS it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, as a building site for the East Indian Railway Company in the village of Giridi, pergunnah Khurruckdeeha, zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, more or less, five beeghas one cottah and eleven chittacks of standard measurement, is required in the said village of Giridi, bounded on the north partly by land already in possession of the East Indian Railway Company and partly by the southern boundary of the village of Jerriagadee; on the south by cultivated land in the village of Giridi; on the east by land (to be) in possession of East Indian Railway Company, as notified in *Government Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight; and on the west by road leading from Giridi Railway Station to Dhurumsala and Hazareebagh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 16th January 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Burdwan, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Santipore to Mymaree *vid* Culnah.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.. Railway Branch.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৫ জানুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই ফেব্রুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের দ্বিতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ই, সি, মরগেন, শরিফ।

TREASURY NOTICE.

MR. J. A. CRAVEN, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Darjeeling Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

H. ULICK BROWNE, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN.,
Dated Rampore Beauleah, the 13th January 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

THE Latin subjects for the Gilchrist Scholarship Examination of 1880 will be "Cicero de Amicitiâ and Oratio pro Lege Manilia."

The 25th January 1879. A. W. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

The following Text-book in English History has been appointed for the Entrance Examination of 1880 and following years, instead of Lethbridge's History of England :—
Miss Edith Thomson's England, being volume 2 of the Historical Course for Schools, edited by Edward A. Freeman, D.C.L.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Registrar.*

SENATE HOUSE, *the 22nd January* 1879.

THE undermentioned students have passed the B. A. Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.

In order of Merit.

1	Sitáram	...	Canning College, Lucknow
2	Ray, Atulkrishna	...	Hooghly College.
3	Mukhopadhyay, Krishnadhan	...	Presidency College.
4	Basu, Debendrabijay	...	Ditto.
5	Sengupta, Kisorimohan	...	Ditto.
6	Narayan Das	...	Lahore College.
7	Sarkar, Charuchandra	...	Presidency College.
	Mukhopadhyay, Makundadeb	...	Hooghly College.
9	Chattopadhyay, Rajendranath	...	Presidency College.
10	Mitra, Amulyacharan	...	Ditto.

SECOND DIVISION.

In alphabetical order.

	Achhruram	...	Lahore College.
	Adhikari, Sasibhushan	...	Hooghly College.
	Bandyopadhyay, Nandalal	...	Presidency College.
	Basil, M. M.	...	Ditto.
	Basu, Bhupendranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Tarakchandra	...	Ex-Student, Dacca College.
	Bhattacharyya, Jugadas	...	Cathedral Mission College.
	Chakrabarti, Indranarayan	...	Patna College.
	Chaudhuri, Tarapada	...	Presidency College.
10	Das, Gobindachandra	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Brajaballabh	...	Krishnaghur College.
	,, Krishnalal	...	Presidency College.
	Kundu, Rajkumar	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Pal, Maniklal	...	Hooghly College.
	Raushanlal	...	Agra College.
	Ray, Indranarayan	...	Hooghly College.
	,, Sailendrabandhu	...	Ex-Student, Hooghly College.
	,, Sasadhar	...	Presidency College.
	Sarkar, Asutosh	...	Ex-Student, Dacca College.
20	,, Joganmohan	...	Dacca College.
	,, Jagatnarayan	...	Patna College.
	Sen, Kisorilal	...	Hooghly College.
23	Tewari, Chandrasekhar	...	Ditto.

THIRD DIVISION.

In alphabetical order.

	Babhu Singh	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Bagchi, Kedarnath	..	Ditto ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Bidhubhushan	...	Presidency College.
	,, Jyotischandra	...	Ex-Student, Presidency College.
	,, Kaliprasanna	..	Dacca College.
	Basu, Bijaygopal	...	Krishnaghur College.
	,, Darikanath	...	Dacca College.
	,, Kedarnath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Kritantakumar	...	Presidency College.
10	,, Manmathanath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
	,, Rakhalchandra	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Sibram	...	Presidency College.
	Bhattacharyya, Maheswar	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	Biharilal	...	Benares College.
	Chakrabarti, Jogendranath	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	Chaudhuri, Tarakisor	...	Presidency College.
	Chandiprasad	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Chattopadhyay, Pankajakumar	...	Presidency College.
20	,, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	Das, Damodar	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	,, Dhairyyanarayan	...	Ex-Student, Krishnaghur College.
	,, Taraprasanna	...	Presidency College.
	Datta, Narendrakrishna	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Nrisinhakumar	...	Ex-Student, Presidency College.
	,, Upendranath	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	De, Ramapati	...	Presidency College.
	Gangopadhyay, Narendranath	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	Gayaprasad	...	Benares College
30	Ghosh, Biharilal	...	Ex-Student, Cathedral Mission College.
	,, Bipinbihari	...	Canning College, Lucknow
	,, Jogendranath	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.
	,, Manmathanath	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Ramottam		Presidency College.
	Goswami, Nrityagopal	...	Ex-Student, Presidency College.
	Johns, G. W.	...	Agra College.
	Kar, Gaurkisor	...	Presidency College.
	Lakshmanprasad	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
	Lala Bindheswariprasad	...	Benares College.
40	Mahabirprasad	..	Canning College.
	Majumdar, Bhabanikisor	...	General Assembly's Institution.
	,, Hridaynath	...	Dacca College.
	Maitra, Herambachandra	...	Presidency College.
	Mohanta, Radhikanath	...	Ex-Student, Presidency College.

	Mukhopádhyáy, Jogendrachandra	...	Free Church Institution, Calcutta.
	,, Jogendranath	...	Presidency College.
	,, Hariprasanna	...	Ex-Student, Presidency College.
	Nag, Abhayacharan	...	Presidency College.
	Nehalchandra	...	Benares College.
50	Pain, Priyalal	...	Presidency College.
	Pál, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	Raghunandanprasad	...	Patna College.
	Ratnaparkhi, Manohar Damodar	...	Benares College.
	Ray, Gurbakhsh	...	Agra College.
	,, Jogendranath	...	Presidency College.
	,, Prasannakumar	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Harimohan	...	Dacca College.
58	,, Narendranath	...	Presidency College.

SENATE HOUSE, the 3rd February 1879. CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Registrar.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 129B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th March 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares ,, ...	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th March 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 10th March 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th March 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 3rd April	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2 500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,,	...	2,500	2 500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total	...	22,500	22,500	45,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th January 1879.

No. 161B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. P. BUCKLAND.

AN examination of the Provision Opium of 1877-78, received from the Behar and Benares Agencies, will take place at the Presidency Opium Godowns, within the Custom House premises on Wednesday, the 12th February 1879, at 11 A.M., to which the public are invited.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.
W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

FORT WILLIAM, the 31st January 1879.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1879.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATION.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 30th January 1879.

No. 208.—The following addition is made to Rule XII of the Rules for the transmission of memorials to Her Majesty's Government, published in Home Department Notification No. 707, dated the 29th March 1878:—

8. When a memorial is an appeal against an order of the Government of India confirming a decision of a Local Government regarding the dismissal, removal or reduction of a Government servant whose salary was not more than Rs. 250 a month.

ESTABLISHMENTS

The 29th January 1879

No. 71.—The services of Mr. C. E. Buckland, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department.

No 74.—Mr. H. H. Risley, Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, is appointed to officiate as Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department, until the return from leave of Mr F. C. Daukes, or further orders.

The 30th January 1879.

No 81.—The transfer of Mr. S. Jacob from the Central Provinces to Bengal, announced in Home Department Notification No. 1258, dated the 20th December 1878, will take effect from the 18th idem, the date following the day on which Mr. Jacob's three months' privilege leave expired.

MEDICAL.

The 31st January 1879.

No. 93.—The services of Third Grade Assistant Surgeon Ram Moy Roy, who was temporarily lent to the Madras Government for famine duty, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—GENERAL.

Fort William, the 30th January 1879.

No. 261 *G.*—In supersession of the Foreign Department Notification No. 175G., dated 17th January 1879, Mr. Roper Lethbridge, C.I.E., Press Commissioner with the Government of India, is granted furlough to Europe for one year from the 3rd February 1879, under Section 12, Chapter IV of the Civil Leave Code, with subsidiary leave for two days.

Mr. C. E. Buckland, C.S., Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, to officiate as Press Commissioner with the Government of India, with effect from the date of assuming charge, *vice* Mr. Lethbridge, proceeding on furlough.

The following orders issued by the Government of India, in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Fort William, the 1st February 1879.

No. 512.—Whereas by the terms of the Notification No. 28, dated 20th April 1859, and by the conditions of the Promissory Notes dated the 31st May 1859, bearing interest at the rate of Five-and-a-Half Per Centum Per Annum, issued in accordance with that Notification, the said Promissory Notes may be paid off and discharged on or after the First day of May 1879, after the expiration of three months' notice of payment, which notice may be issued at any time after the Thirty-first day of January 1879;

And whereas the Governor-General in Council has determined to pay off the said Promissory Notes on the First day of May 1879 as aforesaid:

Notice is hereby given that, on the First day of May 1879, all the said Promissory Notes then outstanding and not accepted for transfer into the Transfer Loan, 1879, and the amount of the said Promissory Notes then outstanding in Registered Book Debt Account and not accepted for transfer into the said Transfer Loan, 1879, will be paid off at the Office of the Bank of Bengal in Calcutta, and that from the said First day of May 1879 interest on the said Promissory Notes and Stock will cease.

Notice is also hereby given that, after the Thirtieth day of April 1879, Notes or Stock of the said Five-and-a-Half Per Cent. Loan of 1859-60 will not be received for transfer to the said Transfer Loan 1879.

Meanwhile, unless the sum of Ten Crores fixed as the amount of the said Transfer Loan 1879 is earlier completed, such transfers will continue to be accepted, in accordance with Notification No. 2640, dated 4th December 1878, at the Head Offices of the Presidency Banks and at the Bank of England only.

The 31st January 1879.

No. 521.—The Governor-General in Council directs the publication of the following Addenda to the Civil Pension Code :—

CIVIL PENSION CODE.

Section 50 *(page* 25*).*

Insert the following as Rule 1*A under this Section.*—

1*A.* Reasonable notice should be given to an officer in permanent employ before his services are dispensed with on the abolition of his office. If, in any case, such notice is not given at least three months before dispensing with the officer's services, and he shall not have been provided with some other employment, then, with the sanction of the Local Government, a gratuity not exceeding his emoluments (as defined in Section 69 (*a*), for the period by which the notice actually given to him falls short of three months, may be paid to him, in addition to the pension or gratuity to which he may be entitled under Section 59. But the responsible officer will be required to explain any neglect on his part which may give rise to expenditure for such a gratuity.

Sectian 82 (*page* 47).

Insert the following as Rule 2 :—

2. When the services of an officer are dispensed with on the abolition of his office, before the necessary enquiries preliminary to the settlement of the pension or gratuity to which he is entitled can be completed, the Accountant-General may sanction the immediate disbursement of the pension to which, after the most careful summary investigation that he can make without delay, he believes the officer likely to be entitled.

If the Accountant-General thinks it likely that the officer would be found entitled to a gratuity only, one-sixth of the amount of such probable gratuity may be disbursed to him monthly until the amount is finally settled.

The settlement of such provisional payments should be made so as to admit of their disbursement not later than one month after the officer has ceased to hold the abolished post.

If, upon the completion of the regular investigation, it be found that the pension or gratuity thus summarily assigned, differs from the pension or gratuity finally settled, the difference must be adjusted in the first subsequent payments. Provided that, if a gratuity summarily assigned under this Rule, proves to be larger than the amount found actually due upon completion of the enquiries, the officer shall not be required to refund any excess actually paid to him, except as provided in Chapter XX. To enable the Accountant-General to exercise the jurisdiction thus entrusted to him, the head of the office from which the officer is removed should furnish to the Accountant-General, as early as possible, immediately that it becomes known to him that the officer must retire, and without waiting for his

actual retirement, the fullest information that can be obtained regarding the officer's service, without correspondence which must cause delay. This information is to be furnished in anticipation of the regular investigation required by Section 74, which, also, should on no account be delayed.

All officers should bear in mind that delay in the payment of pensions or gratuities may involve peculiar hardship, and everything should be done to prevent or shorten to the utmost such delays.

The following orders issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Fort William, the 31st January 1879.

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No. 103.—In G. G. O. No. 81 of 1879, and in the case of Major N. Lowis, *for* " rules IX and XV" *read* " rule IX."

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For arrears of revenue

No. 64.—Nilam Anandi Manullah; recorded proprietors Asmatali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs 1,160-0-3 Share No. 1, of Dewan Ali Sadagar, recorded proprietor Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 580-0-1, share No 2, of Ramjoy Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 64, and No. 3, of Asmit Ali, Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 516-0 2, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue

No 401.—Kismut Bolaram Sarkar, Babait Taraf Sanaullah Khan; recorded proprietors Girish Chandra Rakit and Gurudas Rakhit; sudder jumma Rs 1,063-11-3. The entire estate will be sold

For arrears of revenue.

No. 656.—Taraf Chittra Sen Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Prasanna Kumar Waddadar and Mukta Keshi, sudder jumma Rs. 568-3-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue

No. 669.—Taraf Chhatranarayan Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Abhaya and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-10-4. Share No. 2, of Girish Chandra, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 642 7-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 813.—Kismut Durga Lockan, Krishna Charan Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, Chandra Kala, Ram Sunder Sen, Krishna Mohan Kerani, Gopal Dass, Guru Das Pal and Ram Chandra, Babait Taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ram Sunder Sen and others, sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 883-12-6. Share No. 3, of Kasi Chandra Waddadar, Rasik Chundra, Pran Hari, Kali Kumar and Prosanno Kumar Waddadar, bearing sudder jumma Rs 62-3 9; share No. 5, of Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs 205-2 2; and share No 6, of Chandra Kanto Pal, Chandra Kala, Gurudas Pal, Nakuleshwer Pal, Bakrashwer Pal, Ruki Das Pal, Shulapani Pal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 389 15-11, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold

For arrears of revenue

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Ramesh Charan Rai, sudder jumma Rs 4,138-2-4 The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue

No. 1100.—Taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Ram Sunder Sen, Ram Mohan Sen, Sasti Charan Datta, Krishna Chundra Gupta Pitamber, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra, Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 177-13 2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiyop, recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs 2,272-7-6. Share No 7, of Yassin Khan, Yar Ali Khan, Sarfaraz Khan, Anwar Khan, Mahammad Samil, Amir Ali, and Hamidullah, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs 381-8-6, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No 1469.—Taraf Kumar Kali; recorded proprietors Golam Gaus and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,015-13-0 Share No 1, of Shekh Abdul Fattah, bearing sudder jumma Rs 253-15-3, and share No 2, of Golam Gaus, Golam Hydar, Jalfatnissa, Mahammad Mukim, Nazumannessa, Maimina, Ezarul Huq, Umed Ali, Soobratnessa, Jamiran, Osmannessa, Mahassooma Begum, Farid Lalam and Syud Lalam, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 761-13-9, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1749.—Taraf Mahammad Ali and Rustum Ali; recorded proprietors Krishna Chandra Gupta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,483-3-6 Share of Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,612-6-8, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate for which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1868.—Kismat Mahammad Daem Nazir, Azmutullah Khan, Amirannessa, Babait Taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Mobarek Ali; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-5-3. Share of Ramkanta, Mahammad Tossi, Mosson Ali, Pitamber Parial, Manager of Srimoti Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 506-6-10, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which the revenue have been paid up under separate accounts opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1889.—Taraf Mahammad Shafi Nazir; recorded proprietors Badiar Raheman and others; sudder jumma Rs. 558-7-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Guru Das, and Hara Das Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,853-14-6. Share of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Haradas Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sunder Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimoti Annapurna and others; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7. Share No. 1, of Ram Sundar Sen, sudder jumma Rs 70-12-11; No. 10, of Pitamber Kanungoe, Gour Chandra Rai, Pran Huri Lalla, Prasonna Chandra, and Hari Har Bhattacharjya, sudder jumma Rs. 74-0-9; No. 12, of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemantaram Do, Chaitanya Charan, and Pran Huri Lalla, sudder jumma Rs. 163-12; No. 35, of Ramdhon Barnik, sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, and the remaining share of Bhairab Charan, Chandi Charan, Kali Charan, Nossorullah Munshi, Raj Chandra, Ram Das, Pran Hari Lalla, Tripura Charan, Annada Charan Nityananda, Abdullah, Uzir Ali, *alias* Poton, Debi Charan, *alias* Debu Mahayan, Aukhil Chandra Chaudhuri, Hari Nath, Barnijan Bibi, Ram Kinker, Aukhil Chandra Sen, Ishan Chandra Choudhury, Srimati Shyama Sundari, Guru Das Rai, Ram Das Shikdar, Baisnab Charan, Mohesh, Parbbati Charan Bhattacharyya, Bhobani Das, Bidyalankar, Raj Chandra Sen, for himself and on part of minor Bangsi Mohan Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 145-5-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3039.—Taraf Shyam Raja; recorded proprietors Dhananjoy Raha and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 678-14-3. The share of Dhananjoy Raha, Gakul Chandra, Mahomed Raffi, Muraridhar Sarma, Ram Keshab, Ram Dulal Surma, Ram Kanta, Ram Mohan, Ram Charan Surma, Sharbba Chandra Chakravartti, Shadavan, Anyad Ali, Yar Ali, Jan Ali, Abdul Kader, Jaduram Surma, Ram Sunder Surma, Kailas Chandra, and Ram Kinker Surma, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 223-4-3, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3113.—Taraf Shermat Khan Choudhuri; recorded proprietors Agbar Ali Choudhury and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 527-6-6. The share of Agbar Ali Bhuniya, Dewan Bibi, Jinnat Ali Khan, and Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 361-12-6, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

COMPROMISED MEHAL.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhav; recorded proprietors Balak Das and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4. Share No. 1, of Srimati Pran Krishore, bearing sudder jumma Rs 141-0-10; share No. 2, of Srimati Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 98-0-1; share No. 3, of Ram Sundar Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 418-8-6; and share No. 4, of Srimati Rasheshwari Debya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 383-2-3, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 13407.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Lalita Thakurani and Nayantara Chaudhuria; sudder jumma of the entire taluk Rs. 701-4-3. The share of Lalita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 150-10-10 10 kranto, will be sold, excluding the portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33534.—Taluk Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Annada Charan and Tripura Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B C) of 1868, Act II (B.C) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1879, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Zilwangsa.

No. $\frac{1}{13}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; auction purchasers Nassarat Ali, Omed Ali Choudhury; sudder jumma Rs. 938. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Patili.

No. $\frac{11}{183}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 1,491-4-9. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, Mouza Paharchanda.

No. $\frac{1}{15}$.—Taluk Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Pran Kishna Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 985-2-0. The entire taluk will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Dy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1878 :—

Number.	Towjee number.	Name of estate.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	
	8678	Julkar Nayanadi Rath Khola, pergunnah Bikrumpore.	Ramkristo, Kallykristo, Shoshi Mohun for self and as guardian of Lal Mohun and Kristo Mohun, Mukundalal for self and as guardian of Horendralal and Shyamlal, Chandra Benode Pal for self and as guardian of Prem Benode, Radha Benode Pal, and Chitto Benode Pal.	1,125 0 0	25 11 0	The entire mehal will be sold.

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 9th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of September 1878.

Number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	
1	8434	Government resumed estate Chur Baktabaly.	Prasanna Kumari Debya and Prannath Parey Sabait of Lakshimarayan Thakur	884 0 0	278 0 0	These are resumed estates and are settled with the proprietors. The proprietory and the settlement rights will be sold.
2	8672	Chur Oolail ...	Gasanchandra Datta	1,092 0 0	849 0 0	
3	9084	Kismat Hargoa, within Chur Jalua Kamta.	Bharat Chandra, Harish Chandra, Nilmadhab and Prasanna Kumar Roy Chowdhuri and Draupady, Kubja Sundari Chowdhurani and Nandulal Shaha Ray Chowdhury.	1,836 12 0 R. F. 13 6 0	177 13 10	
4	9423	Chur Bazutva	Ballabhikant Bhattacharjya .	1,338 0 0	756 0 0	
5	9675	Chur Dighaldy, pergunnah Uttarsahpur.	Srimati Kamal Kamini, Sonamani, Ananda mayi, Chandrakala, Rajmani, Dayamayi, Jaytara, Chandra Nath, and Kali Das Mukerjee and Mr. M David.	1,121 0 0	485 0 0	
6	9761	Chur Dalowarpur, pergunnah Bardakhat.	Munshi Golam Mowla Moulavi, Resa Robbani for self and as trustee of the estate of Asmatunnessa Bibi, Dewan Emdad Ali Karimannessa Bibi *alias* Nanee Bibi, Dewan Azimdad Khan.	4,186 0 0	1,733 0 0	
7	10499	Surplus alluvial accretion to estate Muhaddinagar in Tuppeh Khalsa, pergunnah Sultanpratab	Rajah Syama Sankar Ray Bahadur and Parvati Sankar Chowdhury.	1,100 0 0	400 0 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 8th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 297, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Deputy Collector's office at Ranaghat, district Nuddea, on the 28th day of February 1879, corresponding with the 17th Falgoon 1285 (B.S.) for meeting a public demand, viz meeting the sum embezzled by the Manager, Court of Wards' estate, Putia, in the district of Rajshahye.

Class.	Number of towji.	Name of the mehal.	Name of the proprietor.	Government revenue	Amount due.	Remarks.
				Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	337	Pergunnah Mamjoania.	Annada Prosad Mukherji and others.	26,297 6 6 Police ... 345 1 5 Total ... 26,643 7 11	10,892 13 3½ and cost.	Of this estate only 1 anna 3½ sondas 7½ dants will be put up to sale.

CHUNDRA SEKHAR BANARJI, *Deputy Collector of Ranaghat.*

RANAGHAT DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 27th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Maldah will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of March 1879, corresponding with 2nd Chaetro 1285 B S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realised in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Class	Towji number	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Balance due.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	
1st Class	814	Mouah Teke Bara Gird Sajadpur, pergunnah Rokunpore.	Jadunath Baral and Trailakhya Nath Baral	2,358 11 0	89 7 0	Half share of the entire estate belonging to Jadunath Baral will be sold for arrears of Government revenue due on the 13th January 1879 Trailakhya Nath Baral, the proprietor of the other half, had opened a separate account under Act XI of 1859 for his share, and has paid in the revenue due from him.

MALDAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 1st February 1879. R. PORCH, *Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B C) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description	Consignees	Ships
1879.			
Jan. 25	1 Case, F G J M C	Order	S S. Counsellor
,, 25	1 Case, G M C	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	3 Cases, M in a triangle, top E P	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	2 Cases, O J M C, bottom S L & S	Ditto	Ditto
,, 25	1 Case, R T C, bottom I & S	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	1 Bar Square Iron, J or no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Case, 200 in a block, top R B	Ditto	S S Ava.
,, 22	3 Cases, S P D	Ditto	Ditto
,, 26	374 Half Bar Flat Iron, D in a diamond or no mark	Ditto	Ship Leonidas
,, 25	64 Bars Square Iron, D in a diamond or no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	8 Bundles Round and 8 Pairs Round Iron, or no mark.	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	1 Bundle Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	18 Pairs Square Iron, no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 25	1 Bar Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto	Ditto
,, 22	1 Case, A W J in a diamond	Ditto	S. S. Eldorado.
,, 22	3 Packages, B. H & Co. in a diamond	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Case, B S in a cross, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	15 Cases, C & N in a block	Ditto	Ditto
,, 22	3 Cases, E H & Co. in a block, top R B	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	18 Cases, E M N T in a cross	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Cask, addressed	C. Fraser, Esq.	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Case, F W K in a triangle, bottom C & B & Nagassatum.	Order	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Case, addressed	G. G. Gordon, Esq.	Ditto
,, 22	9 Cases, H J & Co.	Order	Ditto.
,, 22	2 Crates, H & E...	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	11 Packages, addressed	Rev W. Macfarlane, care of O. Steel & Co	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Case, addressed	M M Macleod, Esq, care of Cochrane, Esq., Agra Bank, Calcutta.	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Cask, 42nd in a diamond, top M P, bottom A L I	Order	Ditto.
,, 22	5 Cases, R M in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	2 Cases, addressed	Rev W H Skelton, Azimghur.	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Case, S. P. & Co. in a diamond, bottom H. S. K & Co.	Order	Ditto
,, 22	1 Case, X in a circle	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	Graham & Co	Ditto
,, 22	2 Empty Casks, no mark	Order	Ditto.
,, 22	221 Bars and 38 Bundles Round Iron, M white or no mark.	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	1,764 Bars Flat Iron, M C green or no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	6 Bundles and 4 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	10 Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 22	1 Keg, M W in a diamond, bottom Beypore	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	2 Cases, 121 in a diamond, outside A B & Co.	Ditto	S S. Duke of Argyle.
,, 23	2 Bales, 78 in a diamond, outside A B & Co.	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	18 Packages, 45 in a diamond, bottom A J. & Co.	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	1 Case, B & M	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	3 Cakes Copper, T C	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Case, 331 in a diamond, top C. & Co.	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	5 Cases, 317 in a diamond	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Bale, E & Co. in a diamond	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	1 Bale, G D. C & Co in a cross	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	14 Packages, 226 in a diamond, top J O, bottom & Co.	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	4 Cases, 587 in a diamond, top J L N	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	2 Cases, M D & P L in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	2 Cases, 522 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto	Ditto
,, 23	2 Cases, S E C	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	8½ Cakes Spelter, L	Ditto	Ditto.
,, 23	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	Pearse & Baist, Calcutta.	Ditto
,, 23	81 Bundles and 13 Bars Round Iron, U R D or no mark.	Order	Ditto.
,, 24	2 Cases, B M S	Ditto	S. S City of Khios
,, 20	1 Empty Cask, S. J. F & Co.	Ditto	S S City of Oxford.
,, 25	21 Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto	S. Sierra Nevada
,, 25	20 Fire Bricks and 16 pairs broken fire bricks, no mark, or Ramsay.	Ditto	Ditto

CALCUTTA, the 1st February 1879. (793—1) W. D BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 30th January 1879.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A P	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	
January 24th, 1879	46 13 0	45 0 0	80 1 6	61 1 9	233 1 0	
„ 25th, „	68 15 0	59 0 6	99 12 3	95 5 0	323 0 9	
„ 26th, „	77 15 9	75 13 6	85 13 6	55 0 9	294 11 6	
„ 27th, „	57 3 0	56 7 6	87 7 0	73 4 0	274 1 6	
„ 28th, „	54 5 0	54 3 3	84 3 3	62 12 9	255 8 3	
„ 29th, „	60 3 3	59 15 9	88 13 3	77 12 9	286 13 0	
„ 30th, „	59 7 6	55 15 3	88 4 6	69 9 3	273 4 6	
Total ...	424 15 3	406 7 9	614 7 3	494 14 3	1,940 13 6	
Total of previous 3 weeks ...	1,263 12 9	1,218 3 0	1,842 15 9	1,609 14 9	5,934 14 3	
Grand Total ...	1,688 12 0	1,624 10 9	2,457 7 0	2,104 13 0	7,875 10 9	

CALCUTTA, the 1st February 1879. (792—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 28th Jan. 1879.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.
Capital paid up	2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities ...	87,24,865 8 0
Reserve Fund	20,27,480 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	66,97,933 6 10
Public Deposits at Head Office . Rs 1, 4,53,447 11 7		Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	1,37,07,900 0 8
Ditto at Branches . „ 1,10,57,266 8 0	2,25,10,714 4 4	Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches	1,75,43,780 5 9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ..	2,67,96,895 4 5	Balances with other Banks	7,81,625 9 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.	12,19,463 0 6	Bullion	.....
Sundries	6,79,801 13 7	Dead Stock	9,81,354 9 9
		Stamps	7,177 5 6
		Sundries	3,67,252 11 6
			4,82,11,889 9 0
		Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office .. Rs. 67,27,962 15 0	
		Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 1,76,94,412 4 10	2,44,22,375 3 10
Rupees ...	7,32,34,264 13 10	Rupees ...	7,32,34,264 13 10

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 30th January 1879.* W. WESTLAND, *Offg Chief Accott and Dy. Secy.* (787—1) R. HARRIS, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers, any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant
		Rs	
381	O 14—12751	10	Shib Kristo Bose
382	„ 34—26016	100	J. Driscoll, Inspector of River Police, Koilaghaut, Calcutta.
383	O 35—31188	100	Issan Chunder Mukerjee
	„ —31189		
384	O 30—11690 to „ —11700	50 each	Messrs. R. Macallister & Co.
	L 93—86232		
	„ —85467		
	„ —85468		
	„ —72031		
	„ —93753		
	„ —95142		
	„ —95441		
	„ —98117		
	„ —98118		
385	O 35—27045	100	Messrs. A LeRoy & Co.
386	L 93—37893	50	The District Superintendent of Police, Dacca.
	„ 81—46372	50	
	„ 67—17673	50	
	„ 93—58003	50	

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
386	O 39—75302	10	The District Superintendent of Police, Dacca
	L 97—03907	10	
	O 16—35062	10	
	„ —09093	10	
	„ 19—99142	10	
	„ —99443	10	
	„ —99441	10	
	„ 20—30900	20	
387	L 93—91105	50	Ditto.
388	O 35—16399	100	Chundi Pershad.
389	„ 13—74188	10	Shaik Ismail.
390	„ 33—17836	100	Annundo Chunder Ghosal.
391	O 21—45395	20	The Post-Master General, North-Western Provinces.
392	„ 41—51669	10	Mohoruddeen.
395	„ 25—39632	20	Mrs B. J. Tohsaent.
	„ 24—41233	20	
396	L 93—68905	50	Mohendro Nath Dey.
397	L 14—84799	20	Messrs. Kerr, Tarruck & Co.
	O 24—67695	20	
	„ 09254	20	
	„ 22—34001	20	
	„ 24—94719	20	
	„ 43—68219	10	
	„ 68220	10	
	„ 68221	10	
	„ 68394	10	
	„ 68395	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

413	„ 13—63097	10	Wuseor Khan.
414	„ 34—70260	100	A. E. Blake.
	„ —56211	100	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
415	L 93—83363	50	Bosant Lal.
416	„ 1—07812	10	Billas Roy.
417	O 35—12129	100	Roma Nath Dhur.
	„ —12428	100	
	L 93—93768	50	
418	L 1—62961	10	Lolit Mohan Guha.
	A 97—18395	10	
419	O 23—44540	20	F. Mahony.
420	L 93—68298	50	H. H. Fox, C.B.
	O 41—19178	10	
421	„ 35—25814	100	Issur Chunder Ghose.
	„ —24123	100	
422	A 21—75553	10	Rajendra Chandra Ghose.
	„ 19—06837	10	
	„ 21—13845	10	
	„ 19—06858	10	
423	O 23—24054	20	C. G. D Betts.
424	„ 9—04439	10	Poorno Chunder Dutt.
425	L 97—50379	10	Kural Chunder Chatterjee.
426	A 11—91405	50	Annoda Prosad Rudra.
427	L 48—35982	20	Gunesh Bhutt.
	„ 58—58965	10	
428	L 94—69426	100	G L. Smith, B.C.S.
429	O 14—02452	10	Hurro Chunder Mukerjee.
430	„ 19—33576	10	Hafez Mohamed.
	„ 39—45741	10	
431	„ 40—18331	10	Lal Mohan Ghose.
	„ 23—97183	20	
432	„ 22—54953	20	Kali Das Sett.
433	„ 19—76000	10	W. W. R. Burgess.
	L 13—31434	20	
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy.
	„ —57898		
241	A 99—68211	20	Jhummuck Bhagut.
	„ —68212		
242	L 32—38034	10	Choonee Lal.
	„ —38035		
	„ 23—58005	5	
	„ —58006		
244	L 10—95725	5	Bissumbhor Kormokur.
	„ —95789		
245	L 96—91031	10	Opoorbo Kissen Sen.
	„ 91510		
246	O 24—89376	20	W. J. Ainsworth.
	„ 89377		
247	O 22—80895	20	Luckhun Chunder Mullick.
	„ 80896		
	O 5—34729	10	
	„ 34730		
	O 16—24549	10	
	„ 24546		
248	A 96—18187	10	Tonsook Roy.
	L 1—63763		
249	L 22—34971	5	Wooma Charan Nundi.
	„ 34974		
250	A 72—19937	20	Rye Churn Mukerjee.
	A 71—54557		
233	L 3—05070	10	Gris Chunder Das.
	L 4—30157		
148	L 5—05559	10	Chunder Brothers & Co.
	„ 05560		
243	L 17—32663	5	Roghoobur Dial.
	„ 32673		
251	O 25—39943	20	The Treasury Officer, Burdwan.
	„ 39948		
252	O 14—99336	10	Rutnessur Mullick.
	„ 99339		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.
PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 21st January 1879.

Notice.

For Sale.—Court of Wards, Bhagulpore.

A PORTION of the estate of Lalpoor Puttoori will be sold to liquidate the ancestral debts of the whole estate.

Particulars may be obtained at the office of the Collector of Bhagulpore. Written offers for the same will be opened at noon on Wednesday, the 26th February 1879, at the Collector's office, and the estate will then be put up to auction, the highest offer being taken as the upset price.

CHUNDER NARAIN SINGH, *for Collector.*
The 3rd February 1879. (793—2)

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Cooch Behar State.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

THE undersigned is prepared to receive tenders for the erection of a Normal Training and Vernacular School at Cooch Behar.

All particulars of plans, specification, and quantities may be had on application to the office of Public Works Extraordinary, Cooch Behar.

Tenders for above schools must be sent in not later than 21st of February next.

J. ROBINS,
In charge of Public Works Extraordinary.
COOCH BEHAR, dated 1st February 1879. (797—3)

WANTED an Overseer for the District Road Cess Committee of Julpigoree. Salary Rs. 72 per mensem, including allowances. None need apply who has not passed the Public Works Department Overseer's examination, and has not had at least one year's practical experience in the Public Works Department. Health certificate should be submitted together with the application. No replies will be given to unsuccessful candidates. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 21st February 1879.

PRONATH BANERJEE,
(790—2) *Vice-Chairman, D.R.C., Julpigoree.*

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Sub-Divisional Office at Alipore (about 12 miles north of Cooch Behar) in the Western Duars of Bhootan, in the district of Julpigoree. Salary Rs. 60 per month, rising to Rs. 80 by biennial increments of Rs. 2. A good knowledge of English is indispensable; and preference will be given to a person who has already fulfilled the duties of a head clerk in a sub-divisional office in a regulation district, and who is well acquainted with the routine work of a sub-divisional office.

The Head Clerk gets Rs. 5 extra pay for the very little work he has to perform in connection with the Sub-Registrar's Office there, but this is not a permanent addition to the salary of the post.

Apply to the Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree before the 16th February 1879, with copies of testimonials which will not be returned.

W. C. MULLER, *Dy. Magte. in charge,*
for Dy. Commr., Julpigoree.
DY. COMMR.'S OFFICE, JULPIGOREE, the 20th Jan. 1879.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sál beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests.
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

Notice.

CERTAIN effects belonging to the estate of the late Mrs. Harriot Agabeg, who died intestate at Serampore on the 7th December 1878, are in the custody of this Court. They will be delivered over to any person legally authorized to receive the same.

J. P. GRANT, *District Judge.*

HOOGHLY JUDGE'S COURT, the 29th January 1879.

(786—1)

Administrator-General's Office.

NOTICE.

ADMITTED claims against the undermentioned estates are payable on Tuesday and Friday as usual.

ESTATES.	Claims or dividend.	Rates of dividend per rupee.
* Blawers, G. F. Captain, late in the Bombay Staff Corps	Claims ...	In full.
Cruddock, W. Dr., late a Surgeon-Major on the retired list of Her Majesty's Bengal Medical Establishment	1st dividend .	At 1 annas 3¼ pie per rupee.
* Formaon, late of the Bengal Civil Service.	Claims ...	In full.
* Stevens, W. R., late an officiating detail storekeeper, Loco motive Department, East Indian Railway.	Ditto ...	Ditto.

N. B.—The surplus of the estates marked * is carried over to the account for the persons interested, and no other claims against the estates can be admitted

Persons presenting receipts for payment are requested at the same time to produce the registry certificates which have been granted to them from this office.

F. S. COLLIS, *Offg. Admr.-Genl.*

HIGH COURT, CALCUTTA, the 1st February 1879. (791—1)

Notice to Creditors.

Estate Johann Frederick Ludwig Hollmann, late of Moulmein, in British Burmah, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above estate, to which letters of administration were duly granted by the High Court at Calcutta on the 16th day of September 1878, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 1st day of March 1879, and notice is also hereby given that after the expiration of the last mentioned day, the Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator shall then have notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator shall have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 18th day of January 1879.

(771—3) ORR AND HARRIES, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Notice to Creditors.

Estate James Frederick Cockburn, deceased, late of Indore, Central India, Executive Engineer.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above estate, to which letters of administration were duly granted by the High Court at Calcutta on the 16th day of December 1878, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 1st day of March 1879; and notice is also hereby given that after the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator shall then have notice; and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator shall have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 18th day of January 1879.

(772—3) ORR AND HARRIES, *Attorneys-at-Law*

Notice or Citation.

Under Section 250, Indian Succession Act, 1865.

READ WITH THE HINDU WILLS' ACT, No. 21 OF 1870.

In the matter of the estate of Mussammat Sundar Kunwari, deceased.

WHEREAS an application under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, for letters of administration to the estate of Mussammat Sundar Kunwari, late of Bishenpur, Chak Hasham, pergunna Balia, Zillah Munghyr, has been made by Lálá Káli Lál, her (deceased's) sister's son, and whereas Saturday, the 15th March 1879, has been fixed for the hearing of this case, notice is hereby given that any person having any interest in the administration of the estate of the said deceased may, if he desire, appear in this Court on the said 15th day of March 1879, and show cause why the application of the said applicant should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court.

J. M. LOWIS, *District Judge.*

BHAGULPORE DISTRICT JUDGE'S COURT, the 16th January 1879. (795—1)

NOTICE under Section XLII of the Indian Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866.

Estate of COLONEL THOMAS GEORGE MONTGOMERIE, deceased.

All creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are required to send in such claims with vouchers to the undersigned, who are the attornies of Colonel J. J. McLeod Innes, R.E. V.C., the administrator (with copy will annexed) of the estate and effects of the said deceased on or before the 1st day of May next, immediately after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets according to law, and will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

SANDERSON & Co.

Dated this 1st day of February 1879. (796—3)

Execution Case No. 142 of 1878.

Joogul Kissore Khetri and others, decree-holders, *versus* Gopilal Pauray and Jogobundhu Roy, judgment-debtors.

In the above case the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 1st day of March 1879, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 2,436-13-0 due to decree-holders. Particulars may be learned at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Eight annas share of Dehee Barasimulia, Shazadpore, Jotesunder, Dolonia, Nawab Jagir and others, situate in pergunnah Gonkur, division Rughunathgunge, under the Sub-Registrar of Jungypore, turruff Bejoypore, mai madafath, situate in division Mirzapore, under the Sub-Registrar of Jungypore, belonging to judgment-debtor Jogobundhu Roy, whose name is entered as durputnidar on a durputni jumma of Rs. 3,400.

Lot No. 2.—Dehee Mohurapore, Bulluvpore, Birnagar, Serampore, Noruttumpore, Konukpore, mai parajath and madafath, situate in pergunnah Rajshahye, division Palsha, under the Sub Registrar of Nulhata, entered in the zemindari sherista of the Rajah of Nashipore, in the name of judgment-debtor Gopilal Pauray as putnidar on a putni jumma of Rs. 4,196.

Lot No. 3.—Turruff Dangapara, mouzah Shaikdanga, Bongaon, Jagoory, mai madafath and parajath, situate in pergunnah Koomerprotan, entered in the name of judgment-debtor Gopilal Pauray as putnidar in the zemindari sherista of the Rajah of Nashipore on a putni jumma of Rs. 811.

MENU LAL CHATTERJI, *Sub. Judge.*

The 20th January 1879. (799—1)

Soom Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 27th February next, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts, declaring a final dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,

WILLIAMSON, MAGOR AND Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 24th January 1879. (780—5)

Notice.

MR. ROBERT PHILIP HEILGERS has been empowered to sign our firm from this date.

F. W. HEILGERS & Co.

CALCUTTA, 1st February 1879. (788—3)

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. J. Dyce Nicol in our firm ceased this day under the provisions of the partnership articles.

McKEWAN & Co.

CALCUTTA, 31st January 1879. (789—3)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of WOOMESH CHUNDER SING and BHYRUB CHUNDER SING, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 21st day of January instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

BOLYCHUND DUTT, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 25th day of January 1879.

IN the matter of ALEXANDER MOIR PORTEOUS, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 11th day of February instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Insolvent in person.

☞ *Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

IN the matter of ALEXANDER MOIR PORTEOUS, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 29th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of ALEXANDER MOIR PORTEOUS, of No. 5, Emambaugh Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, an Assistant in the Military Department of the Government of India, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Wednesday, the 29th day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of ALBERT THORNDIKE and CHARLES PATTERSON ABBOTT, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 7th day of January last, it was ordered that the order *nisi* made in this matter be enlarged, and the further hearing of the matters of the petition of the said Insolvents do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 1st day of July next; and it was further ordered that the said Insolvents do amend their schedule filed in this matter, and that the said Insolvents do then respectively attend to be examined.

Sanderson & Co., *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of THOMAS HENRY HENTY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 19th day of November last, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 3rd day of June next, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged to the said 3rd day of June next, and also ordered that the said Insolvent do in the interim every three months file an account with the Official Assignee of this Court of his gross earnings, and pay the said Official Assignee monthly for the benefit of the estate of the said Insolvent one-fourth of such gross monthly earnings, the first of such payments to be made on the 10th day of December next, and thereafter on the 10th day of each succeeding month.

W. F. Watson, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 3rd day of February 1879.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of RAKHAL CHUNDER BONNERJEE, an Insolvent.

To be sold by public auction at the office of the Official Assignee of this Court, No 3, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, at noon, on Wednesday, the 12th day of February 1879, under an order of the Commissioner of this Court made in the above matter, on and bearing date the 1st day of October 1878, and with the concurrence of the mortgagee, the undermentioned properties appertaining to the estate of the abovenamed insolvent, VIZ.—

Lot 1.—All that upper-roomed, brick-built messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house, with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging, and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation five cottahs and eight chittacks, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying, and being on the north side of and numbered 71, Sakareetollah Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows, that is to say—on the north partly by the house and premises of Jadub Chunder Addy, and partly by the house and premises of Puddolachun Chunder; on the south by the said Sakareetollah Lane; on the east by the dwelling-house of the late Chunder Coomar Chatterjee, deceased; and on the west by the tenanted land of Ramtarun Sircar.

Lot 2.—All that piece or parcel of land or garden ground, and the lower-roomed, pucca building and the wall all round the garden and tank therein situate, containing by estimation eight biggahs, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying, and being at Dhacooriah, on the west of the Guriah Haut Road at Ballygunge, and therein numbered 32, in the district of 24-Pergunnahs and sub-district of Sealdah, and butted and bounded as follows, that is to say—on the north by the house and premises now or late the property of Mr. Langley; on the south partly by the paddy land of Gobind Chunder Ghose and partly by the garden ground of Khetter Mohun Kutkee; on the east by the Guriah Road; and on the west by the paddy land of Shaik Muddoosoodun.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Trotman and Watkins, Attorneys for the mortgagee, or to Messrs. Dignam and Robinson, Attorneys for the Official Assignee. (779—1)

Insolvency Notice.

In the Court of the District Judge of Bankura.

IN the matter of AKBAR ALI, an Insolvent.

ON Friday, the 31st day of January 1879, Akbar Ali of Bankura, was declared an Insolvent, and discharged personally as well as in respect of his after acquired property from all liabilities under which he lay at the time of filing his petition for relief. The Nazir of this Court has been appointed receiver of the property of the said Insolvent.

T. F. BIGNOLD, *Offg. District Judge.*

BANKURA, the 1st February 1879. (794—1)

In the Court of the Recorder of Rangoon.

Insolvency Jurisdiction.

IN the matter of JACOOB ABRAHAM COHEN and AARON ABRAHAM COHEN, carrying on business in Rangoon, Thayetmyo, Shwegheen, Tounghoo, and Calcutta, as General Merchants and Contractors, Insolvents.

All the real and personal estate and effects of the above named Insolvents having been vested in me as Official Assignee, notice is hereby given that all persons holding property belonging to the said Insolvents are required to deliver the same to me, and all persons indebted to the above estate are requested to pay the amounts of their respective debts to me.

JNO. E. G. VILLA, *Official Assignee.*

RANGOON, the 18th January 1879. (784—2)

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P. M.	5th Feb.	*Chanda.*
Madras and Ceylon ...	6 ,,	6th ,,	*Deccan.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	7th ,,	*Mecca.*
Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, and Rangoon.	6 ,,	9th ,,	*Commilla.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	10th ,,	From Bombay.
Madras, Ceylon and the Intermediate Ports, Mauritius, Batavia, Singapore and China.	6 ,,	10th ,,	*Meinam.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 7th February 1879, by which mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, Reunion, Zanzibar, Mozambique, Delagoa Bay, Netal, Cape of Good Hope, the Comoro Islands, and Madagascar can be forwarded.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 6th February 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*
GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 3rd February 1879.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Asansole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,,	7-45 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts ...	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Furreedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Rungpore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Cooloobarah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays {	7 to 8 A M 12 to 5 P M	
	Sundays .. {	7 to 8 A M 2 to 3 P.M	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-30	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-55	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-30	1-45	4-45	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Dhurmtolla W. C	8-35	1-18	4-25	
* Napit Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master,*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Nov. 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post-Office on the 4th February 1879.

Abrue, Miss A.
Adels, A. M.
Adjee, E. R. S.
Anderson, Miss Annie Paschal.
Andrews, Mrs. R.
Anger, F. W.
Balfour, J.
Ballmonk.
Bartlett, Mrs.
Beakun, W. R.
Blair, P. W.
Brewer, Mrs.
Brooks, Charles.
Brooks, G.
Burgess, Mrs.
Burredge, E. J.
Castelo, Mrs. L.
Castello, J. A.
Cuttell, W.
Coulley, Mrs.
Dalbley, Mrs. E. B.
Danning, C.
Davis, Mrs. A.
DeLeemans, Miss.
Dennis, Esq.
De Urban
Dougal, R. K.
Dunford, Mrs. C.
Edmans, A.
Fits Gerald, Mrs. A.
Francis, John.
Freeman, W. B.
Forbes, Archibald.
Gardner, J. H.
Gates, A.
Gee, Arthur.
Gindee, Duncan.
Glancey, John.
Glonson, T.
Graw, Mrs.
Grimes, Thomas.
Groeme, G. H.
Halliday, D.
Hearns, H.
Howe, George.
Howel, Esq.
Johnson, Henry.
Kennedy, R. H.
Lawrimer, A. R.
Lemarchand, A.
Macdonald, J. R.
Maker, W. P.
Malit'e, Oscar.
Mariner, —.
Molinero, H.
Morison, J. L.
Nicolay, E. F.
Nicolay, E. F.
Nightingale, Messrs. & Co.
Powers, Mrs. M.
Pitchar, Serjeant.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 4th February 1879.

Ripley, Q.
Rogers, C. J.
Sanders, Esq.
Saunders, W. M.
Scott, J.
Scott, W.
Shuter, A.
Shepherd, C.
Slater, A. W.
Stanley, James.
Taylor, Rob.
Templeton, C.
Thompson, Mr.
Tulloh, R H.
Wackerell, M.
Watts, J.
Willard, H.
Wyatt, J. C.

Letters marked "Care of Post-Office, to be kept till called for."

A. B. C.
Addington, E.
Alcock, A W.
Anderson, A.
Argenti.
Atkins F T.
Bailey, F. A.
Bancroft, W. A.
Beaver, P.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blagdon, G.
Bridgnell, J.
Browning, Miss
Burnett, G. B.
Burnett, R
Bush, C.
Cameron, Mrs Ewer.
Canning, W. G.
Carnegie, A.
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Colly, Miss A.
Colman, G.
Cotton, T. F.
Cummins, Mrs.
Dann, F.
Davison, W.
Denton, J.
Dunabol, T.
Duncan, Chesney.
Eales, E. F.
Edwards, W. H.
Edward, George.
Ephgrave, E.
Evans, G.
Faber, A. de.
Feltwell, J. W.
Forbes, W. S & Co.
Fontaine, M. Saul.
Furguson, D
Gage, W Quintin.
Gorrick, Miss L.
Gayford, C.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
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Entrance below Joyrampore ...			Closed
Tence to Noorpore Junction ...			
Entrance below Chourasia...	9	0	
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From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	0*	
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	9	Juggernathpore, and Kidderpore
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	2	9	Khosalpore and Nechinpore
MATABANGAH.			
Entrance			Closed.
Thence to Tatarparah			
From Tatarparah to Hât Bolia. ...			
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From Boalmaree to Alickdeah. ...			
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Entrance of Jellinghee from the Ganges. ...			Closed.
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Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jullinghee.	3	6	Junction.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	4	6	Lalnughur and Teakatta
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An Act to amend the procedure in suits between Landlords and Tenants in Chota Nagpore.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the procedure in suits between landlords and tenants in Chota Nagpore: It is enacted as follows :—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Chota Nagpore Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act;"

Local extent.

It extends to the territories for the time being under the administration of the Commissioner of the division of Chota Nagpore, except the district of Manbhoom and the Tributary Mehals.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

Interpretation clause.

2. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Civil Jail."

"Civil Jail" includes the civil jail of the district, and any place appointed by the local Government for the confinement of prisoners under this Act.

"Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner."

"The Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner" mean respectively the Commissioner and Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpore.

"Deputy Collector."

"Deputy Collector" includes also an Assistant Commissioner.

"Nazir."

"Nazir" means any officer of a Court authorized to serve or execute its process.

"Section."

"Section" means a Section of this Act.

Enactments repealed.

3. On and from the commencement of this Act, the enactments specified in Schedule A hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule.

Decision of suits instituted before the commencement of this Act.

4. All suits or proceedings, of the nature provided for by this Act, which, before the commencement of this Act, shall have been instituted before any Deputy Commissioner or other officer having jurisdiction under any enactment hereby repealed, shall be heard and decided, so far as may be, under this Act

Ryot entitled to a pottah.

5. Every ryot is entitled to receive, from the person to whom the rent of the land held or cultivated by him is payable, a pottah containing the following particulars :—

the quantity and boundaries of land: and where fields have been numbered in a Government survey, the number of each field;

the amount of annual rent;

the instalments in which the same is to be paid;

any special conditions of the lease; and

(if the rent is payable wholly or partially in kind), the proportion or quantity of produce to be delivered, and the time and manner of delivery.

Right of occupancy of ryot cultivating or holding land for twelve years.

6. Every ryot, who has cultivated or held land for a period of twelve years, has a right of occupancy in the land so cultivated or held by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same; but this rule does

not apply to the classes of lands locally known as majhahas, man, or saika; nor to khamar, nijjote, or seer land belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure, and let by him on lease for a term, or year by year.

The holding of the father, or other person from whom a ryot inherits, shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot within the meaning of this section.

Saving of terms of written contracts.

7. Nothing contained in the last preceding section shall be held to affect the terms of any written contract for the cultivation of land entered into between a landholder and a ryot, when it contains any express stipulation contrary thereto.

Ryots having right of occupancy, are entitled to receive pottahs.

8. Ryots having rights of occupancy are entitled to receive pottahs at fair and equitable rates.

In case of dispute, the rate previously paid by the ryot shall be deemed to be fair and equitable, unless the contrary be shown in an enquiry under section 24.

Pottahs to which ryots not having rights of occupancy are entitled.

9. Ryots not having rights of occupancy are entitled to pottahs only at such rates, and on such conditions, as may be agreed on between them and the persons to whom the rent is payable.

Person granting pottah entitled to a counterpart engagement.

10. Every person who grants a pottah is entitled to receive from the person to whom the pottah is granted a kubooliyet or counterpart engagement in conformity with the terms of the pottah.

The tender to any ryot of a pottah, such as the ryot is entitled to receive, shall be held to entitle the person to whom the rent is payable to receive a kubooliyet from such ryot.

Exactions in excess of rent or receipt withheld.

11. Every under-tenant or ryot, from whom any sum is exacted in excess of the rent specified in his pottah, or payable under this Act, whether as abwab or under any other pretext,

and every under-tenant, ryot, or cultivator from whom a receipt is withheld for any sum of money paid by him as rent,

shall be entitled to recover from the person receiving such rent, damages not exceeding double the amount so exacted or paid.

Form of receipt.

12. Receipts for rent shall specify the year or years on account of which the rent is acknowledged to have been paid; and any refusal to make such specification shall be held to be a withholding of a receipt.

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., pay into court, whether suit has been instituted against him or not, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

13. If any under-tenant or ryot shall, at the mal kutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents of the land held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to be the full amount of rent due from him at the date of the tender to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full forthwith granted, the under-tenant or ryot may, whether a suit shall have been instituted against him or not, within one month from the date of such tender, deposit such amount, in the court of the Deputy Commissioner having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for such rent, to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid;

and such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him are concerned, in all respects operate as and have the full effect of a payment then made by the under-tenant or ryot, of the amount deposited to the credit of such zemindar or other person.

Proceedings on receipt of deposit and payment of the same.

14. The Deputy Commissioner shall receive such deposit on the written application of the under-tenant, or ryot, or his agent; and on the under-tenant, or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form, or as nearly as circumstances will admit, in the form set forth in Schedule B hereto annexed, the Deputy Commissioner shall give a receipt for the same.

The Deputy Commissioner shall, within seven days from the date of the deposit, issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited, in the form set forth in Schedule C hereto annexed.

If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him.

Suit for further balance to be instituted within six months of service of notice of deposit.

15. Whenever such deposit shall have been made, no suit shall be brought against the person making the same or his representatives, on account of any rent which accrued due prior to the date of the deposit, unless such suit be instituted within six months from the date of the service of the notice mentioned in the last preceding section.

Landholder not to compel the attendance of tenant for adjustment of rent or for any other purpose.

16. All zemindars and other landholders are prohibited from compelling the attendance of their tenants for the adjustment of their rents or for any other purpose, and from adopting any means of compulsion for enforcing payment of the rent due to them other than those authorized by this Act.

Damages for extorting payment of rent by duress.

17. If payment of rent, whether the same be legally due or not, is extorted from any under-tenant or ryot by illegal confinement or other duress, such under-tenant or ryot shall be entitled to recover such damages, not exceeding two hundred rupees, as may be deemed a reasonable compensation for the injury done him by such extortion.

An award of compensation under this section shall not bar or affect any penalty or punishment to which the person practising such extortion may be subject by law.

Dependent talookdar, &c., holding land at fixed rent without change since permanent settlement not liable to enhancement of rent.

18. No dependent talookdar or other person possessing a permanent transferable interest in land, intermediate between the proprietor of an estate and the ryots, who holds his talook or tenure (otherwise than under a terminable lease) at a fixed rent which has not been changed from the time of the permanent settlement, shall be liable to any enhancement of such rent, anything in section fifty-one, Regulation VIII, 1793, or in any other law, to the contrary notwithstanding.

19. No tenant of lands known as bhuinhari or khoodkatti shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him for such lands, unless it be shown that the tenure has been created within twenty years before the institution of the suit to enhance the rent of the said lands;

Enhancement of the rent of bhuinhari and khoodkatti lands.

and where enhancement of the rent of such tenure is decreed, the rent assessed shall not exceed one-half of the rent paid by an ordinary ryot with a right of occupancy on the same class of land with similar advantages.

20. No tenant of lands known as korkor, baee-bullah, khundwut, sujhwut, jalsasun, and ariat shall be liable to any enhancement of rent, except under the terms of a written contract, or in accordance with the general custom prevailing with respect to such lands in the village in which they are situated.

Enhancement of the rent of korkor, &c., lands.

21. No other under-tenant or ryot having a right of occupancy shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him, otherwise than in the manner provided by the three next succeeding sections.

Procedure for enhancement of rent.

22. Any person wishing to enhance the rent previously paid to him by any such under-tenant or ryot may present a petition to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such enhancement is sought, and (if necessary) to measure the same.

Petition to be made to Deputy Commissioner.

23. Such petition shall specify;

Particulars to be specified.

the present rent of the under-tenant or ryot against whom the application is made;

the general rate prevailing in the village for different classes of lands;

the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the rate was last adjusted in the village;

the rate which the applicant desires to demand; and

the grounds on which he considers that he is entitled to enhancement.

The provisions of sections 49 and 50 shall apply to all such applications.

24. On receipt of such petition the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the under-tenant or ryot holding the land in respect of which enhancement is sought, and may (if necessary) order the same to be measured, and may upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the petition, and after hearing any objection which may be advanced against the proposed enhancement by the said under-tenant or ryot, fix such enhanced rent, or may otherwise alter or vary the rent for the said land as to him may seem fair and reasonable for such period, not being less than ten nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit;

Procedure on receipt of petition

and the rent so fixed or varied shall be payable by such undertenant or ryot from the commencement of the local year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit preferred against him for arrears of the same.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to bar the right of such under-tenant or ryot to claim at any time an abatement of the rent previously paid by him under the provisions of section 27.

25. When lands are held subject to any conditions or services other than or besides the payment of a rent in money, the tenant of such lands, or the person who has the right to receive the rents and services issuing from such lands, may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner for the commutation of all such conditions or services.

Commutation of conditions or services to which lands may be subject.

26. The Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon cause a notice to be served on each of the persons who, under the last preceding section, would have a right to make such application, and shall fix a date for considering the same; and on such date, or any date thereafter to which the hearing may be postponed, shall proceed to enquire into the matter, and to determine the amount of rent which in his judgment is fairly and equitably payable in commutation of the conditions or services to which such lands may be subject.

Determination of rent payable in commutation.

27. Any under-tenant or ryot having a right of occupancy, and wishing to claim an abatement of the rent previously paid by him, may present a petition to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such abatement is sought, and (if necessary) to measure the same.

Claim of abatement of rent.

Such petition shall specify the particulars mentioned in section 23, and the grounds on which such under-tenant or ryot considers that he is entitled to such abatement.

The provisions of sections 49 and 50 shall apply to all such applications.

28. On receipt of such petition the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the person to whom the rent of such under-tenant or ryot is payable, and may (if necessary) order the land to be measured, and may proceed as prescribed by section 24 to fix such abatement of rent, or may otherwise alter or vary the rent for the land of such under-tenant or ryot as to him may seem fair and reasonable for such period not being less than ten, nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit;

Procedure on claim of abatement of rent.

and the rent so fixed or varied shall be payable by such under-tenant or ryot from the commencement of the local year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit preferred against him for arrears of the same.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to bar the right of the person to whom the rent of such under-tenant or ryot is payable to claim at any time an enhancement of the rent of such under-tenant or ryot under the provisions of section 22.

29. Any ryot may relinquish the land held or cultivated by him, provided he gives notice of his intention in writing to the person entitled to the rent of the land, or his authorized agent, in or before the month of Pous of the year preceding that in which the relinquishment is to have effect.

Relinquishment of land by ryot after notice given.

If he fails to give such notice, and the land is not let to any other person, he shall continue liable for the rent of the land.

If the person entitled to the rent of the land or his agent refuses to receive any such notice and to sign a receipt for the same, the ryot may make an application to the Deputy Commissioner, who shall thereupon cause the notice to be served on such person or his agent.

What to be deemed an arrear of rent under this Act.

30. Any instalment of rent which is not paid on or before the day when the same is payable according to the pottah or engagement, or, if there is no written specification of the time of payment, at or before the time when such instalment is payable according to established usage, shall be held to be an arrear of rent under this Act, and in the absence of any written agreement to the contrary, shall be liable to interest at six per centum per annum.

Liability of ryot to be ejected for arrear due.

31. When an arrear of rent remains due from any ryot at the end of the Bengal or Sambut year, or at the end of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, as the case may be, such ryot shall be liable to be ejected from the land in respect of which the arrear is due, but only in execution of a decree or order passed under the provisions of this Act.

Liability of farmer to have his lease cancelled for arrear adjudged due

32. When an arrear of rent is adjudged to be due from any farmer or other leaseholder not having a permanent or transferable interest in the land, the lease of such leaseholder shall be liable to be cancelled, and the leaseholder to be ejected.

Provided that no such lease shall be cancelled, nor the leaseholder ejected, otherwise than in execution of a decree or order under the provisions of this Act.

Measurement of lands.

33. Every proprietor of an estate or tenure, or other person in receipt of the rents of an estate or tenure, has a right to make a general survey or measurement of the lands comprised in such estate or tenure, unless restrained from doing so by express engagement with the occupants of the lands.

If any person intending to measure any land which he has a right to measure is opposed in making such measurement by the occupant of the land,

or if any under-tenant or ryot, having received notice of the intended measurement of land held or cultivated by him which is liable to such measurement, refuses to attend and point out such land,

such person may make application to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon proceed to enquire into the case in the manner provided for suits under this Act, and shall pass an order either allowing or disallowing the measurement, and, if the case so require, enjoining or excusing the attendance of any such under-tenant or ryot.

If any under-tenant or ryot, after the issue of an order enjoining his attendance, neglects to attend, it shall not be competent to him to contest the correctness of the measurement made in his absence.

Registration of transfers of talooks, &c.

34. All dependent talookdars and other persons possessing a permanent heritable interest in land intermediate between the zemindar and the cultivator are required to register, in the sherishteh of the zemindar or superior tenant to whom the rents of their talooks or tenures are payable, all transfers of such talooks or tenures, or portions of them, by succession or inheritance.

Every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all such transfers.

Application for the registration of all such successions as may have occurred previously to the commencement of this Act shall be made within two years from the commencement thereof, and for future successions within one year from the date on which the succession occurred: and if such application be not made within the period herein specified, the zemindar or superior tenant may apply to the Deputy Commissioner to put him in possession of the talook or tenure.

On receipt of such application the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a notice to the talookdar or tenure-holder in possession, requiring him to register the transfer within three months from the receipt of the notice, and if he neglects or refuses so to register, the Deputy Commissioner may, on proof to his satisfaction being given of the service of the notice, put the zemindar or superior tenant aforesaid in possession of the talook or tenure.

Provisions of section 34 applicable to sale of under-tenures.

35. The provisions of the last preceding section shall also be applicable to the sale of such under-tenures as are mentioned in section 123, and to the sale of the right and title of any person under section 124.

Procedure on refusal to register.

36. If any zemindar or superior tenant refuses to admit to registry or otherwise to give effect to any such transfer as is mentioned in the two last preceding sections, the transferee may make application to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon proceed to enquire into the case in the manner provided for suits under this Act, and if no sufficient grounds are shown for the refusal, shall pass an order enjoining the zemindar or superior tenant to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to such transfer.

Provided that no zemindar or superior tenant shall be required to admit to registry, or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenures, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or superior tenant.

Cognizance of suits under this Act.

37. (1) All suits for the delivery of pottahs or kubooliyets, or for the determination of the rates of rent at which such pottahs or kubooliyets are to be delivered;

(2) all suits for damages on account of the illegal exaction of rent or of any unauthorized cess or impost, or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid, or on account of the extortion of rent by confinement or other duress;

(3) all complaints of excessive demand of rent, and all claims to abatement of rent;

(4) all suits for arrears of rent due on account of land either rent-paying or rent-free, or on account of any rights of pasturage, forest-rights, fisheries, or the like;

(5) all suits to eject any ryot, or to cancel any lease on account of the non-payment of arrears of rent, or on account of a breach of the conditions of any contract by which a ryot may be liable to ejectment, or a lease may be liable to be cancelled;

(6) all suits to recover the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, from which a ryot, farmer, or tenant has been illegally ejected by the person entitled to receive rent for the same;

(7) all suits by zemindars and others in receipt of the rent of land, against any agents employed by them in the management of land or collection of rents, or the sureties of such agents, for money received or accounts kept by such agents in the course of such employment, or for papers in their possession;

shall be cognizable by the Deputy Commissioners, and shall be instituted and tried under the provisions of this Act, and shall not be cognizable in any other court, except in the way of appeal as provided in this Act.

Power to refer to arbitration.

38 The Deputy Commissioner may, with the consent of the parties, refer any suit under this Act to arbitration, and the provisions of sections 506 to 522 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, as far as may be practicable, apply to such references

Suit may be brought by or against any number of ryots collectively.

39. In every suit under this Act, of the nature of those specified in the first, second, third, or fourth clauses of section 37, and in applications for enhancement, abatement or measurement under sections 22, 27 or 33, any number of ryots or other tenants may sue or be sued collectively, and it shall be no ground for dismissing the suit or refusing to hear the application that such ryots or other tenants are wrongly joined as plaintiffs or defendants, provided that all such ryots or other tenants hold land in the same village;

but no order shall be passed in such case, unless the officer making the same is satisfied that all parties have had an opportunity to appear and make objection to any claims preferred against them;

and if at any time it shall appear to the Deputy Commissioner that the question between any two of the parties, of whom one is so joined with others, cannot conveniently be so jointly tried, the Deputy Commissioner may order a separate trial to be held.

Order to specify how far it applies to each ryot.

40. Every order passed in any such case as is mentioned in the first clause of the last preceding section shall specify the extent to which each of the ryots or other tenants named in the order shall be affected thereby

Suits by or against surburakars or tuhseeldars of estates held khas.

41. All suits which, under this Act, may be brought by or against zemindars or other persons in the receipt of the rent of land, may be brought by or against surburakars or tuhseeldars of estates held under khas management, whether such estates are the property of Government or of individuals.

General rule for limitation of suits.

42. Except as otherwise herein provided, all suits instituted under this Act shall be commenced within the period of one year from the date of the accruing of the cause of action.

Limitation of suits for grant of pottahs, &c.

43. Suits for the delivery of pottahs or kubooliyets, and for the determination of the rates of rent at which such pottahs or kubooliyets are to be delivered, may be instituted at any time during the tenancy.

Limitation of suits for arrears of rent.

44. Suits for the recovery of arrears of rent shall be instituted within three years from the last day of the Bengal or Sambut year, or from the last day of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, in which the arrear claimed shall have become due.

Provided that, if the suit be for the recovery of rent at a higher rate than was payable in the previous year, such rent not having been enhanced by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, the suit shall be instituted within three months from the end of the Bengal or Sambut year, or of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, on account of which such enhanced rent is claimed.

Limitation of suits against agents for money, papers, or accounts.

45. Suits for the recovery of money in the hands of an agent, or for the delivery of accounts or papers by an agent, may be brought at any time during the agency, or within one year after the determination of the agency of such agent.

Provided that, if the person having the right to sue shall, by means of fraud, have been kept from the knowledge of the receipt of any such money by the agent, or if any fraudulent account shall have been rendered by the agent, the suit may be brought within one year from the time when the fraud shall have been first known to such person; but no such suit shall in any case be brought at any time exceeding three years from the termination of the agency.

Mode of instituting suits. Form of statement of claim.

46. Suits under this Act shall be instituted by presenting to the Deputy Commissioner a plaint or statement of claim which shall contain

the name, description, and place of abode of the plaintiff;

the name, description, and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained;

the substance of the claim; and

the date of the cause of action.

Form of statement in suits for arrears of rent.

47. If the suit is for the recovery of an arrear of rent, the statement of claim shall specify

the name of the village and estate;

the name of the pergunnah or other local division in which the land is situated;

(if the arrear is alleged to be due from any ryot), the quantity of land,

(where fields have been numbered in a Government survey), the number of each field;

the yearly rent of the land;

the amount (if any) received on account of the year for which the claim is made;

the amount in arrear; and

the time in respect of which it is alleged to be due.

Form of statement in suits for ejectment of ryot, &c., or for recovery of occupancy or possession of land, &c.

48. If the suit is for the ejectment of a ryot, farmer, or tenant from any land, farm, or tenure, or for the recovery of the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, the statement of claim shall specify (as circumstances may require) the extent, situation, and designation of the same, and (if necessary for the identification of the land), the boundaries of such land.

Statement by whom to be presented.

49. The statement of claim shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an authorized agent of the plaintiff who has personal knowledge of the facts of the case, or by an agent who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge.

Verification of statement.

50. The statement of claim shall be subscribed and verified at the foot by the plaintiff or his agent in the manner following, or to the like effect:—

I, A. B., do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Documentary evidence to be produced by plaintiff.

51. If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he shall deliver the same to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim.

Unless such document be delivered or its non-production be sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner see fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

Plaintiff may require production of document from defendant.

52. If the plaintiff requires the production of any document in the possession or power of the defendant, he may, at the time of presenting his statement of claim, deliver to the Deputy Commissioner a description of the document in order that the defendant may be required to produce the same.

Statement may be returned or allowed to be amended.

53. If the statement of claim does not contain the several particulars hereinbefore required to be specified therein, or is not subscribed and verified as hereinbefore required, the Deputy Commissioner may return the statement to the plaintiff, or at his discretion allow it to be amended

Issue of summons; personal attendance of defendant may be required.

54. If the statement of claim is in proper form, the Deputy Commissioner, except as otherwise hereinafter specially provided, shall direct the issue of a summons to the defendant, and if the plaintiff requires the personal attendance of the defendant, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that such personal attendance is necessary, or the Deputy Commissioner of his own accord requires such personal attendance, the summons shall contain an order for the defendant to appear personally on a day to be specified in the summons; otherwise the summons shall order the defendant to appear personally or by an agent duly authorized on his behalf, who has personal knowledge of the subject, or who shall be accompanied by a person who has such personal knowledge.

The day to be specified in the summons how to be fixed. Defendant to be ordered to produce necessary documents, and to bring witnesses willing to attend without process.

55. The day to be specified in the summons shall be fixed with reference to the state of the file, and the distance that the defendant may be or be supposed to be at the time from the place where the court is held, and the summons shall order the defendant to produce any document which he may have in his possession, of which the plaintiff demands inspection, or upon which the defendant may intend to rely in support of his defence.

It shall also enjoin him to bring with him his witnesses if they are willing to attend without issue of process, and shall be in the form contained in Schedule D hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Cost of serving summons or warrant to be deposited in court.

56. The amount of the cost of serving the summons, or, if a warrant is issued as provided in the next succeeding section, of serving the warrant, shall in all cases be deposited in court upon the same day or the day next following that on which the plaint or statement of claim is presented to the Deputy Commissioner.

If the said amount be not so deposited the case shall not be brought on the file of suits: but in such case the plaintiff may present another plaint at any time within the period prescribed by this Act for the limitation of suits.

Warrant of arrest in what cases to be issued.

57. If in any suit against an under-tenant or ryot for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or against an agent for the recovery of any money, papers, or accounts, the plaintiff desires a warrant of arrest to be issued against the defendant, such defendant being resident within the district in which the suit is instituted, he shall present with his statement of claim an application for the issue of such warrant.

When such application is presented, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the plaintiff or his agent, according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses, and inspect the documents adduced by him in support of his claim, and if there be *primâ facie* grounds for believing the claim to be well-founded, and that, if a summons be issued, the defendant will abscond instead of appearing to answer the claim, the Deputy Commissioner may issue a warrant for the arrest of the defendant.

The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a reasonable time for the return of the warrant, which shall be in the form contained in the Schedule E hereto annexed, or to the like effect, and the officer entrusted with the service of the warrant shall at the time of arresting the defendant deliver to him a notice addressed to the defendant, which shall be in the form in the Schedule F hereto annexed, or to the like effect, containing the particulars of the claim, and requiring the defendant, if he contest the claim, to bring with him any document upon which he may intend to rely in support of his defence.

But no such warrant shall be issued in a suit for arrears of rent due in respect of a dependent talook or other transferable tenure which, as hereinafter provided, is liable to sale in execution of any decree which may be passed in the case.

58. If the defendant is arrested under the warrant of arrest, he shall be brought with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall commit him to custody, unless he deposits in court such sum as may be specified in the notice.

Procedure after arrest of defendant.

59. When the defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant, the Deputy Commissioner shall with all convenient speed proceed to try the case in the manner hereinafter provided;

Procedure when defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant.

if the suit cannot be at once adjudicated, the Deputy Commissioner may, if he think fit, require the defendant to give security for his appearance whenever the same may be required, at any time whilst the suit is pending, or until execution of the final decree which may be passed thereon, and may commit the defendant to the civil jail to be there detained until he shall furnish such security, or deposit such sum as the Deputy Commissioner shall order.

The security bond shall be in the form contained in Schedule G hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

60. If the defendant cannot be arrested under the warrant, the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the plaintiff, shall either postpone the case, for such period as he may think proper, in order that the plaintiff may apply within the said period for another warrant to be issued for the arrest of the defendant, or shall forthwith issue a proclamation to be affixed to his own office and to the residence of the defendant appointing a day for the hearing of the case, which shall not be less than ten days from the date of the publication of the notice at the residence of the defendant.

Procedure if warrant of arrest cannot be served upon the defendant.

If the defendant appears in pursuance of the proclamation, he shall be dealt with as provided in the last preceding section.

61. If it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the arrest of the defendant was applied for without reasonable cause, the Deputy Commissioner may in his decree award to the defendant such sum, not exceeding one hundred rupees, as he may deem a reasonable compensation for any injury or loss which the defendant may have sustained by reason of such arrest, or of his detention in jail during the pendency of the suit.

Compensation for arrest applied for without reasonable cause.

62. If on the day fixed by the summons or proclamation for the appearance of the defendant, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be postponed prior to the recording of an issue for trial as hereinafter provided, neither of the parties appears in person or by an agent, the case shall be struck off, with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit, unless precluded by the provisions for the limitation of suits contained in this Act.

Consequence of neither party appearing on the day of trial.

63. If on any such day the defendant only appears, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admit the cause of action, in which case the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to give judgment for the plaintiff upon such admission without costs;

If defendant only appear to dispute the demand, Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment by default; but if defendant admit the claim, Deputy Commissioner shall decree upon such admission.

provided that such judgment, if there be more than one defendant, shall be only against the defendant who makes the admission.

64. If on any such day the plaintiff only appears, the Deputy Commissioner, upon proof that the summons or proclamation has been duly served according to the provisions of this Act, shall proceed to examine the plaintiff or his agent, and after considering the allegations of the plaintiff, and any documentary or oral evidence adduced by him, may either dismiss the case, or postpone the hearing of it to a future day for the attendance of any witness the plaintiff may wish to call, or may pass judgment *ex parte* against the defendant.

If plaintiff only appear, Deputy Commissioner may proceed *ex parte*.

65. If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be postponed under the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such conditions, if any, as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, allow the defendant to be heard in answer to the suit as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his attendance.

If defendant appear on a day to which the case is postponed, Deputy Commissioner may allow him to be heard in answer to the suit.

66. No appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, or from a judgment against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance.

Revival, reversal, and alteration of decrees *ex parte* or by default.

But in all such cases, if the party against whom judgment has been given appears, either in person or by agent, if a plaintiff within fifteen days from the date of the Deputy Commissioner's order, and if a defendant within fifteen days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed, or at any earlier period, and shows sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, revive the suit and alter or rescind the decree, according to the justice of the case.

But no decree shall be reversed or altered without previously summoning the opposite party to appear and be heard in support of it.

67. In all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall pass an order for setting aside a judgment, the order shall be final; but in all appealable cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall reject the application, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable; provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision.

Order to set aside judgment shall be final, but rejection of application to set it aside shall be appealable.

68. When both parties appear in person on the day named in the summons, or upon any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be adjourned, for sufficient reason to be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to examine them, and either party or his agent may cross-examine the other.

On appearance of parties, the parties to be examined by the Deputy Commissioner and may cross-examine each other.

If either of the parties is not bound to attend personally, any agent by whom he shall appear, or any person who shall accompany such agent, shall be examined and cross-examined in like manner as the party himself would have been if he had attended personally.

At the time of examination the defendant, if he think fit, may file a written statement of his defence. Such statement shall be verified in the manner prescribed in section 50.

69. The examination of the parties or their agents, or such other persons as aforesaid, shall be conducted according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses. The substance of the examination shall be reduced to writing in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner and filed with the record.

Examination of parties, &c.

Provided that all examinations of parties and witnesses may be recorded in English, if the Deputy Commissioner be sufficiently acquainted with that language.

70 If either of the parties brings forward a witness on the day aforesaid the Deputy Commissioner may take the evidence of such witness.

Witnesses to be examined.

71. If the defendant relies on any document in support of his defence, he shall deliver the same into court at the first hearing of the suit; and unless such document is so delivered in, or its non-production is sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner sees fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted

Documentary evidence to be produced by defendant.

72. If after the examination required by section 68. and also the examination of any witness who may attend to give evidence on behalf of either of the parties, and after a consideration of the documentary evidence adduced, a decree can be properly made without further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall make a decree accordingly.

After examination Deputy Commissioner may make his decree if no further evidence is required

73. If, on such examination as aforesaid, the agent of either party is unable to answer any material question relating to the case, which the Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the party whom he represents ought to answer, and is likely to be able to answer if interrogated in person, the Deputy Commissioner may postpone the hearing of the case to a future day, and direct that the party whose agent may have been unable to answer as aforesaid shall attend in person on such day;

Consequence of inability of agent to answer material question.

and if the party so directed to attend fails to appear in person on the day appointed, the Deputy Commissioner may pass judgment as in case of default, or make such other order as he may deem proper under the circumstances of the case

74. If, on such examination as aforesaid, it appears that the parties are at issue on any question upon which it is necessary to hear further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall declare and record such issue, and shall fix a convenient day for the examination of witnesses and the trial of the suit; and the trial shall take place on that day, unless there be sufficient reason for adjourning it, which reason shall be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner.

If necessary, Deputy Commissioner to record issue and to fix a day for hearing further evidence.

75. The parties shall bring forward their witnesses on the day of trial, and if either party requires assistance to procure the attendance of a witness on such day, either to give evidence, or to produce a document, he shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner in sufficient time before the day fixed for the trial, to enable the witness to be summoned to attend on that day; and the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a summons requiring such witness to attend.

Parties shall produce their witnesses on the day of trial, or Deputy Commissioner on application of either party shall issue summons for the attendance of a witness.

76 The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents, and to the remuneration and punishment of witnesses, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, apply to all suits under this Act.

Provisions of Code of Civil Procedure to apply to attendance, examination, &c, of witnesses.

77. If on the day fixed for the trial of any issue neither of the parties appear, the case shall be struck off under the conditions provided in section 62.

Consequence of parties not appearing on the day fixed for the trial of any issue.

If on any such day one only of the parties appears, the issue may be tried and determined in the absence of the other party, upon such proof as may be then before the court.

78. When suits under this Act are instituted or defended by naibs, gomastahs, or other persons employed in the collection of rent, or management of land, in the name and on the behalf of the landholders by whom they are so employed, all the provisions of this Act, by which the personal appearance or attendance of parties to a suit is or may be required, shall be applicable to such naibs, gomastahs, or other persons; and anything which by this Act is required or permitted to be done by a party in person, may be done by any such person as aforesaid.

Suits instituted or defended by naibs, gomastahs, &c.

Processes served on any such person shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if the same had been served on the landholder in person, and all the provisions of this Act, relative to the service of processes on a party to the suit, shall be applicable to the service of processes on such person.

79. A plaintiff or defendant shall not be required to attend in person if of the female sex, and of a rank or class which, according to the custom and manners of the country, would render it improper for her to appear in public.

Personal attendance of plaintiff or defendant not required in certain cases.

80. Any party to a suit may employ an authorized agent or mookhtar to conduct the case on his behalf, but the appointment of such agent or mookhtar shall not excuse the personal attendance of the plaintiff or defendant in cases where his personal attendance is required by the summons or any order of the court.

Employment of authorized agents or mookhtars

81. The Deputy Commissioner may in any case grant time to the plaintiff or defendant to proceed in the prosecution or defence respectively of a suit, and may also from time to time, in order to the production of further proof, or for other sufficient reason to be recorded by him, adjourn the hearing or further hearing of any case in such manner as to him may seem fit.

Deputy Commissioner may grant time or adjourn hearing.

82. The Deputy Commissioner may at any stage of a suit cause a local enquiry and report respecting the matter in dispute to be made by any officer subordinate to him, or by any other officer of Government with the consent of the authority to whom such officer is subordinate, or may himself proceed to the spot and make such local enquiry in person.

Deputy Commissioner may cause local enquiry to be made.

The provisions of the law for the time being in force, relative to local enquiries by ameens or commissioners under orders of the civil courts, shall apply to any local enquiry made by any officer under this section, and, so far as they are applicable, to enquiries made by the Deputy Commissioner in person.

In the latter case, the Deputy Commissioner, after completing the enquiry, shall record on the proceedings such observations as appear to him appropriate, and the observations so recorded shall be received as evidence in the suit.

83. The defendant in any suit under this Act may, if he has duly tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into court such sum of money as he may consider due to the plaintiff without paying in any costs incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment, and such sum shall be immediately paid out of court to the plaintiff.

After action brought, defendant may pay into court, without costs, money tendered before action brought.

If after such payment the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no further sum than shall have been paid into court, the plaintiff shall be charged with the whole costs of the suit incurred by the defendant; but if the plaintiff ultimately recovers a further sum than shall have been paid into court, the defendant shall be charged with the whole costs of the suit.

Costs if plaintiff goes on and recovers no more.

84. The defendant in any suit under this Act may, without having made any tender before action brought, pay into court such sum of money as he may consider due to the plaintiff, together with the costs (to be fixed by the court if necessary as upon a suit originally instituted for the amount so paid into court) incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment, and such sum shall immediately be paid out of court to the plaintiff.

If no previous tender has been made, defendant may pay into court what he admits to be due, with costs on that sum.

If after such payment the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no further sum than shall have been paid into court, he shall be charged with all costs incurred by the defendant subsequently to such payment; but if the plaintiff ultimately recovers a further sum than shall have been paid into court, the defendant shall be charged with costs as upon a suit originally instituted for the whole amount for which the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree, but shall have credit thereout for the amount of costs paid into Court by him in the first instance.

Costs if plaintiff goes on with the suit.

85. No interest shall be allowed to the plaintiff on any sum paid by the defendant into court from the date of such payment, whether such sum be in full of his claim, or fall short thereof.

No interest on deposits.

86. If on the trial of a suit for the delivery of a pottah instituted by a ryot having a right of occupancy the parties do not agree as to the term for which the pottah is to be granted, the Deputy Commissioner shall fix such term as under the circumstances of the case he may think just and proper.

If on trial of suit for delivery of pottah, parties do not agree as to the time for which the pottah is granted, Deputy Commissioner to fix the time.

Provided that the term shall not in any case be longer than twenty years, and in estates not permanently settled, shall not extend beyond the period for which the proprietor of the estate has engaged with Government. Provided also that, if the defendant be a farmer or other person having only a temporary interest in the land, the term of the pottah shall not extend beyond the period of the continuance of such interest.

For cultivators not having a right of occupancy, the term of pottah shall be exclusively in the discretion of the person entitled to the rent of the land.

87. When in any suit between a landholder and a ryot or under-tenant under this Act, the right to receive the rent of the land or tenure cultivated or held by the ryot or under-tenant is disputed, and such right is claimed by or on behalf of a third person, on the ground that such third person, or a person through whom he claims, has actually and in good faith received and enjoyed such rent before and up to the time of the commencement of the suit, such third person shall be made a party to the suit, and the question of the actual receipt and enjoyment of the rent by such third person shall be enquired into, and the suit shall be decided according to the result of such inquiry.

If in actions for rent a third person appear as claimant, he is to be made a party to the suit.

Provided that the decision of the Deputy Commissioner shall not affect the right of either party, who may have a legal title to the rent of such land or tenure, to establish his title by suit in a civil court, if instituted within one year from the date of the decision.

88. Any person desiring to eject a ryot, or to cancel a lease on account of non-payment of arrears of rent, may sue for such ejectment or cancelment and for recovery of the arrear in the same action, or may adduce any unexecuted decree for arrears of rent as evidence of the existence of such arrears in a suit for such ejectment or cancelment.

Suits for ejectment or cancelment of lease.

In all cases of suits for the ejectment of a ryot or the cancelment of a lease, the decree shall specify the amount of the arrear; and if such amount, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into court within fifteen days from the date of the decree, execution shall be stayed.

89. The Deputy Commissioner shall pronounce judgment in open court. The judgment shall be written in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall contain the reasons for the same, and shall be dated and signed by the Deputy Commissioner at the time when it is pronounced.

Judgment how to be pronounced.

Provided that any judgment may be written in English, if the Deputy Commissioner be sufficiently acquainted with the English language.

90. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due from him,

The court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

and that he has not, before the institution of the suit, tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or, in case of refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Deputy Commissioner before the institution of the suit in manner hereinbefore mentioned,

the court may award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the amount of rent decreed, as the court may think fit;

and such damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest from the date of decree until payment thereof at such rate per centum as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable.

91. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause,

The court may award compensation, not exceeding 25 per cent on the amount sued for, to a defendant improperly sued.

or that the defendant, before the institution of the suit, duly deposited with the Deputy Commissioner in the manner hereinafter mentioned the full amount which the court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such deposit,

the court may award to the defendant by way of compensation such sum, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the court may think fit;

and such sum, with interest until payment thereof at such rate per centum as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable, shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums decreed to be paid by defendants under this Act.

92. When a decree is given for the delivery of a pottah, if the person required by the decree to grant such pottah refuses or delays to grant the same, the Deputy Commissioner may grant a pottah in conformity with the terms of the decree under his own hand and seal, and such pottah shall be of the same force and effect as if granted by the person aforesaid.

If person required by the decree refuse to grant pottah, Deputy Commissioner may do so.

93. When a decree is given for the delivery of a kubooliyet, if the person required by the decree to execute such kubooliyet refuses to execute the same, the decree shall be evidence of the amount of rent claimable from such person, and a copy of the decree under the hand and seal of the Deputy Commissioner shall be of the same force and effect as a kubooliyet executed by the said person.

Refusal of person to execute kubooliyet as required by the decree.

94. If the decree is for the ejectment of any ryot from land occupied by him, or for the reinstatement of any ryot in the occupancy of land from which he has been ejected, the decree shall be executed by giving the possession or occupancy of the land to the person entitled by the decree to such possession or occupancy.

Mode of executing decree for ejectment or reinstatement of ryot.

If any opposition is made to the execution of the order for giving such possession or occupancy by the party against whom the order is made, the Deputy Commissioner, in the exercise of his powers as a Magistrate, shall give effect to the same.

Procedure in case of opposition to execution.

95. If the decree is for the cancelment of any lease, or the ejectment of any farmer or other person (not being an actual cultivator), or for the reinstatement of any farmer or other such person in the possession of a farm or tenure from which he has been ejected, the decree shall be executed by proclaiming the substance of the decree to the cultivators or other occupants by beat of drum, or in such other manner as may be customary, and affixing the same in some conspicuous place within, or adjacent to, the farm or tenure.

Mode of executing decree for cancelment of a lease, or for ejectment or reinstatement of a farmer or tenant.

96. If the decree is for arrears of rent, or for money, papers, or accounts, and the defendant has been committed to jail, or appears pursuant to the conditions of any security-bond given under section 59, the Deputy Commissioner may order that he be detained in, or committed to, the civil jail, unless he immediately pay into court the amount of the decree with costs, or otherwise comply with the terms of the decree.

In what case a judgment-debtor may be detained or imprisoned without issue of process of execution

97. If the judgment-debtor has given security for his appearance, and is not present when judgment is pronounced, and the surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, process of execution may be taken out against the surety in the same manner as if a decree for the amount due from the debtor had been passed against the surety.

Liability of surety on failure to deliver judgment-debtor into custody.

If the decree is for the delivery of papers or accounts, and the defendant is not present when judgment is pronounced, and the surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, execution may be taken out against the surety for the sum due under the bond in the same manner as if a decree for that sum had been passed against the surety.

98. The provisions relating to attachment before judgment, contained in the Code of Civil Procedure, are hereby extended to all suits under this Act.

Attachment before judgment.

99. Process of execution may be issued against either the person or the property of a judgment-debtor, but process shall not

Issue of process of execution.

be issued simultaneously against both person and property.

Process of execution against the person or moveable property of a debtor shall be in the form contained in Schedule H or I hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Application for execution against moveable property.

100. Any moveable property required to be seized under an execution shall, if practicable, be described in a list to be furnished by the judgment-creditor, but if the creditor is unable to furnish such list, he may apply for a general attachment of the debtor's effects to the amount of the judgment and costs.

In either case the property to be seized shall be pointed out to the officer entrusted with the execution of the process, by the creditor or his agent.

How long warrant shall continue in force.

101. Every warrant of execution shall bear date on the day on which it is signed by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall continue in force for such period as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, not being more than sixty days from such date.

Second and successive warrants.

102. Second and successive warrants of execution may be issued by order of the Deputy Commissioner on the application of the judgment-creditor, after the expiration of the period fixed for the continuance in force of a previous warrant.

After one year execution not to issue without notice.

103. Process of execution shall not be issued upon any judgment without previous notice to the party against whom execution is applied for, if, when application for the issue of the process is made, a period of more than one year shall have elapsed from the date of the judgment, or from the date of the last previous application for execution.

Execution not to issue against heir or representative of a deceased party without notice.

104. Execution on a judgment shall not issue against the heir or other representative of a deceased party, without notice to such heir or other representative to appear and be heard.

No process of execution to be issued three years after date of judgment.

105. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on a judgment under this Act, unless an application be made within three years from the date of such judgment.

Warrant against the person.

106. If a warrant is issued for taking in execution the body of any person, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall bring him with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner.

If such person does not then deposit in court the full amount specified in the warrant, or make such arrangement for the payment of the same as shall be satisfactory to the judgment-creditor, or satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that he has no present means of paying the debt, the Deputy Commissioner shall send him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time as shall be directed, by a warrant addressed to the keeper of the jail, unless he shall in the mean time pay the full amount for the payment of which he is liable under the decree.

Provided that no person shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree under this Act for a longer period than six months;

or for a longer period than six weeks, if the decree is for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding fifty rupees.

If arrest be for non-delivery of accounts.

If the decree against any person arrested under a warrant is for the delivery of papers or accounts, and the papers or accounts are not delivered by him when he is brought before the Deputy Commissioner, such person may be committed to the civil jail, there to remain for such time, not exceeding six months, as the Deputy Commissioner shall direct, unless he shall in the mean time deliver the papers or accounts according to the terms of the decree.

No person to be imprisoned a second time under same judgment.

107. Any person once discharged from jail shall not be imprisoned a second time under the same judgment.

If the amount due under the decree does not exceed fifty rupees, the Deputy Commissioner may declare such discharged person absolved from liability under that decree.

In other cases the discharge shall not extinguish the liability of the discharged person under the decree, or exempt property belonging to such person from attachment in execution of the same.

Diet-money to be deposited at the time of issue of warrant.

108. Any person applying for a warrant of arrest under section 57, or suing out process of execution against the body of any person, shall deposit in court, at the time of issue of the warrant, diet-money for thirty days at such rate as the Deputy Commissioner may direct.

Payment of diet-money in advance during imprisonment.

109. Payment of diet-money at the same rate shall be made previously to the commencement of each succeeding month of the imprisonment, in failure of which the party confined shall be discharged.

Diet-money to be costs in suit.

110. All diet-money spent in providing subsistence for any prisoner shall be added to the costs in the suit, and any diet-money not so spent shall be returned to the person who deposited the same.

List of property to be prepared and proclamation of sale to be published, &c.

111. In executing a writ of execution against the moveable property of a debtor liable under this Act, the officer charged with the execution of the writ shall prepare a list of the property pointed out by the judgment-creditor, and shall publish a proclamation specifying the day upon which the sale is intended to be held, together with a copy of the said list, at the intended place of sale and at the residence of the debtor.

A copy of the said proclamation and list shall be transmitted to the Deputy Commissioner and shall be affixed in his office.

Until the day of sale, the said property shall remain in the custody of the officer attaching the same.

Place and manner of sale of property.

112. The sale shall be held at the place where the property is deposited, or at the nearest gunge, bazar, haut, or other place of public resort, if the officer holding the sale is of opinion that it is likely to sell there to better advantage.

The property shall be sold by public auction in one or more lots as the officer holding the sale may think advisable; and if the judgment-debt with the costs of the execution and sale is satisfied by the sale of a portion of the property, the execution shall be immediately withdrawn with respect to the remainder.

If fair price be not offered, sale may be postponed to another day, and shall be then completed at whatever price may be offered.

113. If on the property being put up for sale a fair price, in the estimation of the officer holding the sale, is not offered for it, and the owner of the property, or some person authorized to act on his behalf, applies to have the sale postponed until the next day, or the next market day, if a market be held at the place of sale, the sale shall be postponed until such day, and shall be then completed at whatever price may be offered for the property.

Payment of purchase-money.

114. The price of every lot shall be paid for in ready money at the time of sale, or as soon after as the officer holding the sale shall think necessary; and in default of such payment, the property shall be put up again and sold.

When the purchase-money has been paid in full, the officer holding the sale shall give the purchaser a certificate describing the property purchased by him and the price paid.

Proceeds of sale.

115. From the proceeds of the sale of the property, the officer holding the sale shall make a deduction, at the rate of one anna in the rupee, on account of the costs of the sale, and shall transmit the amount to the Deputy Commissioner in order that it may be credited to Government.

The said officer shall then pay to the judgment-creditor the expenses incurred by the judgment-creditor on account of the preparation of the list, and of the publication of the proclamation of sale prescribed in section 111, to such amount as, after examination of the statement of expenses furnished by the judgment-creditor, he thinks proper to allow.

The remainder shall be applied to the discharge of the debt for which the sale was made, with interest thereon up to the day of sale, and if there be any surplus, it shall be delivered to the person whose property has been sold.

Officers holding sales prohibited from purchasing.

116. Officers holding sales of property under this Act, and all persons employed by, or subordinate to such officers, are prohibited from purchasing either directly or indirectly any property sold by such officers.

Sale of moveable property taken in execution.

117. No sale of any moveable property taken in execution shall be made until after the end of ten days next following the day on which such property may have been so taken.

Deputy Commissioner may stay sale of moveable property seized if a third party claim any interest therein.

118. If before the day fixed for the sale, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner, and claims a right or interest in any of the moveable property taken in execution, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party or his agent according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses, and if he see sufficient reason for so doing, may stay the sale of such property.

Deputy Commissioner to adjudicate such claims.

119. The Deputy Commissioner shall adjudicate upon such claim, and make such order between the claimant and the plaintiff and defendant in the original suit, as shall to him seem fit.

In trying such claim the Deputy Commissioner shall be guided by the provisions of this Act, so far as they may be applicable.

Claimant failing to establish his right, liable to pay compensation to judgment-creditor.

120. If the claimant fails to establish his right to the property taken in execution, the Deputy Commissioner at the time of disposing of the case may award to the judgment-creditor against such claimant, as part of the costs, such sum as he may consider sufficient to cover any loss of interest or damage which the judgment-creditor may have sustained by reason of the postponement of the sale of the property.

No appeal from order of Deputy Commissioner under the two last preceding sections.

121. No appeal shall lie from any order passed by the Deputy Commissioner under the last two preceding sections.

But the party against whom the same may be given shall be at liberty to bring a suit in the civil court to establish his right at any time within one year from the date of the order;

provided that, if the order be for the sale of the property, the suit shall not be for the recovery of the property, but for damages against the judgment-creditor by whom the property was brought to sale.

Sale not vitiated by irregularity in publishing or conducting the same.

122. No irregularity in publishing or conducting a sale of moveable property under an execution shall vitiate such sale; but nothing contained in this section shall be held to deprive any person who may sustain damage by reason of such irregularity from recovering such damage by action in the Civil Court; provided such action be brought within one year from the date of sale.

Sale of transferable tenures in execution of decrees for arrears of rent.

123. If the decree is for an arrear of rent due in respect of an under-tenure, which, by the title-deeds, or the custom of the country, is transferable by sale, the judgment-creditor may make application for the sale of the tenure, and, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, the tenure may thereupon be brought to sale in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in Bengal Act VIII of 1865.

But no such application shall be received when a warrant of execution has been previously issued against the person or moveable property of the judgment-debtor, so long as such warrant remains in force.

If after sale of an under-tenure any portion of the amount decreed remains due, process may be applied for against any other property, moveable or immoveable, belonging to the debtor, and any such immoveable property may be brought to sale in the manner provided in section 129.

Under-tenure held conditionally on survival of heirs male not transferable by sale.

124. No under-tenure which is held conditionally on the survival of heirs male of the grantee, and which, on failure of such heirs, reverts to the grantor free of all encumbrances made subsequent to the date of the grant, shall be sold under this Act.

Provided that the right and title of any person in such tenure may be sold with the sanction of the Commissioner.

If third party claim to be the lawful possessor of such under-tenure, Deputy Commissioner to stay the sale and to enquire into and adjudicate upon the claim.

125. If before the day fixed for the sale of any such under-tenure as is mentioned in section 123, or of the right and title of any person in an under-tenure of the nature described in section 124,

a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and alleges that such third party, and not the person against whom the decree has been obtained, is the proprietor of such under-tenure, and was in lawful possession of the same at the time when such decree was obtained,

the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party in the manner provided in section 118; and if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, and such party deposits in court the amount of the decree, or gives sufficient security for the same, the Deputy Commissioner shall stay the sale and proceed to enquire into and adjudicate upon the claim.

Provided that no transfer of an under-tenure, which, by the provisions of this Act or any other law for the time being in force, is required to be registered in the sherishteh of the zemindar or superior tenant, shall be recognized, unless it has been so registered, or unless sufficient cause for non-registration is shown to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner.

Mode of adjudicating such claims.

126. In trying such claim the Deputy Commissioner shall be guided by the provisions of this Act, so far as the same may be applicable, and the judgment passed by the Deputy Commissioner on such claim shall not be subject to appeal, but the party against whom it is given may bring a suit in the civil court to establish his right, at any time within one year from the date of the judgment.

Execution of decrees given in favor of sharers in undivided estates or tenures.

127. If a decree is given in favor of a sharer in a joint undivided estate, dependent talook, or other similar tenure, for money due to him on account of his share of the rent of an under-tenure situate in such undivided estate, talook, or tenure, application for the sale of such under-tenure shall not be received, unless execution shall have been first taken out against any moveable property which the judgment-debtor may possess within the district in which the suit was instituted, and the sale of such property, if any, shall have proved insufficient to satisfy the judgment.

In such case the under-tenure, if of the nature described in section 123, and not of the nature described in section 124, may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in execution of the decree in the same manner as any other immoveable property may be sold in execution of a decree for money under the provisions of the next two succeeding sections.

In all cases of decrees for money, if judgment cannot be satisfied by sale of debtor's moveable property, execution may be had against his immoveable property.

128. In the execution of any decree for the payment of money under this Act, not being money due as arrears of rent of a saleable under-tenure, or of a tenure the right and title in which is saleable, if satisfaction of the judgment cannot be obtained by execution against the person or moveable property of the debtor within the district in which the suit was instituted, the judgment-creditor may apply for execution against any immoveable property belonging to such debtor, and such immoveable property may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in the manner described in the next succeeding section.

Mode of executing process if immoveable property be a house or other building.

129. If the immoveable property against which execution is applied for is a house or other building, process shall be issued in the same manner as for the attachment and sale of moveable property, and the provisions of sections 111 to 117 (both inclusive) shall, so far as may be practicable, be applicable to the execution of such process.

If it be a saleable under-tenure.

If the property is a saleable under-tenure, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in the Lower Provinces of Bengal applicable to the sale of such under-tenures for demands other than those of arrears of rent due in respect thereof.

If it be an estate or a share of an estate.

If the property is an estate, or a share of an estate, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in the Lower Provinces of Bengal applicable to the sale of estates for the recovery of demands recoverable by the same process as arrears of land revenue.

Consequence of objection being offered before the sale of any immoveable property.

130. If, before the day fixed for the sale of any immoveable property as aforesaid, objection is offered to the sale on the ground of such property not belonging to the judgment-debtor, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the party making the objection in the manner prescribed in section 118, and, if satisfied that there is sufficient ground for so doing, shall stay the sale and proceed to enquire into, and adjudicate upon, the objection, in the same manner, and subject to the same right of suit by the party against whom judgment may be given, as is provided in section 126.

Service of process.

131. Every process issued by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be under the seal and signature of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be served or executed by the Nazir, or by such other officer as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, at the cost of the party at whose instance it issued.

Deputy Commissioner may hold a court in any part of his jurisdiction.

132 The Deputy Commissioner may hold a court for hearing and determining suits under this Act in any place within the limits of his district or local jurisdiction, provided that every hearing and decision shall be in open court, and that the

parties to the suit, or their authorized agents, shall have had due notice to attend at such place.

Powers of Deputy Collectors.

133. All the powers conferred on the Deputy Commissioner by this Act may be exercised by any Deputy Collector in cases referred to him by a Deputy Commissioner; and in all cases without such reference, by any Deputy Collector placed in charge of any subdivision of a district, or specially authorized by the local Government to receive such cases;

and all applications and reports allowed or required by this Act to be made to the Deputy Commissioner may be made to any Deputy Collector having such local jurisdiction, or specially authorized as aforesaid.

Deputy Commissioner and Deputy Collectors to be subject to direction and control of the Commissioners and the Board of Revenue.

134. In the performance of their duties under this Act, the Deputy Commissioners and Deputy Collectors shall be subject to the general direction and control of the Commissioner and the Board of Revenue; and the Deputy Collectors shall be subject to the direction and control of the Deputy Commissioner to whom they are subordinate.

Appeal from orders of Deputy Commissioner and Deputy Collectors.

135. All orders passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, not being judgments in suits or orders passed in the course of suits and relating to the trial thereof, or orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be appealable to the Commissioner, and all such orders passed by a Deputy Collector shall be appealable to the Deputy Commissioner;

but no judgment of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector in any suit, and no order of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector passed in any suit and relating to the trial thereof, or after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be open to revision or appeal otherwise than as expressly provided in this Act.

Time for presenting appeals from orders.

136. Every appeal against the order of a Deputy Commissioner shall be presented to the Commissioner within thirty days, and every appeal against the order of a Deputy Collector shall be presented to the Deputy Commissioner within fifteen days, from the date of the order.

Orders passed in appeal by a Commissioner or a Deputy Commissioner shall not be open to any further appeal; but the Board of Revenue or the Commissioner may call for any case and pass such orders thereon as they may think proper

No appeal from any decree of Deputy Commissioner for money below Rupees 100 unless the decision involve some question of right to enhance rents or some question relating to a title to land.

137. In suits under clauses two, four and seven of section 37, tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, if the amount sued for, or the value of the property claimed does not exceed one hundred rupees, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final, and not open to revision or appeal except as hereinafter provided, unless in any such suit a question relating to a title to land, or to some interest in land as between parties having conflicting claims thereto has been determined by the judgment, in which case the judgment shall be open to appeal in the manner provided in section 144.

In suits not open to appeal, Deputy Commissioner may grant a rehearing upon the discovery of new evidence, &c.

138. In suits in which the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is final, as provided in the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon the application of either party, if made within thirty days from the date of the decision, order the rehearing of a suit upon the ground of the discovery of new evidence, or matter material to the issue of the case, which the applicant had no knowledge of, or could not produce, at the time of trial..

Appeal from decision of Deputy Collector.

139. When any such suit as aforesaid, in which, if tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner would be final, is tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Collector shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner.

Period allowed for appeal.

140. The petition of appeal shall be presented to the Deputy Commissioner within fifteen days from the date of decree

provided that such time as may be requisite for procuring a copy of the decree appealed against shall not be reckoned as part of the fifteen days.

Procedure in appeal.

141. The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a day for hearing the appeal, and shall cause notice of the same to be served on the respondent.

If on the day fixed for hearing the appeal, or any other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the appellant does not appear in person or by an agent, the appeal shall be dismissed for default.

If the appellant appears, and the respondent does not appear in person or by an agent, the appeal shall be heard *ex parte*.

Re-admission of appeal.

142. If an appeal is dismissed for default of prosecution, the appellant may, within fifteen days from the date of the dismissal, apply to the Deputy Commissioner for the re-admission of the appeal; and if it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that the appellant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Deputy Commissioner may re-admit the appeal.

Judgment in appeal.

143. After hearing the appeal, the Deputy Commissioner shall give judgment in the manner hereinbefore prescribed for giving judgment in original suits, and the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final.

In what suits appeal to lie to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

144. In all suits other than those in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is declared to be final, or when tried and decided by a Deputy Collector an appeal is allowed to the Deputy Commissioner, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector shall lie to the Judicial Commissioner of the Division, unless the amount or value in dispute exceed five thousand rupees, in which case the appeal shall lie to the High Court.

Period of limitation for appeals.

145. Appeals to the Judicial Commissioner or to the High Court under this Act shall be presented within the time prescribed

for the presentation of appeals to a District Judge or to the High Court under the Code of Civil Procedure by the law for the time being in force for the limitation of appeals.

Suits to be preferred in the Revenue Office of the District or sub-division in which the greater part of the land is situate.

146. Suits under this Act shall be preferred in the Revenue Office of the district;

or, when a sub-division of a district has been placed under the jurisdiction of a Deputy Collector, in the Revenue Office of the sub-division in which the cause of action shall have arisen;

or, when the cause of action has arisen within the limits of the local jurisdiction of any Deputy Collector not in charge of a sub-division, but who has been specially authorized by the local Government to receive such suits, then in the office of such last-mentioned Deputy Collector.

Provided that the Deputy Commissioner may withdraw any suit from any Deputy Collector and try it himself, or refer it to another Deputy Collector.

Procedure if lands are situated in more than one district or sub-division.

147. If the lands comprised in any talook, farm, or other tenure, or any lands held under one lease or engagement, or at one entire rent, in respect of which arrears of rent may be due, are situated in more than one district or sub-division, the district or sub-division in which the greater part of such lands is situated shall be held to be the district or sub-division in which the cause of action has arisen;

and if any question shall be raised respecting the district or sub-division in which the greater part of the lands is situated, the Board of Revenue, or if all the lands are situated in one district, the Deputy Commissioner of the district, shall decide the question, and such decision shall be conclusive on the point of jurisdiction.

Except as above, Deputy Commissioner not to exercise jurisdiction in respect to lands situate beyond his district.

148. Except as provided in the last preceding section, no Deputy Commissioner shall exercise any jurisdiction under this Act in respect of any lands situated beyond the limits of the district to which he is appointed, by reason of such lands forming part of an estate, the revenue of which is paid into the treasury of the said district.

Service of notice or summons.

149. Every notice or summons in and by this Act required to be served on any person may be served.

(1) by delivering the same to the person to whom it is directed,

or, on failure of such service, by posting the same on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person usually resides;

or by delivering the said notice or summons to a general agent of the person to whom such notice or summons is directed, or to any person who has been appointed in that behalf; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing such notice or summons directed to the said person at his usual place of abode;

(3) or, if no such place of abode can be found, and if the notice or summons cannot be served in any of the other modes mentioned in this section, by posting the same at the bhandhar of the village or holding to which the notice or summons relates.

Saving clause.

150. Nothing contained in this Act shall be held to affect the provisions of Bengal Act II of 1869, or of Bengal Act VI of 1876.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 3.)

Being Acts repealed in the territories to which this Act extends.

DATE AND NO. OF ACT.	TITLE OF ACT.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
Act X of 1859 ...	An Act to amend the law relating to the recovery of rent in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.	The whole Act.
Act VI of 1862, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council.	An Act to amend Act X of 1859.	The whole Act.
Act IV of 1867, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council.	An Act to explain and amend Act VI of 1862, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, and to give validity to certain judgments.	The whole Act.

SCHEDULE B.*

(*See Section* 14.)

I, A. B., of &c., do solemnly declare that I did personally (*or* by my agent C. D.) on the day of tender payment to E. F., at his mal-kutcherry (*or at*) the place where the rent of the lands at held or cultivated by me under or from the said E. F., are usually payable, of the sum of Rupees as and for the whole amount due from me in respect of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of , both inclusive. I further declare that the said E. F. refused to accept the said sum so tendered (or to give me a receipt in full forthwith for the same). And I do declare that to the best of my belief, the sum of Rupees so tendered and which I now desire to pay into Court, is the full amount which I owe the said E. F. on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of , both inclusive, and that I owe the said E. F. no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

SCHEDULE C.†

(*See Section* 14.)

Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Dated the day of 18

To E. F. of &c.

WITH reference to the within declaration, you are hereby informed that the sum of Rupees therein mentioned is now in deposit in this Court, and that the above sum will be paid to you or to your duly authorised agent on application. And take notice that if you have any further claim or demand whatsoever to make against the said A. B. in respect of the

* If this declaration is made by an agent it must be altered accordingly.

† This is to be by endorsement on a copy of the Declaration under Schedule B made by the person paying the money into Court.

rent of the said lands, you must institute a suit in Court for the establishment of such claim or demand within six calendar months from this date; otherwise your claim will be for ever barred.

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Section* 55.)

FORM OF SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT.

No. (of suit) dated
In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

[*Name, description, and address of plaintiff.*]

C. D., Defendant.

[*Name, description, and address of defendant.*]

Whereas the said A. B has brought a claim against you in this court for [*here specify particulars of claim as given in the statement*] you are hereby required to appear in person in this court on the day of [*if not specially required to appear in person, state* "in person or by an agent who has personal knowledge of the subject, or who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge"] to answer the abovenamed plaintiff, and you will bring with you (or send by your agent) [*here mention any document, the production of which may be required by the plaintiff*] which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and all documents on which you may intend to rely in support of your defence. You will also bring with you your witnesses, if they are willing to attend without issue of process.

SCHEDULE E

(*See Section* 57.)

FORM OF WARRANT OF ARREST.

No. (of suit) dated
In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas the plaintiff in this suit has obtained an order from the Court for the arrest of the defendant, you are hereby commanded to bring the defendant before the Court on or before the day of to be dealt with according to law.

Dated this day of 187

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 57.)

FORM OF NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY SUCH WARRANT.

In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

[*Name, description, and address of plaintiff.*]

C. D., Defendant.

[*Name, description, and address of defendant.*]

Whereas the said A. B. has brought a claim against you in this Court for (*here specify particulars of claim as given in the statement*) and has obtained a warrant for your arrest, you are hereby required, unless you admit the claim, to bring with you to the Court all documents on which you may intend to rely in support of your defence.

SCHEDULE G.

(*See Section* 59.)

FORM OF SECURITY BOND FOR APPEARANCE OF DEFENDANT.

Whereas A. B., plaintiff, has instituted a suit in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of against C. D., defendant, and the said C. D. has been required to give security for his appearance at any time when called on while the suit is depending and until execution of the decree, I, E. F., hereby declare myself surety for the said C. D.'s appearance as aforesaid, and in case of his making default in such appearance, I engage to pay any sum for the payment of which the said C. D. may be liable under the decree. *If the suit be for the delivery of papers or accounts, specify some sum to be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner.*

SCHEDULE H.

(*See Section* 99.)

WRIT OF EXECUTION AGAINST THE PERSON.

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas the said C. D. was directed by a decree of this Court, under date the day of 187 , to pay to A. B. the sum of and for costs of suit, amounting to , and whereas the said C. D. has omitted to pay the same, you are hereby commanded to apprehend the said C. D., and to bring him with all convenient speed before this court to be dealt with according to law.

SCHEDULE I.

(*See Section* 99.)

WRIT OF EXECUTION AGAINST THE MOVEABLE PROPERTY.

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas C. D. was directed by a decree of this Court, under date the day of 187 , to pay to A. B. the sum of and for costs of suit, amounting to , and whereas the said C. D. has omitted to pay the same, you are hereby commanded to levy the said sum of , and the sum of for costs of executing this process, by seizure and sale of such moveable property of the said C. D. as is described in the list annexed, and) [*if no list is furnished, these words to be omitted*] shall be pointed out to you by the judgment-creditor or his agent; and you are hereby ordered to sell such property of the said C. D. on some convenient day, not being less than ten nor more than fifteen days from the day of seizure, unless the amount leviable as aforesaid shall be sooner paid; and you are hereby commanded to certify to me what you shall do by virtue of this warrant.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

The Calcutta Gazette

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1879.

PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as amended by them, is, by order of the President, published for general information :—

WE, the undersigned members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to whom the Bill to place passenger boats plying within the Port of Calcutta under the control of the Conservator of the Port was referred, have the honor to make the following report :—

We have extended the operation of the Act to passenger boats and steam ferries which ply either wholly within, or partly within and partly without, the limits of the Port, but we have provided that the Act is not to apply to boats whose voyages ordinarily extend more than thirty miles from the limits of the Port.

We have provided that the fees payable on registration may be annual.

We have given police officers the same powers with reference to offences and offenders under the rules as they have under section 6 of Bengal Act III of 1872.

We have provided a penalty for non-payment of the registration fee.

A. MACKENZIE.
J. O'KINEALY.
AMEER ALI.

The 4th February 1879.

AMENDED BILL.

Bill to place passenger boats plying within the Port of Calcutta under the control of the Conservator of the Port.

WHEREAS it is expedient to transfer the control and registration of passenger boats plying within the Port of Calcutta to the jurisdiction of the Conservator of the Port: It is enacted as follows :—

Preamble.

1. Sections 63, 64, and 65 of Bengal Act IV of 1866, the Calcutta Police Act, are hereby repealed.

Repeal of sections 63 to 65 of Calcutta Police Act.

2. No passenger boat or steam ferry shall ply for passengers either wholly within, or partly within and partly without, the limits of the Port of Calcutta, unless duly registered at the office of the Conservator of the Port under such rules, and on payment of such annual or other fees, as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Passenger boats to be under the Conservator of the Port.

All Police Officers shall have the same powers in reference to offences and offenders under such rules as they have under section 6 of Bengal Act III of 1872.

3. Whoever, being the owner of a passenger boat or steam ferry registered under this Act, refuses or neglects to pay the fee prescribed for such registration by the Local Government, shall be liable to the penalty provided for disobedience to rules made under section 7 of the Indian Ports' Act, 1875.

Penalty.

4. This Act shall not apply to boats whose voyages ordinarily extend more than thirty miles from the limits of the Port of Calcutta.

Application of Act.

5. This Act shall come into force on such date as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct by notification published as aforesaid.

Commencement of Act.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1879.

PART V.

Acts of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 17th January, 1879, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

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THE STAMP ACT, 1879.

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CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called "The Indian Stamp Act, 1879:"

Local extent. It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement. And it shall come into force on the first day of April 1879.

Repeal of enactments. **2.** On and after that day, the Acts specified in the third schedule shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column of the same schedule. But all rules made under the General Stamp Act, 1869, and then in force shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, be deemed to have been made hereunder. And all references made to the General Stamp Act, 1869, in enactments passed subse-

quently thereto, shall be deemed to be made to this Act.

3. In this Act, unless there is something repugnant in the subject or context,— Interpretation-clause.

(1.) "Banker" includes a bank and any person acting as a banker: "Banker."

(2.) "Bill of exchange" includes a hundí: "Bill of exchange."

(3.) "Bill of lading" means any instrument signed by the owner of a vessel or his agent, acknowledging the receipt of goods therein described, and undertaking to deliver the same at a place and to a person therein mentioned or indicated: "Bill of lading."

(4.) "Bond" means— "Bond."

(*a*) any instrument whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another, on condition that the obligation shall be void if a specified act is performed, or is not performed, as the case may be;

(*b*) any instrument attested by a witness and not payable to order or bearer, whereby a person obliges himself to pay money to another; and

(*c*) any instrument so attested whereby a person obliges himself to deliver grain or other agricultural produce to another:

(5.) "Chargeable" means, as applied to an instrument executed or first executed after this Act comes into force, chargeable under this Act, and, as applied to any other instrument, chargeable under the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or, where several persons executed the instrument at different times, first executed: "Chargeable."

(6.) "Cheque" means a bill of exchange drawn on a banker and payable on demand: "Cheque."

(7.) "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority" means, in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the territories respectively under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces, the Board of Revenue: in the Presidency of Bombay, outside Sind and the limits of the town of Bombay, a Revenue Commissioner: in Sind, the Commissioner: in the Panjáb, the Financial Commissioner; and elsewhere, the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office: "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority."

(8.) "Collector" means, within the limits of the towns of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, the Collector of Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, respectively, and, without those limits, the Collector of a District, and includes a Deputy Commissioner and any officer whom the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office: "Collector."

(9.) "Conveyance" means any instrument by which property (whether moveable or immoveable) is transferred on sale: "Conveyance."

(10.) "Duly stamped," as applied to an instrument, means stamped, or written upon paper bearing an impressed stamp, in accordance with the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed: "Duly stamped."

(11.) "Instrument of partition" means any instrument whereby co-owners of any property divide or agree to divide such property in severalty, and includes also a final order for effecting a partition passed by any Revenue-authority: "Instrument of partition."

(12.) "Lease" means a lease of immoveable property and includes also "Lease."

(*a*) a patta,

(*b*) a kabúliyat or other undertaking in writing, not being a counterpart of a lease, to cultivate, occupy or pay or deliver rent for, immoveable property,

(*c*) any instrument by which tolls of any description are let, and

(*d*) any writing on an application for a lease intended to signify that the application is granted:

(13.) "Mortgage-deed" includes every instrument whereby, for the purpose of securing money advanced, or to be advanced, by way of loan, or an existing or future debt, or the performance of an engagement, one person transfers, or creates, to or in favour of another, a right over specified property: "Mortgage-deed."

(14.) "Paper" includes vellum, parchment or any other material on which an instrument may be written: "Paper."

(15.) "Policy of insurance" means any instrument by which one person, in consideration of a premium, engages to indemnify another against loss, damage or liability arising from an unknown or contingent event: "Policy of insurance."

It includes a life-policy:

(16.) "Power-of-attorney" means any instrument (not chargeable with a fee under the law relating to Court-fees for the time being in force) empowering a specified person to act in the stead of the person executing it: "Power-of-attorney."

(17.) "Receipt" means any note, memorandum, writing or advertisement whereby any money or any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note is acknowledged to have been received, or whereby any other moveable property is acknowledged to have been received in satisfaction of a debt, or whereby any debt or demand, or any part of a debt or demand, is acknowledged to have been satisfied or discharged, or which signifies or imports any such acknowledgment, whether the same is or is not signed with the name of any person: "Receipt."

(18.) "Schedule" means a schedule to this Act annexed: "Schedule."

(19.) "Settlement" means any non-testamentary disposition in writing, of moveable or immoveable property, made— "Settlement."

(*a*) in consideration of marriage,

(*b*) for the purpose of distributing property of the settlor among his family or those for whom he desires to provide, or

(*c*) for any religious or charitable purpose:

It includes an agreement in writing to make such a disposition:

(20.) "Vessel" means anything made for the conveyance by water of human beings or property: "Vessel."

(21.) "Written" and "writing" include every mode in which words or figures can be expressed upon paper.

"Written," "writing."

4. The schedules and everything therein contained shall be read and construed as part of this Act.

Schedules to be read as part of Act.

CHAPTER II.

STAMP-DUTIES.

A.—Of the Liability of Instruments to duty.

5. Subject to the exemptions contained in the second schedule, the following instruments shall be chargeable with duty of the amount indicated in the first schedule as the proper duty therefor respectively, that is to say:—

Instruments chargeable with duty.

(*a*) every instrument mentioned in the first schedule, and which, not having been previously executed by any person, is executed in British India on or after the first day of April 1879;

(*b*) every bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note drawn or made out of British India on or after that day and accepted or paid, or presented for acceptance or payment, or endorsed, transferred or otherwise negotiated, in British India; and

(*c*) every instrument (other than a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note) mentioned in the first schedule, which, not having been previously executed by any person, is executed out of British India on or after that day, relates to any property situate, or to any matter or thing done or to be done, in British India, and is received in British India.

6. Where, in the case of any sale, lease, mortgage or settlement, several instruments are employed for completing the transaction, the principal instrument only shall be chargeable with the duty prescribed for the conveyance, lease, mortgage or settlement in the first schedule, and each of the other instruments shall be chargeable with a duty of one rupee instead of the duty (if any) prescribed for it in that schedule.

Several instruments used in single transactions.

The parties may determine for themselves which of the instruments so employed shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be the principal instrument.

7. Any instrument comprising or relating to several distinct matters shall be chargeable with the aggregate amount of the duties with which separate instruments, each comprising or relating to one of such matters, would be chargeable under this Act.

Instruments relating to several distinct matters.

Subject to the provisions of the first clause of this section, an instrument so framed as to come within two or more of the descriptions in the first schedule shall, where the duties chargeable thereunder are different, be chargeable only with the highest of such duties; but nothing herein contained shall render chargeable with duty exceeding one rupee a counterpart or duplicate of any instrument chargeable with duty and in respect of which the proper duty has been paid.

Instruments coming within several descriptions in schedule I.

8. The Governor General in Council may, by order published in the *Gazette of India*,

Power to reduce or remit rates of duty.

(*a*) reduce or remit, whether prospectively or retrospectively, in the whole or any part of British India, the duties with which any instruments or any particular class of instruments, or any of the instruments belonging to such class, or any instruments when executed by or in favour of any particular class of persons, or by or in favour of any members of such class, are chargeable, and

(*b*) cancel or vary such order to the extent of the powers hereby given.

B.—Of Stamps and the Mode of using them.

9. Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Act, all duties with which any instruments are chargeable shall be paid, and such payment shall be indicated on such instruments, by means of stamps—

Duties how to be paid.

(*a*) according to the provisions herein contained, or

(*b*) when no such provision is applicable thereto—as the Governor General in Council may by rule direct.

The rules made under this section may, among other matters, regulate—

(1) in the case of each kind of instrument—the description of stamps which may be used,

(2) in the case of instruments stamped with impressed stamps—the number of stamps which may be used,

(3) in the case of hundís—the size of the paper on which they are written.

10. The following instruments may be stamped with adhesive stamps, namely:—

Use of adhesive stamps.

(*a*) instruments chargeable with the duty of one anna except parts of bills of exchange payable otherwise than on demand and drawn in sets;

(*b*) bills of exchange, cheques and promissory notes drawn or made out of British India;

(*c*) entry as an advocate, vakíl or attorney on the roll of a High Court;

(*d*) notarial acts; and

(*e*) transfers by endorsement of shares of public companies and associations.

11. Whoever affixes any adhesive stamp to any instrument chargeable with duty and which has been executed by any person, shall, when affixing such stamp, cancel the same so that it cannot be used again,

Cancellation of adhesive stamps.

and whoever executes any instrument on any paper bearing an adhesive stamp shall, at the time of execution, unless such stamp has been already cancelled in manner aforesaid, cancel the same so that it cannot be used again.

Any instrument bearing an adhesive stamp which has not been cancelled so that it cannot be used again shall, so far as such stamp is concerned, be deemed to be unstamped.

12. Every instrument written upon paper stamped with an impressed stamp, shall be written in such manner, that the stamp may appear on the face of the instrument and cannot be used for or applied to any other instrument.

How instruments stamped with impressed stamps are to be written.

13. No second instrument chargeable with duty shall be written upon a piece of stamped paper upon which an instrument chargeable with duty has already been written: provided that nothing in this section shall prevent any endorsement which is duly stamped or is not chargeable with duty being made upon any instrument for the purpose of transferring any right created or evidenced thereby, or of acknowledging the receipt of any money or goods the payment or delivery of which is secured thereby.

Only one instrument to be on same stamp.

14. Every instrument written in contravention of section twelve or thirteen, shall be deemed to be unstamped.

Instrument written contrary to section 12 or 13 deemed unstamped.

15. Where the duty with which an instrument is chargeable, or its exemption from duty, depends in any manner upon the duty actually paid in respect of another instrument, the payment of such last-mentioned duty shall, if application be made in writing to the Collector for that purpose, and on production of both the instruments, be denoted upon such first-mentioned instrument in such manner as the Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe.

Denoting duty.

C.—Of the Time of stamping Instruments.

16. All instruments chargeable with duty and executed by any person in British India shall be stamped before or at the time of execution.

Instruments executed in British India.

17. Every instrument chargeable with duty executed only out of British India, and not being a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note, may be stamped within three months after it has been first received in British India; or, where such instrument cannot, with reference to the description of stamp prescribed therefor, be duly stamped by a private person, it may be taken within the said period of three months to the Collector, and he shall stamp the same, in such manner as the Governor General in Council may by rule prescribe, with a stamp of such value as the person so taking such instrument may require and pay for.

Instruments other than bills, cheques and notes executed out of British India.

18. The first holder in British India of any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note drawn or made out of British India shall, before he presents the same for acceptance or payment, or endorses, transfers or otherwise negotiates the same in British India, affix thereto the proper stamp and cancel the same:

Bills, cheques and notes drawn out of British India.

Provided that if, at the time any such bill, cheque or note comes into the hands of any holder thereof in British India, the proper adhesive stamp is affixed thereto and cancelled in manner prescribed by section eleven, and such holder has no reason to believe that such stamp was affixed or cancelled otherwise than by the person and at the time required by this Act, such stamp shall, so far as relates to such holder, be deemed to have been duly affixed and cancelled But nothing contained in this proviso shall relieve any person from any penalty incurred by him for omitting to affix or cancel a stamp.

D.—Of Valuations for duty.

19. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of an amount expressed in pounds sterling, pounds currency, francs or dollars, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such money in the currency of British India according to the following scale:—

Conversion of amount expressed in certain currencies.

One pound sterling or pound currency is equivalent to ten rupees:

One hundred francs are equivalent to forty rupees:

One Mexican or China dollar is equivalent to two rupees four annas.

20. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of any money expressed in any other foreign or colonial currency, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such money in the currency of British India according to the current rate of exchange on the day of the date of the instrument.

Conversion of amount expressed in other foreign currencies.

21. Where an instrument is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of any stock or of any marketable security, such duty shall be calculated on the value of such stock or security according to the average price thereof on the day of the date of the instrument.

Stock and marketable securities how to be valued.

22. Where an instrument contains a statement of current rate of exchange, or average price, as the case may require, and is stamped in accordance with such statement, it shall, so far as regards the subject-matter of such statement, be presumed, until the contrary is proved, to be duly stamped.

Effect of statement of rate of exchange or average price.

23. Where interest is expressly made payable by the terms of an instrument, such instrument shall not be chargeable with duty higher than that with which it would have been chargeable had no mention of interest been made therein.

Instruments reserving interest.

24. Where any property is transferred to any person in consideration, wholly or in part, of any debt due to him, or subject either certainly or contingently to the payment or transfer of any money or stock, whether being or constituting a charge or incumbrance upon the property or not, such debt, money or stock is to be deemed the whole or part, as the case may be, of the consideration in respect whereof the transfer is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty.

How transfer in consideration of debt, or subject to future payment, &c., to be charged.

25. Where an instrument is executed to secure the payment of an annuity, or other sum payable periodically, or where the consideration for a conveyance is an annuity or other sum payable periodically, the amount secured by such instrument, or the consideration for such conveyance (as the case may be), shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be—

Valuation in case of annuity, &c.

(*a*) where the sum is payable for a definite period so that the total amount to be paid can be previously ascertained—such total amount;

(*b*) where the sum is payable in perpetuity or for an indefinite time not terminable with any life in being at the date of such instrument or conveyance—the total amount which, according to the terms of such instrument or conveyance, will or may be payable during the period of twenty years next after the date of such instrument or conveyance; and

(*c*) where the sum is payable for an indefinite time terminable with any life in being at the date of such instrument or conveyance—the total amount which will or may be payable as aforesaid during the period of twelve years next after the date of such instrument or conveyance.

Stamp where value of subject-matter is indeterminate.

26. Where the amount or value of the subject-matter of any instrument chargeable with *ad valorem* duty cannot be, or (in the case of an instrument executed before this Act comes into force) could not have been, ascertained, at the date of its execution or first execution, nothing shall be claimable under such instrument more than the highest amount or value for which, if stated in an instrument of the same description, the stamp actually used would, at the date of such execution, have been sufficient.

Facts affecting duty to be set forth in instrument.

27. The consideration (if any) and all other facts and circumstances affecting the chargeability of any instrument with duty, or the amount of the duty with which it is chargeable, shall be fully and truly set forth therein.

Direction as to duty in case of certain conveyances.

28. (*a.*) Where any property has been contracted to be sold for one consideration for the whole, and is conveyed to the purchaser in separate parts by different instruments, the consideration shall be apportioned in such manner as the parties think fit, so that a distinct consideration for each separate part is set forth in the conveyance relating thereto, and such conveyance shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of such distinct consideration.

(b.) Where property contracted to be purchased for one consideration for the whole, by two or more persons jointly, or by any person for himself and others, or wholly for others, is conveyed in parts by separate instruments to the persons by or for whom the same was purchased, for distinct parts of the consideration, the conveyance of each separate part shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the distinct part of the consideration therein specified.

(*c.*) Where a person having contracted for the purchase of any property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, contracts to sell the same to any other person, and the property is in consequence conveyed immediately to the sub-purchaser, the conveyance shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the consideration for the sale by the original purchaser to the sub-purchaser.

(*d.*) Where a person having contracted for the purchase of any property, but not having obtained a conveyance thereof, contracts to sell the whole, or any part, thereof, to any other person or persons, and the property is in consequence conveyed by the original seller to different persons in parts, the conveyance of each part sold to a sub-purchaser shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect only of the consideration paid by such sub-purchaser, without regard to the amount or value of the original consideration, and the conveyance of the residue (if any) of such property to the original purchaser shall be chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect only of the excess of the original consideration over the aggregate of the considerations paid by the sub-purchasers:

Provided that the duty on such last mentioned conveyance shall in no case be less than one rupee.

(*e.*) Where a sub-purchaser takes an actual conveyance of the interest of the person immediately selling to him, which is chargeable with *ad valorem* duty in respect of the consideration paid by him, and is duly stamped accordingly, any conveyance to be afterwards made to him of the same property by the original seller shall be chargeable with a duty equal to that which would be chargeable on a conveyance for the consideration obtained by such original seller; or where such duty would exceed five rupees, with a duty of five rupees.

E.—Duty by whom payable.

Duties by whom payable.

29. In the absence of an agreement to the contrary, the expense of providing the proper stamp shall be borne—

(*a*) in the case of any instrument described in numbers 2, 11, 13, 14, 15, 24, 28, 29, 30, 44, 53, 54, 55, 57 and 60 (*a*) and (*b*) of the first schedule—by the person drawing, making or executing such instrument:

(*b*) in the case of a policy of insurance—by the insured:

(*c*) in the case of a conveyance—by the grantee: in the case of a lease or agreement to lease—by the lessee or intended lessee:

(*d*) in the case of a counterpart of a lease—by the lessor:

(*e*) in the case of an instrument of partition—by the parties thereto in proportion to their respective shares in the property comprised therein, or when the partition is made in execution of an order passed by a Revenue-authority, in such proportion as such authority directs:

(*f*) in the case of an instrument of exchange—by the parties in equal shares: and

(*g*) in the case of a certificate of sale—by the purchaser of the property to which such certificate relates.

CHAPTER III.

ADJUDICATION AS TO STAMPS.

Adjudication as to proper stamp.

30. When any instrument, whether executed or not, and whether previously stamped or not, is brought to the Collector, and the person bringing it applies to have the opinion of that officer as to the duty (if any) with which it is chargeable, and pays a fee of such amount (not exceeding five rupees and not less than eight annas) as the Collector may in each case direct, the Collector shall determine the duty (if any) with which, in his judgment, the instrument is chargeable:

Collector may call for abstract and evidence.

and may for that purpose require to be furnished with an abstract of the instrument, and also with such affidavit or other evidence as he may deem necessary to prove that all the facts and circumstances affecting the chargeability of the instrument with duty, or the amount of the

duty with which it is chargeable, are fully and truly set forth therein, and may refuse to proceed upon any such application until such abstract and evidence have been furnished accordingly:

Proviso.

Provided that no evidence furnished in pursuance of this section shall be used against any person in any civil proceeding, except in an enquiry as to the duty with which the instrument to which it relates is chargeable; and every person by whom any such evidence is furnished shall, on payment of the full duty with which the instrument to which it relates is chargeable, be relieved from any penalty he may have incurred under this Act by reason of the omission to state truly in such instrument any of the facts or circumstances aforesaid.

Certificate by Collector.

31. When an instrument brought to the Collector under section thirty is in his opinion one of a description chargeable with duty and

(*a*) the Collector determines that it is already fully stamped, or

(*b*) the duty determined by the Collector under section thirty, or such a sum as, with the duty already paid in respect of the instrument, is equal to the duty so determined, has been paid,

the Collector shall certify by endorsement on such instrument that the full duty (stating the amount) with which it is chargeable has been paid.

When such instrument is in his opinion not chargeable with duty, the Collector shall certify in manner aforesaid that such instrument is not so chargeable.

Any instrument upon which an endorsement has been made under this section shall be deemed to be duly stamped, or not chargeable with duty, as the case may be; and if chargeable with duty, shall be receivable in evidence or otherwise, and may be acted upon and registered as if it had been originally duly stamped:

Nothing in this section shall authorize the Collector to endorse—

any instrument executed or first executed in British India and brought to him after the expiration of one month from the date of its execution or first execution (as the case may be);

any instrument executed or first executed out of British India and brought to him after the expiration of three months after it has been first received in British India; or

any instrument chargeable with the duty of one anna, or any bill of exchange or promissory note, when brought to him after the drawing or execution thereof on paper not duly stamped.

Payment of fees under section 30 how made.

32. Every payment of a fee under section thirty shall be made in stamps, or cash, as the Governor General in Council may by rule direct.

CHAPTER IV.

INSTRUMENTS NOT DULY STAMPED.

Examination and impounding of instruments.

33. Every person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, and

every person in charge of a public office except an officer of Police,

before whom any instrument chargeable in his opinion with duty is produced or comes, in the performance of his functions, shall, if it appears to him that such instrument is not duly stamped, impound the same.

For that purpose every such person shall examine every instrument so chargeable and so produced or coming before him, in order to ascertain whether it is stamped with a stamp of the value and description required by the law in force in British India when such instrument was executed or first executed.

Provided that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to require any Magistrate or Judge of a criminal Court to examine or impound any instrument coming before him in the course of any proceeding other than a proceeding under chapter forty or chapter forty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or chapter eighteen of the Presidency Magistrates Act:

Provided also that, in the case of a Judge of a High Court, the duty of examining and impounding any instrument under this section may be delegated to such officer as the Court appoints in this behalf.

The Local Government may from time to time, in cases of doubt, determine who shall be deemed to be, for the purpose of this section, persons in charge of public offices.

Instruments not duly stamped inadmissible in evidence, &c.

34. No instrument chargeable with duty shall be admitted in evidence for any purpose by any person having by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence, or shall be acted upon, registered or authenticated by any such person or by any public officer, unless such instrument is duly stamped:

Proviso.

Provided that—

Instruments admissible on payment of duty and penalty,

1st, any such instrument, not being an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only or a bill of exchange or promissory note, shall, subject to all just exceptions, be admitted in evidence on payment of the duty with which the same is chargeable or (in the case of an instrument insufficiently stamped) of the amount required to make up such duty, together with a penalty of five rupees, or when ten times the amount of the proper duty or deficient portion thereof exceeds five rupees, of a sum equal to ten times such duty or portion;

and in certain criminal proceedings.

2nd, nothing herein contained shall prevent the admission of any instrument in evidence in any proceeding in a criminal Court other than a proceeding under chapter forty or chapter forty-one of the Code of Criminal Procedure, or chapter eighteen of the Presidency Magistrates Act;

Admission of instrument not to be questioned.

3rd, when an instrument has been admitted in evidence, such admission shall not, except as provided in section fifty, be called in question at any stage of the same suit or proceeding on the ground that the instrument has not been duly stamped.

Instruments impounded how dealt with.

35. When the person impounding an instrument under section thirty-three has by law or consent of parties authority to receive evidence and admits such instrument in evidence upon payment of a penalty as provided by section thirty-four, he shall send to the Collector an authenticated copy of such instrument, together with a certificate in writing, stating the amount of the duty and penalty levied in respect thereof, and shall send such amount to the Collector, or to such person as he may appoint in this behalf.

In every other case, the person so impounding an instrument shall send it in original to the Collector.

Collector's power to refund penalty paid under section 35, 1st para.

36. When a copy of an instrument is sent to a Collector under the first paragraph of section thirty-five, he may, if he thinks fit, upon application made to him in this behalf, refund any portion of the penalty in excess of five rupees which has been paid in respect of such instrument, or

when such instrument has been impounded only because it has been written in contravention of section twelve, or section thirteen, he may refund the whole penalty so paid.

Collector's power to stamp instruments impounded.

37. When the Collector impounds any instrument under section thirty-three, or receives any instrument sent to him under the second clause of section thirty-five, he shall adopt the following procedure :—

(*a.*) If he is of opinion that such instrument is duly stamped, or is not chargeable with duty, he shall certify by endorsement thereon that it is duly stamped, or that it is not so chargeable (as the case may be), and shall upon application made to him in this behalf deliver such instrument to the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the officer impounding it, or as such person may direct.

(*b.*) If the Collector is of opinion that such instrument is chargeable with duty and is not duly stamped, he shall require the payment of the proper duty or the amount required to make up the same, together with a penalty of five rupees ; or if ten times the amount of the proper duty or of the deficient portion thereof exceeds five rupees, then such penalty, not less than five rupees and not more than ten times the amount of such duty or portion, as he thinks fit :

Provided that, when such instrument has been impounded only because it has been written in contravention of section twelve or section thirteen, the Collector may, if he thinks fit, remit the whole penalty prescribed by this section.

Every certificate under clause (*a*) of this section shall, for the purposes of this Act, be conclusive evidence of the matters stated therein.

Nothing in this section applies to an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only, or to a bill of exchange or promissory note.

Instruments unduly stamped by accident.

38. If any instrument chargeable with duty and which is not duly stamped is produced by any person of his own motion before the Collector within one year from the date of its execution or first execution, and such person brings to the notice of the Collector the fact that such instrument is not duly stamped, and offers to pay to the Collector the amount of the proper duty, or the amount required to make up the same, and the Collector is satisfied that the omission to duly stamp such instrument has been occasioned by accident, mistake or urgent necessity, he may, instead of proceeding under sections thirty-three and thirty-seven, receive such amount and proceed as next hereinafter prescribed.

Nothing in this section applies to an instrument chargeable with a duty of one anna only or to a bill of exchange or promissory note.

Endorsement of instruments on which duty has been paid under section 34, 37 or 38.

39. When the duty and penalty (if any) leviable in respect of any instrument have been paid under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight, the person admitting such instrument in evidence, or the Collector (as the case may be), shall certify by endorsement thereon that the proper duty or (as the case may be) the proper duty and penalty (stating the amount of each) have been levied in respect thereof, and the name and residence of the person paying them.

Every instrument so endorsed shall thereupon be admissible in evidence, and may be registered and acted upon and authenticated as if it had been duly stamped, and shall be delivered on his application in this behalf to the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the officer impounding it, or as such person may direct :

Provided that no instrument which has been admitted in evidence upon payment of duty and a penalty under section thirty-four shall be so delivered before the expiration of one month from the date of such impounding, or if the Collector has certified that its further detention is necessary and has not cancelled such certificate :

Provided also that nothing in this section shall affect the Code of Civil Procedure, section 144, clause 3.

Prosecution for offence against stamp-law.

40. The payment of a penalty under this chapter in respect of an instrument shall not bar the prosecution of any person who appears to have committed an offence against the stamp-law in respect of such instrument :

Proviso.

But no such prosecution shall be instituted in the case of any instrument in respect of which such a penalty has been paid, unless it appears to the Collector that the offence was committed with an intention of evading payment of the proper duty.

Persons paying duty or penalty may recover same in certain cases.

41. When any duty or penalty has been paid, under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight, by any person in respect of an instrument, and by agreement, or under the provisions of section twenty-nine or any other enactment in force at the time such instrument was executed, some other person was bound to bear the expense of providing the proper stamp for such instrument, the first-mentioned person shall be entitled to recover from such other person the amount of the duty or penalty so paid ; and for the purpose of such recovery any certificate granted in respect of such instrument under section thirty-nine shall be conclusive evidence of the matters therein certified.

Remission of penalty paid under section 34 or 37.

42. When any penalty is paid under section thirty-four or thirty-seven, the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may, upon application in writing made within one year from the date of the payment, refund such penalty wholly or in part.

Non-liability for loss of instruments sent under section 35.

43. If any instrument sent to a Collector under the second paragraph of section thirty-five be lost, destroyed or damaged during transmission, the person sending the same shall not be liable for such loss, destruction or damage.

Copy may be made of instrument so sent.

When any instrument is about to be so sent, the person from whose possession it came into the hands of the person impounding the same may require a copy thereof to be

made at the expense of such first-mentioned person and authenticated by the person impounding such instrument.

Power of payee to stamp bills, notes and cheques received by him unstamped.

44. When any bill of exchange or promissory note chargeable with the duty of one anna, or any cheque, is presented for payment unstamped, the person to whom it is so presented may affix thereto the necessary adhesive stamp, and upon cancelling the same in manner hereinbefore provided may pay the sum payable upon such bill, note or cheque, and may charge the duty against the person who ought to have paid the same, or deduct it from the sum payable as aforesaid, and such bill, note or cheque shall, so far as respects the duty, be deemed good and valid.

But nothing herein contained shall relieve any person from any penalty he may have incurred in relation to such bill, note or cheque.

CHAPTER V.

REFERENCE AND REVISION.

Procedure where Collector feels doubt as to duty chargeable.

45. If any Collector acting under section thirty, section thirty-seven or section thirty-eight feels doubt as to the amount of duty with which any instrument is chargeable, he may draw up a statement of the case, and refer it, with his own opinion thereon, for the decision of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, and such Authority shall consider the case and send a copy of its decision to the Collector, and he shall proceed to assess and charge the duty (if any) in conformity with such decision.

Reference by Revenue Authority to High Court.

46. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may state any case referred to it under section forty-five or otherwise coming to its notice and refer such case with its own opinion thereon, if the case arises in the territories for the time being administered by the Governor of Fort Saint George in Council or the Governor of Bombay in Council—to the High Court of Judicature at Madras or Bombay as the case may be: if it arises in the North-Western Provinces or Oudh—to the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces: if it arises in the territories for the time being administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb—to the Chief Court of the Panjáb: if it arises in the Central Provinces—to the High Court of Judicature at Bombay; and if it arises in any other part of British India—to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William.

Every such case shall be decided by not less than three Judges of the High Court or Chief Court to which it is referred, and in case of difference the opinion of the majority shall prevail.

Power of Court to call for further particulars.

47. If the High Court or Chief Court is not satisfied that the statements contained in the case are sufficient to enable it to determine the questions raised thereby, the Court may refer the case back to the Revenue-Authority by which it was stated, to make such additions thereto or alterations therein as the Court may direct in that behalf.

Procedure in disposing of reference.

48. The High Court or Chief Court, upon the hearing of any such case, shall decide the questions raised thereby and shall deliver its judgment thereon containing the grounds on which such decision is founded: and it shall send to the Revenue-Authority by which the case was stated, a copy of such judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar, and the Revenue-Authority shall, on receiving such copy, dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

Reference by other Courts to High Court.

49. If any Court other than a Court mentioned in section forty-six feels doubt as to the amount of duty to be paid in respect of any instrument under the first proviso to section thirty-four, the Judge may draw up a statement of the case and refer it with his own opinion thereon for the decision of the High Court or Chief Court to which, if he were the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, he would under section forty-six refer the same, and such Court shall deal with the case as if it had been referred under section forty-six, and send a copy of its judgment under the seal of the Court and the signature of the Registrar to the Judge making the reference, who shall, on receiving such copy, dispose of the case conformably to such judgment.

References made under this section, when made by a Court subordinate to a District Court, shall be made through the District Court, and when made by any subordinate Revenue Court shall be made through the Court immediately superior.

Revision of certain decisions of Courts regarding the sufficiency of stamps.

50. When any Court in the exercise of civil or revenue jurisdiction makes any order admitting any instrument in evidence as duly stamped or as not requiring a stamp, or upon payment of duty and a penalty under section thirty-four, the Court to which appeals lie from, or references are made by, such first-mentioned Court may, of its own motion or on the application of the Collector, take such order into consideration; and if it is of opinion that such instrument should not have been admitted in evidence without the payment of duty and penalty under section thirty-four, or without the payment of a higher duty and penalty than those paid, may record a declaration to that effect, and determine the amount of duty with which such instrument is chargeable, and may require any person in whose possession or power such instrument then is to produce the same, and may impound the same when produced.

When any declaration has been recorded under this section, the Court recording the same shall send a copy thereof to the Collector and, where the instrument to which it relates has been impounded or is otherwise in the possession of such Court, shall also send him such instrument; and thereupon the Collector may, notwithstanding anything contained in the order admitting such instrument in evidence, or in any certificate granted under section thirty-nine, or in section forty, prosecute any person for any offence against the stamp-law which the Collector considers him to have committed in respect of such instrument:

Provided that no such prosecution shall be instituted where the amount (including duty and penalty) which according to the determination of such

Court was payable in respect of the instrument under section thirty-four is paid to the Collector, unless he thinks that the offence was committed with an intention of evading payment of the proper duty:

Provided also that, except for the purposes of such prosecution, no declaration made under this section shall affect the validity of any order admitting any instrument in evidence, or of any certificate granted under section thirty-nine.

CHAPTER VI.

ALLOWANCES FOR SPOILED STAMPS AND STAMPS NO LONGER REQUIRED.

Allowance for spoiled stamps.

51. Subject to such rules as may be made by the Governor General in Council as to the evidence which the Collector may require, allowance shall be made by the Collector for impressed stamps spoiled in the cases hereinafter mentioned, namely:—

(*a.*) The stamp on any paper inadvertently and undesignedly spoiled, obliterated or by any means rendered unfit for the purpose intended, before any instrument written thereon is executed by any person:

(*b.*) The stamp used or intended to be used for any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note, signed by or on behalf of the drawer or intended drawer, but not delivered out of his hands to the payee or intended payee, or any person on his behalf, or deposited with any person as a security for the payment of money, or in any way negotiated, issued or put in circulation, or made use of in any other manner, and which, being a bill of exchange or cheque, has not been accepted by the drawee, and provided that the paper on which any such stamp is impressed does not bear any signature intended as or for the acceptance of any bill of exchange or cheque to be afterwards written thereon:

(*c.*) The stamp used or intended to be used for any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note signed by, or on behalf of, the drawer thereof, but which from any omission or error has been spoiled or rendered useless, although the same, being a bill of exchange or cheque, may have been presented for acceptance or accepted or endorsed, or, being a promissory note, may have been delivered to the payee, provided that another completed and duly stamped bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note is produced identical in every particular, except in the correction of such omission or error as aforesaid, with the spoiled bill, cheque or note:

(*d.*) The stamp used for any of the following instruments, that is to say:—

(1) an instrument executed by any party thereto, but afterwards found by a competent Court to be absolutely void in law from the beginning:

(2) an instrument executed by any person, but afterwards found unfit, by reason of any error or mistake therein, for the purpose originally intended:

(3) an instrument executed by any party thereto, but which, by reason of the death of any person, by whom it is necessary that it should be executed, without having executed the same, or of the refusal of any such person to execute the same, or to advance any money intended to be thereby secured, cannot be completed so as to effect the intended transaction in the form proposed:

(4) an instrument executed by any party thereto which, for want of the execution thereof by some material party, and his inability or refusal to sign the same, is in fact incomplete and insufficient for the purpose for which it was intended:

(5) an instrument executed by any party thereto which, by reason of the refusal of any person to act under the same, or by the refusal or non-acceptance of any office thereby granted, totally fails of the intended purpose:

(6) an instrument executed by any party thereto which becomes useless in consequence of the transaction intended to be thereby effected being effected by some other instrument duly stamped:

(7) an instrument executed by any party thereto which is inadvertently and undesignedly spoiled, and in lieu whereof another instrument made between the same parties and for the same purpose is executed and duly stamped:

Provided that in the case of an executed instrument—

(*a*) such instrument is given up to be cancelled:

(*b*) the application for relief is made within six months after the date of the instrument or, if it is not dated, within six months after the execution thereof by the person by whom it was first or alone executed, except where from unavoidable circumstances any instrument for which another instrument has been substituted cannot be given up to be cancelled within the aforesaid period, and in that case within six months after the date or execution of the substituted instrument, and except where the spoiled instrument has been sent out of British India, and in that case within six months after it has been received back in British India:

Provided also that, in the case of stamped paper not having any executed instrument written thereon, the application for relief is made within six months after the stamp has been spoiled as aforesaid.

Allowance for misused stamps.

52. When any person has inadvertently used, for an instrument chargeable with duty, a stamp of a description other than that prescribed for such instrument by the rules made under this Act, or a stamp of greater value than was necessary, or has inadvertently used any stamp for an instrument not chargeable with any duty, or when any stamp used for an instrument has been inadvertently rendered useless under section fourteen owing to such instrument having been written in contravention of the provi-

sions of section twelve, the Collector may, on application made within six months after the date of the instrument or, if it is not dated, within six months after the execution thereof by the person by whom it was first or alone executed, and upon the instrument, if chargeable with duty, being re-stamped with the proper duty, cancel and allow as spoiled the stamp so misused or rendered useless.

Allowance under sections 51 and 52 how to be made.

53. In any case in which allowance is made for spoiled or misused stamps, the Collector may give in lieu thereof (*a*) other stamps of the same description and value, or, (*b*) if required, and he thinks fit, stamps of any other description to the same amount in value, or (*c*) at his discretion, the same value in money, deducting one anna for each rupee or fraction of a rupee.

Allowance for stamps not required for use.

54. When any person is possessed of a stamp which has not been spoiled or rendered unfit or useless for the purpose intended, but for which he has no immediate use, the Collector shall repay to such person the value of such stamp in money, deducting one anna for each rupee or portion of a rupee, upon such person delivering up the same to be cancelled, and proving to the Collector's satisfaction that it was purchased by such person with a *bonâ fide* intention to use it, and that he has paid the full price thereof, and that it was so purchased within the period of six months next preceding the date on which it is so delivered.

CHAPTER VII.

SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS.

Powers to make rules relating to sale of stamps.

55. The Local Government, subject to the control of the Governor General in Council, may make rules consistent herewith for regulating the supply and sale of stamps and stamped papers, the persons by whom alone such sale is to be conducted, and the duties and remuneration of such persons.

Power to make rules generally to carry out Act.

56. The Governor General in Council may make rules consistent herewith to carry out generally the purposes of this Act.

Certain powers exercisable from time to time.

57. All powers to make appointments, rules and orders conferred by this Act may be exercised from time to time as occasion requires.

Publication of rules.

All rules made under this Act other than rules made under section fifty-five shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and all rules made under section fifty-five shall be published in the local Gazette. All rules published as required by this section shall, upon such publication, have the force of law.

Obligation to give receipt in certain cases.

58. Any person receiving any money exceeding twenty rupees in amount, or any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note for an amount exceeding twenty rupees, or receiving in satisfaction of a debt any moveable property exceeding twenty rupees in value shall, on demand by the person paying or delivering such money, bill, cheque, note or property, give a duly stamped receipt for the same.

Saving as to Court-fees.

59. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect the duties chargeable under any enactment for the time being in force relating to Court-fees.

Act to be translated, indexed and sold cheaply.

60. Every Local Government shall cause this Act to be carefully translated into the principal vernacular languages of the territories administered by it. A full alphabetical index shall be added to every such translation, and the translation and index shall be printed and sold to the public at a price not exceeding four annas per copy.

CHAPTER VIII.

CRIMINAL OFFENCES AND PROCEDURE.

Penalty for executing, &c., instrument not duly stamped.

61. Any person drawing, making, issuing, endorsing or transferring, or signing otherwise than as a witness, or presenting for acceptance or payment, or accepting, paying or receiving payment of, or in any manner negotiating, any bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note without the same being duly stamped,

any person executing or signing otherwise than as a witness any other instrument chargeable with duty without the same being duly stamped, and

any person voting or attempting to vote under any proxy not duly stamped,

shall for every such offence be punished with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees:

Provided that, when any penalty has been paid in respect of any instrument under section thirty-four, section thirty-seven or section fifty, the amount of such penalty shall be allowed in reduction of the fine (if any) subsequently imposed under this section in respect of the same instrument upon the person who paid such penalty.

Penalty for failure to cancel adhesive stamp.

62. Any person required by section eleven to cancel an adhesive stamp and failing to cancel such stamp in manner prescribed by that section shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

Penalty for omission to comply with provisions of section 27.

63. Any person who, with intent to defraud the Government of any duty,

(*a*) executes any instrument in which all the facts and circumstances required by section twenty-seven to be set forth in such instrument are not fully and truly set forth, or

(*b*) being employed or concerned in or about the preparation of any instrument, neglects or omits, fully and truly to set forth therein all such facts and circumstances,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to five thousand rupees.

Penalty for refusal to give receipt and for devices to evade duty on receipts.

64. Any person who, being required under section fifty-eight to give a receipt, refuses or neglects to give the same, or who, with intent to defraud the Government of any duty, upon a payment of money or delivery of property exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value, gives a receipt for an amount or value not exceeding twenty rupees, or separates or divides the money or property paid or delivered, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

65. Every person who—

Penalty for not making out policy,

(*a*) receives, or takes credit for, any premium or consideration for any contract of insurance, and does not, within one month after receiving, or taking credit for, such premium or consideration, make out and execute a duly stamped policy of such insurance; or

or making, &c., any policy not duly stamped.

(*b*) makes, executes or delivers out any policy which is not duly stamped, or pays or allows in account, or agrees to pay or allow in account, any money upon, or in respect of, any such policy,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

Penalty for not drawing full number of bills or marine policies purporting to be in sets.

66. Any person drawing or executing a bill of exchange or a policy of marine insurance purporting to be drawn or executed in a set of two or more, and not at the same time drawing or executing on paper duly stamped the whole number of bills or policies of which such bill or policy purports the set to consist, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

Penalty for post-dating bills, &c.;

67. Whoever, with intent to defraud the Government of duty, draws, makes or issues any bill of exchange or promissory note bearing a date subsequent to that on which such bill or note is actually drawn or made, and whoever, knowing that such bill or note has been so post-dated, endorses, transfers, presents for acceptance or payment, or accepts, pays or receives payment of, such bill or note, or in any manner negotiates the same,

for other devices to defraud the revenue.

and whoever, with the like intent, practises or is concerned in any act, contrivance or device not specially provided for by this Act or any other law for the time being in force,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees.

Penalty for breach of rule relating to sale of stamps and for unauthorized sale.

68. Any person appointed to sell stamps who disobeys any rule made under section fifty-five, and any person not so appointed who sells or offers for sale any stamp, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

Institution and conduct of prosecutions.

69. No prosecution in respect of any offence punishable under this Act, or the General Stamp Act, 1869, or any Act thereby repealed, shall be instituted without the sanction of the Collector or such other officer as the Local Government generally, or the Collector specially, authorizes in that behalf.

The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, or any officer authorized by it in this behalf, may stay any such prosecution or compound any such offence.

Jurisdiction of Magistrates.

70. No Magistrate other than a Presidency Magistrate and a Magistrate whose powers are not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class shall try any offence under this Act.

Place of trial

71. Every such offence committed in respect of any instrument may be tried in any district or Presidency-town in which such instrument is found, as well as in any district or Presidency-town in which such offence might be tried under the law relating to criminal procedure for the time being in force.

Operation of other laws not barred.

72. Nothing in this Act—shall be deemed to prevent any person from being prosecuted under any other law for any act or omission which constitutes an offence against this Act, or the rules made under it:

Provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

SCHEDULE I.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
1. ACKNOWLEDGMENT of a debt exceeding twenty rupees in amount or value, written or signed by or on behalf of a debtor or in order to supply evidence of such debt in any book (other than a banker's pass-book) or on a separate piece of paper, when such book or paper is left in the creditor's possession		One anna.
2. ADMINISTRATION-BOND		The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
ADOPTION DEED ...	See *Instrument, No. 38.*	
3. AFFIDAVIT or declaration in writing on oath or affirmation made before a person authorized by law to administer an oath		One rupee.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No 1).		
4. AGREEMENT TO LEASE		The same duty as a Lease (No. 39).
5. AGREEMENT OR MEMORANDUM OF AN AGREEMENT ...	(*a.*) If relating to the sale of any Government security, share in a Company or Association or Bill of Exchange ...	One anna.
	(*b.*) Whereby the owner or occupier of land in a village in the Bombay Presidency agrees to relinquish his rights therein to the Government, and to accept rights in other land in exchange for the right so relinquished	Four annas.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 2).	(*c.*) If not otherwise provided for by this Act...	Eight annas.
6. APPOINTMENT, in execution of a power, whether of trustees or of property moveable or immoveable, where made by any writing not being a Will		Fifteen rupees.
7. APPRAISEMENT or valuation made otherwise than under an order of the Court in the course of a suit		The same duty as an award (No. 10).
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 3 & 4).		
APPRENTICESHIP DEED ...	See *Instrument, No. 31.*	
8. ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF A COMPANY		Twenty-five rupees.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
9. ARTICLES OF CLERKSHIP or contract whereby any person first becomes bound to serve as a clerk in order to his admission as an Attorney in any High Court		Two hundred and fifty rupees.
ASSIGNMENT ...	See *Conveyance, No. 21 and Transfer, No. 60.*	
AUTHORITY TO ADOPT ...	See *Instrument, No. 38.*	
10. AWARD, that is to say, any decision in writing by an arbitrator or umpire on a reference made otherwise than by an order of the Court in the course of a suit ... *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 6).*	(*a.*) Where the amount or value of the property to which the award relates as set forth in such award does not exceed Rs. 1,000 ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for such amount.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
11. BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE, not being a cheque, bond, bank-note or currency-note ...	(*a.*) When payable on demand and the amount exceeds Rs. 20	One anna.

	If drawn singly.	If drawn in set of two, for each part of the set.	If drawn in set of three, for each part of the set.
(*b.*) When payable otherwise than on demand, but not more than one year after date or sight.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
If the amount of the bill or note does not exceed Rs. 200	0 2 0	0 1 0	0 1 0
If it exceeds 200 and does not exceed 400	0 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 0
„ 400 600	0 6 0	0 3 0	0 2 0
„ 600 1,000	0 10 0	0 5 0	0 4 0
„ 1,000 1,200	0 12 0	0 6 0	0 4 0
„ 1,200 1,600	1 0 0	0 8 0	0 6 0
„ 1,600 2,500	1 8 0	0 12 0	0 8 0
For every Rs. 2,500 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 2,500 up to Rs. 10,000 ...	1 8 0	0 12 0	0 8 0
For every Rs. 5,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 10,000 up to Rs. 30,000 ...	3 0 0	1 8 0	1 0 0
And for every Rs. 10,000 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 30,000 ...	6 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
11. BILL OF EXCHANGE OR PROMISSORY NOTE, &c.—*contd.*	(*c*) When payable at more than one year after date or sight	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount of such bill or note.
12. BILL OF LADING *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 7).*	... ...	Four annas. If a Bill of Lading is drawn in parts, the proper stamp therefor must be borne by each one of the set.
13. BOND (not otherwise provided for by this Act) ... *See Administration-Bond (No. 2), Customs-Bond (No. 24), Indemnity-Bond (No. 28), Security-Bond (No. 14).* *See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 8).*	When the amount or value secured does not exceed Rs. 10	Two annas.
	When such amount or value exceeds Rs. 10, but does not exceed 50	Four annas.
	When such amount or value exceeds Rs. 50, but does not exceed 100	Eight annas.
	and for every Rs. 100 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 100 up to 1,000	Eight annas.
	and for every Rs. 500 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	Two rupees eight annas.
14. BOND OR MORTGAGE-DEED executed by way of security for the due execution of an office, or to account for money received by virtue thereof ... *See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 8 and 12).*	(*a*.) When the amount secured does not exceed ... 1,000	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
	(*b*.) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
15. BOTTOMRY-BOND, that is to say, any instrument whereby the master of a sea-going ship borrows money on the security of the ship to enable him to preserve the ship or prosecute her voyage	... ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
16. CERTIFICATE OF SALE, granted to the purchaser of any property sold by public auction by a Civil or Revenue Court, or Collector or other Revenue-officer ...	... ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount of the purchase-money.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.			PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
17. CERTIFICATE OR OTHER DOCUMENT evidencing the right or title of the holder thereof, or any other person, either to any shares, scrip or stock in or of any Company or Association, or to become proprietor of shares, scrip or stock in or of any Company or Association			One anna.
18. CHARTER-PARTY, that is to say, any instrument (except an agreement for the hire of a tug-steamer) whereby a vessel or some specified principal part thereof is let for the specified purposes of the charterer			One rupee.
19. CHEQUE, for an amount exceeding twenty rupees			One anna.
20. COMPOSITION-DEED, that is to say, any instrument executed by a debtor whereby he conveys his property for the benefit of his creditors, or whereby payment of a composition or dividend on their debts is secured to the creditors, or whereby provision is made for the continuance of the debtor's business, under the supervision of inspectors or under letters of license, for the benefit of his creditors			Ten rupees.
21. CONVEYANCE, not being a TRANSFER mentioned in No. 60. *See Exemptions, Schedule II, (Nos. 5 and 17).*	When the amount of the consideration for such conveyance as set forth therein does not exceed	Rs. 50	Eight annas.
	When it exceeds Rs. 50 but does not exceed...	100	One rupee.
	For every Rs. 100 or part thereof in excess of Rs. 100 up to ...	1,000	One rupee.
	and for every Rs. 500 or part thereof in excess of ...	1,000	Five rupees.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
CO-PARTNERSHIP...	See *Instrument, No. 32.*	
22. COPY OR EXTRACT, certified to be a true copy or extract, by or by order of any public officer and not chargeable under the law for the time being in force relating to Court-fees ...	(*a.*) If the original was not chargeable with duty, or if the duty with which it was chargeable does not exceed one rupee. ...	Eight annas.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	One rupee.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (Nos. 9 and 10).		
23. COUNTERPART OR DUPLICATE of any instrument chargeable with duty, and in respect of which the proper duty has been paid ...	(*a.*) If the duty with which the original instrument is chargeable does not exceed one rupee.	The same duty as is payable on the original.
	(*b.*) In any other case ...	One rupee.
24. CUSTOMS-BOND ...	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
25. DECLARATION OF ANY TRUST of or concerning any property, when made by any writing not being a will ...	... ...	Fifteen rupees.
26. DELIVERY-ORDER IN RESPECT OF GOODS, that is to say, any instrument entitling any person therein named, or his assigns, or the holder thereof, to the delivery of any goods lying in any dock or port, or in any warehouse in which goods are stored or deposited on rent or hire, or upon any wharf, such instrument being signed by or on behalf of the owner of such goods, upon the sale or transfer of the property therein, when such goods exceed in value twenty rupees ...	... ...	One anna.
DEPOSIT OF TITLE-DEEDS ...	See *Instrument, No. 29.*	
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ...	See *Instrument, No. 33.*	
DUPLICATE ...	See *Counterpart, No. 23.*	

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
27. ENTRY AS AN ADVOCATE, VAKÍL OR ATTORNEY ON THE ROLL OF ANY HIGH COURT in exercise of powers conferred on such Court by letters patent ...	In the case of an Advocate or Vakíl	Five hundred rupees.
	In the case of an Attorney ...	Two hundred and fifty rupees.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 11).		
EXCHANGE ...	See *Instrument, No. 35.*	
EXTRACT ...	See *Copy, No. 22.*	
FURTHER CHARGE ...	See *Instrument, No. 30.*	
GIFT ...	See *Instrument, No. 36.*	
28. INDEMNITY-BOND	... ...	The same duty as a Security-Bond (No. 14).
INSPECTORSHIP-DEED	See *Composition-deed, No. 20.*	
29. INSTRUMENT EVIDENCING AN AGREEMENT TO SECURE THE REPAYMENT OF A LOAN made upon the deposit of title-deeds or other valuable security, or upon the hypothecation of moveable property ...	(*a.*) When such loan is repayable more than three months, but not more than one year, from the date of such instrument.	The same duty as a Bill of Exchange (No. 11 (*b*)) for the amount secured.
	(*b.*) When such loan is repayable not more than three months from the date of such instrument.	Half the duty payable on a Bill of Exchange (No. 11 (*b*)) for the amount secured.
30. INSTRUMENT IMPOSING A FURTHER CHARGE ON MORTGAGED PROPERTY ...	(*a.*) When the original mortgage is one of the description referred to in No. 44, clause (*a*), of this schedule.	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount secured by such instrument.
	(*b.*) When such mortgage is one of the description referred to in No. 44, clause (*b*), of this schedule.	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount secured by such instrument.
31. INSTRUMENT OF APPRENTICESHIP, including every writing relating to the service or tuition of any apprentice, clerk or servant, placed with any master to learn any profession, trade or employment, except articles of clerkship (No. 9 of this schedule)	... ...	Five rupees.
See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 12 (c)).		
32. INSTRUMENT OF CO-PARTNERSHIP	... ...	Ten rupees.
33. INSTRUMENT OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ...	... ...	Five rupees.
34. INSTRUMENT OF DIVORCE, that is to say, any instrument by which any person effects the dissolution of his marriage ...	... ...	One rupee.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.	PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
35. INSTRUMENT OF EXCHANGE of any property	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the value of the property of greater value as set forth in such instrument.
36. INSTRUMENT OF GIFT (OTHER THAN A SETTLEMENT OR WILL)	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the value of the property as set forth in such instrument.
37. INSTRUMENT OF PARTITION	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount of the value of the property divided as set forth in such instrument.
38. INSTRUMENT (OTHER THAN A WILL) CONFERRING OR PURPORTING TO CONFER AN AUTHORITY TO ADOPT	Ten rupees.
INSURANCE ... See *Policy, No. 49.*	
39. LEASE. See *Agreement to lease* (*No. 4*). See *Exemptions, Schedule II* (*No. 13*). (*a*) Where by such lease the rent is fixed and no premium is paid or delivered and such lease purports to be for a term—	
of less than one year ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the whole amount payable or deliverable under such lease.
of not less than one year, but not more than three years ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the average annual rent reserved.
exceeding three years ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of the average annual rent reserved.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
39. LEASE,—*contd.* See *Agreement to lease (No. 4).* See *Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 13).*	(*b*) Where by such lease the rent is fixed and no premium is paid or delivered and such lease does not purport to be for any definite term ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of the average annual rent which would be paid or delivered for the first ten years if the lease continued so long.
	(*c*) Where the lease is granted for a fine or premium, and where no rent is reserved...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of such fine or premium as set forth in the lease.
	(*d*) Where the lease is granted for a fine or premium in addition to rent reserved ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount or value of such fine or premium as set forth in the lease, in addition to the duty which would have been payable on such lease if no fine or premium had been paid or delivered: Provided that, when an agreement to lease is stamped with the *ad valorem* stamp required for a lease, and a lease in pursuance of such agreement is subsequently executed, the duty on such lease shall not exceed eight annas.
40. LETTER OF ALLOTMENT OF SHARES in any Company, or proposed Company, or in respect of any loan to be raised by any Company or proposed Company ...	... ...	One anna.
41. LETTER OF CREDIT, that is to say, any instrument by which one person authorizes another to give credit to the person in whose favour it is drawn ...		One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
42. LETTER OF LICENSE, that is to say, any agreement between a debtor and his creditors that the latter shall, for a specified time, suspend their claims and allow the debtor to carry on business at his own discretion		Ten rupees.
43. MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF A COMPANY		Fifteen rupees.
44. MORTGAGE-DEED not provided for by No. 14, No. 15, No. 29 or No. 55 of this schedule.	(*a*) When at the time of execution possession of the property or any part of the property comprised in such deed is given by the mortgagor or agreed to be given ...	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for a consideration equal to the amount secured by such deed.
See *Exemptions, Schedule II, No. 12, and No. 14* (*b*).	(*b*) When at the time of execution possession is not given or agreed to be given as aforesaid ...	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for the amount secured by such deed.
45. NOTARIAL ACT, that is to say, any instrument, endorsement, note, attestation, certificate or entry made or signed by a Notary Public in the execution of the duties of his office or by any other person lawfully acting as a Notary Public		One rupee.
46. NOTE OR MEMORANDUM sent by a Broker or Agent to his principal intimating the purchase or sale on account of such principal of any goods, stock or marketable security exceeding in value twenty rupees		One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.	
47. NOTE OF PROTEST BY THE MASTER OF A SHIP		Eight annas.	
PARTITION ...	See *Instrument, No. 37.*		
PARTNERSHIP ...	See *Instrument, Nos. 32 and 33.*		
48. PETITION FOR LEAVE TO FILE A SPECIFICATION OF AN INVENTION, or for the extension of the term of the exclusive privilege of making or using or selling such invention in India		One hundred rupees.	
		If drawn singly.	If drawn in duplicate, for each part.
49. POLICY OF INSURANCE ... *See Exemption, Schedule II (No. 14 (a)).*	(*a*). In the case of Sea-insurance—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
	When the amount insured does not exceed ... ... Rs. 1,000	0 4 0	0 2 0
	And for every further sum of Rs. 1,000 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	0 4 0	0 2 0
	(*b*). In the case of any other insurance—		
	When the amount insured does not exceed 1,000	0 6 0	0 3 0
	And for every further sum of Rs. 1,000 or part thereof in excess of 1,000	0 6 0	0 3 0
50. POWER-OF-ATTORNEY, not being a proxy chargeable under No. 51. ...	(*a*.) When executed for the sole purpose of procuring the presentation of one or more documents for registration in relation to a single transaction	Eight annas.	
	(*b*.) When authorizing one person or more to act in a single transaction other than that mentioned in (*a*) ...	One rupee.	

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
50. POWER-OF-ATTORNEY, not being a proxy chargeable under No. 51—*contd.*	(*c.*) When authorizing not more than five persons to act jointly and severally in more than one transaction or generally ...	Five rupees.
	(*d.*) When authorizing more than five but not more than ten persons to act jointly and severally in more than one transaction or generally	Ten rupees.
	(*e.*) In any other case	One rupee for each person authorized.
Explanation.—For the purposes of this number more persons than one when belonging to the same firm shall be deemed to be one person.		
PROMISSORY NOTE	See *Bill of Exchange, No. 11.*	
PROTEST, that is to say, any declaration in writing made by a Notary Public, or other person lawfully acting as such, attesting the dishonour of a bill of exchange or promissory note ...	See *Notarial Act, No. 45.*	
PROTEST BY THE MASTER OF A SHIP, that is to say, any declaration of the particulars of her voyage drawn up by him with a view to the adjustment of losses or the calculation of averages, and every declaration in writing made by him against charterers or the consignees for not loading or unloading the ship, when such declaration is attested or certified by a Notary Public or other person lawfully acting as such	See *Notarial Act, No. 45.*	
51. PROXY empowering any person to vote at any one meeting of— (*a.*) Members of a Company whose stock or funds is or are divided into shares and transferable: (*b.*) Municipal Commissioners: (*c.*) Proprietors, Members or Contributors to the funds of any Institution	... ...	One anna.

SCHEDULE I—*continued.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
52. RECEIPT FOR ANY MONEY OR OTHER PROPERTY THE AMOUNT OR VALUE OF WHICH EXCEEDS TWENTY RUPEES		One anna.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 15).		
53. RE-CONVEYANCE OF MORTGAGED PROPERTY ...	(*a*) If the consideration for which the property was mortgaged does not exceed Rs. 1,000	The same duty as a Conveyance (No. 21) for the amount of such consideration as set forth in the re-conveyance.
	(*b*.) In any other case ...	Ten rupees.
54. RELEASE, that is to say, any instrument whereby a person renounces a claim upon another person or against any specified property ...	(*a*.) If the amount or value of the claim does not exceed 1,000	The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for such amount or value as set forth in the release.
	(*b*.) In any other case ...	Five rupees.
55. RESPONDENTIA-BOND, that is to say, any instrument securing a loan on the cargo laden or to be laden on board a ship and making repayment contingent on the arrival of the cargo at the port of destination		The same duty as a Bond (No. 13).
56. REVOCATION OF ANY TRUST of or concerning any property by any instrument other than a will		—
		Ten rupees.
57. SETTLEMENT		The same duty as a Bond (No. 13) for a sum equal to the amount or value of the property settled as set forth in such settlement.
58. SHIPPING-ORDER for or relating to the conveyance of goods on board of any vessel		One anna.
SPECIFICATION ...	See *Petition, No. 48.*	

SCHEDULE I—*concluded.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSTRUMENT.		PROPER STAMP-DUTY.
59. SURRENDER OF LEASE ...	(*a.*) When the duty with which the lease is chargeable does not exceed five rupees ...	The duty with which such lease is chargeable.
See Exemption Schedule II (No. 16).	(*b.*) In any other case	Five rupees.
60. TRANSFER ...	(*a.*) Of shares in a Company or Association	One-quarter of the duty payable on a Conveyance (No. 21).
	(*b.*) Of any interest secured by a Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy of Insurance—	
	1. If the duty on such Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy does not exceed five rupees	The duty with which such Bond, Lease, Mortgage-deed or Policy of Insurance is chargeable.
See Exemptions, Schedule II (No. 17).	2. In any other case ...	Five rupees.
	(*c.*) Of any property under the Administrator General's Act, 1874, section 31 ...	Ten rupees.
	(*d.*) Of any trust-property from one trustee to another trustee without consideration ...	Five rupees.
TRUST	See *Declaration, No. 25.* *Revocation, No. 56.*	
VALUATION ...	See *Appraisement, No. 7.*	
61. WARRANT FOR GOODS, that is to say, any instrument evidencing the title of any person therein named, or his assigns, or the holder thereof, to the property in any goods lying in or upon any dock, warehouse or wharf, such instrument being signed or certified by or on behalf of the person in whose custody such goods may be ...	... ...	Four annas.

SCHEDULE II.

INSTRUMENTS EXEMPTED FROM STAMP-DUTY.

1. Affidavit or declaration in writing when made—
   (*a*) as a condition of enlistment under the Indian Articles of War;
   (*b*) for the immediate purpose of being filed or used in any Court or before the officer of any Court; or
   (*c*) for the sole purpose of enabling any person to receive any pension or charitable allowance.
2. Agreement or memorandum of agreement—
   (*a*) for or relating to the sale of goods or merchandize exclusively, not being a note or memorandum chargeable under No. 46 of schedule I;
   (*b*) for service in British Burma under the Chief Commissioner of that Province entered into between Natives of India emigrating to British Burma and the Superintendent of State Emigration or other Government officer acting as representative of the said Chief Commissioner;
   (*c*) made by raiyats for the cultivation of the poppy for Government;
   (*d*) made in the form of tenders to the Government of India for or relating to any loan;
   (*e*) made regarding the occupancy of land denoted by a survey-number, and the payment of revenue therefor, under Bombay Act I of 1865;
   (*f*) made under the European Vagrancy Act, 1874, section 17.
3. Appraisement or valuation made for the information of one party only, and not being in any manner obligatory between parties either by agreement or operation of law.
4. Appraisement of crops for the purpose of ascertaining the amount to be given to a landlord as rent.
5. Assignment of copyright by entry made under Act No. XX of 1847, section 5.
6. Award under Bombay Act VI of 1873, section 81, or Bombay Act III of 1874, section 18.
7. Bill of lading, when the goods therein described are received at a place within the limits of any port as defined under the Indian Ports Act, 1875, and are to be delivered at another place within the limits of the same port.
8. Bond when executed by—
   (*a*) the sureties of middlemen (lambardárs or khattadárs) taking advances for the cultivation of the poppy for Government;
   (*b*) headmen nominated under rules framed in accordance with Bengal Act III of 1876, section 99, for the due performance of their duties under that Act;
   (*c*) any person for the purpose of guaranteeing that the local income derived from private subscriptions to a charitable dispensary or hospital or any other object of public utility shall not be less than a specified sum per mensem.
9. Copy of any paper which a public officer is expressly required by law to make or furnish for record in any public office or for any public purpose.
10. Copy of registration of emigrants furnished under section 27 or section 29 of the Indian Emigration Act, 1871.
11. Entry—
   (*a*) of an advocate, vakíl or attorney on the roll of any High Court, when he has previously been enrolled in a High Court established by Royal Charter;
   (*b*) on the roll of any High Court, as an attorney, of an articled clerk bound as such before this Act comes into force.
12. Instruments—
   (*a*) executed by persons taking advances under the Land Improvement Act, 1871, or by their sureties, as security for the repayment of such advances;
   (*b*) executed by officers of Government or their sureties to secure the due execution of an office or the due accounting for money received by virtue thereof;
   (*c*) of apprenticeship executed by a Magistrate under Act XIX of 1850 or by which a person is apprenticed by or at the charge of any public charity.

13. Leases and Counterparts—

(*a*) Leases of fisheries granted under the Burma Fisheries Act, 1875;

(*b*) Lease, executed in the case of a cultivator without the payment or delivery of any fine or premium, when a definite term is expressed and such term does not exceed one year, or when the annual rent reserved does not exceed one hundred rupees;

(*c*) Counterpart of any lease granted to a cultivator.

14. Letter—

(*a*) of cover or engagement to issue a policy of insurance:

Provided that, unless such letter or engagement bear the stamp prescribed by this Act for such policy, nothing shall be claimable thereunder, nor shall it be available for any purpose except to compel the delivery of the policy therein mentioned.

(*b*) of hypothecation accompanying a bill of exchange.

15. Receipt—

(*a*) endorsed on or contained in any instrument duly stamped, or exempted under this schedule, No. 18, acknowledging the receipt of the consideration-money therein expressed, or the receipt of any principal-money, interest or annuity or other periodical payment thereby secured;

(*b*) for any payment of money without consideration;

(*c*) for any payment of rent by a cultivator on account of land assessed to Government revenue, or (in the Presidencies of Fort St. George and Bombay) of inám lands;

(*d*) for pay by non-commissioned officers or soldiers of Her Majesty's Army, or Her Majesty's Indian Army, when serving in such capacity;

(*e*) for pensions or allowances by persons receiving such pensions or allowances in respect of their service as such non-commissioned officers or soldiers, and not serving the Government in any other capacity;

(*f*) given by holders of family-certificates in cases where the person from whose pay or allowances the sum comprised in the receipt has been assigned is a non-commissioned officer or soldier of either of the said Armies, and serving in such capacity;

(*g*) given by a headman or lambardár for land-revenue or taxes collected by him;

(*h*) given for money or securities for money deposited in the hands of any banker, to be accounted for:

Provided the same be not expressed to be received of, or by the hands of, any other than the person to whom the same is to be accounted for;

Provided also, that this exemption shall not extend to a receipt or acknowledgment for any sum paid or deposited for or upon a letter of allotment of a share, or in respect of a call upon any scrip or share of or in any Company or Association, or proposed or intended Company or Association.

16. Surrender of lease when such lease is exempted from duty.

17. Transfers by endorsement—

(*a*) of a bill of exchange, cheque or promissory note;

(*b*) of a bill of lading;

(*c*) of a policy of insurance;

(*d*) of mortgages of rates and taxes authorized by any Act for the time being in force in British India;

(*e*) of securities of the Government of India;

(*f*) of a warrant for goods (No. 61 of schedule I).

General Exemption.

18. Any instrument executed by, or on behalf of, or in favour of, Government in cases where, but for this exemption, the Government would be liable to pay the duty chargeable in respect of such instrument.

SCHEDULE III.

ACTS REPEALED.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1847 ...	Copyright	In section five, the words "without being subject to any stamp or duty."
X of 1866 ...	The Indian Companies Act ...	In section eleven, the words "shall bear the same stamp as if it were a deed, and."
		In section sixteen, the words "they shall bear the same stamp as if they were contained in a deed."
XVIII of 1869 ...	The General Stamp Act ...	The whole.
VII of 1871 ...	The Indian Emigration Act	In sections twenty-seven and twenty-nine, the words "which shall not require a stamp."
XIX of 1873 ...	The North-Western Provinces Land-Revenue Act, 1873.	In section one hundred and eighty-three, the words "stamped or."
II of 1874 ...	The Administrator General's Act.	In section thirty-one, the words "bearing a stamp of ten rupees and."
IX of 1874 ...	The European Vagrancy Act	In section seventeen, the words "may be on unstamped paper and."
XV of 1876 ...	Bombay Municipal Debentures	In section two, the words "and no such indorsement shall be chargeable with any stamp-duty."

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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LIBERALITY OF BABOO KHETTER NATH CHATTERJEE.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.—EDUCATION.

Calcutta, the 31st January 1879.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The following correspondence regarding the proposed endowment of Baboo Khetter Nath Chatterjee for the education of poor boys of Baraset and its neighbourhood :—

Letter from	Director of Public Instruction,	No. 786,	dated	4th February	1878.	
,,	to	ditto	,,	901,	,,	28th ,, ,,
,,	from	ditto	,,	2310,	,,	22nd April ,,
,,	to	ditto	,,	251T,	,,	18th May ,,
,,	from	ditto	,,	3169	,,	5th June ,,
,,	to	ditto	,,	711T,	,,	30th June ,,
,,	from	ditto	,,	100	,,	6th January 1879.

BABOO KHETTER NATH CHATTERJEE, a native of Baraset, and ex-pupil of the Baraset Government School, who is now employed at Indore as Executive Engineer of that State, has made over to Government a sum of Rs. 15,000 in Government securities, yielding an annual income of Rs. 625, of which Rs. 600 are to be devoted to assisting poor boys of Baraset and the neighbourhood in pursuing their studies, the balance being given to the Baraset Government Dispensary.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor has much pleasure in acknowledging publicly this gentleman's liberality.

3. The Government securities made over by him will be endorsed to the Accountant-General and the Financial Secretary to this Government jointly, and be placed in the custody of the Accountant-General; but the annual proceeds will, at the donor's request, be administered by a committee consisting of the following gentlemen, in accordance with a set of rules which have received the Lieutenant-Governor's approval :—

PRESIDENT:

Baboo Bijoy Madhub Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Sub-Divisional Officer, Baraset.

HONORARY SECRETARY:

Baboo Koonjavehari Bose, M.A. and B.L., Head Master, Government School, Baraset.

HONORARY ASSISTANT SECRETARY:

Baboo Tarack Nath Sarkar, B.A., Second Master, Government School, Baraset.

MEMBERS:

1. Baboo Kali Krishna Mitter of Baraset.
2. „ Kailas Chunder Chatterjee, Assistant Surgeon, Baraset.
3. „ Shital Chandra Chatterjee, Sub-Inspector of Schools, Baraset.
4. „ Barada Charan Banerji, of Baraset.
5. „ Okhay Kumar Chatterji, of Gooshtea.
6. „ Bama Charan Chatterji, of ditto.
7. „ Amirtalal Bose, of Moheshurpore.
8. „ Mohendra Nath Ghosal of Kullanpore, Honorary Secretary, Nulkora M. C. E. School.
9. „ Bepin Bihari Ghose, of Moheshurpore, Head Master, Nulkora M. C. E. School.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor has further directed that boys holding scholarships awarded under these rules shall be admitted to any Government college on payment of half the usual fees, provided that no such scholar shall be required to pay a fee of more than Rs. 5 a month.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 3rd February 1879.—The following correspondence is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 462, dated Fort William, the 29th January 1879.

From—A. W. CROFT, ESQ., Director of Public Instruction,

To—The Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department.

I HAVE the honor to bring to your notice that Miss Kadambini Bose, a pupil of the Bethune School in Calcutta, has passed the Entrance Examination of the University in the second division. From information furnished me by the Registrar, I learn that if she had gained another mark over the 199 that were awarded her, she would have been placed in the first division. As this is the first occasion on which a native young lady has passed any University examination, it seems fitting to signalise her success in some conspicuous manner. I therefore beg to recommend that a special junior scholarship should be now created for her benefit, tenable by her for two years, provided she continues her studies in some institution approved by myself. The present junior scholarships are of three grades, of the value respectively of Rs. 10, Rs. 15, and Rs. 20 a month; these amounts being intended to meet the cost of books as well as of living. Either a first grade scholarship of Rs. 20 a month, or a second grade scholarship of Rs. 15 a month, would probably enable Miss Kadambini Bose to prosecute her studies to the First Arts standard, the University having lately made provision for the admission of female candidates to that examination. I also beg to suggest, for the consideration of Government, the permanent establishment of three junior scholarships of the first, second, and third grades respectively, to be awarded every year to three successful female candidates at the Entrance Examination, and to be tenable for two years on the conditions named above.

2. I further recommend that I may be authorised to award to Miss Kadambini Bose a present of books to the value of Rs. 50.

No. 97, dated Calcutta, the 3rd February 1879.

From—A. MACKENZIE, ESQ., Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, General Department,

To—The Director of Public Instruction.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 462, dated 29th January 1879, bringing to notice the fact that Miss Kadambini Bose, a pupil of the Bethune School in Calcutta, has successfully passed the Entrance Examination of the Calcutta University in the second division, failing to attain a place in the first division by one mark only.

2. This is the first occasion on which a young native lady has passed any University examination, and the Lieutenant-Governor is accordingly pleased, on your recommendation, to sanction the creation of a special junior second grade scholarship of the value of Rs 15 a month for Miss Bose's benefit, to be tenable by her for a period of two years, provided she continues her studies in some institution approved of by you.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor also sanctions your proposal to establish permanently three junior scholarships of the first, second, and third grades respectively, to be awarded annually to successful female candidates at the Entrance Examination, and to be tenable by them for two years on the conditions named above.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor further authorizes you to award to Miss Kadambini Bose a present of books to the value of Rs. 50 (fifty).

MANAGEMENT OF THE CALCUTTA HOSPITALS AND THE HOWRAH GENERAL HOSPITAL.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 25th January 1879.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

Report on the Calcutta Hospitals and the Howrah General Hospital by the Committee appointed to enquire into Medical Expenditure in Bengal.

IN the Resolution of 18th February 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor nominated a Special Committee to consider, among other subjects connected with medical administration, the question of hospital management in Bengal. The Committee have now, after detailed enquiry into the administrative history of each institution in Calcutta and the Suburbs, submitted a report containing the results of this portion of their labours in a series of well-considered recommendations on each subject.

2. The primary object of the Lieutenant-Governor, in instituting this enquiry, was to put an end to the confusion and waste which appeared to have crept into the administration of some hospitals, and to introduce an economical and uniform system of management. Some of the facts which have come to light will require explanation. But the Lieutenant-Governor is not now immediately concerned with the apportionment of praise or censure. Such cases will be dealt with separately and on their own merits, and, while the Lieutenant-Governor cannot permit any medical officer convicted of unpardonable carelessness and neglect of duty to resume or continue the management of a hospital, no such officer will be condemned until he has had an opportunity of furnishing an explanation of the charges brought against him. The Committee's remarks allude in many places to a state of things which existed under Superintendents of hospitals now no longer in India. In dealing with the Committee's report, therefore, Sir Ashley Eden will for the present avoid the mention of the name of any officer in any way responsible for a state of things which he may consider it his duty to condemn. Whatever explanations may be forthcoming, the facts stated in the Committee's report cannot be gainsayed. The object now in view is the establishment of a uniform system of hospital management, which will provide for the greatest economy consistent with full regard for the care of the sick, the elimination of vicious principles of administration, the selection of the methods found by experience to offer the best results, and the distinct apportionment of the duties and responsibilities of the different classes of officers. It should be stated at the outset that it is the desire of Government, not that less than they require should reach the sick, but that the public money should not, under the pretext of their needs, be wasted by the acts of dishonest or careless and inefficient subordinates. Fixed and uniform principles are required for the protection at once of the suffering poor and of the public funds.

3. The first four recommendations put forward by the Committee, which relate to general principles of administration, have the Lieutenant-Governor's complete approval:—

That the principle which ought to govern the management of a hospital or dispensary supported from public funds should be the greatest possible economy consistent with the liberal provision of all things necessary to the well-being and comfort of the sick

That all officers concerned, each in his own sphere, should be held responsible that this principle is enforced.

That within such reasonable limits as experience has shown to be sufficient, medical officers entrusted with the treatment of the sick should be allowed the utmost freedom of action as to ordering diets, extras, stimulants, and other necessaries for their patients; but that, at the same time, they should be held personally responsible if they exceed the limits or allow their subordinates to exceed them.

That the system of accounts and returns should be simplified to the utmost, in order that the responsible officer may exercise a real control.

In the opinion of the Committee all these principles, with the exception of the third, have hitherto been ignored, and great waste has resulted from want of effective control. There can be little doubt that many medical officers have made their professional occupations their first care, and have to

a great extent left the administrative part of their duties in the hands of their subordinates. The Lieutenant-Governor believes that it will only be necessary to affirm the principles enunciated above to prevent a recurrence of this. Since attention was directed to this question, the medical officers have exerted themselves most loyally to reform the administration of their hospitals.

4. *Diet.*—Up to 1866 the grant from Government in the Medical College Hospital on account of diet allowed the rate of 6 annas 8 pies daily for European patients, and 3 annas for native patients. In 1867 the rates were raised to 8 annas 10 pies and 4 annas respectively, and the expenditure was brought under audit by the Examiner of Medical Accounts. At the same time a system was introduced under which a separate diet sheet, containing, besides a column for diet, twelve columns for extras, was required for each patient. The theory was that the medical officer at his morning visit would give and initial the necessary orders in each case. This labour was found irksome, and the system had hardly been introduced when the only provision which could justify such an elaborate return was relaxed, and the medical officers were allowed to sign the sheets once a month only instead of daily. The whole control of the diets and extras was thus practically left in the hands of the Assistant Surgeons, and these cumbrous and elaborate sheets remained to suggest and invite extravagance by their very form. In 1870 the rates were raised from 8 annas 10 pies for Europeans and 4 annas for natives to 12 annas and 6 annas respectively, though the Principal had reported that no patient was denied anything that could conduce to his recovery. It was not even pretended that the full rates for Europeans were required. But the figures for the succeeding years show pretty clearly the elasticity of charges under such a system. For the first four months of 1876 the average cost for Europeans was 9 annas 7 pies, and for natives 6 annas 0·3 pie. In May 1877 the Lieutenant-Governor appointed a Committee to enquire into the expenditure of the Sealdah Hospital. In that month the cost of diet and extras for each native in the Medical College Hospital was 5 annas 6½ pies. In June it fell to 4 annas 11½ pies, and in July to 4 annas 7½ pies. An examination of the figures shows that under the system of unsigned diet sheets and liberal maximum charges, the use of extras of all sorts had increased until the "diets" had become mere adjuncts of the "extras." Among the extras used are found champagne, cigars, jellies and pomegranates, luxuries probably entirely new to the experience of the patients. Thus in May 1877 the cost of native diets was only 1 anna 10½ pies, while that of extras was 2 annas 11½ pies, and that of stimulants 8½ pies. In June and July the cost of diets was the same, while extras cost only 2 annas 6 pies and 2 annas 4½ pies, and stimulants only 7 pies and 4½ pies respectively. In September 1877 Dr. Coates, Officiating Principal of the Medical College, proposed a new scale of diets, designed to obviate the use of extras as a matter of course. The scale was duly considered and approved of by the Medical Department and was sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor. The great advantage anticipated was that, as patients for whom extras were considered necessary must be placed on special diet, extras would only be ordered in cases where they were actually required. The result was at once apparent in the charges for the first four months of 1878. The average for Europeans was only 5 annas 10 pies against 9 annas 7 pies in 1876 and 9 annas 4 pies in 1877, and that for natives only 3 annas 4 pies against 6 annas in 1876 and 5 annas 6 pies in 1877. That the interests of the sick are fully protected is clear from the evidence of the College staff. No extra is objected to if the medical officer orders it: but, as a matter of fact, the ordinary diets are found so liberal that fewer extras are ordered. The Assistant Surgeon is no longer left the opportunity of filling in extras at discretion in each case until, to use Dr. Coates' words, "the diet sheets are frequently full from side to side." Each patient for whom extras are still considered necessary is placed on special diet by the medical officer, and each case is thus easily checked. Dr. Coates, Dr Chandra, Dr. Partridge, Dr. Palmer, and Dr. Gayer all distinctly state that they order whatever they consider necessary both of extras and stimulants. Dr. Charles makes a similar statement, but he qualifies it thus—"but since the enquiry into the Sealdah Hospital, I consider very little necessary." The meaning of this is not altogether clear; nor is it quite easy to follow Dr. Charles when he states further

on that, though he believes he has perfect liberty to order what he thinks is required, he has no doubt in his own mind that he has denied his patients many things which he ought to have allowed them. Dr. Partridge, on the other hand, states that his practice has not been altered, and that he orders as much now as formerly. It is quite clear that the medical officers have as a rule become more careful and give more personal attention to the articles ordered for their patients; but it is equally clear that no extra ordered has ever been denied, or, if ordered with special diet as required by rule, questioned. The whole staff unanimously admit that there must have been abuse under the old system. Drs. Coates, Partridge, and Gayer strongly condemn the system of signing diet sheets every month. Dr. Partridge says—"Unless a sheet was very full of extras, my attention would not be called to it, and even if it were, it would be extremely difficult to recollect the circumstances after five or six weeks." Dr. Gayer said—"It depends on the House Surgeon. If he is good it can be done; if not, it is very questionable. It is a contest between my memory and his neglect if he does not bring extras to my notice." To the Lieutenant-Governor it appears quite clear that no officer with a large number of patients to attend to could possibly check statements of this nature after such a lapse of time with any effect.

In the General Hospital the cost of diet has always been high. The scales hitherto in use have been those for military hospitals, and the check exercised by the Examiner of Accounts has been restricted to keeping the expenditure below a limit so liberal that it could with difficulty be attained. The vicious system of diet sheets has been in force, and subordinates have been allowed to order extras. The cost per patient was thus 10 annas 8 pies during the first four months of 1876. Since attention was called to hospital extravagance, the medical officers have reserved to themselves the right to order extras, and from January to April 1878 the average cost was only 7 annas 6 pies. Still, it is reported, "the medical officers retain the absolute power to order whatever they think necessary."

In the Howrah Hospital the average cost during the first four months of 1878 was 11 annas 11 pies for Europeans and 1 anna 11·7 pies for natives. The high rate for Europeans is accounted for by the circumstance that 85 per cent are paying patients. In the Mayo Hospital, which, like the Howrah Institution, has to husband its resources and is most economically as well as efficiently managed, the cost of dieting the patients (native) is only 2 annas 5·5 pies. A number of books are kept, showing at a glance the expenditure under each head daily. The circumstances connected with the expenditure of late years in the Sealdah Hospital have already been fully considered. The average cost of diet and extras from January to April 1878 was 2 annas 8·5 pies against 4 annas 5·8 pies in the same months of 1876. The present Superintendent, Dr. Mackenzie, states in his evidence that the patients get all that is necessary of food, extras, and stimulants.

The following table shows the cost of diet in the Medical College and General Hospitals in 1876, 1877, and 1878:—

		1876.		1877.		First half of 1878.	
		No. of diets.	Cost. Rs.	No. of diets.	Cost. Rs.	No. of diets	Cost. Rs.
Medical College Hospital ...	European ...	45,658	23,704	50,039	25,583	22,099	7,881
	Native ...	48,636	15,015	47,003	13,127	23,356	4,833
		(Daily average.)		(Daily average.)		(Daily average.)	
General Hospital ...	European ...	176	37,096	201	39,881	152	12,258

The most important measures of permanent reform are clearly the reduction within reasonable limits of the maximum allowances for diet, and the establishment of some efficient system of check. It appears from the evidence recorded that Dr. Coates' full diets are more liberal than those of the London Hospitals, and larger and far more varied than the great majority of the patients are accustomed to. It will be well therefore to revise the scale, and in doing so the slight modifications suggested by some of the staff can be attended to. It is shown that the cost of feeding native patients is still much higher in the Medical College than in any other hospital. The Lieutenant-Governor would, however, adopt the cost of the existing scale (3 annas 6 pies) as the

maximum charge, in order to provide for eventualities. There can then be no complaint of insufficiency under any head, for it is well known that in any large institution the cost of a fairly liberal diet, treated as an average, amply suffices to cover all dieting charges whatever, including stimulants. The average cost for Europeans on the new scales is 7 annas 1½ pies. The average cost in the first four months of 1878 at the General Hospital was 7 annas 6 pies. A safe maximum would evidently be 8 annas. The Lieutenant-Governor therefore approves the following recommendations of the Committee:—

That the maximum limit for European and Native diets (inclusive of all extras and stimulants) should be fixed at 8 annas and 3 annas 6 pies respectively, and that each officer should be held personally responsible that these amounts are not exceeded.

That medical officers should, if possible, work below these limits and not order unnecessary articles on purpose to work up to them, as seems to have been done in some instances.

That in any special case where increased expenditure is unavoidable, the present rule should be maintained, and the amounts be passed on a certificate on honour that the expenditure was necessary, supported by a detailed bill.

That within the prescribed limits the hospital authorities may adopt such modifications of the existing diet scales as they see fit, and may devote such part of the diet money as they think necessary, to general kitchen expenses with a view to improve the cooking.

That where there are resident European medical officers it shall be the strict duty of one or other of them to attend in the wards and superintend the issue of the principal meal.

That the present diet sheets and all elaborate tables now sent to the Examiner of Medical Accounts be dispensed with, and in their stead a simple statement showing the number of each class of diets and the total expenditure for food, extras, and stimulants be submitted through the Surgeon-General to the Accountant-General monthly.

That as a detailed account and a means of showing the officers concerned the cost of their diets, a series of books, similar to those in use at the Mayo Hospital, be kept in each hospital, showing separately the expenditure by each medical officer, the diet and extras ordered for each patient being marked on his bed head ticket; and further, that each prescribing officer should initial his extras and expenditure daily, as is now done at the General and Mayo Hospitals.

That the responsible heads be allowed to arrange for the supply of all articles required in the manner most advantageous to the hospital, with the consent of the Surgeon-General.

That while the Superintendents of the several institutions be held responsible to Government as at present, their subordinates should also be responsible, each in his place.

That the appointments of steward, apothecary, &c., be not restricted, as heretofore, to members of the Subordinate Medical Department, and that the men be selected for fitness alone. But in case of the selected man not being otherwise in the service of Government, he be required to give adequate security.

The Committee further propose the prohibition of all perquisites and the establishment of salaries rising from Rs. 250 to Rs. 400. Such a measure would require the sanction of the Government of India. The orders of Government on this point will be communicated hereafter. The proposal of the Committee to fix the limit of diet expenditure for the better classes of paying patients at 12 annas and Rs. 2 is approved. The arrangements already made in regard to patients of this description will be noted in the separate remarks on the different hospitals.

5. *Stimulants.*—In the Medical College and General Hospitals the same extravagance is observable under this head as under diet. The following table exhibits the fluctuations during the past three years:—

		First four months of—					
		1876.		1877.		1878.	
		Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount	Rate.
		Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.
Medical College ...	Europeans ...	1,015	23 13	915	21 7	163	4 0
	Natives ...	744	16 13	763	17 10	159	3 11
General Hospital		2,231	.....	1,727	.....	511	.....

The only change that has been made is that subordinates are no longer allowed to order stimulants. In the words of the Committee's report, "the patients get all that the medical officers consider necessary, but cannot now get what they want for the asking, as was often the case formerly." Dr. Partridge is unable to explain the great reduction "unless the diet sheets were tampered with," and Dr. Gayer considers that "there must have been waste." Stimulants are now allowed with all diets, and there is no restriction on the discretion of the medical staff to order whatever they think their

patients really require. It appears that, in the General Hospital, stimulants have hitherto been issued at the rate of 22 ozs. a bottle, though the actual contents vary from 25 to 26 ozs. The balance has been the perquisite of the steward, and the Committee estimate that it must have amounted to 23 to 29 dozens in 1876. The returns of the Mayo Hospital, where native patients of precisely the same class as are admitted to the Medical College Hospital are treated, but where what is necessary only has hitherto been given, contrast strangely with those given above.

1876.		1877.		1878.	
Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.	Amount.	Rate.
Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.	Rs.	Rs. A.
82	3 1	97	3 9	81	1 11

In the Howrah and North Suburban Hospitals the quantity of stimulants used has always been very small. In the Sealdah Hospital the cost in 1878 was little more than one-fortieth of what it was in 1876. In the Police Hospital the average cost was Rs. 13 in 1876, Rs. 16 in 1877, and Rs. 2 in 1878.

The Committee recommend that, "except in special cases, rum only should be ordered for native patients requiring stimulants." The Lieutenant-Governor can see no good reason for making any exception. The Superintendents of the Howrah, Mayo and Sealdah Hospitals, speaking from experience, expressly state that they consider rum quite sufficient for native patients in all cases. No other stimulant is used in the Mayo, Chandney, Police, or North Suburban Hospitals, and in the Howrah Hospital it is almost exclusively used, though in these hospitals there is no restriction. The class of patients is in no way different in the Medical College Hospital, and, looking to the necessity of preventing a return to the previous waste and extravagance under this head, the Lieutenant-Governor would prefer to see the practice of the Mayo Hospital followed. The Medical College staff, with the exception of Dr. Charles, consider that good rum is sufficient in all ordinary cases, and they would all wish to have a discretion to use port and brandy under exceptional circumstances. In view of the high professional character of this body of officers, the Lieutenant-Governor will not restrict them absolutely, but he would require each officer ordering a stimulant other than rum to certify specially that he does not consider that rum would suit the case.

6. *Private practice.*—The Committee make the following recommendations under this head:—

> That, subject to the fullest responsibility for the administration and professional control of the institutions under their charge, medical officers who are at present allowed to take private practice shall continue free to do so, provided it does not interfere with their public duties.
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> That the rule forbidding certain officers to engage in private practice should be enforced, and should apply to native as well as to European resident officers.

In the Lieutenant-Governor's opinion there can be no doubt whatever that much of the irregularity that has now been brought to light has resulted from the time and attention devoted by some medical officers to their private practice at the expense of their administrative duties. It has been forgotten that their first duty is to the Government that appoints them, and confers on them their rank and salary. It has been overlooked that the right of private practice is not the chief incident of their appointments, but only a privilege allowed them, on the understanding that it in no way interferes with their primary engagements. The Lieutenant-Governor has no doubt that the exercise of private practice within these limits benefits both the patients treated in the hospitals and the students instructed in clinical medicine. The public interests, moreover, demand that the highest professional skill shall as far as possible be made available for the treatment of private cases. But there are several highly qualified medical officers on the Presidency staff, and it is not pretended that it is the business of Government to appoint and pay officers solely or principally for the pursuit of a lucrative practice. The vigilance of the Surgeon-General must be relied on to secure that the interests of the general administration are not again sacrificed to the private advantage of the medical officers; and the Lieutenant-Governor trusts that he

will not shrink from a strict and conscientious performance of this duty, however disagreeable it may be.

While, however, the above limitation only is required in regard to medical officers generally, there are certain officers who have been expressly prohibited by name from private practice. Among these are the Principal of the Medical College and the resident medical officers. The Principal has been for good reasons specially permitted to engage in consultation, not general, practice. The Lieutenant-Governor has learnt with displeasure that the resident officers at the Medical College Hospital have engaged in general private practice, in spite of the express prohibition existing. This departure from the conditions of the appointments is the more remarkable that it has been repeatedly impressed upon Government that the hospital duties of these officers are most engrossing and arduous. It was even made the ground of an application for relieving one of them of a part of his duties, that they involved too severe a strain on his constitution. Nevertheless it appears that he was able to snatch from them sufficient leisure for the pursuit of private practice in direct contravention of the conditions under which he obtained his appointment. The Committee recommend that these appointments should be dissociated from the professorships of Pathology and Physiology, and should be held, as was the rule for the Resident Surgeon, for two years only, in order that as many young officers as possible may have the advantage of the experience to be gained in these posts. Measures will be taken as soon as it can be conveniently arranged to give effect to this suggestion by making other arrangements for the charge of these professorships. In the protracted discussion which took place some years ago on the subject of the establishment of a special Chair for Physiology, two points were most urgently insisted upon—that the professor should be a man of considerable standing, and that he should certainly not be the Resident Surgeon. These considerations appear to have been both overlooked when the present arrangements were made on Dr. Ewart's departure on furlough: but the Lieutenant-Governor is of opinion that the repeatedly and strongly expressed views of the College Council upon them should be accepted. The recommendation of the Committee that the appointment of Resident Surgeon at the General Hospital without attached duties should also be tenable for two years only will be adopted. It is due to the resident medical officers at this hospital to say that of late years the prohibition against private practice has been rigidly observed by them. The rule must in future be understood as applying to native as well as to European resident officers in all hospitals administered by Government servants.

The Committee have a further recommendation which has resulted from their enquiries at the Campbell Hospital, and which the Lieutenant-Governor fully approves—

That no medical officer of any grade whatever should be, under pain of dismissal from Government service, allowed to have an interest in any dispensary or druggist's shop.

The Surgeon-General should bring to the notice of Government any direct or indirect infringement of this rule which comes to his notice.

7. *Clothing.*—The expenditure under this head in the different hospitals during the past five years is shown below:—

	Medical College	General.	Campbell.	Howrah, clothing & furniture	Mayo
	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1873	6,450	8,595	3,062	1,541	..
1874	6,084	5,189	4,271	3,218	.....
1875	22,622	5,663	5,725	1,959	563
1876	2,617	7,639	4,749	1,934	289
1877	5,535	5,678	4,880	899	233
First half of 1878	0	0	292		.....

It appears that the palpable extravagance which has existed in some of the hospitals is attributable to three causes—(1) the unnecessarily high scale adopted; (2) the want of proper system in stock-taking and in the custody of the clothing; (3) the system of condemning clothing by Committees. In the General Hospital the scale is too liberal. Since the closing of the out-door department the average number of patients is 163, and the maximum in hospital on any one day for the last ten years is stated to have been 231. Yet the scale provides, among other things, 2,580 linen sheets, and warm and

light clothing for 960 men and 150 women. There have been considerable losses from theft, and it is clear that there has been an utter want of system in stock-taking and in the general arrangements for the custody of the clothing. A stock-book, such as is used at the Howrah Hospital, should be generally introduced. The Committee properly urge that extensive reserves are unnecessary and offer temptations to pilferers. It would be useless, however, to fix the scale at a small margin above the *average* number of beds occupied. As all patients must be clothed, the stock must necessarily be equal to the largest number treated. The Lieutenant-Governor agrees that it need not be made up to the full capacity of the hospital. Additional supplies may, on emergency, be procured from the Jail Department or in the open market. The recommendation of the Committee, that the nurses should be placed in charge of the clothing in current use, does not commend itself to the Lieutenant-Governor. Indeed it seems to be quite impracticable. The nurses, too, are not, strictly speaking, servants of Government, though a grant is made in aid of the Association which supports and provides them. The clothing must be in the hands of some responsible servant of Government who can be held answerable for all losses. A system such as that recently introduced at the General Hospital, under which the cashier giving security is responsible for all, is much preferable to a measure which would take any of the nurses from the special employment to which they are supposed to devote themselves. If this cannot be arranged, a special clothing steward or matron will have to be added to the hospital staff. The Lieutenant-Governor entirely concurs in the remarks of the Committee on the evils of the system of condemning clothing and other stores by Committees. The Superintendent's responsibility should be in no way impaired, and he should pass orders on every article as soon as it is pronounced useless by his staff.

The following recommendations of the Committee are accordingly approved :—

That the system of condemning clothing and other stores by Committees should be abolished, and the Superintendents be allowed to condemn all articles as they become unserviceable.

That stock be taken of clothing once a quarter.

That a stock-book, similar to that in use in the Howrah Hospital, be kept by the steward or corresponding officer in every hospital in Calcutta, and that every article condemned or expended be initialled as disposed of by the Superintendent, the steward being responsible for every article until it is written off.

That the Superintendent, or a resident medical officer deputed by him, should verify the entries in this book at least twice a year at uncertain times.

8. *Nurses.*—The Lieutenant-Governor has already expressed his dissent from the view that the nurses should be made responsible for the hospital clothing. Sir Ashley Eden entirely concurs with Drs. Partridge and Jones in thinking that the duties which would necessarily follow upon such a charge would interfere with their true nursing work. The Committee further recommend that the nurses should be more under the control of the medical officers. The Lieutenant-Governor sees no necessity for any change in the existing arrangements, nor indeed can he understand on what grounds the recommendation is made. In the minutes of the evidence taken by the Committee, there is no hint of any difficulty being experienced. Without exception, the staff of the Medical College and General Hospitals express their complete satisfaction with the present system. Dr. Coates finds "it extremely useful, beneficial, and effective. Gives orders to the nurses directly and through the matron. These orders are, without exception, carried out willingly. Discipline very good indeed. Has sufficient control over the nurses in their duties to the sick in the wards, and can dismiss a nurse from his ward, not from her post of hospital nurse." Dr. Chandra "can give any orders relating to the nursing of the sick. Finds the discipline of the nurses good." Dr. Partridge has "never experienced any difficulty. Can give any orders. Orders carried out very willingly. Can dismiss from his ward." Dr. Palmer has found the system "always good. Orders always willingly attended to. Objectionable nurses have always been removed after fair and proper representation to the Secretary of the Ladies' Committee." Dr. Jones "can order them to perform any duty, but generally does it through the Lady Superintendent if it is of importance." The Lieutenant-Governor can see no necessity for interfering with a system which has worked so thoroughly well. Government only contribute a part of

the cost of maintaining the Nurses' Institution. The Ladies of the Committee collect and administer the greater part of the funds, and by their general supervision of the nurses render most excellent service to the hospitals, and promote in no small degree the comfort and well-being of the sick. It is in every way desirable that they should continue to exercise these functions.

9. *Medicines and Surgical necessaries.*—The figures under these heads present some very striking features. While the expenditure at the Howrah and Mayo Hospitals has been in every particular most moderate, the returns of the Medical College, General, and Campbell Hospitals show very marked extravagance.

In the Medical College Hospital the value of the medicines supplied was in 1867-68 Rs. 10,371 and in 1868-69 Rs. 7,862, against Rs. 22,956 in 1875-76 and Rs. 27,858 in 1876-77. The number of patients in the two first-mentioned cannot be ascertained, but there is no reason to suppose that it was below 540, the average of the two succeeding years 1869-70 and 1870-71, as well as of 1875-76 and 1876-77. In 1870-71 there was a rise of 65 in the daily average number of patients, but the value of the medicines was only Rs. 10,807 against Rs. 15,542 in the previous year. In 1871-72 there was a fall of 85, but the value of the medicines rose from Rs. 10,807 to Rs. 18,268. The average cost per patient was thus Rs. 30 in the first year, Rs. 18 in the second, and Rs. 37 in the third. These fluctuations are too violent to be explained by inequalities in the amount remaining in store at the close of each year. Such considerations, however, disappear altogether if lengthened periods are taken together, and this process brings into very strong relief the enormous increase in expenditure under this head of late years. The average cost per patient during this triennial period, 1869-72, was Rs. 28; in 1874-77 it was no less than Rs. 46. No doubt a part of this increase is due to the rise in the original cost of the drugs and to the depreciation in the value of silver; but a comparison of the quantities actually used with those consumed in the Mayo and Howrah Hospitals leaves no room for doubt regarding the main causes of the increase. Thus the expenditure of quinine during the past five years has been 181lbs.; on the scale of the consumption at the Mayo Hospital it would have been only 85lbs. At the rate of consumption in the Medical College and General Hospitals, the Mayo and Howrah Hospitals would have used 814 and 494lbs respectively of acaciæ gummi: they only used 75 and 89lbs.; they would have used 1,256 and 763lbs. of carbolic acid instead of 161 and 65lbs.; and 111lbs. and 67lbs. of bromide of potash instead of 22 and 35lbs. A great part of the increase is attributed by the Committee to the transfer of the out-door patients' department to the care of the resident physician and surgeon from that of the native assistant surgeons, and to the consequently increased use of European in preference to native medicines. This explanation is not satisfactory; for in the first place the out-patients at the Mayo Hospital, where the expenditure of European drugs is so small, have also been treated by a European officer; and in the second, it is shown in the report that these very native assistant surgeons have been most extravagant in prescribing European medicines, and even what the Committee call "fancy" medicines, for casual patients admitted during the day, and for ward patients in the evening. Moreover, the extravagance in such articles as lint, where the same rate would have given the Mayo 1,220lbs against its actual consumption of 138lbs and the Howrah 741lbs against 112lbs, is followed in the surgical necessaries used only by in-door patients. The following table shows the reduction in the expenditure of some articles in the two surgical wards during the first four months of the last three years, the average number of beds occupied only varying from 59 to 51:—

		1876.	1877.	1878.
		Yds.	Yds.	Yds.
Large bandages...	1st Surgeon's Ward	1,676	1,786	299
	2nd ditto	2,303	2,459	363
		oz.	oz.	oz.
Cotton do. ...	1st ditto	2,234	3,022	433
	2nd ditto	3,215	2,673	591
Carbolic oil ...	1st ditto	4,030	190	92
	2nd ditto	3,429	2,687	1,029

The evidence of the hospital staff leaves little room for doubt of the destination of large quantities of these medicines and appliances. The late

Dr. Gayer considered that the figures for 1878 represented smaller quantities than might be found necessary as a general rule. Even with some correction on this account, they would form a remarkable contrast to those for 1876 and 1877. It should, however, be remarked that no member of the staff denies that he gets all that he requires of these articles. Dr. Palmer considers that there must have been "some misappropriation," and Dr. Partridge thinks that "the quantities mentioned could not have been used." Dr. Coates, late Officiating Principal, explains that the reduction began in September 1877, when, during the illness of one of the assistant surgeons, a student of the College was appointed to do his duty. "He did the dressing with his own hands, and so sudden and great was the decrease of dressing, that the past expenditure was proved to be excessive." It is reported that one patient was found to have secreted no less than 23 pieces of lint which had been given to him to dress his own wounds, apparently by the assistant surgeon whose duty it was to do the work; and it appears that this was not an isolated instance. It is clear that the assistant surgeons in these wards must have grossly neglected their duty. Indeed the most that can be said in respect of the expenditure of medicines and surgical necessaries in this hospital generally, is that manifestly incorrect and misleading statements of the quantities used were not committed to writing as has been found to have been the case in the General and Sealdah Hospitals. But it is quite clear that the supervision of the higher medical officers must have been absolutely nominal, or such waste could never have passed undetected.

The following statement exhibits the expenditure on European medicines, instruments, and hospital necessaries in the General Hospital during the past ten years:—

Year.	Average daily number of patients.	Gross cost.	Average cost per patient
		Rs.	Rs.
1868	168	4,605	27
1869	171	4,564	26
1870	167	6,209	37
1871	161	7,349	45
1872	182	14,395	79
1873	178	11,927	67
1874	180	17,566	97
1875	243	19,129	79
1876	318	25,780	81
1877	358	11,474	32

It is true that these figures do not include the value of instruments returned to store, but this cause would be more or less constant, and would have little effect on the enormous difference between the average cost in the different years. It is true that the cost of drugs has risen, and it appears that the increased expense in 1872 was the result of a liberal supply of instruments in that particular year. But though this may in some degree account for the rise in the average cost from Rs. 26 per patient in 1869 to Rs. 79 in 1872, it will not explain why, with the average daily number of patients decreasing from 171 in 1869 to 167 in 1870 and 161 in 1871, the gross cost rose from Rs. 4,564 to Rs. 6,209 and Rs. 7,349. It will not satisfy the Lieutenant-Governor that, with an increase of two in the average daily number treated between 1873 and 1874, there was any necessity for an increase in the charge for medicines and instruments from Rs. 11,927 to Rs. 17,566, and in the average cost from Rs. 67 to Rs. 97 a head when just double the number were treated in 1877, after the attention of Government had been directed to the wasteful expenditure of the Calcutta hospitals, at two-thirds of the expense, viz. at a gross cost of Rs. 11,474 or Rs. 32 a head. If medicines only are considered, it is found that the average cost was Rs. 39 in 1873-74, Rs. 51 in 1874-75, and Rs. 16 in 1877-78. Yet, as the Committee observe, it is not hinted that any medicine really required has not been given during the latter year, and there is positive evidence that the medical officers prescribe whatever is necessary with the utmost freedom, though they were of course aware that in the latter year their expenditure was being carefully watched. There is, however, one important point which cannot be left out of consideration, and that is that there was a change in the administration of the hospital in 1876. The Committee have instituted a very careful comparison between the quantities

of the various drugs said to have been used in the different years, and they have shown that of some, such as opium and morphia, the patients could not possibly have consumed the amount stated. Further light is thrown on this by the discoveries made by Dr. Raye when he took stock of the medicines in October 1877. It was then found that there were large quantities of different drugs in store which had already been shown as expended. Of one drug 32 pounds were shown as "remaining" in May 1875. During the succeeding year 17 pounds were shown as expended and 5 pounds more were asked for but disallowed. In 1876 the expenditure was shown as 5 pounds. If therefore the amount put down in May 1875 was correct, there must have remained at the close of 1876 only 10 pounds: but Dr. Raye discovered 31 pounds 12 ounces in October 1877. Of Gurjon oil 63 pounds were discovered in place of 3 pounds, and of tartaric acid 30 pounds instead of 12 pounds. It cannot be urged that the medicines were bad and had been condemned, for in the first place the great bulk has been found to be perfectly good and is being consumed by the patients; and in the second, if medicines go bad, they should be returned into store or be formally condemned according to rule. Indents for medicines are made by the Superintendent, who has to sign a declaration on honour that the medicines received on his indent have been and shall be solely expended for the purpose of the service, that he has satisfied himself that the amounts returned as "remaining in store" are correct, and that he has made the entries of the quantities "required" with his own hand. It is not easy to understand how, in the face of these facts, the Superintendents have found themselves able to make this declaration.

The question of the cost of medicines at the Sealdah Hospital has already been discussed in the Government Resolution of 9th January 1878. The average cost per patient was Rs. 2-8 in 1872, Rs. 4 in 1873, Rs. 16 in 1874, Rs. 35-11 in 1875, Rs. 40-6 in 1876, and Rs. 39-12 in 1877. The details of the medicines said to have been consumed have been fully considered. It now appears that, until Dr. French took charge in October 1877, no record of the issues were kept, the apothecary issuing supplies and preparing indents on his own responsibility. It has been found that here, as in the General Hospital, the indents, though certified correct by the Superintendent, were grossly incorrect. Large quantities of drugs, in unopened jars and bottles, have been found in excess of the quantities returned as in store and subsequently received. The indent showed no carbonate of potash in store: 4 pounds were received on indent: after a year's expenditure the Committee found 17 pounds 8 ounces in store, four 4-pound bottles never having been opened The indent showed 3 pounds of squill vinegar in store: after a further year's expenditure the Committee found two 4-pound bottles in store unopened. These medicines were all perfectly good and are being used by the patients. It is clear that there must have been either gross and reckless carelessness, or elaborate dishonesty on the part of some one. The expenditure on bazar medicines and contingencies in this hospital was Rs. 3,234 in the first six months of 1877, against Rs. 1,761 in the first half of 1878; yet the Superintendent declares that he never questions any item for which any justification can be shewn, and that he believes that the patients get all that they require.

The Lieutenant-Governor is fully satisfied of the necessity of a radical change in the system hitherto adopted if wholesale plunder and waste of medicines are to be avoided. Measures must be taken to ensure that what is necessary only shall be supplied, and that what is ordered by the medical officers shall reach the patients. The Committee have shewn good reason against the adoption of fixed scales of medicines as embarrassing the medical officers and encouraging rather than preventing extravagance in indenting. They have also properly urged that, while medical officers should be exhorted not to use expensive and elaborate preparations in charitable institutions where cheaper drugs would suffice, their hands must not be tied by any hard-and-fast prohibition. Thus ample evidence has been received from all parts of the country of the efficacy of the mixed cinchona alkaloids, and the Lieutenant-Governor considers that a medical officer would be wanting in his duty if he did not employ this medicine in preference to quinine whenever he believes that it would be equally effectual as a remedy. Thus in the Howrah Hospital the alkaloid is used very largely even for Europeans, and Dr. Pilcher finds

that it suits them admirably, and that in low fevers, ending in spleen, it is more efficacious than quinine. Dr. Cayley finds that the alkaloid answers "well in most cases." At the Chandney Hospital the resident medical officer has found it "more effective than quinine." Still the Lieutenant-Governor would not prohibit the use of quinine if a medical officer is satisfied that it is absolutely required. There are, however, many modern preparations which are extremely costly, and which are not allowed in provincial hospitals. The Lieutenant-Governor would not absolutely forbid the use of these, but he considers that they should not be indented for as a matter of course, and that they should be procurable only on special representation. The Committee propose that all quinine issued by Government should be coloured. This suggestion has already been considered, and it has been resolved to leave the process of dyeing in the hands of the manufacturers to ensure at once uniformity and secrecy. Meanwhile, however, quinine will be issued in sealed bottles, and it will be the duty of each officer to convert the contents of each bottle opened into a concentrated solution.

The Lieutenant-Governor approves the following measures:—

That the lists of medicines contained in the form of indent now issued by the Medical Store-keeper be revised, as it contains the names of many articles which should not be allowed in charitable institutions, except under very special circumstances.

That the resident medical officers of the General and Medical College Hospitals, and the Deputy Superintendent at Sealdah, be made primarily responsible that stock be correctly taken twice a year immediately before the submission of the indents; and that the quantities shown under the heads "remained," "received," "expended," and "remaining" are correct. They should certify this to the Superintendent on honour in their own handwriting.

That unserviceable drugs should be condemned by the Superintendent and destroyed in his presence, and that unserviceable necessaries and instruments be returned into store if repairable, or destroyed as above if not so.

That the Superintendent, after satisfying himself as to the requirements, should, as now, fill in with his own hand the quantities required, and certify that he has done so.

That apothecaries, dispensers, or others in actual charge of the medicines, be held responsible for any irregularities brought home to them, and replace anything lost while in their charge.

That in the case of the General, Medical College, Campbell, Mayo, and Howrah Hospitals, where large quantities of medicines are used, two indents should be allowed instead of one—the first should be estimated to be sufficient for six months, and at the end of that time efforts should be made to utilize the drugs remaining by substituting prescriptions containing them for the other formulæ, the supplementary indent being kept as low as possible.

That, in order to enable the hospital authorities to exercise all possible economy, the Examiner of Medical Accounts be required to furnish a copy of the latest official price-list to every indenting officer. Very few medical men know anything of the price of drugs, and they often prescribe the more expensive medicines when cheaper medicines would do as well.

That a priced invoice of the actual value of stores supplied be sent to every indenting officer by the Examiner of Medical Accounts, and that the signature of the indenting officer be required before the bill is passed.

That a memorandum should also be sent to each hospital returning drugs or instruments into store of the value thereof, and that this should be shown in the yearly departmental statement of accounts as a set-off against total expenditure.

That the main stock of medicines should invariably be kept apart from that in current use, and that a stock ledger should be kept, in which all issues of every drug should be entered.

That arrangements be made to keep the out-patient dispensary department separate from the in-patient department, and that a register be kept showing the issue of all medicines and hospital necessaries for the use of out-patients.

That, as a check on the compounders, the officer in charge of the store should occasionally test the expenditure of one or two medicines taken at random by the prescriptions in the ward books.

That the expenditure on bazar medicines and hospital necessaries be checked in the same way.

10. *General Hospital.*—The Committee make several suggestions for the reduction of establishment in this hospital. Detailed proposals of revision are now before the Lieutenant-Governor, and the Committee's recommendations will receive due consideration in disposing of them. The proposed transfer of the female patients to the building from which they were originally removed to provide space for the Sumbhunath Pundit Ward has already been ordered. Space has also been made available for four classes of private patients, paying for the accommodation afforded Rs. 5, Rs. 3, Rs. 2, and Re. 1 respectively. The

present Superintendent is of opinion that Government has been systematically robbed of paying patients' money in this hospital, and he bases this belief on the apparently substantial ground that, while there have always been patients in the private wards for which the charge is Rs. 2 a day, the amount credited to Government before 1877 never represented payment from one patient a day, while the amount realized in 1877 represented receipts from 5, and that collected during a part of 1878 from 7·9 patients per diem. Dr. Mackenzie, who was Resident Surgeon of the hospital for some years, is of opinion that there has been no recent increase in the number of patients in the private wards. The books have disappeared, and the late steward declares that he made them over to his successor. A note of the books made over, however, which is signed by the late incumbent, now in military employment, contains no mention of them. This is only one further instance of the total absence of administrative control in this institution.

11. *Medical College Hospital.*—The question of the improvement of this hospital has been for many years under consideration. The urgent necessity for alteration and for the provision of additional accommodation has been recognized, but owing to an exaggerated view of the defects of the existing building, and to the consequently extravagant estimate of the sum required for the necessary improvements, the undertaking has been from time to time postponed. The Lieutenant-Governor recently urged the College Council to take up the matter in a moderate and earnest spirit, and to assist him in carrying out the really necessary improvements on some feasible scale. The whole question has been thoroughly considered by the Committee in concert with the College Staff. It has been conclusively shown that the extreme views hitherto entertained of the irremediable nature of the defects of the hospital are not justified, and that all that is necessary can be effected within a reasonable expenditure. The estimate of 20 lakhs previously put forward has been reduced to six lakhs. The Lieutenant-Governor and the Government of India have been satisfied of the soundness of the conclusions of the Council and the Committee, and the Government of India have agreed to make the Imperial grant of three lakhs originally promised in aid of the scheme. It is hoped that this long-desired work will be brought to a conclusion during the ensuing year.

The Lieutenant-Governor adopts the opinion of the Committee that European and *quasi*-European patients should continue to be treated in this hospital, all European sailors, except in urgent cases, being sent to the General Hospital.

The following recommendations are also approved:—

That, on the completion of the improvements, the obstetric department at the General Hospital should be closed, and that all cases should be sent to the new wards.

That, provided they remain subject to the immediate control of the obstetric physician, as many nurses as he can conveniently accommodate be allowed to attend in-his wards for instruction in midwifery.

That the successor of the present steward be not necessarily a member of the Subordinate Medical Service, and that his selection be made by the Principal in consultation with the Surgeon-General.

That no native house-surgeon be allowed to add to or alter the diet or medicines prescribed by the physician or surgeon of the ward. Such alterations should only be made, when necessary, by a European medical officer.

12. *General Hospital, Howrah.*—The recommendations of the Committee in regard to this hospital embrace an annual grant of Rs. 6,000, and a grant-in-aid for the provision of additional accommodation for native patients. With reference to this, it may be observed that the average amount of the Government contribution during the past five years has been Rs. 8,512, and that land has been given, and a special grant of Rs. 10,000 only recently been made, for a new native ward. A further application is now under consideration. The Lieutenant-Governor is of opinion that a wealthy and prosperous town like Howrah should be able to maintain a hospital without any further contribution from the public funds. There appears to be no objection to the proposal that the Railway Company should be asked to make a money grant instead of giving medicines, and that all medicines above a total value of Rs. 3,000 be supplied on a chargeable indent by the Medical Store Department.

13. *Scaldah Hospital.*—The recommendation that the Superintendent of the hospital should be *ex-officio* Principal of the Medical School, in direct communication with the Director of Public Instruction, will be considered in the Education Department. The Lieutenant-Governor fully recognizes the liability of the Calcutta Municipality to make an increased contribution under the agreement subsisting between it and Government. In view, however, of the existing state of the municipal finances, the Lieutenant-Governor will not press the claim at present. The proposal that the Suburban and Howrah Municipalities should pay for patients treated in the hospital requires further consideration. It would be better, if anything is to be claimed, to fix a sum to be contributed with reference to the average number treated in past years. It does not appear, however, that the Howrah Municipality would be willing to pay for small-pox patients, seeing that a further contribution from Government is considered necessary for the support of its own hospital. The accountant has been added to the permanent establishment of this hospital, as proposed. Measures have been taken to provide in the Alms House for blind and incurable paupers now in the hospital. Persons of this description should not be allowed to take refuge in the hospital.

14. *Mayo, Chandney, and North Suburban Hospitals.*—The Lieutenant-Governor concurs with the Committee in thinking that these hospitals should, in return for the aid they receive from Government, conform to the general rules now laid down, and no doubt this can be arranged with the Committees of Management.

15. The Lieutenant-Governor desires that an expression of his thanks be conveyed to the President and Members of the Committee* for the readiness with which they have undertaken the laborious duty assigned to them, for the very full and well considered report which they have submitted, and for the admirable and practical suggestions which they have made.

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" " J. M. Coutes... ...	*Members.*
" " J. J. Jones	*Members.*
" " S. C. Mackenzie ...	*Members.*
C. Macaulay, Esq.	*Members.*
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By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

HORACE A. COCKERELL,
Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE STOCKS OF RICE IN AND AROUND CALCUTTA.

Names of Marts.	Stocks in hand as compiled on—										
	1st week of April 1878.	1st week of May 1878.	1st week of June 1878.	1st week of July 1878.	1st week of August 1878.	1st week of September 1878.	1st week of October 1878.	1st week of Nov. 1878.	1st week of Dec. 1878.	1st week of Jan. 1879.	1st week of Feb. 1879.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
...ghatta	7,81,700	5,90,200	4,69,200	4,36,100	3,28,700	2,76,000	3,20,600	2,61,200	2,13,900	2,68,200	5,59,800
...adanga	52,600	47,700	42,000	36,500	32,500	33,750	29,300	25,300	26,300	29,600	37,200
...more, Golabaree, Coo-...rtooly, Ratkhoa, and ...ipy Ghât.	4,47,200	4,25,400	4,18,100	3,94,200	4,02,100	4,05,650	4,04,100	4,24,900	2,60,100	2,94,600	3,51,100
...hurimchatta, Posta, and ...rabagan.	18,500	16,400	11,500	14,300	12,700	8,950	13,600	18,600	9,000	10,100	16,800
...vanuge, Chitlah, Kid-...spore, and Moonshi-...nge.	1,60,000	1,70,200	1,62,100	96,500	1,05,900	97,700	79,000	57,000	49,800	74,600	1,20,500
...ner Bazars (estimated)	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000
...er retail shops, 3,129 in ...mber (estimated).	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000
...yabatty, Nowabgunge, ...huddressur, and Chan-...nagore.	29,294	46,403	66,329	74,611	1,57,974	58,698	1,12,086	78,804	1,02,412	93,568	67,763
Total ...	19,26,294	17,95,302	16,89,229	15,12,211	15,28,874	14,50,748	15,09,786	13,49,904	11,32,712	12,60,668	16,16,563
Railway premises both ...des the river.	26,716 (on 1st April.)	9,210 (on 3rd May.)	6,558 (on 3rd June.)	9,414 (on 1st July.)	6,716 (on 5th August.)	4,174 (on 2nd Sept.)	4,380 (on 1st Oct.)	7,006 (on 2nd November.)	27,584 (on 2nd December.)	28,410 (on 3rd Jan. 79.)	9,214 (on 3rd Feb. 79.)
boats { Port Commissioners' returns	65,140 (30th March to 1st April.)	22,328 (1st to 3rd May.)	26,057 (1st to 3rd May.)	56,575 (1st to 3rd July.)	32,277 (2nd to 4th August.)	27,228 (30th Aug. to 1st September.)	18,220 (28th to 30th September.)	33,456 (1st to 3rd November.)	65,779 (29th Nov. to 1st Dec.)	83,924 (1st to 3rd Jan. 79.)	56,665 (1st to 3rd Feb. 79.)
...ded ... by ... { Canal returns ..	19,588 (30th March to 1st April.)	18,949 (1st to 3rd May.)	23,535 (1st to 3rd May.)	20,729 (1st to 3rd July.)	24,116 (2nd to 4th August.)	25,990 (30th Aug. to 1st September.)	15,177 (28th to 30th September.)	5,261 (1st to 3rd November.)	11,663 (29th Nov. to 1st Dec.)	73,768 (1st to 3rd Jan. 79.)	39,853 (1st to 3rd Feb. 79.)
Grand Total of Stocks...	20,37,697	18,46,489	17,55,402	15,98,999	15,91,983	14,85,150	15,46,563	13,97,617	12,48,812	14,41,773	17,69,774
...vable stocks available ...r exportation by sea.	9½ lakhs.	8 lakhs.	7 lakhs.	5½ lakhs.	5½ lakhs.	4½ lakhs.	5 lakhs.	3½ lakhs.	2 lakhs.	4 lakhs.	7 lakhs.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 4th February 1879.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The following statement shows the quantities of the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta from the interior during the month of November 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Whence imported.	FOOD-GRAINS.							FIBROUS PRODUCTS.		OILSEEDS.					SUGAR.	
	RICE AND PADDY.			Wheat	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Total.	Jute.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard.	Jute, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	Refined.	Unrefined.
	Rice.	Paddy.	Total (in rice).													
BENGAL.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Burdwan	2,10,418	8,120	2,15,490	775	49	816	2,17,130	.....	.....	.....	.....	471	.....	41	.....	7
Baukoora	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	584	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beerbhoom	90,079	.....	90,079	.....	.....	.....	90,079	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	27	.....	.....
Midnapore	96,618	39,655	1,35,902	.....	.....	881	1,35,902	435	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	216	.....	11
Hooghly	65,341	5,984	1,33,903	.....	.....	.....	82,453	63,199	535,374	30,389	8,425	.....	781	.....	4,223	2,8
24-Pergunnahs	1,34,249	19,633	69,081	9,270	3,221	881	1,47,352	81,954	350,195	932	40	.....	1,177	.....	3,769	16,4
Nuddea	13,958	.....	1,46,523	758	50	.....	31,245	14,222	325	991	450	660	194	15	32	1,2
Jessore	567	.....	13,958	1,012	15,685	590	907	13,456	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	10,6
Moorshedabad	94,718	.....	567	.....	340	.....	1,07,670	3,653	.....	3,170	391	.....	.....	268	714	...
Dinagepore	2,466	.....	94,718	6,867	5,819	206	4,812	9,742	427,650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Rajshahye	.....	.....	2,466	.....	.....	1,846	1,880	47,483	.....	328	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Rungpore	4,464	.....	.....	.....	1,880	.....	.....	13,211	87,350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Bogra	854	.....	4,464	.....	.....	.....	4,464	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Pubna	.....	.....	854	.....	636	.....	1,490	3,80,578	135,000	1,286	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Julpigoree	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,230	4,032	.....	.....	10,007	.....	.....	.....	...
Dacca	3,875	.....	3,875	44	425	.....	425	4,80,566	125	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	...
Furreedpore	20,241	.....	20,241	.....	.....	.....	3,919	2,82,923	2,796	12	264	214	.....	.....	.....	...
Backergunge	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	20,241	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Mymensingh	350	.....	350	.....	.....	.....	100	1,03,488	600	64,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Tipperah	550	.....	550	.....	.....	.....	350	600	.....	.....	.....	995	.....	.....	.....	...
Chittagong	14,630	.....	14,630	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Noakholly							14,630	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Total of Bengal	7,53,378	93,407	8,11,757	18,727	28,205	4,399	8,63,088	14,07,700	1,666,867	37,110	10,154	12,459	2,152	567	8,770	31,4
BEHAR.																
Patna	4,769	.....	4,769	3,965	16,617	5,306	30,657	1,000	.....	44,696	20,368	.....	.....	.....	1,747	2,1
Gya	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Shahabad	.....	.....	.....	798	542	16	1,356	.....	.....	290	.....	.....	.....	.....	563	...
Monufferpore	10,468	.....	10,468	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,592	4,543	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Durbhunga	.....	.....	.....	19,036	493	.....	10,986	.....	.....	44,794	7,145	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Sarun	4,513	.....	4,513	17,316	724	546	20,306	7,079	.....	20,621	1,664	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Monghyr	27,947	.....	27,947	29,327	12,316	.....	34,144	.....	.....	2,508	9,123	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Bhagulpore	15,634	.....	15,634	3,593	1,749	890	59,913	.....	.....	7,716	644	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Purneah	6,948	242	7,099	12,009	.....	75	19,302	.....	.....	5,906	887	1,244	.....	.....	.....	...
Maldah	81,301	.....	81,301	2,304	1,211	1,536	19,108	13,223	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Sonthal Pergunnahs							86,352	.....	.....	254	509	.....	26	4	8	...
Total of Behar	1,51,580	242	1,51,731	88,347	33,857	8,360	2,82,304	21,307	.....	1,32,537	44,883	1,244	26	4	2,318	2,5
ORISSA.																
Cuttack	5,506	205	5,634	.....	824	.....	6,458	14	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Balasore	8,860	4,740	11,822	.....	544	.....	12,366	1,652	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Total of Orissa	14,366	4,945	17,456	.....	1,368	.....	18,824	1,666	240	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
CHOTA NAGPORE.																
Hazaribegh	2,034	.....	2,034	.....	251	.....	2,285	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	.....	.....	1	...
Manbhoom	2,292	.....	2,292	.....	.....	.....	2,292	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Total of Chota Nagpore	4,326	.....	4,326	.....	251	.....	4,577	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	.....	.....	1	...
Grand total of supplies from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	9,23,650	98,594	9,85,270	1,07,074	63,681	12,766	11,68,793	15,20,673	1,667,107	1,69,647	55,037	13,792	2,178	571	11,089	33,7
OTHER PROVINCES.																
Assam	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	60	4,411	.....	.....	604	48,245	.....	423	.....	...
North-Western Provinces	502	.....	502	95,613	33,467	7,733	1,87,317	.....	.....	37,744	24,330	1,363	89,215	1	1,890	19
Punjab	6	.....	6	.....	19,849	.....	19,849	.....	.....	.....	5,050	583	5,353	.....	.....	...
Rajpootana States	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	568	.....	.....	...
Bombay	9	.....	9	.....	.....	20	40	.....	66,500	.....	.....	2	1,117	.....	3	...
Madras	20	.....	20	.....	.....	196	960	.....	27,604	142	.....	.....	2,047	.....	.....	...
British Burmah	.....	.....	.....	.....	784	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	679	141	35	...
Other places	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Total Imports in November 1878	9,24,187	98,594	9,85,807	2,02,687	1,17,855	20,719	13,27,048	15,25,084	1,701,307†	2,07,253	85,050	63,975	58,537	1,145	13,026	33,8
Total Imports in November 1877	8,11,097	80,054	8,18,630	95,806	1,55,306	17,576	11,17,318	15,72,825	Not available.	5,50,782	2,47,020	Not available.	17,102	2,940	Not available.	Not av ilabl

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of November 1878 *was as follows:—*

EXPORTED FROM CALCUTTA—	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
To Indian Ports, viz.—																
Bombay	46,043	.....	46,043	3,758	700	.....	51,101	2,940	1,324,550	.....	.....	19	.....	14	4,868	.....
Madras	53,784	.....	53,784	16,338	45,039	56	1,15,215	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	374	188	.....
Other ports in Madras	87,902	.....	87,902	1,806	5,192	80	34,980	1,750	43,200	.....	.....	2	.....	22	1,647	.....
British Burmah	177	.....	177	.....	856	814	1,847	214	494,300	.....	20	11	20	9	1,912	1
Other Indian ports	5,870	.....	5,870	.....	429	.....	6,299	.....	142,000	.....	.....	3	19	37	1,128	.....
Pondicherry	.....	.....	.....	400	1,048	.....	1,448	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of interportal trade	1,94,376	.....	1,94,376	22,300	53,264	450	2,70,390	4,904	2,008,050	.....	20	43	39	455	9,741	1
To Foreign Ports—																
United Kingdom	9,536	.....	9,536	2,06,780	400	.....	2,16,815	16,91,517	1,039,463	3,12,016	1,40,498	92,417	13,845	510	.....	8,508
Other foreign ports	8,20,636	1,989	8,22,279	9,303	57,182	14,571	9,03,335	2,37,134	1,259,869	51,564	71	320	19,642	489	8,508	...
Total of foreign trade	8,30,172	1,989	8,31,815	2,16,083	57,581	14,571	11,20,050	19,28,651	2,220,332	3,63,580	1,40,569	92,737	33,487	1,020	8,508	...
Grand total in Nov. 1878	10,24,548	1,989	10,26,191	2,38,383	1,10,845	15,021	13,90,440	19,33,555	4,307,382	3,63,580	1,40,589	92,780	33,526	1,484	13,949	1
Grand total in Nov. 1877	13,76,056	1,206	13,76,810	2,93,210	80,788	9,210	17,66,018	8,38,660	5,025,634	7,77,842	1,40,759	61,520	4,801	3,334	73,617	3,2

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.
† Exclusive of bags obtained by local manufacture.

The following statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta during the month of November 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Specification of routes.		Food-grains.					Fibrous products.		Oilseeds.		Tea, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	Sugar.	
		Rice.	Paddy.	Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Jute, raw.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard seed.				Refined.	Unrefined.
		Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
By country boats		4,39,455	84,629	98,205	41,694	4,312	10,15,564	1,366,690	1,51,966	42,409	.....	14,084	324	6,948	27,332
„ river steamers		.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	1,45,135	.....	.....	604	46,243	.....	422	... ..	... ..
„ rail { East Indian		3,99,603	.....	1,03,311	73,894	15,617	.....	.....	54,453	41,613	3,749	53,424	248	2,705	2,331
„ rail { Eastern Bengal		7,469	... ..	412	809	574	2,97,318	229,648	650	260	10,984	.....	.....	.....	1,798
„ road		64,830	10,168	759	70	.....	65,601	10,529	102	140	.....	135	.....	576	2,314
„ sea		12,831	3,797	.....	1,368	216	1,600	94,490	142	.....	997	10,894	151	38	.....
Grand total of Imports in November	1878...	9,24,187	98,594	2,02,687	1,17,835	20,719	15,25,084	1,701,357	2,07,333	85,030	63,975	88,537	1,145	13,026	33,525
	1877...	8,11,097	60,054	95,806	1,55,306	17,576	15,72,825	Not available.	5,56,782	2,47,920	Not available.	17,102	2,940	Not available.	Not available.

The following statement shows the quantities, values, and numbers, of the principal staples of Traffic exported inland from Calcutta during the month of November 1878.

EXPORTS FROM CALCUTTA.

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
BENGAL.				
Burdwan	3,49,780	991	36,304	78,110
Beerbhoom	1,07,200	512	7,519	49,000
Midnapore	19,842	419	.....	12,605
Hooghly	90,619	1,131	2,002	66,244
24-Pergunnahs	1,72,409	643	18,399	9,546
Nuddea	14,44,438	2,205	16,630	9,425
Jessore	6,300	110	32,125	17,250
Moorshedabad	1,82,160	165	12,879	78,795
Dinagepore	1,48,880	76	2,750	.....
Rajshahye	1,80,100	48	5,151	500
Rungpore	2,14,700	62	1,085	.....
Bogra	63,720	20	650	.....
Pubna	1,89,520	621	27,811	5,830
Julpigoree	1,32,480	130	1,350	.....
Dacca	5,70,670	1,468	65,855	650
Furreedpore	2,71,817	1,396	29,100	.....
Backergunge	2,56,830	350	23,205	1,000
Mymensingh	10,070	25	18,875	.....
Tipperah	.....	.....	3,701	... ..
Chittagong	1,08,555	358	.....	35,500
Noakholly	9,500	50	5,026	.....
Total of Bengal ...	45,33,260	11,440	3,81,077	364,935
BEHAR.				
Patna	8,37,580	536	90,319	132,015
Shahabad	3,11,280	74	19,798	3,815
Mozufferpore	2,12,900	.....	2,066	1,440
Durbhunga	4,27,600	441	28,855	24,830
Sarun	... ..	.....	3,075	6,500
Monghyr	2,78,500	208	7,094	25,810
Bhagulpore	4,28,400	357	13,488	50,590
Purneah	2,37,840	131	3,709	3,870
Maldah	... ..	.....	5,125	923
Sonthal Pergunnahs	2,41,280	405	7,916	71,960
Total of Behar ...	29,75,500	2,152	1,91,045	323,455
ORISSA.				
Cuttack	1,15,395	866	.....	29,000
Balasore	8,246	376	27	84,450
Total of Orissa ...	1,23,641	1,242	27	113,450

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
CHOTA NAGPORE.				
Hazaribagh	78,480	50	4,059	2,240
Manbhoom	58,320	91	1,524	1,085
Total of Chota Nagpore ...	1,36,800	141	5,583	3,325
Grand total of supplies into the provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	77,69,221	14,975	5,77,732	803,185
OTHER PROVINCES.				
Assam	6,69,385	540	23,306	.....
N.-W. Provinces	20,89,040	2,505	4,060	1,306,405
Punjab	16,20,600	1,343	.....	443,200
Central Provinces	1,02,880	86	.....	57,155
Rajpootana States	98,480	24	.....	10,920
Bombay	1,11,496	.....	.....	1,325,145
Madras	75,541	515	1,523	43,200
British Burmah	2,74,204	676	1	498,300
Other places	32,736	22	.....	2,310,357
Grand total of exports in Nov. ... { 1878 ...	1,28,41,283	20,683	6,11,622	6,801,867
{ 1877 ...	1,47,60,682	36,609	6,38,925	Not available

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of November 1878 *was as follows :—*

	Rs.*	Mds.	Mds.	No.
IMPORTED INTO CALCUTTA—				
From Foreign Ports—				
United Kingdom	76,80,158	17,917	5,29,619	... ..
Other foreign ports	61,154	410	1,20,279	27,500
Total of foreign trade ..	77,43,312	18,327	6,55,898	27,500
From Indian Ports—				
Bombay	13,073	.....	48,650	250
Madras	14,125	.....	.....	66,500
British Burmah	400	.....	.....	.....
Other Indian ports	250	.....	2,500	240
Total of interportal trade ...	27,847	.....	51,150	66,990
Grand total in Nov. { 1878 ...	77,71,159	18,327	7,07,048	94,490
{ 1877 ...	1,01,37,912	21,719	7,76,336	29,613

The following statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic exported fro Calcutta during the month of November 1878.

Specification of routes.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
	Rs.	Mds.	Mds	No.
By country boats	90,864	2,115	3,26,123	217,804
„ river steamers	9,74,385	1,245	8,696	... ..
„ rail ... { East Indian	77,71,600	7,985	2,13,290	2,267,930
„ rail ... { Eastern Bengal	31,76,080	5,109	56,497	.....
„ road	2,03,331	1,458	5,096	3,751
„ sea	6,25,053	2,794	1,751	4,307,382
Grand total of Exports in November ... { 1878 ...	1,28,41,283	20,686	6,11,423	6,801,867
{ 1877 ...	1,47,60,682	36,609	6,38,925	Not available.

* As per tariff declaration value.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 1st February 1879.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 1st February 1879.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
BURDWAN DIVN. 1	Burdwan, Feb. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—cool and dry. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
BURDWAN DIVN. 2	Bankoora, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No change in the prospects of the crops. Fever is disappearing.
BURDWAN DIVN. 3	Beerbhoom, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—continues cold. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops.
BURDWAN DIVN. 4	Midnapore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
BURDWAN DIVN. 5	Hooghly, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—cool and clear throughout the week. The *amun* crop has been reaped and stored. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good. Fever and cholera have much abated.
BURDWAN DIVN.	Howrah, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Foggy in the mornings almost throughout the district. The winter rice crop has been gathered. The *rubbee* crops are doing well.
	Central Districts.		
PRESIDENCY DIVN. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Feb. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—warmer than last week. The state and prospects of the crops are good. But prices of grains continue very high. Fever and cholera are prevalent at Barripore.
PRESIDENCY DIVN. 7	Nuddea, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—rather warm. The winter crops still on the ground are doing fairly well. Prices are still high. Cholera is still prevalent.
PRESIDENCY DIVN. 8	Jessore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable, but getting warmer during the day. No material alteration from last week in the state and prospects of the crops. Rain is wanted in some parts of the district.
PRESIDENCY DIVN. 9	Moorshedabad, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—rather warm for the time of the year. The state and prospects of the crops are on the whole satisfactory. It is said that the wheat crop wants a shower or two.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 10	Dinagepore, Jan. 31 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. Mustard is being cut. Other cold-weather crops are in good condition. The price of rice is unchanged, being 12 to 18 seers the rupee.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 11	Rajshahye, Feb. 1 „	Nil	No rain during the week throughout the district. The mustard is still being cut. The *rubbee* crops in some places appear to suffer from want of rain, but in other places they continue to thrive. Public health is good.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 12	Rungpore, Jan. 31 „	Nil	Weather—has become very cold. The state and prospects of the crops continue to be satisfactory. Public health is improving. Cholera is gradually disappearing.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 13	Bogra, Feb. 1 „	Nil	Weather—slightly warmer in the daytime. Mustard is now nearly all cut. Other cold-weather crops are doing well, but would be none the worse for a few showers.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 14	Pubna, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—warmer, with southerly and westerly wind. The prospects of the crop remain unchanged, but in Serajgunge rain is required. Prices are stationary. Public health is good.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 15	Darjeeling, Jan. 31 „	Nil	Weather—chilly and cold. Sky cloudy. No crops of importance on the ground. Land is being cultivated for other crops.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS. 16	Julpigoree, Feb. 1 „	Nil	Weather—continues unchanged since last report. Mustard and tobacco are doing well. *Kalai* and *mussoor* require rain.
RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVS.	Cooch Behar, Jan. 30 „	Nil	Weather—very cold. The *haimanta dhan* has been harvested. The prospects of the winter crops are good, but rain is wanted. Public health is good.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)		
	Eastern Districts.		
	DACCA DIVN.		
17	Dacca, Feb. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Heavy fogs during the week. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable, but prices do not fall.
18	Furreedpore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are generally good. Rain would do good.
19	Backergunge, Jan. 30 „	Nil	Weather—very cold. The prospects of the crops are good. Prices are rising in Perozepore on account of the large exportation of rice. Fever is prevalent in the Sudder sub-division.
20	Mymensingh, „ 31 „	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
21	Tipperah, „ 31 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. A little rain would be of advantage to the cold-weather crops. Sporadic cholera is reported from most of the thanas.
	CHITTAGONG DIVN.		
22	Chittagong, „ 30 „	Nil	Weather—fair. No material change in the state and prospects of the crops since last week.
23	Noakholly, „ 30 „	Nil	The weather has been colder for the last five days—colder than it has been at any time this winter. Mornings are foggy The state and prospects of the *rubbee* crops are fair. Paddy has been almost all harvested.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts ...	.....	Return not received.
	Hill Tipperah Jan. 29 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold in the first part of the week; latterly the temperature has become a little too high for the time. No important crop is now on the field. The prospects of chillies are good. Sugarcane is being cut.
	BEHAR.		
	PATNA DIVN.		
25	Patna, Feb. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—cold and seasonable. No change since last report, but west wind (favourable to the *rubbee* crops) is prevailing.
26	Gya, „ 1 „	Nil	Sky clear Wind westerly. Thermometer in the shade 84·5°. A heavy fall of rain is greatly needed to improve the prospects of the *rubbee* crops. The public health is generally good, but a good many cases of small-pox are reported. The health of the plough-cattle is good.
27	Shahabad, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *rubbee* crops are still doing well. Rain is urgently wanted in most parts of the district. Public health is normal. A few cases of small-pox have been reported from the interior.
28	Durbhunga, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Rain is much wanted for the *rubbee* crops. Prices have fallen at head-quarters to some extent during the week.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—very cold, with strong west wind. The continued dry weather is doing much harm to the *rubbee* crops, the outturn of which is likely to be very small unless rain falls soon.
30	Sarun, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—much cooler than last week. West wind is prevailing. The cold-weather crops on unirrigated lands are stunted and thin, and a very small outturn is expected. *Rabar* has been injured by frost. Prices have risen. Public health is good.
31	Chumparun, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—cold. Strong west winds. The *rubbee* crops are poor for want of rain.
	BHAGULPORE DIVISION.		
32	Monghyr, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—cold, with strong west wind. Rain is wanted to fill out the ears of corn.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fine; less cold than last week. Mustard is being harvested. Other cold-weather crops are thriving well. Unprecedentedly large exportation of rice makes prices very high for this season. General health is good
34	Purneah „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The state and prospects of the crops are good. Rain is wanted in places.
35	Maldah, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fair and cold, with west wind blowing strong at midday during the last two days. The crops in the field are doing well. The fever which has been very prevalent in the centre and south of the district has now abated. Sporadic cases of cholera still occur.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—warmer in Doomka; cool and seasonable elsewhere. The *dhan* has been reaped with good outturn. The crops on the ground are getting on fairly, but rain is wanted in some places.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack, Feb. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—less cold than last week, but fine. The reaping of the *sarud* and cold weather crops, and the sowing of *dalua* or spring rice are going on. A few cases of cholera here and there.
Orissa Divn. 38	Pooree, Jan. 30 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarud* rice is being harvested. *Dalua* rice is progressing fairly. Common rice sells at 15 to 21 seers for the rupee. Public health is good.
Orissa Divn. 39	Balasore, „ 31 „	Nil	Weather—appreciably warmer. Dry and breezy. The rice harvest is all in. The cold-weather crops are being gathered in some parts of the district.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Jan. 31 '79	Nil	Weather—fine and growing warmer. The *rubbee* crops are looking well throughout the district.
41	Lohardugga, Feb. 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *rubbee* crops promise well, except in the Palamow sub-division where the prospects are not so favourable. Fever is prevalent in the Palamow sub-division.
42	Singbhoom, Jan. 31 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The cold-weather crops are being harvested with an average outturn. The price of rice is still high, and no change has taken place during the week.
43	Manbhoom, Feb. 1 „	Nil	Weather—warm again; high winds which are also hot. The prospects of the crops continue good; so also does the general health.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE UNDERMENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST JANUARY 1879.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
BENGAL.																					
Western Districts.																					
	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.
Burdwan ...	A 12 0	12 4	14 8	18 8	19 0	25 0	13 8	13 8	15 12	14 8	14 4	16 8	.	..	.	...	...	...	..	...	...
Bankoora ...	B 10 4	10 4	13 4	14 0	14 0	22 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 8	17 8	17 8	17 0	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...
Beerbhoom ...	C 11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	20 0	10 8	10 8	12 0	13 8	13 0	13 8	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..
Midnapore ...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hooghly ...	D 10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	11 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah ...	11 0	10 8	13 0	...	..	...	10 0	9 8	11 0	11 0	11 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Central Districts.																					
Calcutta ...	10 11	10 4	12 8	13 5	13 4	16 0	5 11	5 11	7 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 5	...	...	...
24-Pergunnahs	E ...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 0	7 4	10 8	10 8	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Nuddea ...	F 11 7	11 14	13 5	...	..	30 8	10 0	10 0	...	11 0	10 10	12 5	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jessore ...	G 11 12	11 0	11 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	11 0	12 0	12 12	15 8	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moorshedabad...	H 12 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	33 8	11 4	11 4	10 0 to 13 0	12 8	12 8	14 0 to 15 0	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dinagepore ...	I 9 5	9 14	12 0	16 12	19 8	11 6	12 0	12 0	16 0	14 6	14 6	21 8	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Rajshahye ...	J 12 0 to 13 8	12 0	13 0	12 0	11 4	32 0	10 14 to 11 4	10 8	12 0 to 13 6	13 2 to 13 14	13 8 to 14 4	14 4 to 16 0									
Rungpore ...	K 9 0	8 0	15 13	...	...	...	11 4	9 0	11 12	13 8	14 12	22 8	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Bogra ...	12 0	12 0	9 12	...	...	...	9 0	9 12	15 0	12 12	13 8	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pubna ...	L 13 8	13 0	13 0 to 16 0	..	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	..
Darjeeling ...	M 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8
Julpigoree ..	N 8 8	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	6 8	13 0	12 0	11 0	16 0	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	..
Eastern Districts.																					
Dacca ...	O 9 8	9 8	13 4	...	..	32 0	10 0	9 0 to 10 12	12 4	12 4	12 4	16 0	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Furreedpore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Backergunge ...	P ...	.	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Mymensingh ...	Q 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 8	10 8	14 0	12 8	11 0	15 12	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	..

* Return not received.

A In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 10 to 12½ seers, barley 16 to 19 seers, best rice 11 to 14½ seers, common rice 13 to 15½ seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 25 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 25 seers, and gram 11 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, best rice 11½ to 15 seers, common rice 13 to 16½ seers, and gram 9 to 11½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 10 to 10½ seers, barley 13 to 16 seers, best rice 7 to 10½ seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 10½ seers, barley 13½ to 14½ seers, best rice 6 to 7 seers, common rice 10 to 12½ seers, and gram 9½ to 10 seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 11½ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 20½ seers, best rice 7 to 10 seers common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram 8 to 12½ seers.

G In the interior the prices range as follows:—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 12 seers, common rice 12 to 14 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

H In Jungypore the prices are—Wheat 11 seers, barley 25 seers, best rice 12½ seers, common rice 15 seers, bulrush millet 15 seers, and gram 12 seers.

iermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st January* 1879.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.													AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
AIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.				ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			
	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
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																						Western Districts.
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	...	...	10 0	10 4	15 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 4	10 4	9 0		9 8	6 8	6 8	6 0	5 8	5 8	10 0 to 15 0	10 4 to 12 0	10 4 to 12 0	Burdwan.
0	30 0	32 0	10 8	10 8	13 4	360 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8		5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 8	4 8 to 5 8	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 9 8	7 8 to 8 0	7 8 to 8 0	Bankoora.
	...	30 0	9 8	9 0	16 8	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8		5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Beerbhoom.
	...	...	9 0	9 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 8		5 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 8 to 10 0	6 0 to 7 0	Midnapore.
	...	...	9 0	9 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0		5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8 to 12 0	8 0 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0	Hooghly.
	...	...	10 0	10 8	14 0	105 0	105 0	100 0	10 0	9 13	9 8		10 0	10 0	8 0	6 8	6 8	7 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	Howrah.
																						Central Districts.
0	20 0	10 8	10 5	10 0	16 0	64 0	66 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0		9 10½	9 5	12 0	7 0	7 0	6 8	12 0	12 0	15 8	Calcutta.
	...	...	10 0	10 8	12 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	9 0	9 0	9 0		6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	24-Pergunnahs.
	...	...	10 0	10 10	20 0	120 0	110 0	100 0	9 11	9 6	8 14		7 8	6 0	6 0	7 8	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Nuddea.
	...	...	9 0	10 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0		7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0	15 0 to 16 0	15 0	Jessore.
	...	...	10 0	10 0	20 0 to 20 12	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0		4 8	3 12 to 4 11	3 12 to 4 11	4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Moorshedabad.
	...	...	7 4	6 9	13 10	160 0	180 0	180 0	8 4	8 4	7 12		5 0 to 7 8	4 8 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	Dinagepore.
	...	...	7 8	9 0	12 0 to 18 0	200 0 to 240 0	200 0 to 240 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 5½		5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 7 0	4 5½	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	4 8 to 5 0	6 0 to 20 0	6 0 to 20 0	6 0 to 10 0	Rajshahye.
	...	...	9 0	8 0	13 8½	106 0	105 0	107 0	7 14	6 0	8 1		6 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0	8 0 to 12 0	Rungpore.
	...	...	6 12	6 0	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 4	8 10	8 4		6 0	5 0	5 0	7 0	6 0	6 0	12 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 12 0	10 0 to 12 0	Bogra.
	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0 to 18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	10 0	8 8		7 8	7 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 8	6 0	5 0 to 6 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 12 0	10 0 to 15 0	Pubna.
0	18 0	19 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 0	5 0	4 8		7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0 to 16 0	13 0 to 15 0	15 0	Darjeeling.
	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	75 0	75 0	80 0	7 2	8 0	7 2		7 8	7 14	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	7 0	6 0 to 10 0	13 0 to 15 0	14 0	10 0 to 30 0	Julpigoree
																						Eastern Districts
	...	...	9 6	8 8	13 5	96 0	96 0	80 0	9 0	9 0	9 0		6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	6 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 6 0	10 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 15 0	Dacca.
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..		5 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 12 0	Furreedpore.*
	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	120 0	80 0	100 0	8 8	9 0	8 8		7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	Backergunge.
	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0		7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 25 0	12 0 to 25 0	10 0 to 25 0	Mymensingh.

I In Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 12½ seers, best rice 13 seers, and common rice 14 seers.
J In Nattore the prices are—Wheat 17½ seers, best rice 8½ seers, common rice 12 seers, and gram 6 seers.
K In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 7½ to 21 seers, best rice 9 to 10½ seers, common rice 11½ to 14½ seers, and gram 7½ to 8 seers.
L In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 10½ seers, best rice 6½ seers, common rice 10 seers, and gram 7½ seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 5 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, lesser millets (at Kurseong) 10 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Kurseo 13 seers, and gram 6 to 7 seers.
N In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 8 seers, best rice 10 to 11 seers, common rice 11½ to 16 seers, and gram 6 to 6½ seers.
O In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 9 to 10½ seers, common rice 11 to 12½ seers, and gram 9½ to 12 seers.
P In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 11½ seers, common rice 12 seers, and gram 6 to 12 seers.
Q In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 9 to 10 seers, best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 10 to 13 seers, and gram 7½ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in th

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE B

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
21	Chittagong*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Noakholly*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Tipperah	10 8	10 8	11 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 8	13 4	13 4	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																					
25	Patna	13 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	20 0	19 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	17 8	17 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26	Gya	R 13 0	12 8	14 8	16 8	16 0	20 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	14 8	14 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	...
27	Shahabad	S 12 4 to 13 4	12 8 to 13 0	13 8 to 14 8	16 0 to 17 0	16 0	18 0	12 0 to 13 0	13 0 to 14 0	11 12	14 0 to 14 8	15 0	12 0 to 13 0	...	...	...	25 8	25 0	16 0	...	...	...
28	Durbhunga	T 12 0	12 0	15 4	20 0	17 0	23 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	14 4	14 0	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	21 0	18 1
29	Mozufferpore	12 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Sarun	11 8	12 4	12 0	16 4	19 4	18 0	7 4	7 12	7 12	14 0	14 4	11 0	...	...	...	26 8	23 0	16 0	21 4	22 0	18 0
31	Chumparun*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
32	Monghyr	U 10 10	12 6	13 6	14 7	14 7	22 1	9 4	10 5	9 4	13 6	13 6	12 6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Bhagulpore	V 10 11	12 0	12 10	12 10	11 6	20 3	12 10	13 4	11 6	15 2	15 2	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Purneah*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Maldah	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	32 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs.	W 9 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	12 0	15 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																					
37	Cuttack*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
38	Pooree*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Balasore	10 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	14 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																					
40	Hazareebagh	X 11 0	11 0	13 8	...	...	22 0	8 0	8 8	9 8	15 0	15 0	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	25 0	...
41	Lohardugga	Y 9 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	28 0	28 0	30 0
42	Singbhoom	8 0	6 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	Z 10 0	9 12	11 0	32 0	...	32 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	18 8	19 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64 0

* Returns not received.

† With one meal a day Rs. 2-5 to Rs. 2-11; with two meals a day Re. 1 to Rs. 1-4.

‡ 1½ to 2 annas a day for each ticca coolly.

§ 2½ to 5 annas a day for each ticca one.

R In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 12½ seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, and gram 8 to 9½ seers.

S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 13 to 14 seers, barley 15 to 19 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 13½ to 15 seers, bulrush millet 17 to seers, great millet 21 to 24 seers, lesser millets 20 to 22 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 24½ seers, and gram 10 to 11 seers.

T In Madhubani the prices are—Wheat 14 seers, barley 25 seers, best rice 16 seers, common rice 17 seers, murwa 30 seers, and maize or Indian-corn 35 seers.

U In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12½ to 13$\frac{1}{16}$ seers, barley 14$\frac{7}{16}$ to 19$\frac{9}{16}$ seers, best rice 9½ to 10½ seers, common rice 14$\frac{7}{16}$ to 17½ seers, jowar 19 to 20$\frac{9}{16}$ seers, murwa 26½ to 42 seers, maize or Indian-corn 27$\frac{8}{16}$ to 27½ seers, and gram 10$\frac{9}{16}$ seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th February 1879.

undermentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st January* 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Average wages per month. Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.			Syce or Horse-keeper.			Common Mason Carpenter, or, Blacksmith.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																					Eastern Districts—(Contd.
S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs A	Rs. A.	Rs. A	Rs A	Rs. A	Rs A	Rs. A	Rs. A	Rs. A	
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 9 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 15 0	Chittagong.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 to 9 0	4 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0 to 8 0	0 0 to 8 0	6 0	7 8 to 11 0	8 0 to 11 0	5 0 to 7 8	Noakholly.*
...	...	...	7 12	7 8	12 0	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	7 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 8	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	6 4	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	11 0	9 12	10 0	Hill Tipperah.*
																					BEHAR.
29 0	29 0	19 0	13 0	10 0	18 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 0 to 10 0	5 10 to 7 8	Patna.
20 8	22 8	18 0	9 8	9 8	17 8	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 0 to 3 8	2 12 to 3 0	2 12 to 3 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 8 8	5 0 to 6 0	Gya.
24 0	24 0	...	9 8 to 10 0	9 0 to 10 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	3 0 to 3 8	3 0 to 3 8	3 0 to 3 8	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 12 0	7 0 to 13 0	7 0 to 12 0	Shahabad.
31 0	30 0	18 8	10 0	9 12	16 8	120 0	120 0	176 0	8 0	7 12	8 0	2 13 to 3 12	3 12	2 13 to 3 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 12 to 7 8	5 8 to 7 8	2 0 to 4 0	Durbhunga.
27 0	27 0	19 0	10 0	9 0	15 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	2 0 to 3 0	4 0 to 5 0	2 0 to 3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 8 to 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	Muzaffurpore.
26 4	26 0	16 8	9 8	9 8	16 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 4	8 8	8 0	2 8 to 3 12	2 8 to 3 12	2 8 to 3 12	4 0 to 4 8	4 0 to 4 8	4 0 to 4 8	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 13	2 13	2 13	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 13	5 0	5 0	Chumparun.*
26 2	27 3	16 8	11 5	11 5	16 9	147 0	147 0	126 0	8 4	9 1	8 4	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	Monghyr.
28 0	27 12	17 11	10 6	10 1	17 11	101 0	138 12	151 9	8 8	8 3	8 3	3 0 to 4 0	2 13 to 3 12	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 10 0	5 10 to 9 6	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 11 to 5 10	4 12	4 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 10 0	4 8 to 10 0	4 8 to 10 0	Purneah.*
...	...	25 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	80 0	8 8	8 8	8 4	7 8	7 8	3 0	5 0	6 0	4 0	6 0 to 15 0	5 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 12 0	Maldah.
25 0	30 0	...	8 12	9 0	15 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 12†	3 12	3 12	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	Sonthal Pergha.
																					ORISSA.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 0	5 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Pooree.*
...	...	...	7 12	6 8	13 0	120 0	80 0	120 0	7 0	7 0	8 7	5 10	5 0	6 9	4 0	5 0	6 0	7 8	9 6	7 8	Balasore.
																					CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
21 8	22 0	17 0	8 0	9 8	17 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
20 0	20 0	28 0	10 0	9 0	18 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	3 0‡	3 0	3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	10 0	10 0	24 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	3 0	3 0	3 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 8 to 5 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	5 0 to 10 0	Singbhoom.
24 0	24 0	40 0	9 0	9 8	15 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	5 0	4 0	5 0	9 6	9 6	7 8	Manbhoom.

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 19 seers, best rice 17 to 18 seers, common rice 18 to 19 seers, lesser millets (at Suopole) 25 seers, maize or Indian corn (at Banka) 24 seers, and gram 11 to 13 seers.

W In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 13¾ seers, best rice 11 to 19 seers, common rice 12¾ to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 30 seers, and gram 10 to 11½ seers.

X In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 10 seers, common rice 15½ to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 22 seers, and gram 10 seers.

Y In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 11·81 seers, best rice 12·91 to 19 seers, common rice 16·30 to 20 seers, mohwa (at Daltongunge) 15·18 seers, lesser millets 27 to 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 23·6 seers, and gram 9 to 11 seers.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 8 to 9½ seers, best rice 16 seers, common rice 19 to 20 seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 12 6	3 13 6	3 8 0	2 15 6	2 15 6	2 8 0	6 15 9	7 0 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 6 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	2 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 14 0	4 0 0 to 4 6 0	3 8 0	3 3 0	3 5 0	2 6 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 13 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 11 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	3 1 3	2 13 9	2 10 9	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 14 3	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 0 0	2 5 6	2 5 9	2 10 9	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	3 12 0	4 6 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 13 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received

CALCUTTA,
The 4th February 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st January* 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 7 6	2 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 12 0	3 13 9	4 0 0	2 11 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 6 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 10 0	3 1 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 15 0	2 14 0	0 14 6	0 13 0	0 10 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 3	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 0	1 6 0	1 14 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	2 3 6	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8 0	6 0 0	3 12 0	0 5 4	0 6 0	0 5 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poorea.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Cuttack.*

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts	Stations.	Rain from 12th to 18th Jan. 1879	Rain from 19th to 25th Jan 1879	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks
					Inches	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts		Inches.	Inches		1879	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	Nil	25th Jan	
		Cutwa .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Raneegunge .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	Not recd	ditto	18th Jan	
	Bankoora	Bankoora ...	ditto	Nil	ditto	25th Jan.	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	Not recd	ditto	18th Jan	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	Nil	ditto	25th Jan	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ghattal ..	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto ..	Not received, 12th to 18th Jan.
		Contai .. Dy Collr's Office..	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai .. Exe Engr's Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Maheshtalla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Presidency.	Central Districts						
	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore .. Observatory .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore .. Dispensary ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore .. Jail .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Baraset ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barripore . ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Satkhira ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barrackpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Meherpore . ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chooadanga .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Koushtea	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore .. .	Jessore .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagirhat ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Magoorah .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Berhampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rampore Haut .. .	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Moorshedabad .	Jungypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Azimgunge ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lalgolla ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kandee ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ..	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	0 10	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	ditto	0 30	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	ditto	0 32	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	0 06	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Panchbibi	Not recd	ditto	ditto	ditto ..	Not received, 5th to 18th Jan.
	Pubna ...	Pubna	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Cooch Behar	Darjeeling	Darjeeling.. Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Darjeeling.. Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Buxa	ditto	ditto	0 22	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 12th to 18th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 19th to 25th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	Nil	25th Jan.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoakhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	ditto	0·20	0·33	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	Nil	0·16	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	1·07	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	0·03	0·23	ditto	
		Ruma	Not recd.	Not recd.	Nil	11th Jan.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	Nil	Nil	0·11	25th Jan.	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	0·08	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto	Not received, 12th to 18th Jan.
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	18th Jan.	
		Begoosera	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	Nil	ditto	25th Jan.	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Arrarean	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	ditto	0·25	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Godda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations	Rain from 12th to 18th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 19th to 25th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date	
ORISSA.			Inches	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack	Not recd.	Not recd	Nil	11th Jan.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendrapara	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	4th Jan.	
	Pooree ..	Pooree	Nil	Nil	ditto	25th ,,	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	Nil	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	ditto	d.tto	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazaresbagh ...	Hazaresbagh... Jail ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Hazaresbagh... Dispensary	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	ditto	Nil	ditto	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	ditto	Not recd.	1·14	18th Jan.	
		Golaghat	ditto	ditto	0 52	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	1 00	ditto	
	Burmah ...	Akyab	ditto	Nil	Nil	25th Jan.	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	0·20	ditto	0 20	ditto	
		Jaipur	0 07	ditto	0·07	ditto	
		Sambhar	0 05	ditto	0 05	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 1st February 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.

Stations.	Date	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.*	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Jan. 26th	10	30·086	30·108	67·5	62·2	73	W	1·5	...	.....	b
		16	29 995	30·017	76·5	59·0	29	N W by W	5·8	...	.....	b
	27th	10	30·106	30·128	69·2	57·5	45	W S W	1·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·963	29·985	77·6	61·0	34	W N W	5·3	...	.....	b
	28th	10	30·069	30 091	67·5	63·0	77	W S W	1 8	...	.....	b
		16	29 913	29·935	78 4	64·2	42	W by S	6 8	...	.....	b
	29th	10	30·032	30·054	65·5	64·0	92	W by S	1·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·910	29·932	80·2	65·0	41	W	5·5	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30·081	30·103	69·7	61·8	61	N by E	2·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·962	29·984	80·4	61·6	29	N by E	3·0	...	.....	b
	31st	10	30·095	30·117	73·0	59·0	39	W N W	2·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·960	29·982	83·0	61·3	23	W N W	7·7	...	.....	b
	Feb. 1st	10	30·097	30·119	74·4	60·1	39	N W by N	3·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·962	29·984	80·8	59·0	21	N W by N	7·2	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Jan. 26th	10	30·081	30·087	72·5	68	78	N N E	4	...	.....	b
		16	30·013	30·019	76·5	66·5	57	S S W	4	...	.....	b
	27th	10	30·119	30·125	68	66·5	92	N N E	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·990	29·996	76	70	73	S W	8	...	.....	b
	28th	10	30·077	30·083	68	67	95	N N E	5·3	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·938	29·944	76·5	70·5	73	S W	4	...	.....	b, c
	29th	10	30·040	30·046	77	72·5	80	W N W	8	...	.....	b
		16	29·931	29·937	76	72	74	S S W	12	...	.....	b, c
	30th	10	30·079	30·085	75	72·5	88	N W	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·970	29·976	78·5	73	76	S S W	8	...	.....	b, c
	31st	10	30·115	30·121	73·5	70	83	N W	3	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·986	29·992	79·5	72·5	70	S S W	8	...	.....	b
	Feb. 1st	10	30·111	30·117	74·5	66 0	61	N N W	5	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·967	29 973	83	64	30	N	4	...	.....	b, c
Chittagong.	Jan. 26th	10	30·002	30·008	66	57	54	N E	7	...	.....	*No remark.*
	27th	10	30·013	30·108	68	60	60	Calm.	6	...	.....	*Ditto.*
	28th	10	29·993	30·089	66	60	68	N E	1?	...	.....	*Ditto.*
	29th	10	29·967	30·062	68	63	74	N N E	6	...	.....	*Ditto.*
	30th	10	29·999	30·094	71	63·5	64	Calm.	5	...	.....	*Ditto.*
	31st	10	30·009	30·104	68	66 5	92	N E	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	Feb. 1st	10	29·927	30·022	71	66·5	78	N E	4	...	.....	
Akyab.	Jan. 26th	10	30 049	30·071	73	61	46	N	3	...	.....	b
	27th	10	30·080	30·102	68	59	56	N	2	...	.....	b
	28th	10	30·058	30 080	68	63	74	N E	3 0	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	29th	10	30·035	30·057	71	64	66	N	3	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30·055	30·077	72	65	67	N	3	...	.....	b
	31st	10	30·076	30·098	75	67·5	66	N W	4	...	.....	b
	Feb. 1st	10	30·082	30·104	76	66	56	N	4	...	.....	b c
False Point.	Jan. 26th	10	30·093	30·108	75	67	64	Calm.	3	...	.....	b
	27th	10	30·117	30·132	75	68	68	Calm.	3	...	.....	b
	28th	10	30·073	30·089	75	68	68	W S W	4	...	.....	
	29th	10	30·030	30·045	77	70	69	S W	6	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30·078	30·093	77	72	77	S W	7	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	31st	10	30·128	30·144	73	72	95	Calm.	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	Feb. 1st	10	30·108	30·124	74	65	59	W	3	...	.....	*Foggy.*
Vizagapatam.	Jan. 26th	10	30·084	30·116	76	68	64	S W	1	...	.....	b
	27th	10	30·104	30·136	76	67	60	S E	1	...	.....	b
	28th	10	30 071	30·103	76	67.5	62	S W	1	...	.....	b, c
	29th	10	30·049	30 091	75·5	67	62	W N W	1	...	.....	b
	30th	10	30·088	30·120	76	68 5	67	S S W	1	...	.....	b, c
	31st	10	30·106	30·139	74·5	66	61	W S W	1	...	.....	b, c
	Feb. 1st	10	30·101	30·133	77	67·5	59	W S W	1	...	.....	b, c
Colombo.	Jan. 26th	10	29·975	30·015	85	74·5	59	N N E	14	...	.....	b, c
	27th	10	29·959	30·000	80·5	71·5	62	N	16	...	.....	b, c
	28th	10	29·949	29·990	80	72·5	68	N	19	...	.....	b, c
	29th	10	29 918	29·959	79·5	74·5	78	N N E	16	...	.....	a, b, c
	30th	10	29·940	29·981	80	75	78	N N E	11	1·30	.....	p
	31st	10	29·967	30·008	82·5	76·5	75	N	8	0 36	.....	b, c
	Feb. 1st	10	29·976	30·017	82	74·5	69	N N E	9	...	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st February 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 26th January to 1st February 1879.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather
				Mean	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Jan.	26th	135·5	30·026	61·2	77·0	28·2	48·8	55 9	0·379	51·3	70	Till 2 P.M chiefly W by N, till midnight N W by N.	69	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	27th	138·0	·019	63 6	78 2	26 9	51·3	57 2	·383	51 6	65	Till 8-30 A.M. N W by N, till midnight chiefly W N W.	73	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	28th	136·7	29 970	66·3	78 6	23 6	55·0	62 2	·508	59·4	79	Till 8 A.M. W, till midnight chiefly W by S.	82	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	29th	134·7	·955	66 7	80·2	21 9	58·3	62·5	·514	59·8	79	Chiefly W by S. ...	60	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	30th	134 1	30 004	67·2	80·9	21·8	59·1	60 5	·439	55 4	66	Till 4 P M. W by S, till 11-30 A.M N by E through W and N, till 1 P.M. E S E through N E and E, till midnight N by E through E and N E.	52	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	31st	141·8	·013	67·5	83 1	30·1	53·0	58·9	·386	51·8	58	Till 2-15 A M. N by E, till 9 P.M. chiefly W N W through N W, till midnight W.	110	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
Feb.	1st	138·4	·015	66·3	81·8	25 8	56·0	57·5	·356	49·6	55	Till 10 A.M. W by S, till 4 P.M. chiefly N W, till 10 P.M. N W by N, till midnight W.	108	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	30 000
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	29·996
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	65·5
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	68 9
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ..	...	34·8
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	83 1
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	67
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	71
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 26th January to 1st February 1879 ...	...	Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·31
The total fall from 1st January to 1st February 1879	...	Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·57

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

f, fog; *w*, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 3rd February 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statements showing the total amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Canals for the month of November 1878.

Kendrapara Canal and its Branch to Gundakia on the Gobri River.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—54¼ MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
71	Paddy	8,901	17,922	17,188	615	22,318	526 4 0	.....
40	Rice	10,658	42,632	18,223	651	24,027	537 8 0	.....
7	Spices	1,010	20,200	2,152	77	3,080	84 0 0	.....
14	Salt	2,220	9,150	4,253	152	5,572	93 4 0	.....
7	Miscellaneous	470	3,050	785	28	1,120	33 4 0	.....
31	Gram	2,416	5,537	4,516	162	5,759	134 12 0	.....
2	Copper	350	8,750	680	24	1,008	26 0 0	.....
1	Tobacco	60	300	152	5	210	6 0 0	.....
3	Dry fish	230	1,150	440	16	609	9 12 0	.....
3	Gunny-bags	220	1,320	781	28	1,120	26 5 8	.....
8	Sleeper	3,700	12,025	5,697	203	8,120	224 0 0	.....
1	Flax	300	400	519	19	342	15 0 0	.....
1	Straw	100	12	175	6	42	3 8 0	.....
1	Cotton	50	500	90	3	30	1 8 0	.....
3	Firewood	350	35	609	21	532	18 0 0	.....
3	Til seed	370	1,480	720	26	1,040	25 4 0	.....
1	Gallnuts	300	300	461	16	640	18 0 0	.....
12	Jaggery	1,455	7,275	2,835	101	2,528	51 4 0	.....
6	Hides	1,442	14,420	2,312	82	2,907	75 0 0	.....
1	Lime	200	60	356	13	520	10 8 0	.....
3	Gravel	1,040	16	1,610	58	1,802	30 8 0	.....
27	Piece-goods, &c., of Messrs. Bullock Wollsted & Co.	.....	.....	21,871	781	31,240	634 4 0	.....
20	Passengers (33 in number)	.....	.....	1,414	50	1,370	44 6 3	.....
232	Empty boats	.....	.....	27,858	994	33,536	714 4 0	.....
498	Total	33,902	1,47,434	1,15,695	4,131	1,47,312	3,348 7 10	0 4·4
600	Total of same month last year	66,093	3,44,960	1,25,809	4,501	1,57,837	1,585 8 2	0 1·9
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
17	Passengers (1,000 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	357 1 5	.....
5	Bamboos (13,900 in number)	.....	315	.....	.....	.....	41 10 6	.....
	Gyals (51 in number)	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	0 3 6	.....
	Demurrage on boats	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19 12 0	.....
22	Total	.....	340	.....	.....	.....	418 11 5	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	1,207	.....	.....	.....	117 0 4	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
6	Firewood	2,000	200	3,312	118	4,956	.. ..	.....
3	Stores, &c.	540	2,500	799	29	404	.....	.....
4	Empty boats	.....	.....	866	30	480	.....	.....
13	Total	2,540	2,700	4,977	177	5,900	150 0 0	0 4·8
21	Total of same month last year	6,403	101	8,855	230	6,000	68 3 0	0 2·1
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
45	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
45	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....
30	Total of same month last year	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	10 0 0	.....

Kendrapara Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	ABSTRACT.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
520	Private, including miscellaneous	35,902	1,47,774	1,15,695	4,131	1,47,312	3,767 3 3*	.....
58	Government stores, including ditto ...	2,540	2,700	4,977	177	5,900	150 0 0	.....
578	Grand Total ...	38,442	1,50,474	1,20,672	4,308	1,53,212	3,917 3 3	.....
651	Grand total of same month last year ...	72,558	3,46,337	1,34,664	4,751	1,63,837	1,780 10 6	.....

*Of this Rs. 1,127-14-1 is the total toll collection of Gobri Canal locks and Rs. 2,789-5-2 is the collection of Kendrapara Canal Lock.

Note.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,421 3 1
Amount of tollage for the month	3,917 3 3
Total ...	5,338 6 4
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,531 10 7
Balance at the end of the month	3,806 11 9

MEMO. OF FREE BOATS.

	No. of boats.	Maundage.	Tonnage.	Tollage realizable. Rs. A. P.
Passenger boats of Government officials	7	1,099	39	41 12 0
Boats carrying materials for Jumboo harbour works ...	23	14,244	509	403 4 0
Orissa Carrying Co.'s steamer	10	4,868	174	144 0 0
Total ...	45	20,211	722	589 0 0

High Level Canal, Range I.

Length of Canal open—37 miles.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

12	Paddy	2,108	4,216	4,222	151	5,126	125 4 0	.....
12	Rice	2,194	8,776	4,392	157	5,333	130 10 6	.....
17	Salt	2,950	14,750	4,740	169	3,570	135 13 0	.....
7	Gingelly	602	2,410	1,207	43	1,445	37 11 0	.....
8	Gram	153	229	208	7	236	6 0 9	.....
2	Leather	118	1,180	237	8	247	6 12 0	.....
	Castor seed	131	458	263	9	319	7 10 6	.....
1	Rosin	37	296	74	3	89	2 4 0	.....
3	Timbers	288	936	577	21	580	14 8 0	.....
1	Tobacco	20	200	151	5	170	4 8 0	.....
1	Miscellaneous	60	100	105	6	192	4 8 0	.....
14	Passengers (56 in number)	.....	.....	1,579	57	2,004	47 13 3	.....
41	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,424	86	2,837	68 2 3	.....
115	Total ...	8,081	33,551	20,240	722	22,098	591 9 3	0 5·1
278	Total of same month last year ...	15,053	54,078	40,111	1,451	48,245	591 14 9	0 2·3

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

47	Rubble stone	14,817	231	29,594	1,057	1,057	291 0 0	.....
2	Timbers	948	3,006	1,898	68	2,304	56 4 0	.....
1	Stores, &c.	700	3,000	1,516	53	1,802	43 0 0	.....
2	French shutters	900	1,000	1,600	57	1,938	48 0 0	.....
52	Empty boats	.....	.....	13,760	491	7,646	212 13 0	.....
104	Total ...	17,395	7,237	48,368	1,726	14,747	653 0 0	0 3·1
106	Total of same month last year ...	12,334	1,688	36,329	1,296	8,192	227 2 0	0 5·3

ABSTRACT.

115	Private, including miscellaneous	8,681	33,551	20,240	722	22,098	591 9 3	.....
104	Government stores, ditto	17,395	7,237	48,368	1,726	14,747	653 0 0	.....
219	Grand total ...	26,076	40,788	68,608	2,448	36,845	1,244 9 3	.....
394	Grand total of same month last year ...	27,437	56,360	76,440	2,727	56,437	819 0 9	.....

Note.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	384 2 0
Amount of tollage for the month	1,244 9 3
Total ...	1,628 11 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	505 9 6
Balance at the end of the month	1,123 1 9

Taldunda Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
2	Jaggery	528	3,168	856	30	793	8 9 0	.....
4	Sand-cut stones	2,060	546	2,952	106	2,215	29 8 8	.....
1	Gunny bags	7	20	232	8	165	2 5 1	.....
21	Passenger boats	.....	.....	11,578	413	1,034	58 4 7	.....
8	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,338	48	859	12 2 6	.....
36	Total ...	2,595	3,734	16,956	605	5,066	111 13 10	0 4·2
23	Total of same month last year ...	2,624	6,516	5,990	213	1,639	9 3 6	0 1·0
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	10,850 bamboos	.....	355	.....	.....	.....	27 2 0	.....
...	459 passengers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 12 7	.....
...	Demurrage of 1 boat	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 8 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	355	.....	.....	.....	31 6 7	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	270	.....	.....	.....	17 13 4	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
1	Furnitures	181	200	412	15	221	4 2 0	.....
1	Straw	146	20	230	8	8	1 2 5	.....
2	Empty boats	.....	.....	315	11	90	2 11 9	.....
4	Total ...	327	220	957	34	319	8 0 2	0 4·8
26	Total of same month last year ...	4,674	205	12,155	434	5,532	26 9 8	0 0·9
	ABSTRACT.							
36	Private, including miscellaneous	2,595	4,089	16,956	605	5,066	143 4 5	.....
4	Government stores, including ditto ...	327	220	957	34	319	8 0 2	.....
40	Grand Total ...	2,922	4,309	17,913	639	5,385	151 4 7	.....
49	Grand total of same month last year ...	7,298	6,991	18,145	647	7,171	53 10 6	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	108 11 8
Amount of tollage for the month	151 4 7
Total ...	260 0 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	181 3 7
Balance at the end of the month	78 13 8

High Level Canal, Range II.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—12½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

7	Rice	1,236	5,152	2,579	93	1,198	51 6 10	.....
15	Paddy	2,231	4,462	4,170	156	2,154	73 10 6	.....
2	Salt	144	720	289	10	94	6 2 0	.....
1	Moong	10	40	21	1	10	0 6 8	.....
1	Gunny bags	116	696	232	8	56	4 10 2	.....
1	Thusser	35	3,500	70	2	26	1 6 4	.....
1	Castor seeds	13	46	27	1	13	0 8 0	.....
1	Jaggery	65	325	130	4	48	2 8 0	.....
2	Sundries	296	500	593	21	273	11 13 3	.....
1	Cocoanut	108	162	217	8	91	4 5 5	.....
1	Iron	19	95	38	1	7	0 12 1	.....
1	Soap stone	255	382	511	18	126	10 0 0	.....
6	Lac	66	1,056	134	4	33	2 0 5	.....
10	Passengers (54 in number)	.....	.....	1,392	50	598	26 14 10	.....
35	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,043	73	836	41 11 0	.....
83	Total ...	4,646	17,136	12,644	449	5,561	237 12 6	0 8·2
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Timbers (3 in number)	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	0 9 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	0 9 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

High Level Canal, Range II—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
11	Firewood	2,063	206	4,133	143	1,834	81 0 0	.....
21	Empty boats	.....	.....	3,271	105	1,359	61 6 0	.....
32	Total ...	2,063	206	7,404	248	3,193	142 6 0	0 8·5
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
83	Private, including miscellaneous	4,646	17,148	12,644	449	5,561	238 5 6	.....
32	Government stores, including miscellaneous	2,063	206	7,404	248	3,193	142 6 0	.....
115	Grand Total ...	6,709	17,354	20,048	697	8,754	380 11 6	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

NOTE.

						Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month						365 5 0
Amount of tollage for the month						380 11 6
					Total ..	746 0 0
Amount credited in the accounts for the month						329 6 0
Balance at the end of the month						416 10 6

High Level Canal, Range III.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—6½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

8	Paddy	1,190	1,785	2,386	85	741	47 4 0	
3	Rice	204	816	409	15	21	8 2 10	.....
8	Passengers (44 in number)	.....	.....	1,104	39	224	20 6 5	.....
1	Salt	114	570	228	8	56	4 8 11	.....
1	Cocoanut	63	115	126	4	28	2 5 4	.....
5	Empty boats	.....	.....	636	23	159	12 11 5	.....
26	Total ...	1,571	3,286	4,889	174	1,229	95 9 11	1 1·8
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Timbers (100 in number)	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	18 13 6	.....
...	Demurrage on boats	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 6 7	.....
...	Total ...	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	28 4 1	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

Nil.

ABSTRACT.

26	Private, including miscellaneous ...	1,571	3,686	4,889	174	1,229	123 14 0	.....
...	Government stores, including miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
26	Grand total ...	1,571	3,686	4,889	174	1,229	123 14 0	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

NOTE.

						Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month					..	66 6 11
Amount of tollage for the month					..	123 14 0
				Total	...	190 4 11
Amount credited in the accounts for the month					...	44 4 10
Balance at the end of the month					...	146 0 1

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Midnapore Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—53 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
LOCAL TRAFFIC.								
(1) PRIVATE.								
30	Betel-leaves	1,239	6,329	4,415	.....	.....	35 1 3	.....
5	Bricks and tiles (No. 7,400)	205	44	850	.....	.....	6 1 0	.....
1	Bamboos (No. 1,000)	30	60	100	.....	.....	0 14 0	.....
39	Brass and copper and their manufactures	4,400	1,33,150	12,175	.....	.....	100 4 0	.....
38	Coal and coke	7,221	2,763	17,180	.....	.....	185 15 0	.....
8	Cotton, raw	405	9,400	1,750	.....	.....	15 9 0	.....
4	Cattle (No 7)	25	45	270	.....	.....	2 5 9	.....
3	Cocoanuts (No. 6,000)	41	93	255	.....	.....	2 3 6	.....
57	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	4,225	1,49,890	14,880	.....	.....	136 7 6	.....
35	Cotton piece-goods (European)	1,750	2,26,500	6,215	.....	.....	57 13 9	.....
18	Cotton piece-goods (Indian)	262	48,400	3,105	.....	.....	27 2 9	.....
15	Curd	625	1,365	2,850	.....	.....	18 11 0	.....
973	Empty boats	.....	.....	83,140	.....	.....	606 12 0	.....
23	Earthenware	1,645	413	4,370	.....	.....	26 12 0	.....
15	Firewood	1,110	351	4,055	.....	.....	18 2 9	.....
6	Fruits and nuts of all kinds	1,180	2,060	2,225	.....	.....	21 3 6	.....
60	Gram and pulse	5,133	19,547	12,815	.....	.....	100 5 9	.....
5	Gunny cloths (pieces 360)	150	980	825	.....	.....	3 1 6	.....
2	Gunny bags (No. 5,100)	54	145	350	.....	.....	3 13 6	.....
4	Hides of cattle, untanned (No 3,300)	278	5,200	825	.....	.....	9 1 6	.....
5	Horns	210	4,125	1,175	.....	.....	10 4 6	.....
4	Iron and its manufactures	145	1,450	925	.....	.....	5 5 6	.....
2	Indigo	25	5,000	250	.....	.....	3 3 0	.....
67	Jute, raw	7,889	29,503	18,810	.....	.....	74 7 9	.....
5	Liquor	64	40,450	660	.....	.....	6 12 6	.....
62	Miscellaneous	2,099	6,614	9,765	.....	.....	88 3 3	.....
81	Mustard	13,947	55,930	28,410	.....	.....	229 6 0	.....
2	Oil-cake	225	600	525	.....	.....	2 11 6	.....
2	Oil	65	540	185	.....	.....	3 3 0	.....
3	Other fibres, raw	240	960	525	.....	.....	4 9 6	.....
1	Ditto, manufactured	50	300	150	.....	.....	3 3 0	.....
1,635	Passenger boats	.....	.....	89,505	.....	.....	788 4 9	.....
194	Paddy	16,065	28,199	34,965	.....	.....	590 6 6	.....
388	Rice	80,311	2,85,184	1,64,550	.....	.....	1,672 10 3	.....
1	Stamp paper	10	1,000	100	.....	.....	0 14 0	.....
55	Straw (1,006 kahuns)	9,908	2,950	25,185	.....	.....	121 5 0	.....
13	Sugar, unrefined	760	3,187	2,060	.....	.....	13 9 0	.....
7	Spices	605	3,800	1,850	.....	.....	17 12 0	.....
88	Salt	37,100	1,09,200	52,940	.....	.....	511 3 6	.....
74	Sal piles (No. 2,248)	3,899	5,514	3,570	.....	.....	59 2 0	.....
28	Sand	11,625	985	21,425	.....	.....	80 13 9	.....
10	Stone plates	1,290	5,680	2,825	.....	.....	34 9 6	.....
7	Silk, raw	110	68,000	920	.....	.....	7 2 0	.....
5	Sheep and goats (No. 145)	41	222	330	.....	.....	4 1 0	.....
31	Tobacco	3,803	24,898	9,475	.....	.....	104 4 6	.....
17	Timber (No. 253)	2,616	5,006	5,110	.....	.....	70 14 0	.....
14	Vegetable and other kinds of provision	702	1,344	2,270	.....	.....	25 5 9	.....
15	Wheat	1,170	3,560	3,495	.....	.....	28 5 6	.....
4,198	Total	2,20,973	13,01,136	6,52,605	23,307	3,94,132	5,929 10 6	0 3
4,990	Total of same month last year	2,29,298	11,84,888	6,95,385	24,835	4,50,740	6,472 4 6	0 3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (No. 13,117)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	228 14 3	.....
..	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 3 6	.....
21	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	238 0 9	.
15	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	310 10 9	.....
(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.								
1	Coal	600	186	1,140	.....	.....	4 3 0	.....
2	Iron and its manufactures	100	1,000	645	.....	.....	6 8 6	.....
1	Portland cement	50	500	150	.....	.....	1 5 3	.....
1	Engines, &c.	400	2,000	825	.....	.....	24 12 0	.....
1	Stores	10	200	40	.....	.....	0 13 6	.....
6	Total	1,160	3,886	2,760	98	2,433	37 9 3	.....
.	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ABSTRACT.								
4,219	Private, including miscellaneous	2,20,973	13,01,136	6,52,605	23,307	3,94,132	6,167 11 3	.....
6	Government stores, including ditto	1,160	3,886	2,760	98	2,433	37 9 3	.....
4,225	Grand Total	2,22,132	13,05,021	6,55,365	23,405	3,96,565	6,205 4 6	.....
4,105	Grand total of same month last year	2,29,298	11,84,888	6,95,385	24,835	4,50,740	6,782 15 3	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,112 12 1
Amount of tollage for the month	6,205 4 6
Total	7,318 0 7
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	6,442 8 11
Balance at the end of the month	875 7 8

Hidgellee Tidal Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—29 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
1	Bricks (300 in number)	25	3	125	.....	.....	0 13 9	.....
3	Coal	256	450	640	.....	.....	5 8 3	.....
7	Cocoanuts (2,300 in number)	32	64	695	.....	.....	9 8 3	.....
5	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	113	2,994	845	.....	.....	6 0 6	.....
1	Cloth, or cotton piece-goods (European)	15	1,000	100	.....	.....	0 11 0	.....
701	Empty boat	.....	.....	57,750	.....	.....	578 6 0	.....
12	Earthenware (11,120 in number)	194	173	1,695	.....	.....	13 15 0	.....
2	Firewood	20	5	110	.....	.....	0 15 9	.....
19	Hemp	2,250	9,000	5,100	.....	.....	35 1 0	.....
8	Hental wood	930	244	2,200	.....	.....	14 0 3	.....
2	Iron	210	420	650	.....	.....	5 9 6	.....
10	Lime stone	745	71	1,300	.....	.....	8 14 6	.....
3	Mats (2,000 in number)	208	1,030	765	.....	.....	5 11 0	.....
109	Miscellaneous	5,492	41,161	17,970	.....	.....	210 3 6	.....
48	Mustard	1,400	6,890	5,795	.....	.....	55 1 0	.....
1	Medicine	2	700	60	.....	.....	1 1 3	.....
1	Oil	2	32	30	.....	.....	0 8 6	.....
6	Oil-cake	283	183	560	.....	.....	3 13 6	.....
489	Paddy	70,712	1,20,382	1,37,460	.....	.....	1,942 8 0	.....
72	Passenger boat	.....	.....	4,555	.....	.....	50 9 9	.....
3	Plantain	8	106	340	.....	.....	2 5 3	.....
82	Rice	12,400	34,925	24,400	.....	.....	255 14 3	.....
25	Straw (343 kahuns)	3,890	1,233	9,175	.....	.....	63 1 3	.....
2	Sugar, unrefined	110	350	475	.....	.....	7 7 9	.....
9	Sand	1,580	45	2,950	.....	.....	20 4 6	.....
1	Sugar, refined	10	120	25	.....	.....	0 2 6	.....
37	Salt	7,385	29,428	14,875	.....	.....	161 10 9	.....
3	Spices	74	1,300	350	.....	.....	4 1 0	.....
13	Timber (348 in number)	1,899	4,105	1,170	.....	.....	52 2 0	.....
23	Tobacco	442	3,558	3,625	.....	.....	51 9 9	.....
2	Tamarind	4	3	65	.....	.....	0 15 6	.....
1,760	Total	1,10,690	2,59,974	2,95,755	10,563	2,03,559	3,568 10 9	0 3·3
1,536	Total of the same month last year	58,552	1,34,725	2,06,965	7,391	1,11,904	1,930 8 3	0 3·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17 4 0	.....
...	24 rafts of 357 timber	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73 11 3	.....
...	Passengers (No. 309)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 11 3	.....
...	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	99 10 6	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18 5 9	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
1	Iron	20	100	125	.....	.....	2 4 3	.....
1	Total	20	100	125	4	129	2 4 3	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
1,760	Private, including miscellaneous	1,10,690	2,59,974	2,95,755	10,563	2,03,559	3,568 5 3	.....
1	Government stores, including miscellaneous	20	100	125	4	129	2 4 3	.....
1,761	Grand Total	1,10,710	2,60,074	2,95,880	10,567	2,03,688	3,570 9 6	.....
1,536	Grand total of same month last year	58,552	1,34,725	2,06,965	7,391	1,11,904	1,948 14 0	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,142 10 0
Amount of tollage for the month	3,670 9 6
Total	4,813 3 9
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	4,369 12 0
Balance at the end of the month	443 7 9

SONE CIRCLE.

Arrah Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—65 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
13	Ghee	3,000	60,000	4,232	151	3,758	72 11 3	.....
21	Salt	7,000	35,000	9,397	335	23,450	243 3 0	.....
1	Sugar	200	2,600	384	13	520	5 13 9	.....
6	Sesamum seeds (til)	2,200	11,000	2,854	102	4,120	42 15 6	.....
4	Stone	400	14	470	16	160	3 9 0	.....
3	Carraway (Zirah)	900	8,100	1,272	45	1,800	19 8 6	.....
20	Passenger boats	.....	.....	1,913	68	3,944	39 2 0	.....
26	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,391	49	2,842	12 6 3	.....
94	Total	13,700	1,16,714	21,913	779	45,594	439 5 3	0 1
202	Total of same month last year	18,204	50,211	30,954	1,106	58,300	552 12 3	0 1
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
15	Firewood	19,650	20	19,650	.....	.....	12 10 9	.....
15	Total	19,650	20	19,650	.....	.....	12 10 9	.....
9	Total of same month last year	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	17 13 6	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
38	Stone	68,600	15,318	72,440	2,587	1,45,464	399 5 3	.....
10	Coal	2,500	1,075	3,518	125	7,140	53 13 6	.....
1	Barrel of tar	20	48	154	5	209	3 4 6	.....
1	Office furniture	75	100	175	6	348	3 13 3	.....
26	Empty	.....	.....	3,239	115	6,670	75 6 3	.....
1	Iron barge of Dehree Workshop Division (rapid free) for 18 days	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9 0 0	.....
77	Total	71,195	16,541	79,526	2,838	1,59,822	544 15 9	.....
143	Total of same month last year	25,503	1,332	45,544	1,626	17,042	486 11 9	0 5·2
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
1	Timber (No. 98)	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	55 2 0	.....
1	Total	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	55 2 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
109	Private, including miscellaneous	13,700	1,16,734	21,913	779	45,594	452 0 0	.....
78	Government stores, including ditto	71,195	17,541	79,526	2,838	1,59,822	599 15 9	.....
178	Grand Total	84,895	1,34,275	1,01,439	3,617	2,05,416	1,051 15 9	.....
354	Grand total of same month last year	43,707	51,563	76,498	2,732	73,242	1,057 4 6	.....

MEMO.

						Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	...	...	...	...	...	567 4 6
Amount of tollage for the month	...	...	...	...	...	1,051 15 9
					Total ...	1,619 4 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	...	...	...	...	...	738 6 9
Balance at the end of the month	...	...	...	...	...	880 13 6

Western Main Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—22 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

6	Ghee	1,675	33,500	2,700	96	2,496	38 13 0	.....
8	Zeerah	700	5,600	1,250	45	1,170	17 15 6	.....
5	Teel	1,950	7,800	2,700	96	2,496	38 13 0	.....
3	Empty boats	.....	.....	400	13	318	4 13 0	.....
1	Passenger boats	.....	.....	75	3	78	1 1 3	.....
18	Total	4,325	46,900	7,125	253	6,558	101 7 9	0 2·9
44	Total of same month last year	2,545	12,725	7,575	271	6,504	89 3 3	0 2·6
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
1	Engine pipe, &c.	150	250	225	8	112	1 13 3	.....
4	Empty boats	.....	.....	400	15	306	3 4 0	.....
1	Passenger boats	.....	.....	25	1	14	0 8 3	.....
6	Total	150	250	650	24	432	5 4 6	0 3·3
213	Total of same month last year	28,160	1,440	56,300	2,010	10,050	383 8 9	0 0·7

Western Main Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	ABSTRACT.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
18	Private, including miscellaneous	4,325	46,900	7,125	253	6,558	101 7 9	.....
6	Government stores, including ditto	150	250	650	24	432	5 4 6	.....
24	Grand Total ...	4,475	47,150	7,775	277	6,990	106 12 3	.....
257	Grand total of same month last year ...	30,705	14,165	63,875	2,281	16,554	442 10 0	.....

Memo.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	4 4 3
Amount of tollage for the month	106 12 3
Total ...	111 0 6
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	96 4 6
Balance at the end of the month	14 12 0

Patna Canal.

Length of Canal open—84 miles.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

29	Other food than rice and wheat	3,392	17,107	7,134	254	18,654	185 3 3	.....
3	Til	825	4,500	1,268	46	2,815	28 11 6	.....
4	Linseed	575	2,700	1,265	45	3,170	31 10 6	.....
3	Stimulant	285	735	825	30	1,377	14 10 3	.....
3	Clothing	500	3,100	1,054	37	1,396	23 7 6	.....
1	Staples of manufacture	100	500	249	9	354	3 7 1	.....
1	Metal	60	900	192	7	141	1 6 0	.....
25	Road metal	6,319	190	10,924	379	30,463	311 6 0	.....
12	Cooking utensils	1,892	845	4,362	156	12,953	131 4 0	.....
57	Miscellaneous	4,726	51,869	11,176	407	25,992	264 0 3	.....
47	Empty boats	.....	.....	8,188	292	15,051	153 14 10	.....
14	Passenger boats	.....	.....	2,233	73	3,346	37 5 5	.....
199	Total ...	18,677	82,536	48,870	1,735	1,15,712	1,186 6 5	0 1·9
34	Total of same month last year ...	2,070	4,646	5,018	211	10,339	99 0 0	0 1·8
	Miscellaneous.							
...	Eight rafts, bamboos and bullahs, 67,449 in number	.....	2,479	.....	.....	.....	31 6 0	.....
...	Passengers, 2 in number	.....	.....	177	6	180	1 11 6	.....
...	Total ...	.....	2,479	177	6	180	33 1 6	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

30	Rubble	3,321	101	7,288	272	4,764	56 11 3	.....
8	Ashlar	704	21	1,996	72	1,558	19 1 6	.....
1	Pitching rubble	400	50	675	24	1,564	18 1 6	.....
7	Kunker	1,600	146	2,210	79	2,284	33 1 6	.....
4	Bricks	1,200	103	1,817	65	162	19 4 0	.....
5	Coal	697	500	1,323	51	402	10 15 9	.....
6	Steam coal	1,000	494	1,959	69	3,493	32 14 6	.....
1	Miscellaneous	.....	.....	132	5	391	3 14 6	.....
47	Empty boats	.....	.....	6,174	216	11,870	117 12 2	.....
109	Total ...	8,922	1,415	23,574	853	26,508	311 12 8	0 2·2
99	Total of same month last year ...	2,570	734	35,117	1,254	72,732	296 14 6	0 0·7
	Miscellaneous.							
13	Steamer passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
80	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

	ABSTRACT.							
199	Private, including miscellaneous	18,677	85,015	40,047	1,741	1,15,892	1,219 7 11	.....
122	Government stores, including ditto	8,922	1,415	23,574	853	26,508	311 12 8	.....
321	Grand Total ...	27,599	86,430	72,621	2,594	1,42,400	1,531 4 7	.....
313	Grand total of same month last year ...	4,640	5,380	41,035	1,465	83,071	306 7 6	.....

Memo.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	504 12 6
Amount of tollage for the month	1,531 4 7
Total ...	2,036 3 1
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,601 0 6
Amount credited in the accounts for October 1878, but omitted to have been included in that month's memorandum	40 14 0
Balance at the end of the month	394 3 7

ABSTRACT.

Canals.	Tollage of the year 1878-79.		Tollage of the year 1877-78.		Remarks.
	During the month.	To end of month	During the corresponding month.	To end of corresponding month	
Orissa Circle.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Kendrapara	3,917 3 3	17,074 1 1	1,780 10 6	13,595 10 7	
High Level, Range I	1,244 9 3	5,834 3 2	819 6 9	4,107 14 3	
Taldunda	151 4 7	994 1 3	53 10 6	995 4 9	
High Level, Range II	380 11 6	834 12 11	... ..	.....	
Ditto ditto III	123 14 0	210 11 1	.....	.....	
Total Orissa Circle ...	5,817 10 7	24,947 13 6	2,653 5 9	18,698 13 7	
South-Western Circle.					
Midnapore	6,205 4 6	52,701 15 11	6,782 15 3	67,154 0 3	
Hidgellee Tidal	3,670 9 6	40,564 8 9	1,948 14 0	54,960 10 0	
Total South-Western Circle ...	9,875 14 0	93,266 8 8	8,731 13 3	1,22,114 10 3	
Sone Circle.					
Arrah	1,051 15 9	6,038 11 6	1,057 4 6	8,813 2 2	
Western Main	106 12 3	570 4 6	442 10 0	1,950 6 0	
Patna	1,531 4 7	11,372 8 6	396 7 6	396 7 6	
Total Sone Circle ...	2,690 0 7	17,981 8 6	1,896 6 0	11,159 15 8	
Grand Total ...	18,383 9 2	1,36,195 14 8	13,281 9 0	1,51,973 7 6	

H. C. Levinge, C. E.,

Joint-Secy. to the Government of Bengal,

P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

The 15th January 1879.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 31.—*The 3rd February* 1879.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagiruthee, and Brahmapootra during the month of December 1878.

Date.		River Ganges.																River Bhagiruthee.				Brahmapootra.	
		Mirzapore.		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahebgunge.		Rampore Bauleah.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
	Miles.					90.		177.	87.	287.	110.	381.	94.	471.	90.	591.	120.			70.			
	Distance.					From Benares		From Benares	From Buxar	From Benares	From Dinapore	From Benares	From Monghyr	From Benares	From Sahebgunge ...	From Benares	From Rampore Bauleah ...			From Berhampore ...			
		Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1st	...	2·00	212·50	·75	197·55	·16	169·48	9·75	143·75	·56	102·41	3·58	71·58	5·42	47·42	7·42	16·36	4·83	37·23	5·83	14·62	2·90	151·66
2nd	...	1·83	212·33	·64	197·44	·08	169·40	9·70	143·70	·54	102·39	3·50	71·50	5·33	47·33	7·25	16·19	4·71	37·11	5·62	14·41	2·70	151·46
3rd	...	1·66	212·16	·58	197·38	·06	169·40	9·60	143·60	·50	102·35	3·42	71·42	5·25	47·25	7·08	16·02	4·58	36·98	5·50	14·29	2·60	151·36
4th	...	1·58	212·08	·50	197·30	·06	169·40	9·60	143·60	·46	102·31	3·33	71·33	5·16	47·16	6·92	15·86	4·50	36·90	5·33	14·12	2·50	151·26
5th	...	1·43	211·92	·50	197·30	below ·08	169·34	9·60	143·60	·42	102·27	3·16	71·16	5·08	47·08	6·75	15·69	4·44	36·84	5·25	14·04	2·40	151·16
6th	...	1·00	211·50	·42	197·22	·08	169·34	9·40	143·40	·33	102·18	3·08	71·08	5·00	47·00	6·66	15·60	4·33	36·73	5·16	13·95	2·30	151·06
7th	...	·75	211·25	·42	197·22	·16	169·16	9·30	143·30	·29	102·14	3·00	71·00	4·92	46·92	6·66	15·60	4·23	36·63	5·12	13·91	2·20	150·96
8th	...	·58	211·08	·25	197·05	·16	169·16	9·25	143·25	·25	102·10	2·83	70·83	4·83	46·83	6·66	15·60	4·14	36·54	5·12	13·91	2·20	150·96
9th	...	·33	210 83	·16	196·96	·16	169 16	9·20	143·20	·21	102·06	2·75	70·75	4·75	46·75	6·66	15·60	4·2	36·42	5·4	13·83	2·20	150·96
10th	...	·00	210·50	·08	196·88	·25	169·07	9·10	143·10	·16	102·01	2·66	70·66	4·63	46·62	6·66	15 60	3·94	36·34	4·96	13·75	2·10	150·86
11th	...	below ·08	210·42	·00 below	196·80	·25	169·07	9·00	143·00	·14	101·99	2·50	70·50	4·50	46·50	6·50	15·44	3·81	36·21	4·75	13·54	2·10	153·86
12th	...	·16	210·34	·08	196·72	·33	168·99	8·90	142·90	·10	101·95	2·42	70·42	4·33	46·38	6·42	15·36	3·73	36·13	4·75	13·54	2·10	150·86
13th	...	·16	210·34	·16	196 64	·33	168·99	8 85	142·85	·08	101·93	2·33	70·38	4·25	46·25	6·33	15 27	3·66	36·06	4·58	13·37	2·00	150·76
14th	...	·16	210·34	·30	196·50	·42	168·90	8·80	142·80	·04	101·89	2·25	70·25	4·13	46·12	6·16	15·10	3·58	35 98	4·42	13·21	1·90	150·66
15th	...	·25	210·25	·35	196·45	·42	168·90	8·75	142·75	·02	101·87	2·16	70·16	4·00	46·00	6·00	14·94	3·50	35·90	4·33	13·12	1·90	150·66
16th	...	·25	210·25	·45	196·35	·50	168·82	8·70	142·70	below ·04	00·81	2·08	70·08	3·88	45·88	5·92	14·86	3·42	35·82	4·21	13·00	1·80	150·56
17th	...	·25	210·25	·55	196·25	·50	168·82	8·60	142·60	·12	101·73	2·00	70·00	3·75	45·75	5·83	14·77	3·35	35·75	4·00	12·79	1·70	150·46
18th	...	·25	210·25	·70	196·10	·58	168·74	8·55	142 55	·16	101·69	1·92	69·92	3·62	45·62	5·75	14·69	3·31	35·71	3·92	12·71	1·60	150·36
19th	...	·25	210·25	·70	196·10	·58	168·74	8·50	142·50	·21	101·64	1·83	69·83	3·56	45·56	5·66	14·60	3·27	35·67	3·83	12·62	1·50	150·26
20th	...	·25	210·25	·80	196·00	·66	168·66	8 45	142·45	·29	101·56	1·75	69·75	3·50	45·50	5·58	14·52	3·21	35·61	3·75	12·54	1·40	150·16
21st	...	·33	210·17	·92	195·92	·66	168·66	8·40	142·40	·33	101·52	1·62	69·62	3·42	45·42	5 50	14 44	3·14	35·54	3·71	12·50	1·00	149·96
22nd	...	·33	210·17	1·02	195·78	·75	168·57	8·35	142·35	·42	101·43	1·50	69·50	3·33	45·33	5·42	14·36	3·08	35·48	3·71	12·50	·90	149·86
23rd	...	·33	210·17	1·10	195·70	·75	168·57	8·30	142·30	·46	101·39	1·42	69·42	3·25	45·25	5·33	14·27	3·02	35·42	3·75	12·54	·80	149·56
24th	...	·50	210·00	1·18	195·62	·75	168·57	8·25	142·25	·52	101·33	1·33	69·33	3·16	45·16	5·33	14·27	2·96	35·36	3·66	12·45	·70	149·46
25th	...	·58	209·92	1 27	195·53	·83	168·49	8·20	142·20	·58	101·27	1·25	69·25	3·08	45·08	5·33	14·27	2·90	35·30	3·66	12·45	·60	149·36
26th	...	·58	209·92	1·35	195·45	·83	168·49	8·20	142 20	·62	101·23	1·16	69·16	3·00	45·00	5·25	14·19	2·83	35·23	3 62	12·41	·50	149·26
27th	...	·58	209·92	1·45	195·35	·92	168·40	8·10	142·10	·71	101·14	1·12	69·12	2·92	44 92	5·16	14 10	2·77	35·17	3·58	12·37	·50	149·26
28th	...	·58	209·92	1·53	195·28	·92	168·40	8·00	142·00	·75	101·10	1·08	69·08	2·83	44·83	5·08	14·02	2·73	65·13	3·42	12·21	·50	149 26
29th	...	·66	209 84	1·60	195·20	1·08	168·24	8·00	142·00	·88	100·97	1·00	69·00	2·75	44·75	5·00	13·94	2·69	35·09	3·37	12·16	·50	149·26
30th	...	·83	209 67	1·68	195·14	1·08	168·24	8·00	142·00	·83	101·02	·92	68·92	2·66	44 66	4·92	13·86	2·63	35·03	3·25	12·04	·40	149·16
31st	...	·83	209·67	1·75	195·05	1·16	168·16	7·95	141·95	·85	101·00	·83	68·83	2·58	44·58	4·83	13·77	2·56	34·96	3·16	11·95	·30	149·06

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Report on the Fluctuations in traffic on the Northern Bengal State Railway for the month of December 1878.

GENERAL REMARKS.

TRAFFIC generally has improved during the month, but especially so in jute and gunny, the reduced rates for which have now become generally known and have had a marked effect.

The total weight lifted during the month in jute, as will be seen from the figures given below, reached 40,112 maunds, being more than double the weight carried during the previous month. The increase in gunny is in still larger proportion, as a reference to the figures given under the head of gunny-bags in the comparative statement will show.

The gross weight carried in all staples during the month reached 1,20,265 maunds, being a net increase over November of 38,731 maunds.

INCREASES.

Ale ... ... Mds. 6

This is merely a slight fluctuation in private consignments, as no Commissariat beer has been moving during the month.

Ginger ... ... Mds. 742

This increase is almost entirely in the dry staple being sent forward for shipment.

Gunny-bags ... ... Mds. 7,642

The special reduced rate has given a great impetus to this traffic. The large despatches during the month, nearly all of which were through to Calcutta, go to shew that the hand-made bags of this district are successfully competing with mill-made gunnies.

Hides ... ... Mds. 1,170

The present rate of exchange has induced shippers to turn their attention to hides, and a considerable business has in consequence been done during the month.

Jute ... ... Mds. 21,651

The gross weight lifted during the period under review reached 40,112 maunds, being, as shown above, 21,651 maunds in excess of the weight carried in November. The reduced rate and the present favourable market continue to exercise considerable influence on this traffic.

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 215

Since the cessation of the rains the piece-goods traffic has been steadily on the increase; large despatches have of late been made to Rungpore, which district until quite lately was served by the steamers *viâ* Dhoobree.

Railway material ... ... Mds. 8,320

A more plentiful supply of labor at Sara, owing to the return of the coolies from the harvest operations, has resulted in larger despatches.

Salt ... ... Mds. 211

This increase may be fairly set down to the closing of water communication to our stations.

Sugar ... ... Mds. 148

The movement in this staple has been purely local

Tea ... ... Mds. 76

11,576 maunds were carried this month against 11,500 in November. We are now almost at the end of the season, and must be prepared to see a large falling off in this staple for a time.

All other goods ... ... Mds. 4,388

The miscellaneous through booked consignments have been particularly heavy during the month, the excess over any previous month being above 40 per cent.

DECREASES.

Food-grain ... ... Mds. 3,721

The reason given for the falling off under this head last month applies equally to the period under review.

Seeds ... ... Mds. 431

The movement in this staple has hitherto been almost exclusively for agricultural purposes, and the falling off noticed is the result of sowing operation having ceased for the time being.

Tobacco ... ... Mds. 1,667

There has been no demand at all for this article during the month, and despatchers are holding off in the hope of more favourable rates.

Statement shewing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of December 1878.

STAPLES.	NOVEMBER 1878.		DECEMBER 1878.		Total for November.	Total for December.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
Ale	9	11	18	8	20	26	6	.....
Cotton	39	2	19	.....	41	19	.....	22
Food-grain	4,621	4,787	770	4,917	9,408	5,687	.....	3,721
Ginger	2	218	.....	962	220	962	742	.....
Gunny-bags	27	4,832	144	12,357	4,859	12,501	7,642	.....
Hides	.....	285	.....	1,455	285	1,455	1,170	.....
Jute	29	18,432	.....	40,112	18,461	40,112	21,651	.....
Piece-goods	505	149	580	289	654	869	215	.....
Railway materials	18,733	1,780	27,892	941	20,513	28,853	8,320	.....
Salt	99	.....	294	16	99	310	211	.....
Seeds	757	494	514	306	1,251	820	.....	431
Sugar	151	12	274	37	163	311	148	.....
Tea	.....	11,500	.....	11,576	11,500	11,576	76	.....
Tobacco	125	3,247	5	1,703	3,372	1,708	.....	1,664
All other goods	6,877	3,811	12,001	3,075	10,688	15,076	4,388	.....
Total ...	31,974	49,560	42,511	77,754	81,534	1,20,265	38,731	.....

G. M. DRURY, *Traffic Superintendent.*

TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SAIDPUR, the 27th January 1879.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th January 1879 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	185,237	2,73,298 13 9	25,052 7 11	15,77,675 10	5,59,821 8 6	51,316 19 5	8,33,120 6 3	46,029½	99,078½	145,10
Or per mile of railway	.....	213 8 11	19 11 6	.....	437 7 1	40 3 0	651 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	341,233	5,09,729 5 0	46,725 3 9	30,45,247 30	14,60,811 0 6	133,907 13 7	19,70,540 5 6	124,162	258,299½	382,4
Total for 4 weeks ...	526,470	7,83,028 2 9	71,777 11 8	55,22,921 0	20,20,632 9 0	185,224 13 0	28,03,660 11 9	170,191½	357,368	527,5
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	132,456	1,91,250 10 6	17,531 6 3	16,33,540 0	6,23,477 1 6	57,152 1 4	8,14,727 12 0	46,599	111,437	158,0
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	149 7 1	13 14 0	.....	487 3 0	44 13 2	636 10 1	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	454,057½	6,51,455 15 6	59,716 15 11	52,75,673 10	20,90,590 8 8	191,637 9 3	27,42,046 7 8	174,290	394,318	568,6

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 25th January 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week... ...	10,545	38,476 3 6	3,526 19 8	3,54,254 30	94,377 1 0	8,651 4 8	1,32,853 4 0	5,423½	24,180½	29,60
Or per mile of railway	.....	171 15 4	15 15 3	.....	421 12 9	38 13 4	593 12 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	22,435	76,297 1 0	6,902 4 8	7,74,484 10	2,02,837 11 0	18,593 9 1	2,78,134 12 0	13,217	57,099½	70,31
Total for 4 weeks ...	32,980	1,13,773 4 6	10,429 4 4	11,28,739 0	2,97,214 12 0	27,244 13 9	4,10,988 0 6	18,640½	81,280	99,92
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,507½	21,592 14 6	1,933 10 4	1,72,012 10	49,110 3 0	4,501 15 4	70,203 1 6	5,186	10,441	15,6
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	94 4 4	8 12 10	.....	219 7 9	20 2 5	313 12 1	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	28,700½	75,202 4 6	6,893 10 10	6,14,826 10	1,70,932 11 0	15,668 16 7	2,46,134 15 6	18,267	40,556	58,8

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 896A.

GENERAL.—*The 1st February* 1879.—In supersession of the orders of the 22nd August 1878, the Port Officer of Chandbally is appointed, concurrently with the Collector of Sea Customs, Balasore, to carry out the provisions of Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 of Act XXII of 1876 (an Act to amend the law relating to merchant seamen), in the Balasore ports.

The 5th February 1879.—Lieutenant J. F. Rivett-Carnac, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, in charge of the Sungoo sub-division, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is transferred to Doomka, in the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Mr. C. A. S. Bedford, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, who has been relieved of the charge of the Pachumba division, Hazareebagh, is appointed to have charge of the Sungoo sub-division, Chittagong Hill Tracts.

Baboo Nobin Krishna Sircar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Maldah, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-one days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo.

Mr. E. Stewart, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Sasseram division, Shahabad, is transferred to Maldah.

Baboo Rash Behary Dutt is appointed to act as a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade for employment on settlement work in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, during the absence, on leave, of Moulvi Mohamed Serajul Huq, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

The 6th February 1879.—Mr. G. E. Porter, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is appointed to be a District and Sessions Judge of the Second Grade, and to be District and Sessions Judge of Noakholly.

Mr. T. F. Bignold, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Bankoora, having returned to duty on the forenoon of the 4th ultimo, the unexpired portion of the special leave granted to him, under orders of the 19th November last, is cancelled.

Baboo Mohendro Chunder Mozoomdar is confirmed in the First Grade of Sub-Deputy Collectors, *vice* Baboo Rojoni Kumar Dutt.

Baboo Protap Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Perozepore, Backergunge, is allowed leave for one month, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. N. S. Alexander, Magistrate and Collector, Mymensingh, is allowed subsidiary leave for two days, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 8th January last.

Mr. A. Weekes, who was, under orders of the 29th ultimo, appointed to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Chumparun, will act in the Second Grade of Magistrates and Collectors, until further orders.

The 7th February 1879.—Mr. A. Rattray, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, has been granted six months' extension of furlough on medical certificate by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India.

Mr. A. Mackie, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Backergunge, is allowed six months' special leave to Europe, under Section 21, Chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 19th May 1879, together with subsidiary leave for eighteen days, under Section 24 (*a*) of the Code, with effect from the 1st idem.

The orders of the 4th instant, transferring Baboo Gossain Das Dutt, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, to Midnapore, and Baboo Dwarka Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pubna, to Bogra, are cancelled.

Mr. F. H. McLaughlin, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Noakholly, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved.

The 8th February 1879.—Mr. E. H. Whinfield, who has reported his return from furlough, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. Beames, or until further orders.

The 10th February 1879.—Mr. R. D. Hime, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly, is allowed six months' special leave to Europe, under Section 21, Chapter V of the Civil Leave Code, together with thirty days' subsidiary leave under Section 24 (*a*) of the Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved by Mr. F. H. Pellew.

Lieutenant G. U. Browne, of the 40th Foot, is appointed to be an Extra Aide-de-Camp on the personal staff of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

Mr. A. Forbes, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred to Patna.

Moulvi Abdool Wassey Ahmed, a temporary Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, is posted to Diamond Harbour, in the 24-Pergunnahs.

Mr. C. A. S. Bedford, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Sungoo, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is promoted temporarily to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Kali Churn Ghose.

Mr. Bedford will continue to act as an Assistant Commissioner of the Third Grade until further orders.

Baboo Tariny Kumar Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. C. A. S. Bedford.

Mr. W. R. Johnstone, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed under the Public Works Department of this Government, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Tariny Kumar Ghose.

Baboo Adhar Lal Sen is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and is posted to Chittagong.

The 11th February 1879.—Mr. C. H. Vowell, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Mozufferpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Durbhunga, with effect from the date on which he may relieve Mr. C. G. Quinn.

Mr. H. Mosley, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Durbhunga, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Moorshedabad, with effect from the date on which he may relieve Mr. F. W. J. Rees.

Mr. J. G. Ritchie, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Patna, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Sasseram division of the Shahabad district.

Mr. A. W. Cochran, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is posted to Dacca, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present appointment as Officiating Additional District and Sessions Judge of Chittagong and Backergunge.

Mr. Cochran will act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. E. M. Reily, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rampore Haut, Moorshedabad, on leave, is transferred to Gya.

Baboo Rajendro Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, is appointed to have charge of the Aurungabad division of that district.

Moulvi Ramizuddin, Supernumerary Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Aurungabad division of the Gya district, is posted to the Sudder Station of that district.

The 11th February 1879.—Mr. T. Norman, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Balasore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. H. J. Newbery, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Bhagulpore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. F. W. J. Rees, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Moorshedabad, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. J. A. Hopkins, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Purneah, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. J. J. Livesay, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Rungpore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. J. Ware-Edgar, C.S.I., Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Shahabad, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. F. Jones, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Tipperah, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. E. H. Whinfield is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Backergunge, but will continue to act as Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack, until further orders.

Mr. W. R. Larminie, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Burdwan, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. R. D. Hime is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Patna, but will continue to act as Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly, until further orders.

Mr. T. J. C. Grant, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Beerbhoom, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. D. R. Lyall is appointed to be Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Howrah, but will act as Magistrate and Collector of Dacca, until further orders.

Mr. J. C. Price is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Dacca, but will continue to act as Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Howrah, until further orders.

Mr. C. C. Stevens, Magistrate and Collector of Nuddea, on furlough, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Pubna.

Mr. W. V. G. Tayler, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Nuddea, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. W. Kemble, Magistrate and Collector, on furlough, is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Gya.

Mr. J. Boxwell is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Noakholly, but will continue to act as Deputy Commissioner, Sonthal Pergunnahs, until further orders.

Mr. A. Weekes is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Maldah, but will continue to act as Magistrate and Collector of Chumparun until further orders.

Mr. R. H. Pawsey is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Bankoora, but will continue to act as Magistrate and Collector of Sarun, until further orders.

Mr. F. H. Pellew is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of Hooghly, but will continue to act as Inspector-General of Police, until further orders.

Mr. H. J. S. Cotton, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Chittagong, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. A. C. Brett, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Jessore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. J. F. Browne, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Patna, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. J. P. Grant, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Hooghly, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. W. Cornell, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Midnapore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. W. Macpherson, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Cuttack, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. H. Beveridge, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Rungpore, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. T. F. Bignold, Officiating District and Sessions Judge of Bankoora, and Additional District and Sessions Judge of Burdwan, is confirmed in those appointments.

Mr. J. C. Geddes is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Backergunge, but will continue to act as District and Sessions Judge of Tipperah, until further orders.

Mr. C. A. Kelly, District and Sessions Judge, on furlough, is appointed to be District and Sessions Judge of Furreedpore.

Mr. G. J. B. T. Dalton, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Cooch Behar, is confirmed in that appointment.

Mr. F. W. V. Peterson is appointed to be Deputy Commissioner of Singbhoom, but will continue to act as District and Sessions Judge of Furreedpore, until further orders.

Captain E. G. Lillingston is appointed to be Deputy Commissioner, Chittagong Hill Tracts, but will continue to act as Deputy Commissioner of Julpigoree, until further orders.

Baboo Tarini Sunker Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868.

Baboo Sant Prosad, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, is allowed leave for six weeks, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Koylash Chunder Chatterjee, Officiating Sub-Deputy Collector, Purneah, is transferred temporarily to the Sonthal Pergunnahs.

Baboo Ramkrishna Tarkalankar is appointed to be a special Deputy Collector for employment under the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, of this Government.

Baboo Ramkrishna Tarkalankar is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act III (B.C.) of 1876 in the districts of Patna and Gya.

Mr. A. H. Warde-Jones, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, under the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, of this Government, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act III (B.C.) of 1876, in the districts of Patna, Shahabad, and Gya.

Baboo Pran Kissen Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

POLICE.—*The 7th February* 1879.—Mr. A. V. Knyvett, District Superintendent of Police, Chumparun, is allowed leave for two months and fifteen days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 25th proximo, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. W. R. Green, Assistant Superintendent of Police, now employed in Assam, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Chumparun, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. V. Knyvett, or until further orders.

The 10th February 1879.—Mr. G. W. S. Cox, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Cuttack, is allowed leave for two months and ten days, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 20th December 1878.

The 11th February 1879.—Mr. D. Lacey, District Superintendent of Police, Bankoora, is allowed leave for two months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. H. V. H. Roberts, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Dinagepore, is appointed to act as District Superintendent of Police, Bankoora, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. D. Lacey, or until further orders.

Mr. W. D. Pratt, District Superintendent of Police, on special duty in the office of the Inspector-General of Police, is allowed furlough to Europe for one year and seven months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for eighteen days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from such date as he completes the special work he is now engaged in.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 6th February* 1879.—The Rev. Wilhelm Nowack is authorized, under Clause 3, Section 5, Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is a Christian or Christians.

The Rev. H. C. Spring, Junior Chaplain, St. John's Church, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of St. Paul's Cathedral and of the General Hospital, with effect from the afternoon of the 7th instant.

The 8th February 1879.—The services of the Rev. B. T. Atlay, M.A., are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, with effect from the 7th instant.

The 11th February 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboo Jagat Bandhu Laha, M.A., of his appointment as Marriage Registrar, under Act III of 1872, in the district of Backergunge.

REGISTRATION.—*The 31st January* 1879.—Munshi Abdul Fateh is appointed temporarily to be Sub-Registrar of Katra, in the district of Mozufferpore, *vice* Munshi Tasaduq Hossain, deceased.

EDUCATION.—*The 11th February* 1879.—Mr. C. P. Caspersz, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be a member of, and Secretary to, the Chittagong District School Committee, *vice* Mr. C. W. Bolton, transferred.

MEDICAL.—*The 30th January* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Bogra :—

Baboo Loke Nath Nundi, Second Moonsif, *vice* Baboo Kedar Nath Dutt.
" Gopal Kishore Dhur, Pleader.
" Dinonath Dhur, Pleader.

The 11th February 1879.—The unexpired portion of the leave granted to Assistant Surgeon Radha Raman Ghose, under the orders of the 27th August 1878, is hereby cancelled.

JAILS.—*The 1st February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed, under the provisions of Section 7 of Act V (B.C.) of 1865, to be Official Visitors of the Presidency Jail :—

Mr. Ameer Ali, a Presidency Magistrate.
Captain A. R. Wilkinson, Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Police.
Mr. W. S. Wells, Magistrate-Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, *vice* Mr. W. M. Souttar.
Mr. J. Mackenzie, Superintendent of Akbari and Collector of Stamps, Calcutta.
Baboo Judoo Lall Mullick, Honorary Magistrate, Calcutta

PORT TRUST.—*The 11th February* 1879.—Mr. R. Steel is allowed leave for six months from his duties as a Commissioner for making improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

Captain W. L. Searle, Officiating Superintendent of Marine, Eastern Division, is appointed to act as a Commissioner for making improvements in the Port of Calcutta under Act V (B.C.) of 1870, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. Steel, or until further orders.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 30th January* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Baboo Shumbhu Chandra Nag, Moonsif, of his appointment as Vice-Chairman of the Serajgunge Municipality.

The 10th February 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. E. T. Roberts of his appointment as a Municipal Commissioner of the town of Calcutta.

Mr. J. E. Caithness is appointed to be a Municipal Commissioner of the town of Calcutta, *vice* Mr. E. T. Roberts.

ROAD CESS.—*The 7th February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Bogra :—

Mr. J. C. Veasey, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
Baboo Beharee Lal Roy, Zemindar, *vice* Baboo Pulin Beharee Roy.

ERRATTA.—*The 7th February* 1879.—In the orders of the 1st instant, appointing certain gentlemen to be members of the Committee for the management of the Bethune School, *for* "Mr. Anund Mohun Ghose, Barrister-at-Law," *read* "Mr. Anund Mohun Bose, Barrister-at-Law."

The 11th February 1879.—In the notification dated the 21st ultimo, publishing the result of the half-yearly examination of assistants and others, held in November last, *for* Baboo Abinash Churn Mullick, still liable to examination in Hindoostani and Bengali, *read* Baboo Abinash Churn Mullick still liable to examination in Hindoostani.

The following Notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 37.—*The 29th January* 1879.—Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S., Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, Third Grade, Sylhet, is transferred to the district of Cachar, and is placed in charge of the sub-division of Hailakandi.

No. 10.—*The 30th January* 1879.—Mr. F. St. C. Grimwood, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, Sibsagar, is appointed, under the provisions of Act II of 1869, to be a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the jurisdiction of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 7th February 1879.—For the word "kuncha" in the scale of diet for emigrants, published under notification dated the 11th January 1879, in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 15th January last, read "chittack."

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 6th February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the declaration dated the 13th August 1878, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 14th idem, Part I, page 871, for the acquisition of two pieces of land measuring, more or less, 11 chittacks and 27 feet, situated in Sreenath Roy's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, and required for the purpose of improving the drainage of the said town of Calcutta, is cancelled at the request of the Calcutta Municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1879, that from and after the 1st April 1879, no boat not duly licensed and registered shall be allowed to ply as a cargo-boat for the landing and shipping of merchandise within the limits of the port of Dhamra in the province of Orissa. It is also notified that, until further orders, no fee will be charged for such license and registration. Application for registration should be made to the Port Officer of Chandbally.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—Under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1878 (the Sea Customs Act) the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Port Officer of Chandbally to issue licenses for, and register cargo-boats plying within the limits of the Port of Dhamra in the Province of Orissa. Under that Section and under Section 7 of Act XII of 1875 (the Indian Ports Act) the following rules are hereby prescribed. These rules shall come into force on the 1st April 1879.

Rules sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the issue of Licenses for, and Registration of, Cargo-boats by the Port Officer of Chandbally, for the Dhamra Port, under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1879, *and Section 7 of Act XII of* 1875.

I.—Each application for the licensing and registration of a cargo-boat must contain particulars of the owner's name and residence, and the tonnage of the boat.

II.—The applications shall be made to the Port Officer of Chandbally, who shall cause the boats to be examined, and shall certify that they are safe.

III.—The Port Officer shall every six months cause the boats to be surveyed, and if any boat is found unsafe shall withdraw the license held by the owner of the said boat, until it shall have been repaired to his satisfaction.

IV.—The Port Officer may from time to time condemn any boat found to be thoroughly unsafe, and may refuse to allow it to be repaired.

V.—The licenses issued will be free until further orders of Government, but shall be issued subject to all the conditions specified in these rules.

VI.—The licenses issued will be current until they are withdrawn by the Port Officer, provided that this condition may be modified if it should be determined hereafter to fix any license fee.

VII.—All licenses will be registered in the order of granting, but when any license is permanently withdrawn, then the next license issued shall bear the number of the license withdrawn.

VIII.—The number of the license must be painted in black letters on a white ground on both the bows of every licensed boat; the figures must not be less than six inches in length and four inches in breadth.

IX.—The license must be produced whenever demanded by the Port Officer of Chandbally, or any of his subordinates, by any Officer of Police or Customs, or by any person using or hiring the boat.

X.—Cargo-boats the manjees of which shall not produce their license as aforesaid may be treated as unlicensed boats, failing an explanation satisfactory to the Port Officer of Chandbally, or, in his absence, to the Customs Officer at the station.

XI.—Any goods found within the limits of the port on board of any boat not duly licensed and registered shall, unless such goods be covered by a special permit from the officer in charge of the Custom House, be liable to confiscation, and the owner or the person in charge of the boat shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees.

XII.—No cargo-boats shall be licensed unless provided with a sufficient crew, to be specified in the license.

XIII.—If any license be cancelled for any reason, the holder thereof shall be bound to deliver it up to the Port Officer of Chandbally.

XIV.—Scale of crews :—

Class 1st, square-built, open, or decked.

For a boat of not more than	15	tons	burthen,		4	men, including manjee.	
Above	15	tons and under	20	tons,	5	ditto	ditto.
Do.	20	ditto	25	„	6	ditto	ditto.
Do.	25	ditto	30	„	7	ditto	ditto.
Do.	30	ditto	35	„	8	ditto	ditto.
Do.	35	ditto	40	„	9	ditto	ditto.
Do.	40	ditto	...	„	10	ditto	ditto.

Class 2nd, Bhurs or Pattamoondi Boats.

For a boat of not more than	15	tons	burthen,		4	men, including manjee.	
Above	15	tons and under	20	tons,	5	ditto	ditto.
Do.	20	ditto	30	„	6	ditto	ditto.
Do.	30	ditto	35	„	7	ditto	ditto.
Do.	35	ditto	...	„	8	ditto	ditto.
Pattiah (small boats)		3 to 6		„	3	ditto	ditto.

XV.—Any licensed cargo-boat found plying within the limits of the port of Dhamra with less than the prescribed scale of crew under Rule XIV, or with deficient ground-tackle and appliances, shall be liable to withdrawal of license until such deficiency be made good to the satisfaction of the Port Officer of Chandbally.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The 5th February 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.
(No. 8.)
INDIA—WEST COAST—KATTYWAR.
Fixed Light at Goapnath Point, Gulf of Cambay.

Information has been received from the Executive Engineer, Bhaunagar State, that a light is now exhibited from a light-house recently erected on Goapnath point, at the entrance to the Gulf of Cambay.

The light is a fixed *white* light, elevated 68 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather through an arc of 180°, or between the bearings of S. S W., through west, to N. N. E., from a distance of 6 miles.

The light-house—a buff-coloured limestone masonry tower, 32 feet high from base to vane—is situated on a hillock 240 yards inshore from Goapnath point.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric or by lenses of the 6th order.

Position: Latitude 21° 11′ 35″ N., longitude 72° 6′ 0″ E.

[*Bearings are Magnetic and from Seaward: Variation* 1° *Easterly in* 1879].

By Direction of the Government of India.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I.N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 3rd February 1879.

This Notice affects the following British Admiralty Charts, Nos. 50, 51, 2736, 826, 748*b*; Sailing Directions "West Coast of Hindostan pilot;" page 177; Light List for 1879.

Indian Marine Survey Chart, No. 15; Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 361; Light List for 1879.

If this Notice is received on boardship the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing directions to which it relates.

[First Publication.]

The 7th February 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.
(No. 9.)
THE MARKING OF WRECKS.

The Corporation of the Trinity House, London, has issued the following notice:—

"It being desirable, when light-vessels or other craft are anchored to mark the position of wrecks, that Mariners should be able to distinguish them, and to learn on which side of them they should go,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That with these objects, wreck-marking vessels will in future have their top-sides colored *green*, and will exhibit—

BY DAY—Three balls on a yard 20 feet above the sea; two placed *vertically* on the side on which navigating vessels may safely pass, and one on the other side.

BY NIGHT—Three *white* fixed lights will be shewn similarly arranged, but not the ordinary riding light.

Mariners will thus know, on sighting a wreck-marking craft, that she is so employed; and that they should pass on that side of her on which the two balls or two lights are shewn."

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MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 5th February 1879.

BALASORE PORT FUND.

The 10th February 1879.—Statement of receipts and charges of the Balasore Port Fund for the years 1876-77 and 1877-78.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

1876-77.

Receipts.	Amount.			Charges.	Amount.		
	Rs.	A.	P.		Rs.	A.	P.
Port dues on vessels...	3,248	14	5	*Vessels and Boats.*			
Recoveries of previous years... ...	275	6	0	Establishment	157	8	5
				Contingencies	25	15	3
Total Receipts ...	3,524	4	5	Stores	94	10	10
Suspense Account.				*General Management.*			
Little Bass's light dues	1,172	8	3	Port-master and establishment ...	1,932	6	2
Balance on 1st April 1876	1,686	11	1	Travelling allowance	197	9	8
				Contingencies	41	8	0
				10 annas per cent. for offices of account and Commissioners ...	28	11	0
				Pensions	777	5	4
				Total charges ...	3,255	10	8
				Suspense Account.			
				Remittance of Little Bass's light dues	393	8	5
				Balance on 31st March 1877 ...	2,734	4	8
Grand Total ...	6,383	7	9	Grand Total ...	6,383	7	9

1877-78.

Port dues on vessels	4,059	8	6	*Vessels and Boats.*			
Miscellaneous Fees and Fines.				Stores	256	0	0
Harbour Master's fees	108	0	0	Contingencies	1,900	12	8
Sundry Receipts.				*General Management.*			
Miscellaneous	123	4	6	Port-master and establishment ...	1,880	14	9
				Travelling allowance	62	6	5
Total Receipts ...	4,290	13	0	Contingencies	10	11	0
Suspense Account.				10 annas per cent. for offices of account and Commissioners ...	29	5	6
Little Bass's light dues	654	3	6	*Miscellaneous.*			
Balance on 1st April 1877	2,734	4	8	Refunds	114	14	8
				Public Works Department	685	0	0
				Pensions	753	10	0
				Total Charges ...	5,693	11	0
				Suspense Account.			
				Remittance of Little Bass's light dues	1,209	11	4
				Balance on 31st March 1878 ...	775	14	10
Grand Total ...	7,679	5	2	Grand Total ...	7,679	5	2

J. WESTLAND,
Accountant General Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to declare that the west bank of the main stream of the river Jamoona or Daokoba shall be the common boundary between districts Mymensing and Bogra. The course by which steamers proceed up stream during the dry season shall be, for the time being, taken to be such main stream.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the recruiting of labourers under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873 is not authorized in Sirgoojah and the other tributary mehals of Chota Nagpore. The Deputy Commissioner of Lohardugga will countersign no certificates of either garden sirdars or recruiters intended for use within those mehals, and will register no labourers brought from thence.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st January 1879.—The following statement of receipts and charges on account of the Chittagong Port Fund for the year 1877-78 is published, under section 47, Act XII of 1875, for general information, in supersession of the statement published at page 735, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th July 1878:—

Final Statement of Receipts and Charges on account of Chittagong Port Fund for 1877-78.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance on 31st March 1877 ...	7,628	9	2
Port dues on vessels ...	14,374	14	8
Pilotage fees	8,290	1	6
Interest on Government securities	1,108	3	6
Canal tolls	338	2	0
Fees for registering cargo-boats	165	0	0
Fees, fines, and forfeitures ...	371	0	0
Miscellaneous	214	15	6
Cash recoveries	8	13	0
Total ...	32,499	11	4

	Rs.	A.	P.
Refunds, Marine	24	5	3
Licensing and Surveying of Cargo-boats.			
Establishment	360	0	0
Police, District Executive Force.			
European constables ...	166	0	0
Vessels and Boats.			
Establishments	455	0	0
Dockyard services and supplies...	19	0	0
Contingencies	2,005	6	3
Light-houses.			
Establishments	2,952	0	0
Stores	173	4	0
Contingencies	184	14	9
Pilotage Establishment.			
Establishment	3,811	14	3
Temporary establishment ...	158	6	4
Contingencies	6	2	0
Percentage on earnings ...	553	0	0
Port Establishment.			
Port Master	1,329	7	1
Establishment	1,162	2	3
Cost of stationery for 1877-78 ...	12	10	8
Contingencies	293	15	9
Service postage stamps ...	20	0	0
Travelling allowance ...	1	8	0
Canal tolls establishment ...	239	0	6
Miscellaneous pensions ...	99	9	2
Petty construction and repairs ...	272	6	3
Public Works.			
Original works	11,217	0	11
Repairs	713	13	6
Establishment	3,276	14	9
Percentage of the establishment in the office of the Accountant-General, Bengal	123	1	9
	29,630	15	0
Balance on 31st March 1878 ...	2,868	12	4
Total ...	32,499	11	4

Note.—The balance of Rs. 2,868-12-4 on 31st March 1878 is exclusive of Rs. 27,800 invested in Government securities.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd January 1879.—A plan and an estimate, amounting to Rs. 15,980, for the construction of toll offices on the inland vessels wharves, having been submitted by the Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 2917, dated 19th December 1878, and the same having been approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 23rd January 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the lands described in the schedule hereto annexed to be reserved forests :—

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Hill Territory ..	Goompahar ..	*North.*—The Little Rungeet; then a line running from it along the south boundary of the Mim, Tumsong, Chongtong, and Risheehat estates. *East.*—The west boundary of the Darjeeling municipality. *South.*—The Toongsong estate; then the Poobong estate; then the Palungdong khas mehal; then the Pagrainbong khas mehal; then the Silimbong and Rungbong estates. *West.*—The Nepal frontier to the Little Rungeet. The following two locations, situated within the above boundaries, are not included in the reserve forest :— (1) an area of 10 acres at Jore Pokri ; (2) an area of 10 acres at Seemana bustee.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Dooteriah ...	*North-west.*—The Bing jhora. *East.*—The Hill cart road. *South.*—The new Dooteriah road. *South-west.*—A demarcated line separating the reserve from the Dooteriah tea estate.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Rungirum, Tukdah, and Sinchal.	*North-west, North, and North-east.*—The Rungnoo jhora; then the Sinchal jhora; then the Rungirum estate, at present under lease with Mr. Wilson; then the Rungnoo jhora; then the Kejok and Pashundi jhoras; then a line from the latter to the Ramaun jhora, separating the Charlesfield estate from the Government forest land; then the Ramaun jhora; then the Mineral Spring estate; then the Darjeeling Company's land; then the Tukdah khas mehal, under lease with Prem Chunder and others; then the Lockchoo khas mehal; then the Pashok estate to the Rungeeac jhora. *East and South-east.*—The Hoom khas mehal; then the Rungli Rungliot estate; then the Pomong khas mehal; then the Rungjo jhora; then the Rungbee road; then the new road from Jore bungalow to Rishap as far as the Rungbee jhora; then a line to the watershed between the Rungbee and Raing jhoras; then the watershed between the Rungbee and Raing jhoras; then the watershed between the Balasun river on the one side and the Raing and Mahanuddy rivers on the other. *South.*—The Maharajah of Burdwan's land. *West.*—The Hill cart road, but excluding the following locations :— (1) Mr. Dewes'; (2) Mr. Ward's two locations; (3) Road reserve location; (4) Major Wardroper's two locations; (5) Road location; (6) Ditto; (7) The Maharajah of Burdwan's location from Chuttukpore to Puchim jhora;

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Hill Territory .	Rungirum, Tukdah, and Sinchal.	(8) The Government road location near Sonada; (9) The Hope Town location; (10) The Maharajah of Burdwan's location, Paharpore; (11) Road location at Rungbul; (12) Three locations at Jore bungalow.
Ditto ...	Ditto . .	Badamtam ...	*North.*—The Rungneet and Great Rungeet rivers. *East.*—The Rungnoo river. *South.*—The Rungnoo river; then Mr. Barnes' estate. *West.*—Mr. Stewart's estate.
Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Sumbong Pashok and Giljong.	*North.*—The Great Rungeet. *East.*—The Teesta. *South.*—The Raing and Rungjo jhoras. *West.*—The Ginlam (Jinglam) tea estate; Teesta Valley tea estate; then the Mungwa khas mehals; then the Peshok estate; then the Rungbong jhora; then Mr. Vanzuilicum's estate; then the Sumbong estate up to the Great Rungeet.
Ditto	Ditto ...	Seem ...	*North.*—A line running from the Poosongpoong ridge to the Sumbong ridge. *East and South-east.*—The Sumbong ridge. *South-west and west.*—The Poosongpoong ridge.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Dhobi Jhora ..	*North.*—The old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road. *East.*—Jawan Sing's land. *South.*—Mr. Bell's land and the Castleton tea estate. *West.*—The old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road; then the Northern Bengal Railway settlement; then again the old Kursiong-Darjeeling Military road.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Munjhooa ...	*North.*—The Pingloo Tar. *East.*—The Balasun river. *South.*—Mr. Treutler's estate. *West.*—The Singbullee and Munjhooa estates.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Khyrbanee ...	*North.*—A foot-path leading from the Mechi river to Tingling stockade. *East.*—The Munjha river. *South and South-west.*—Dr. Barker's tea estate. *West.*—The Mechi river.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Mechi ...	*North.*—The Khyrbanee forest. *East.*—Mr. Davies' estate and Lohagurree forest. *South.*—The Terai Mechi forest. *West.*—The Nepal territory.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Koohein ...	*North.*—Captain Cornish's (Mr. Lloyd's) estate. *East.*—Bhakat Bir's land. *South.*—The Koohein jhora. *West.*—The Mechi.
Ditto ..	Ditto ...	Lohagurree ...	*North.*—Mr. Davies' and Dr. Barker's estates. *East.*—The Munjha nuddee. *South.*—The Darjeeling Terai. *West.*—The Mechi forest.
Ditto ...	Ditto ..	Munjha ...	*North.*—Major Sherwill's land. *East.*—The Balasun. *South.*—The New Terai and Indian Terai tea companies. *West.*—The Munjha nuddee; within the above boundaries two locations, belonging to the Indian Terai Tea Company and to the New Terai Tea Company, are situated. These are not included in the reserve.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Hill Territory ..	Bamunpokri ...	*North.*—Mr. Pereira's land. *East.*—The Rukti river. *South.*—The Pelkoo Dass and Bamnee jotes. *West.*—The Bansunmallee jhora.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Lama Gumba ..	*North.*—Mr. Owen's land. *East.*— Ditto. *South.*—Mr. Sonthby's land. *West.*—The Rohonee jhora. Within the above boundaries is situated a location comprising 6 acres 2 roods 8 poles, which is not included in the reserve.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Sibakhola ..	*North-east.*—The Sibakhola river. *South-east.*—Mr. Bell's land. *South.*—The Maharajah of Burdwan's land called Kurjung. *West.*—The Hill cart road.
Ditto ...	Partly hill territory and partly Terai.	Sukna-Teesta Forest.	*North-west and North.*—Mr. Bell's land (survey No. 182); then the Sepoydoorah estate (survey No. 196); then the Norbong estate (survey No. 189); then the Mahanuddy river; then the Mana jhora; then the watershed between the Raing on one side and the Mahanuddy and Teesta on the other side; then a line running from the said watershed to the junction of the Raing and Rungjo rivers; then the Raing down to its junction with the Teesta. *East.*—The Teesta river. *South.*—The Boycuntpore estate; then the Gulma river; then survey Nos. 877, 882, 855, 865, 879; then the eastern half of the Mahanuddy river opposite survey Nos. 879, 866, and 870; then the Mahanuddy river; then the Moorgong estate, survey No. 827; then survey No. 845A; then Kynanooka jote; then the Ganges and Darjeeling cart road; then survey Nos. 787, 936, 944, 921, 927. *West.*—The Chamta nuddee, which skirts survey No. 973 and passes through survey No. 970; then survey Nos. 970 and 976; then the Khooklong nuddee; then a demarcated line to survey No. 182. The jote known as 'Shilibhita' is not included in the reserve.
Ditto ...	Terai	Mechi	*North.*—The Darjeeling Hills. *East.*—Survey Nos. 1009¼, 85, 106, 79, 75. *South.*—Survey No. 24. *West.*—The Mechi river.
Ditto	Ditto	Soorj Bur Forest	*North and East.*—Survey No. 76. *South.*—Survey No. 45. *West.*—The Mechi.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Balasun and Dulkajhar forests.	*North.*—The Darjeeling hill territory and survey No. 997. *East.*—Survey Nos. 1001, 990A, 990, 990B, 967, 989, 903, 953. *South.*—Survey Nos. 979, 702, 673, 738, 704, 742; then the Hurlia nuddee; then survey No. 583; then the Hurlia nuddee again; then survey Nos. 717, 721, 582, 636, 605 636 again; then the Taipoo nuddee; then the Kaldoe nuddee; then survey Nos. 573, 589, 577. *West.*—The Lulfa jhora; then survey Nos. 420, 419, 380, 378, 385, 407 (Tepra Bhola), 1006½, 1006⅓, 1006½. The jotes known as Major Wardroper's and Rishabari are not included in the reserve.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Rukti	*North.*—The Silligori-Punkabari road.

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Terai	Rukti	*East and South-east.*—The eastern branch of the Rukti river. *West.*—Survey Nos. 990B, 908, 911, and the western branch of the Rukti river.
Ditto ...	Hill Territory ...	Merig	*North.*—The Rungbong river. *East.*—The Murma estate. *South.*—The Phoogarhi land. *West.*—The Siminpokri, Singhee Sooba's, and Tharboo estates.
Ditto ...	Dumsong ...	Nazzeok ...	*North.*—The Rilli river and its feeder the Reyoong. *East.*—The watershed between the Seth and Siok jhoras; then the watershed between the Door and Siok jhoras up to the trigonometrical point at Nazzeok. *South.*—The watershed between the Door jhora on one side and the Runeyoth and Gooling jhoras on the other side, from Nazzeok to the Teesta. *West.*—The Teesta.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Tunang	*North-West.*—The Rilli. *North-east.*—A line running along a ridge from the junction of the Rereoong and Rilli rivers to Tunang. *South-east.*—A line running along a ridge from Tunang to the junction of the Nuboong and Reyoong rivers. *South-west.*—The Reyoong river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Rinkinpung ...	*North and East.*—The Teesta Kalingpung road; then a line running south from it and nearly parallel with the Teesta until near Tunklong; then following a ridge to Rinkinpung, and another spur running in an eastern direction to the Rilli; then the Rilli. *South-east.*—The Rilli. *West.*—The Teesta.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Kalingpung ...	*West and North-west.*—The Teesta. *East, South-east, and South.*—The Torchu; then a line running nearly parallel to the Teesta, at a distance of from half to one mile to the Teesta-Kalingpung road; then the Teesta-Kalingpung road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dumsong ...	*North.*—The Rungpo Chu. *East.*—A line running along a ridge from the Rungpo Chu, between Cashun and Kohu, until close to Dumsong; then along the road from Dumsong to Duschung; then along the road from Duschung towards Kalingpung. *South.*—A line running from the Kalingpung-Duschung road to the watershed between the Teesta and Rilli rivers, meeting that watershed about three-fourths of a mile south-west of Eecha; then running first in a northerly and then a westerly direction to the Torchu. *West.*—The Torchu; and then the Teesta.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Payong	*North-west.*—The Kalingpung-Duschung road. *North-east.*—The watershed between the Noonchu and Maydong rivers; and then the Kalingpung-Laba road. *South-east.*—The watershed between the Noonchu and Rilli rivers. *South-west.*—A line running from the south-eastern boundary to the Kalingpung-Duschung road.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Darjeeling ...	Dumsong ...	Maydong ...	*North.*—An irregular line running from the Kalingpung-Duschung road to the Pakathaw monastery. *East.*—The watershed between the Maydong and Rushett rivers. *South.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road. *West.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road, and then the watershed between the Noon Chu and Maydong rivers, and then the Kalingpung-Duschung road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Khempung ..	*North and East.*—The Kalingpung-Laba road. *South.*—The watershed between the Rilli and Jeetehu rivers as far as the Siehoor hills; then a ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali. *West.*—A line running from the southern boundary to the Pako Chu; then the Pako Chu; then the Rilli; then the Kaling Chu and then a line running from the Kalung Chu to the watershed between the Rilli and Noon Chu rivers; then up that watershed to the Kalingpung-Laba road.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Loolagaon ..	*North.*—A ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali. *East and South.*—The watershed between the Rilli on one side and the Jeet and Lessoo rivers on the other side. *West.*—A line running from the south boundary to the Rereoong; then to the Rungno Chu; and then to the ridge running from Siehoor towards Pali.
Julpigoree ...	Western Deoars	Apalchand ...	*North.*—A demarcated line near the southern boundary of Udlabari talook and the Chel nuddee. *East.*—A demarcated line running from the Chel nuddee along the western boundary of the late Durga Mechi's land, known as Khatea Gaon Rajadanga; then in a westerly direction to the northern boundary of Binua Ram zemindar's land, known as Khilabari Rajadanga, to the Phul nuddee; then across that nuddee along the southern boundary of the sâl forest to the land of Maher Ali and others, known as Kala Duar, skirting these to the high land north of Kadambari village, along the edge of that high land to the Apalchand river, excluding the land known as Shamsher pokri; then the Apalchand river; then round the Sidabari jote, so as to exclude it; then again the Apalchand river; then a demarcated line running from the Apalchand to the Gila nuddee; then the Gila nuddee; then a demarcated line running in a southerly, easterly, and again in a southerly direction to the Duramari nuddee so as to exclude all lands under settlement with jotedars. *South.*—The Duramari and Chengamari nuddees; then a line from the latter to the Teesta so as to exclude Pataro's jote. *West.*—The Teesta river and a demarcated line running along the southern and eastern boundary of the Gazlidhuba tea estate; then the Apalchand; then the Duduamari nuddee; then a demarcated line running in a westerly and north-westerly direction to the Gonda jhora; then following the boundaries of Punjab Sing's and Mr. Haughton's jotes up to the north boundary.

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Julpigoree ...	Western Dooars...	Tundu	*North.*—The boundary between the Julpigoree and Darjeeling district. *East.*—The Jhuldaka river; then a demarcated line running near its eastern bank; then again the Jhuldaka. *South.*—A demarcated line near the west bank of the Jhuldaka; then the Jhuldaka; then the Murti river; then a demarcated line running from the Murti, first in a southern and then in a western direction to the Dhurla river, meeting the latter just above Lataguri Hât. *West.*—First the Dhurla river; then a demarcated line round Borodighi jote so as to exclude it; then again the Dhurla; then a demarcated line running from the Dhurla, first in an eastern and then north-eastern direction, to the Murti river; then the Murti; then a demarcated line running from the Murti to the Indong river; then the Indong.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dainah	*North.*—The Bhootan boundary. *East and South.*—The eastern bank of the Longtee river; then a demarcated line running first approximately parallel with the Dainah river, and then back to that river; then the east bank of the Dainah river; then a line running approximately parallel with the Dainah and back to the Dainah, meeting it close to its junction with the Jhaldaka; then the Dainah. *West.*—The Jhaldaka; then a demarcated line following the boundary of the Bamundanga tea estate back to the Dainah; then the Dainah; then a high bank; then again the Dainah; then the Ghateea; then the Coojee Dainah; then a high bank; then again the Coojee Dainah; then a line to the Chengmaree plateau; then along the edge of that plateau to the Dainah; then the west bank of the Dainah to the Bhootan frontier.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Muraghat ..	*North.*—A demarcated line running from the source of the Kanai nuddee to the source of the Garati nuddee. *East.*—The Garati nuddee; then a short line to the Ghairruta nuddee; then the Ghairruta nuddee. *South and West.*—The Nonai nuddee and then the Kanai nuddee.
Ditto ..	Ditto	Dulgaon ...	*North.*—A line running from the Tasahti to the Birpiti nuddee. *East.*—The Birpiti nuddee. *South.*—A line running from the Tasahti to the Birpiti nuddee. *West.*—The Tasahti nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dumchi ...	*North.*—A line running from the Dabdoob nuddee to a jhora which joins the Sookhan-Titi nuddee. *East.*—A jhora which joins the Sookhan-Titi, and the Sookhan-Titi nuddee. *South.*—The Sookhan-Titi nuddee and the Wihtee nuddee. *West.*—The Sap jhora and the Dabdoob nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Khairbari ...	*North-west and West.*—The Sookhan jhora and a line close to the Gungthung nuddee; then the Gungthung nuddee. *East and South-east.*—A line from the Sookan jhora to the old Toorsa nuddee; then the old Toorsa nuddee.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Julpigoree ...	Western Dooars	Borojhar ...	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Hashmara, Balla, Tursa, and Molungi nuddees; then a demarcated line from the Molungi nuddee to the Buri Basra nuddee; then the Buri Basra and Alaikuri nuddees. *South.*—The Bania nuddee; then a demarcated line from it to the Buri Tursa; then the Buri Tursa river. *West.*—The Ulundi nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Hashmara nuddee; then the Hashmara nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Tursa; and the Tursa river up to the Bhootan frontier.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Buxa	*North.*—A demarcated line, from the Alaikuri or Pana river, running in a south-easterly direction to the Alipore-Buxa road, meeting it just below Sentrabari; then running first in a north-easterly and then in a south-easterly direction to the Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Bhootan frontier; then the Guddadhur river; then a demarcated line running first west, then south, then east, back to the Guddadhur river; then again the Guddadhur river. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Guddadhur in a westerly direction to the Paror nuddee. *West.*—A demarcated line from the Paror river to the Nimti nuddee; then the Nimti nuddee; then a demarcated line running first east, then south-east, then east, and then north to the Gurm nuddee; then the Gurm nuddee; then a demarcated line to the Alaikuri river; and the Alaikuri river to the north boundary.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Raidak	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Raidak river. *South.*—A small jhora joining the Raidak river with the Nasirpak nuddee. *West.*—The Nasirpak nuddee; the Chipra nuddee; a demarcated line from the Chipra nuddee, first in a north-eastern, then eastern, then northern, and then western direction to the Dhola jhora; the Dhola jhora; and the Bhootan frontier to the north boundary.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Dhampara ...	*North.*—The Bhootan frontier. *East.*—The Sunkos river. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Sunkos, first in a western, then north-western, and then again western direction to the Raidak river. *West.*—The Raidak river.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Bholka	*North.*—The Sunkos river. *East.*—The Sunkos river, the Bhataldara jhora, and the Jhorai nuddee. *South.*—A demarcated line running from the Jhorai, first in a westerly and then north-westerly direction, to the Kulkuli nuddee. *West.*—The Kulkuli nuddee; then a demarcated line from the Kulkuli in a north-easterly direction to the Gholanee nuddee; then the Gholanee nuddee; then a demarcated line from it in a north-easterly direction to the Sunkos.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Lohardugga ...	Palamow ..	Kechki ...	*North.*—The Aurunga river. *West.*—The Koel river. *South-east.*—A line running from the Koel to the Aurunga.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Betla	*North.*—The north boundary of mouzah Hateeyali; then the western boundary of Damooder Khar; then down a feeder of the Aurunga river to that river; then the Aurunga. *East.*—The Aurunga river. *South.*—The south boundary of Damooder Khar; then down a small stream joining the Teorahee nuddee; then up the Teorahee nuddee; then the northern boundary of Lookum Khar, Gadee, and Kocheelah mouzahs. *West.*—A straight line running from the junction of the boundaries of Kocheelah, Ookamand, and Moondah in a northerly direction to the junction of the boundaries of Moondah, Dooramee, Ukhera, and Betal mouzah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Saidope ...	*North.*—The northern boundary of Khamee tuppa to the junction of the boundaries of Morwaie, Kullan, Jurgudh, Ganseday, and Lat, then following the western boundary of Jurgudh to a western feeder of the Douree nuddee; then down that feeder to the western boundary of Saidope; then along that boundary in a southerly direction to the foot of the hills; then following the foot of the hills to the eastern boundary of Saidope; then the eastern boundary of Saidope to an eastern branch of the Douree nuddee; then that branch until to a point about one mile north-west of Hurnomand village; then a line running in a southerly direction to the foot of the hills; then following the foot of the hills to the western boundary of Joroahur; then a line following a small stream for about one mile in a north-easterly direction and then northerly direction to the junction of the boundaries of Gadee, Cheepadohur, and Kedh; then along the northern boundary of Kedh to the Aurunga river. *East.*—The Aurunga river; then the Pooboa and Jeewa nuddees. *South.*—The western boundary of Barce tuppa; then up a feeder of the Jeewa nuddee; then following the foot of the hills up to the Charo nuddee; then the Charo nuddee and the Koel river. *West.*—The western boundary of Meral mouzah.
Ditto ...	Ditto ...	Kumandee ...	*North.*—A line starting from the north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah and following the foot of the hills to the western boundary of Kumandee; then along the southern boundary of Kumandee; then up a small stream; then the southern boundary of Nowagadha; then down a small stream for a short distance; then up another branch of it; then along the southern boundary of Bindi.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Lohardugga ..	Palamow ...	Kumandee ..	*East.*—The western boundary of Bichra and Zer. *South.*—The north-eastern boundary of Munkheree tuppa; then the northern boundary of Kookoo; then the Ranee Deh nuddee to where the north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah crosses it. *South-west.*—The north-eastern boundary of Kutteeyah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Ramundag ...	*North.*—The Burmahee nuddee; then a line running in an eastern direction to the western boundary of Purroh; then the northern boundary of Purroh and Ramundag; then the eastern boundary of Khamee tuppa; then the northern boundary of Kantokona and Koreemoree mouzahs to the Dhadoon nuddee. *East.*—The Dhadoon nuddee. *South.*—The Jorhur nuddee and the Koel river. *West.*—The Goanjh nuddee.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Barasand ...	*North.*—The Koel river. *East.*—The eastern boundary of Baras and Tuppah. *South.*—A line running from the east boundary of Baras and Tuppah, first in a northerly and then easterly direction, to the junction of the Baras and Checharee roads; then following the Checharee road in a southerly direction to where it crosses the northern boundary of Checharee tuppa; then following the northern boundary of Checharee tuppa in a westerly direction. *West.*—The western boundary of Baras and Tuppah.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Seema ...	*North.*—The southern and eastern boundary of Maromand; then the southern boundary of Loiah; then the western boundary of Hoolok; then the northern boundary of Serum; then the western boundary of Dareechapur, Jaigir, and Bareebun; then the northern boundary of Kanteh for about one mile; then a line running in a southerly direction to the south boundary of Kanteh; then the south boundary of Kanteh, Toreedag, and road to a small feeder of the Koel; then down that feeder to the Koel. *East.*—The Koel river. *South.*—Starting from the Koel, first the south boundary of Palamow until where it meets the edge of the Neturhat plateau; then a line following the edge of that plateau in a northerly direction until opposite the source of a small stream which joins the Pindra nuddee about one mile below Pinda; then a straight line running in a westerly direction to where the southern boundary of mouzah Koorgee hits the western boundary of Seema tuppa. *West.*—The western boundary of Seema tuppa.
Shahabad ...	Sasseeram ...	Rhotas plateau ..	The Rhotas plateau being the table-land bounded on all sides by the slopes known as the Rhotas slopes, except on the south-west corner, where a narrow neck of land joins it to taluka Rehul.
Ditto .	Ditto	Rhotas slopes ...	The Rhotas slopes being sides of the hill from the plain to the crest, the summit of which forms the Rhotas plateau, the said slopes extending irregularly for a distance of about 28 miles round the plateau.

District.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Shahabad ..	Sasseram ...	Rohal plateau ...	The Rohal plateau, comprising that part of taluka Rohal which is at present held khas by Government, and including the cultivated portion formerly settled with the Maharajah of Deo, and lately taken up under the Land Acquisition Act. The plateau is bounded on the south and east by the Rohal slopes, on the north by mouzahs Boodhua and Chunda, and on the west by mouzahs Borgar and Pipardip.
Ditto ...	Ditto	Bans-i-Koh .	The tract of land known as the Bans-i-Koh, being a strip of land about six miles in length comprising slopes and valley; bounded on the north by the plateau villages of Dholdag, Bundah, and Sodag, and on the south by mouzahs Mudkopea and Nomadih, Amangua, Teera-Khurd, and Kalon.
24-Pergunnahs ... Jessore ...	Satkhira ... Khoolna, Bagirhat.	Sunderbuns .	*North.*—From the Kalindi nuddee, eastward along the northern boundary of the ungranted portion of lot No. 164, called Koekhali, to the Jaboona river; then down the Jaboona; then along the eastern boundary of the Kalenchi Abad; then the Moor Gong; then the Aburi and Allooah khals; then up the Eshamutti river; then along the northern boundary of ungranted lot No. 169; then the Chuar Gong; and then the Colputto river to the Arpungassya river; then the Shakbaria nuddee; then the Mysaleer khal to its junction with the Seepsah river; then southwards along the Seepsah river to the point where it is joined by the Sootur Khalee river; then northwards along the said Sootur Khalee until it joins the Bhudder river; then southwards along the Bhudder river to the point where it is met by the khal or creek called Loutakhalee in the maps, but locally known as Khajoorbaria khal, and which said khal forms the northern boundary of lot No. 226, called Kurumjal; then along the south and west banks of the said Loutakhalee creek or Khajoorbaria khal to its junction with the Pussur river; then a short distance south along the Pussur river and across it to the Nora Cheela khal, which forms the northern boundary of lot No. 240; then along the said Nora Cheela khal to its junction with the gang or river called Cheela Chandpie; then across the Cheela Chandpie, and along the south bank of the Khurma nuddee or river as far east as its point of junction with the Bhola river, which flows on the west of the well-known lots, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 Khowlea Barisal. *East.*—The Bhola river; then the Bogee khal and the Hooringotta river. *South.*—The Sea. *West.*—The Kalindi nuddee and the Roymungul river.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	.....	Miani ..	The area drained by the Miani river, bounded as follows:— *North.*—Hill Tipperah. *East.*—The watershed between the Miani and Kassalong rivers. *West.*—The watershed between the Miani and Chingri rivers.

DISTRICT.	Pergunnah or other Sub-division.	Name of Forest.	Description of Boundaries.
Chittagong Hill Tracts.	.....	Miani	*South.*—A demarcated line from the mouth of the Miani river, east and west, to the eastern and western boundary.
Ditto ...	....	Sitapahar ...	A block consisting of two pieces of land, on the banks of the Kurnafooli, east of Sitapahar, the boundaries of which run as follows :— *First piece.*—Starting from the Kurnafooli, opposite Sitapahar, in a northern direction for about one mile ; then following a ridge towards the east and south-east until it meets the Kurnafooli, near a place called Fukeerachar ; then down the Kurnafooli until opposite Sitapahar. *The second piece* of land is bounded on the north by the Kurnafooli ; on the east by the Kaptie ; south by a line parallel with the Kurnafooli, at about three-fourths of a mile distance ; west by a small stream joining the Kurnafooli opposite Royonpara.
Ditto ...	.....	Martamori ..	*East.*—The watershed between the Martamori river on one side, and the Twine Choung and Sungoo river on the other side. *South and West.*—The watershed between the Martamori river on one side, and Arrakan and the area drained by the Bagkhali river on the other side. *North.*—A demarcated line running from Alai Khwadong east and west to the eastern and western boundaries.

A MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 10th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a Mahomedan burial ground in the village of Digla, Calcutta pergunnah, sub-division Dum-Dum, zillah 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, six beegahs, situated within the boundaries described below, and belonging severally to Zamir Mundal, Mothur Mundul, Sadek Mundul, Piru Kunjrah and Rosick Lall Ghose, is required within the aforesaid village.

Boundaries.

North.—Hasamdi Mundal and Sadek Mundul's paddy fields.

East.—Road to Bagjulla.

South —Zamir Mundal, Gulkhan, Sadek Mundal, and Rosick Lall Ghose's lands.

West.—Hakim Khan's land.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 897A.

The 23rd January 1879.—Mr. J. R. Hallett, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rajshahye, is vested with the power, under Section 266 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, of hearing appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the Second and Third Classes, during the absence, on tour, of the District Magistrate.

The 6th February 1879.—Baboo Poorno Chunder Banerjee is appointed to act as Moonsif of Chuprah, in the district of Sarun, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Tara Prosunno Banerjee, or until further orders.

Baboo Kapali Prosunno Mookerjee, M.A., B.L., is appointed to act as a Moonsif of Satkhirah, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Madhub Chundra Chuckerbutty, or until further orders.

Baboo Tara Churn Sen, B.L., is appointed to act as a Moonsif of Comillah, in the district of Tipperah, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Joduputty Banerjee, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

The 7th February 1879.—Baboo Mohendro Nath Mookerjee, B.L., is appointed to act as Moonsif of Nattore, in the district of Rajshahye, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Probode Chunder Dutt, or until further orders.

Baboo Haris Chandra Sen, Second Moonsif of Raojan in Chittagong, is transferred to Dewangunge in the district of Noakholly.

Baboo Hur Chunder Dass, Moonsif of Dewangunge in Noakholly, is transferred to Raojan in the district of Chittagong.

The 10th February 1879.—Baboo Matadin, Subordinate Judge, Gya, is allowed leave for twelve days, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 31st ultimo.

Baboo Adhar Lal Sen, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to act as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in Chittagong, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Baboo Jogendronath Deb is appointed to act as Moonsif of Kaligunge in Dacca, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Anund Coomar Surbadhicary, or until further orders.

The 11th February 1879.—The Moonsif of Banka, in Bhagulpore, is appointed also to be a Moonsif of the Sudder Moonsiffee in that district.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 5th February* 1879.—Baboo Anand Chunder Mullick, First Moonsif of Raojan, in the district of Chittagong, having availed himself of a portion only of leave of absence for three months granted to him on the 26th August 1878, and returned to duty on the forenoon of the 26th December of that year, the unexpired portion (eight days) of his leave is cancelled.

The 7th February 1879.—Baboo Anand Kumara Survadhikari, Moonsif of Kaligunge, in the district of Dacca, has been allowed leave of absence for three months, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the day on which he may avail himself of it.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—The following revised notification is published for general information, in supersession of the notification, dated 1st February 1879, published at page 116, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem.

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the district of Maldah be excluded from the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and be included in that of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye, and that the Sessions Court do sit for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the District Magistracy of Muldah, at Maldah, which place has been approved of by the High Court.

2. Application will be made to the Government of India for sanction to the abolition of the office of Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge in the districts of Darjeeling and Julpigoree. The Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division do cease to exercise jurisdiction as Civil and Sessions Judge in those districts, and that the district of Darjeeling be included in the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge now exercised by the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner in the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Darjeeling as the place where the sittings of the Court of Session shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor further directs that, saving always the provisions of Act XVI of 1869, the district of Julpigoree be included within the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judges of Rungpore, and that the powers of a

Subordinate Judge exercised by the Deputy Commissioner of the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Julpigoree as the place where the sittings of the Court of Sessions shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

4. These arrangements will take effect from the 1st March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd February 1879.—In continuation of Government notification dated the 19th July 1878, it is hereby notified, under the provisions of Section 15 of Act V of 1861, that in consequence of the continued existence of ill feeling in the undermentioned village and the probability that, if the police were withdrawn, a breach of the peace would occur, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the retention, for a further period of six months, from the 31st January 1879, of the reduced special police force of one head-constable and four constables, quartered in the village of Singkhali, in the Perozepore subdivision, in the district of Backergunge. The cost of the force noted below will, as before, be assessed and levied from the inhabitants of the village in proportion to their respective means :—

			Rs.	A.	P.
One fourth grade head-constable ...	...	...	10	0	0
Four ditto constables at Rs. 6	...	...	24	0	0
Pensionary charges at 2 annas per rupee	...	...	4	4	0
Contingent charges at 10 per cent. ...	...	...	3	6	0
Dinghy hire at Rs. 8 per mensem ...	...	...	8	0	0
	Total	...	49	10	0
Or for six months ...	...	...	297	12	0
Clothing allowance for six months ...	...	...	10	0	0
	Total	...	307	12	0

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Under the provisions of Sections 5 and 7 of Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the Chaugaon Sub-Registry Office in the district of Rajshahye from Chaugaon to Singra.

This change will have effect on and from the 1st February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Under Section 6 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the appointment of a separate Rural Sub-Registrar to the charge of the Sub-Registry Office of Bhola, in the district of Backergunge, and appoints Syed Abdus Salam to be Rural Sub-Registrar of the place.

These arrangements will take effect from the 15th February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Mr. Edward Branson Harris, C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be also Sub-Registrar of Monghyr, *vice* Mr. H. S. Thompson, deceased.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th February 1879.

No. 38.—*Transfer.*—Mr. A. Horne, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, from the First Calcutta to the Patna Division in the interests of the public service.

(CIVIL BUILDINGS.)

The 10th February 1879.

No. 39.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a district jail at Motiharee, in the village of Belwa Tar and Tirkoolwa, pergunnah Mujhawa, zillah Chumparun, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 17 beeghas seven cottahs and three chittacks standard measurement, bounded on the north by land cultivated by ryots Parmessor Chumar, Roudi Comarh, and Rassi Hajara Dosad; on the south by the approach road to the Race Course and the Race Course itself; on the east by the road from Motiharee to Toorkowlia, and on the west by land cultivated by ryots Manohar Mahto Koyri and Isser Koyri, is required within the aforesaid village of Belwa Tar and Tirkoolwa near Motiharee.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

(LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS).

Th 10th February 1879.

No. 40.—*Declaration under Section* 6, *Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a road in the village of Bainboha, pergunnahs Nasibsahi and Mohimsahi, zillah Furreedpore, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, 23 beeghas 15 cottahs 4 chittacks of standard measurement, bounded on the north, south, east and west by the village of Bainboha, and passing along the Dhopakhally Khall in the said village, commencing from the end of the Mattibhora road and ending near the Kolibari adjacent to Nasibsahi Bhor, is required within the aforesaid village of Bainboha.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

No. 41.—*Declaration, under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India, in supersession of Declaration No.* 299, *dated the 26th November* 1878, *which was published at page* 1256 *of the "Calcutta Gazette" of the 27th idem.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz., for the construction of a road from Danga to Nursingdee, in zillah Dacca, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring, more or less, nine miles 1,961 feet in length by about fifty feet in width, and passing through the villages of Danga, Hoshenhatta, Towra, Kendooabo, Bunbhog, Pakoorea, Mamoora or Muttra, Bondaul, Kakoyesha, Shonar, Pachdona, Sreenugoor, Dakinchandan, Boraurhat, Sreechundee, Shilmandi, Ashmandee, Baghata, Masimpoor, Khatua, Shaeldepara, Bagadee, Shaturpara, Nursingdee, in thana Rupgunge, is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

G. A. D. ANLEY, C.E.,

Asst. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 4th February 1879.

No. 51.—*Notifications.*—In continuation of the orders marginally noted, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to promote Baboo Jodonath Mukerjee, Deputy Canal Revenue Superintendent, Midnapore, to the Second Grade of Canal Revenue Superintendents, on a pay of Rs. 400 per mensem, with retrospective effect from the 1st March 1878.

No. 4, dated 2nd January 1879.

The 10th February 1879.

No. 52.—Notification No. 303 of the 28th November 1878, granting special leave on urgent private affairs for one month to Mr. C. W. Hope, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, is hereby cancelled.

IRRIGATION.

No. 53.—Declaration No. 117, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870, for land for the excavation of a drainage channel in the village of Oolipore, pergunnah Khurruckpore, in the district of Midnapore, published at page 497, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th April 1877, is hereby cancelled, the land declared for not being required.

H. C. LEVINGE,

Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

WHEREAS it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, as a building site for the East Indian Railway Company in the village of Jerriagadee, pergunnah Khurruckdeeha, zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land more or less, four cottahs and ten chittacks of standard measurement, is required in the said village of Jerriagadee, bounded on the north by land already in possession of the East Indian Railway Company, and on the south, east, and west by cultivated land in the village of Giridi

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

WHEREAS it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, as a building site for the East Indian Railway Company in the village of Giridi, pergunnah Khurruckdeeha, zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, more or less, five beeghas one cottah and eleven chittacks of standard measurement, is required in the said village of Giridi, bounded on the north partly by land already in possession of the East Indian Railway Company and partly by the southern boundary of the village of Jerriagadee; on the south by cultivated land in the village of Giridi; on the east by land (to be) in possession of East Indian Railway Company, as notified in *Government Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight; and on the west by road leading from Giridi Railway Station to Dhurumsala and Hazareebagh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

Sheriff's Office, the 15th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৫ জানুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই ফেব্রুয়ারি সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের দ্বিতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ই, সি, মরগেন, শরিফ।

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

CIVIL.

No. 4, dated the 17th January 1879.

As some misapprehension has been found to exist with regard to the form of declaration to be filed by Pleaders and Mookhtars in conformity with the recital in the form of certificate given in the second Schedule to Act XX of 1865, the forms appended to this Circular Order have been drawn up, and are prescribed for use in the future.

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE GIVEN BY PLEADERS OF THE HIGHER GRADE.

I of do hereby declare that I was admitted as a Pleader of the Higher Grade by the Hon'ble High Court in 18 . I am therefore entitled to practise as a Pleader in all Courts subordinate to the Hon'ble High Court, and was enrolled in the Court in the District of on the and I have accordingly been practising as a Pleader in the District Court of this place and the Courts subordinate to it, and that my ordinary place of business is at

Dated the day of 18 .

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE GIVEN BY PLEADERS OF THE LOWER GRADE.

I of do hereby declare that I was admitted as a Pleader of the Lower Grade by the Hon'ble High Court in 18 . I am therefore entitled to practise as a Pleader in all Moonsiffs' Courts and Criminal and Revenue Courts within the Zillah, and I have been practising in all the aforesaid Courts within this Zillah, and was enrolled in the Court of on the , and that my ordinary place of business is at

Dated the day of 18 .

FORM OF DECLARATION TO BE GIVEN BY MOOKHTARS.

I of do hereby declare that I was admitted as a Mookhtar by the Hon'ble High Court in 18 , and am thereby entitled to practise in the Court subordinate to the High Court, and was enrolled in the Court on the , and that my ordinary place of business is at and that I have been practising in the Court

Dated the day of 18

NOTIFICATION.

The 5th February 1879.—The following list of holidays to be observed in the Appellate side of the High Court in the year 1879 is notified for general information.

List of Holidays during 1879.

New Year's Day and the two days following, with Mohurrum.	January 1st to 4th ...	Pous (1285) 18th to 21st.	Wednesday to Saturday.
Srí Punchomi	,, 27th & 28th	Magh 15th and 16th	Monday & Tuesday.
Fateha Doazdahom	March 6th ...	Falgoon 23rd ...	Thursday.
Dól Jatra	,, 8th ...	,, 25th ...	Saturday.
Easter Vacation, including Choit (Mahabishub) Sankranti.	April 11th to 15th	Choitro 29th to Bysack (1286) 3rd.	Friday to Tuesday.
Queen's Birth-day	May 24th ...	Joisto 11th ...	Saturday.
Dusohara	,, 31st ...	,, 18th ...	Saturday.
Junmo Ostomi	August 9th ...	Srabun 25th ...	Saturday.
Annual Vacation, including Mohaloya, Eed-ul Fitr, and Durga, Lukhi, Kali, and Kartic Poojas.	September 16th to November 15th.	Assin 1st to Kartic 30th.	Tuesday to Saturday.
Juggodhatri Pooja	November 22nd and 23rd.	Aughran 7th & 8th	Saturday & Sunday.
Eed-uz-Zoha	November 25th and 26th.	,, 10th & 11th	Tuesday & Wednesday.
Mohurrum and Christmas Vacations...	December 20th to 31st.	Pous 6th to 17th ...	Saturday to Wednesday.

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Small Cause Court of Burrisaul will hold his Small Cause Court sittings on the 17th, 18th 21st, and 22nd February 1879, in continuation of the last four working days of the second week of that month.

BANY MADHUB MITTER, *Offg. Judge.*

BURRISAUL SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 5th February 1879.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, it is hereby notified, in supersession of the notification of the 7th September 1877, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th idem, that the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Hooghly, Serampore, and Howrah will, subject to the orders of Government, hold sittings each month, from the 1st March 1879, in the three different Courts on the dates mentioned below :—

In the Small Cause Court at Hooghly, from the 1st to 10th of each month.
In the Small Cause Court at Serampore, from the 11th to 16th of each month.
In the Small Cause Court at Howrah, from the 17th to the end of each month.

MOHENDRO NATH BOSE, *Judge.*

HOOGHLY SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 5th February 1879.

Under Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Dacca and Munshiganj will sit again in the latter Court on the dates mentioned below :—

Monday, the 24th February 1879. | Tuesday, the 25th February 1879.
Wednesday, the 26th February 1879.

AMIRTA LALL CHATTERJEE, *Judge, Small Cause Court*

MUNSHIGANJ SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 7th February 1879.

TREASURY NOTICES.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO HURICHURN GHOSE has been placed in charge of the Chumparun Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, the 4th February 1879.

COVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. R. H. GREAVES has been placed in charge of the Gya Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

THE following students have passed the B. L. Examination :—

FIRST DIVISION.

Sarkar, Chandrasekhar	...	Presidency College.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1.	Basu, Durgadas	...	Presidency College.
2.	Sen, Taraprasanna	...	Ditto.
3	Das, Tarakchandra	...	Ditto.
4	Nagwant Sahay	...	Patna College.
5	Ized Bakhsh	...	Presidency College.
6	Mukhopadhyay, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
	" Rajnarayan	...	Hugli College.
8	Aikath, Saradakumar	...	Patna College.
9	Mitra, Ambikacharan	...	Hugli College.
10	Set, Manilal	...	Presidency College.
11	Gupta, Girindrakumar	...	Krishnaghur College.
12	Bagchi Brajagopal	...	Presidency College.
13	Bhagwan Sahay	...	Patna College.
	Das, Bipinbihari	...	Presidency College.
15	Mukhopadhyay, Srischandra	...	Ditto.
16	Chattopadhyay, Iswarchandra	...	Patna College.
17	Datta, Manmohan	...	Presidency College.
	De, Advaitaprasad	...	Ditto.
19	Sinha, Pramathakrishna	...	Ditto.
20	Bhattacharyya, Srischandra	...	Ditto.
21	Pal, Nanigopal	...	Ditto.
22	Mukhopadhyay, Amarchandra	...	Hugli College.

23	Sayyed Khyrat Ahmed	...	Patna College.
24	Chandra, Priyanath	...	Presidency College.
25	Chattopadhyay, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
26	Mitra, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
27	Mukhopadhyay, Upendranath (1st)	...	Ditto.
28	Datta, Ramlal	...	Ditto.
	Gangopadhyay, Satyacharan	...	Ditto.
30	Chattopadhyay, Priyanath	...	Ditto.
31	Do, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
32	Mitra, Gopallal	...	Ditto.
33	Chaudhuri, Jogendrachandra	...	Krishnaghur College.
34	Bagchi, Upendranath	...	Presidency College.
	Chattopadhyay, Saratchandra	...	Ditto.
36	Mukhopadhyay, Haranchandra	...	Ditto.
37	,, Harilal	...	Ditto.
38	Chaudhuri, Prasannanarayan	...	Ditto.
39	Mukhopadhyay, Karunasindhu	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Saradaprasad	...	Patna College.
41	Bandyopadhyay, Bidhubhushan	...	Presidency College.
	Datta, Nandalal	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Harachandra	...	Ditto.
	Basu, Anantakumar	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Gaurballabh	...	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Asutosh	...	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 6th February 1879.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY,
Registrar.

THE Latin subjects for the Gilchrist Scholarship Examination of 1880 will be "Cicero de Amicitiâ and Oratio pro Lege Manilià."

The 25th January 1879. A. W. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 129B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th March 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares ,, ...	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th March 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 10th March 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th March 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the

dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests	Total, about Chests
On or about Thursday, 3rd April	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total	...	22,500	22,500	45,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th January 1879.

No. 164B.

OPIUM.
HON'BLE C. T. BUCKLAND.

AN examination of the Provision Opium of 1877-78, received from the Behar and Benares Agencies, will take place at the Presidency Opium Godowns within the Custom House premises on Wednesday, the 12th February 1879, at 11 A.M., to which the public are invited.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L.P.

FORT WILLIAM, the 31st January 1879. W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on 31st January 1879.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	3,74,148	22,284	3,39,464	7,35,896
French Kurkutch	33,196	.....	.....	33,196
Italian ditto	34,366	.....	.....	34,366
Bombay ditto	1,00,660	.....	19,439	1,20,099
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ...	2,58,812	.....	16,320	2,74,632
Ceylon Kurkutch	38,186	.....	.....	38,186
Egyptian ditto	31,362	.....	.....	31,362
Total ...	8,70,230	22,284	3,75,223	12,67,737

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. B. ARMSTRONG, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 7th February 1879.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 5th February 1879.

No. 88.—The services of Mr. L. Hare, C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector at Dinagepore, are replaced at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

The 7th February 1879.

No. 94.—Mr. H. H. Risley received charge of the office of Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department from Mr. C. E. Buckland on the afternoon of the 31st ultimo.

No. 97.—The following list of Civil Servants on the Bengal Establishment, absent on furlough, special, or subsidiary leave, on the 31st November 1878, is published for general information:—

No.	Names.	Substantive appointment.	Date of commencement of furlough or leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or leave.	REMARKS.
		LOWER PROVINCES.			
		FURLOUGH.			
1	H. J. Reynolds	Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General and Revenue Departments.	April 19, 1878	Nov. 18, 1879	
2	C. T. Metcalfe, C.S.I. ...	Magistrate and Collector, 1st Grade	Dec. 17, 1878	June, 16, 1879	
3	A. C. Mangles	Commissioner, Chota Nagpore	Nov. 25, 1878	Feb. 24, 1880	
4	H. L. Oliphant	Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpore ...	Jan. 28, 1878	Sep. 27, 1879	
5	G. S. Park	Magistrate and Collector, 1st Grade	April 19, 1878	April 18, 1879	
6	W. Kemble	Magistrate and Collector, 1st Grade	Sept. 6, 1878	Mar. 5, 1880	
7	E. H. Whinfield	Magistrate and Collector, 1st Grade	Oct. 15, 1877	Feb. 6, 1879	
8	C. C. Stevens	Magistrate and Collector, 2nd Grade	Aug. 7, 1878	Aug. 6, 1880	
9	T. Smith	District and Sessions Judge, 2nd Grade ...	Mar. 25, 1878	Feb. 20, 1879	
10	E. V. Westmacott ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st Grade.	Jan. 9, 1878	Jan. 8, 1880	
11	T. E. Cowhead	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st Grade.	June 1878	Sept. 1879	
12	F. J. G. Campbell ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st Grade.	Mar. 2, 1878	Mar. 1, 1880	
13	R. F. Rampini	Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge of Darjeeling and Julpigoree.	Feb. 9, 1877	Feb. 8, 1879	Permitted to return to duty.
14	A. P. MacDonnell ...	Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1st Grade.	May 15, 1878	Sept. 14, 1879	
15	H. G. Sharp	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	Oct. 22, 1878	Jan. 21, 1880	
16	E. A. Bradbury	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	Sept. 18, 1877	Sept. 17, 1879	Since returned.
17	C. A. Wilkins	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	Mar. 22, 1878	Nov. 21, 1879	
18	G. G. Dey	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	April 20, 1878	Nov. 19, 1879	
19	J. Pratt	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	Mar. 11, 1878	Nov. 10, 1879	
20	J. Posford	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	May 13, 1878	Nov. 12, 1879	
21	F. H. B. Skrine	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	April 1878	Dec. 1879	
22	D. B. Allen ...	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	July 10, 1878	Jan. 9, 1879	Since returned.
23	W. R. Miller	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	June 16, 1876	Mar. 15, 1879	
24	C. T. LeHardy	Assistant Magistrate and Collector	Mar. 8, 1878	Mar. 7, 1879	Retires at the end of his furlough.
		SPECIAL LEAVE.			
1	T. F. Bignold	District and Sessions Judge, 2nd Grade ...	Nov. 18, 1878	Jan. 17, 1879	Since returned
2	E. E. Henry	Assistant Commissioner, 2nd Grade (temporary).	Sept. 14, 1878	Mar. 13, 1879	

NOTE—Total absent 26
Total of Civil Servants employed in the Lower Provinces 218
Percentage of absentees ... ... 11·9

MEDICAL.

The 7th February 1879.

No. 104.—With reference to Home Department Notification No. 656, dated the 14th December 1877, the Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School at Sealdah is, in addition to those Medical Officers whose names have been previously notified, appointed to conduct the medical examination of candidates for employment in the public service in Calcutta.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—FORESTS.

Calcutta, the 5th February 1879.

No. 127*F.*—Mr. J. S. Gamble, Assistant Conservator of Forests of the First Grade, is appointed to officiate as Conservator of Forests of the Fourth Class, in Bengal, *vice* Mr. Greig, with effect from the 22nd January 1879.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 4th February 1879.

No. 443*P.*—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Thomas Payn as Consul for Belgium at Calcutta.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Fort William, the 7th February 1879.

No. 661.—From the 16th January 1879 inclusive, in accordance with the Notification No. 3206, dated the 16th September 1871, Notes and Stock of the Transfer Loan 1872 will bear interest at four per cent. per annum only.

Accordingly, notes issued in exchange for Notes of the said Transfer Loan 1879, surrendered for renewal, subdivision or consolidation will belong to a new series and will be expressed as bearing interest at four per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 16th of January and 16th of July.

The words "reduced four per cent. Loan, dated 16th January 1879," will be printed in red ink across the face of any Note of the said Transfer Loan 1872 tendered hereafter for any purpose whatever at the Public Debt Offices in India or at the Bank of England before it is re-issued thence.

No Note of the Transfer Loan of 1872 shall hereafter be enfaced for the payment of interest in London by drafts upon India, but in exchange for any such note tendered for this purpose, a note in the new form shall be provided free of charge. Provided always that the usual fees shall be recovered for the enfacement, subdivision or consolidation of notes so presented.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Choitro, 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
173	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 2 14	2 6 4	4 13 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HIME, *Collector.*

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56	2217	Patenda, pergunnah Mundleghat	3 3 12	25 1 8	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 64.—Nilam Anandi Manullah; recorded proprietors Asmatali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,160-0-3. Share No. 1, of Dewan Ali Sadagar, recorded proprietor Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 580-0-1; share No. 2, of Ramjoy Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 64; and No. 3, of Asmat Ali, Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 516-0-2, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 401.—Kismut Bolaram Sarkar, Babait Taraf Sanaullah Khan; recorded proprietors Girish Chandra Rakit and Gurudas Rakhit; sudder jumma Rs. 1,063-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 656.—Taraf Chittra Sen Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Prasanna Kumar Waddadar and Mukta Keshi; sudder jumma Rs. 568-3-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 669.—Taraf Chhatranarayan Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Abhaya and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-10-4. Share No. 2, of Girish Chandra, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 642-7-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 813.—Kismut Durga Lockan, Krishna Charan Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, Chandra Kala, Ram Sunder Sen, Krishna Mohan Kerani, Gopal Dass, Guru Das Pal, and Ram Chandra, Babait Taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ram Sunder Sen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 883-12-6. Share No. 3, of Kasi Chandra Waddadar, Rasik Chundra, Pran Hari, Kali Kumar and Prosanno Kumar Waddadar, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 62-3-9; share No. 5, of Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 205-2-2; and share No. 6, of Chandra Kanto Pal, Chandra Kala, Gurudas Pal, Nakuleshwer Pal, Bakrashwer Pal, Ruki Das Pal, Shulapani Pal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 389-15-11, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Ramesh Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Ram Sunder Sen, Ram Mohan Sen, Sasti Charan Datta, Krishna Chundra Gupta, Pitamber, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra, Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 177-13-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiyop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6. Share No. 7, of Yassin Khan, Yar Ali Khan, Sarfaraz Khan, Anwar Khan, Mahammad Samil, Amir Ali, and Hamidullah, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1469.—Taraf Kumar Kuli; recorded proprietors Golam Gaus and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,015-13-0. Share No. 1, of Shekh Abdul Fattah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-15-3; and share No. 2, of Golam Gaus, Golam Hydar, Jalfatnissa, Mahammad Mukim, Nazumannessa, Maimina, Ezaral Huq, Umed Ali, Soobratnessa, Jamiran, Opsimannessa, Mahassooma Begum, Farid Lalam and Syud Lalam, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 761-13-9, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1749.—Taraf Mahammad Ali and Rustum Ali; recorded proprietors Krishna Chandra Gupta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,483-3-6. Share of Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,612-6-8, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate for which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1868.—Kismat Mahammad Daem Nazir, Azmutullah Khan, Amirannessa, Babait Taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Mobarek Ali; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-5-3. Share of Ramkanta, Mahammad Tossi, Mosson Ali, Pitamber Parial, Manager of Srimoti Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 506-6-10, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which the revenue have been paid up under separate accounts opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1889.—Taraf Mahammad Shafi Nazir; recorded proprietors Badiar Raheman and others; sudder jumma Rs. 558-7-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Guru Das, and Hara Das Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Haradas Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sunder Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimoti Annapurna and others; sudder jumma Rs. 849-0-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7. Share No. 1, of Ram Sundar Sen, sudder jumma Rs. 70-12-11; No. 10, of Pitamber Kanungoe, Gour Chandra Rai, Pran Huri Lalla, Prasonna Chandra, and Hari Har Bhattacharjya, sudder jumma Rs. 74-0-9; No. 12, of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemantaram De, Chaitanya Charan, and Pran Huri Lalla, sudder jumma Rs. 163-12; No. 35, of Ramdhon Barnik, sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, and the remaining share of Bhairab Charan, Chandi Charan, Kali Charan, Nossorullah Munshi, Raj Chandra, Ram Das, Pran Hari Lalla, Tripura Charan, Annada Charan Nityananda, Abdullah, Uzir Ali, *alias* Poton, Debi Charan, *alias* Debu Mahayan, Aukhil Chandra Chaudhuri, Hari Nath, Barnijan Bibi, Ram Kinker, Aukhil Chandra Sen, Ishan Chandra Choudhury, Srimati Shyama Sundari, Guru Das Rai, Ram Das Shikdar, Baisnab Charan, Mohesh, Parbbati Charan Bhattacharyya, Bhobani Das, Bidyalankar, Raj Chandra Sen, for himself and on part of minor Bangsi Mohan Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 145-5-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3039.—Taraf Shyam Raja; recorded proprietors Dhananjoy Raha and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 678-14-3. The share of Dhananjoy Raha, Gakul Chandra, Mahomed Raffi, Murarıdhar Sarma, Ram Keshab, Ram Dulal Surma, Ram Kanta, Ram Mohan, Ram Charan Surma, Sharbba Chandra Chakravartti, Shadavan, Anyad Ali, Yar Ali, Jan Ali, Abdul Kader, Jaduram Surma, Ram Sunder Surma, Kailas Chandra, and Ram Kinker Surma, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 223-4-3, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3113.—Taraf Shermat Khan Choudhuri; recorded proprietors Agbar Ali Choudhury and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 527-6-6. The share of Agbar Ali Bhuniya, Dewan Bibi, Jinnat Ali Khan, and Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 361-12-6, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

COMPROMISED MEHAL.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhav; recorded proprietors Balak Das and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4. Share No. 1, of Srimati Pran Krishore, bearing sudder jumma Rs 141-0-10; share No. 2, of Srimati Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 98-0-1; share No. 3, of Ram Sundar Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 418-8-6; and share No. 4, of Srimati Rasheshwari Debya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 383-2-3, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 13407.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Lalita Thakurani and Nayantara Chaudhuria; sudder jumma of the entire taluk Rs. 701-4-3. The share of Lalita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 150-10-10 10 kranto, will be sold, excluding the portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33534.—Taluk Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Annada Charan and Tripura Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Coutd. Deputy Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C) of 1868, Act II (B C) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1879, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Zilwangza.

No. $\frac{14}{16}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; auction purchasers Nassarat Ali, Omed Ali Choudhury; sudder jumma Rs. 938. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Patili.

No. $\frac{13}{1051}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 1,491-4-9. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, Mouza Paharchanda.

No. $\frac{141}{176}$.—Taluk Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Pran Kishna Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 985-2-0. The entire taluk will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON. *Coutd. Dy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2	Taraf Ajodhyaram, Fatehabad.	Chandi Charan and others.	723 13 0	434 0 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
7	Kismut Ambika, babait taraf Tilok Chandra Kanungoe.	Kailas Chandra Nandi and others.	745 10 0	559 3 1	Ditto.
39	Taraf Ali Rohollah ...	Kamalakanta Sen and others.	994 0 6	745 8 4	Ditto.
41	Taraf Abul Fazal ...	Abdul Bari Khan and others	643 3 7	482 7 7	Ditto.
51	Taraf Aleyar Khan ...	Shahamat Ali and others.	1,606 0 9	608 0 5	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 2 of Aghar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 811-6-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
54	Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe.	Srimati Anandamoyi and others.	849 6 9	51 3 0	Separate accounts having been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 of Golok Chandra Rai Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 5-3-9, share No. 13 of Digambar Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 2-15-7, share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 32-14 5, and ijmali share of Braja Mohan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 35-10-10, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
55	Taraf Azia Nassarat	Karam Ali	791 12 6	593 12 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
61	Taraf Assad Massaood Khan.	Shyama Charn Mukherjea and others.	5,224 0 6	1,566 2 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share of Konaram Banerjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, and share of Shyama Charan Mukherjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612 0-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
187	Kismat Anandamoyi, Jiban Krishna, Ram Kumar, Sarat Chandra, Kishori Mohan, babait taraf Jugal Kishor Chowdhry.	Ram Kumar and others ...	666 15 10	349 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
396	Taraf Baksha Ali	Neyamatullah and others	937 10 0	403 2 8	Ditto.
467	Taraf Braja Lal	Braja Lal and others ...	506 7 3	191 13 5	Ditto.
486	Taraf Baral Charan ...	Golam Ali and others ...	502 9 3	876 14 0	Ditto.
522	Kismut Bisheshwari, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Mrityumjai and others ...	1,228 13 4	460 3 11	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Mrityumjai and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,032-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
592	Taraf Bhela Khan ..	Muzaffer Ahmed and others.	506 13 8	254 1 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No 1 of Abdullah, with a revenue of Rs. 247-6-5, and share No. 2 of Muzaffer Ahmed, with a revenue of Rs. 313-7-1, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
746	Taraf Sipi Dowlat	Shekh Abdullah Khan ...	2,930 1 3	791 8 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
764	Taraf Darpanarayan ...	Chandraprava and others	2,905 3 3	675 2 5	Ditto.
805	Taraf Dullavram Fatehabad	Nimai Charan Nandi and others.	819 0 9	614 4 0	Ditto.
813	Kismat Durga Lochan Krishna Mangal Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, babait taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe.	Durga Charan and others	883 12 6	26 10 8	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Durga Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 6-2-9, and share No. 3 of Kashi Chandra Waddadar and others, with a revenue of Rs. 62-3-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
942	Nilam Fakir Chand ...	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	646 14 0	485 2 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1024	Taraf Gobinda Anandi ...	Chhattranarayan and others.	1,061 13 10	6 9 6	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Chhattranarayan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 707-14-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1119	Taraf Hori Shona	Azimuddin and others ...	1,539 10 0	1,141 1 3	Entire estate will be sold.
1218	Kismat H. E. Marguard and Virginia Bruce, babait taraf Ishan Chandra Kanungoe.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	1,447 10 5	655 10 9	Ditto.
1238	Taraf Ines Alop	Adhoo Khan and others ...	2,272 7 6	1,385 7 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Warish Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 2 of Mahomed Samil, with a revenue of Rs. 91-0-6, share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 51-7-5, share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-2, share No. 5 of Yassin Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-3, and ijmali share of Adhoo Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,265-7-8, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
1242	Taraf Imambaksh ...	Abdul Bari and others ...	697 5 4	523 0 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
1269	Taraf Jashmanta Sing- ...	Fatteh Ali and others ...	1,386 10 2	1,039 15 8	Ditto.
1281	Taraf Jainarayan Kosani	Sharat Chandra and others	563 4 6	210 11 5	Ditto.
1285	Taraf Jorip Mahomed ...	Jan Bibi and others ...	784 3 1	588 2 3	Ditto.
1363	Taraf Jadu Madan ...	Ali Raja and others ...	1,227 14 9	423 14 9	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ahsanullah Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 371-14-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1513	Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	Anandamoyi and others ...	853 4 6	639 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1546	Taraf Karkan Roshan ...	Baimab Charan Sen ...	616 7 7	462 3 9	Ditto.
1552	Taraf K. Fernandez ...	J D. Barros	1,640 5 3	1,230 3 9	Ditto.
1671	Taraf Keoz Hoashang ...	Karam Ali Mia	1,129 6 6	847 1 0	Ditto.
1686	Taraf Khan Bibi	Shochmando Kunda ...	785 12 8	254 1 7	Ditto.
1714	Nilam Lakhmarayan ...	Ram Dayal Chowdhry and others.	1,199 15 0	899 13 9	Ditto.
1747	Taraf Monohor Rai Chowdhry.	Ramjai De and others ...	2,491 10 0	1,139 7 3	Ditto.
1868	Kismat Mahomed Daem Nasir, Azmatullah, Amiranniesa, babait taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe.	Mobarek Ali and others ...	840 5 3	199 9 4	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Mobarek Ali, with a revenue of Rs. 266-1-10, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1884	Taraf Mahomed Sona Mir	Shekh Mahomed Hashmat Ali Chowdhry.	785 10 3	589 3 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1887	Taraf Mahomed Raja Mir	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	540 6 6	405 5 7	Ditto.
1894	Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam	Bhairab Chandra and others.	560 5 0	93 5 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Masali Bibi, auction-purchaser Shyam Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 185-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1900	Taraf Mahomed Monohar	Alfa Bibi and others ...	666 15 6	312 3 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
2099	Kismat Murari Dhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Srimati Annapurna and others.	1,250 3 1	665 3 4	Ditto.

Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2135	Taraf Mosson Hossen ...	Nil Kamal Chakravartti...	1,598 3 6	723 10 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2201	Kismat Naziruddin Ahmad, babait taraf Hosson Wali.	Naziruddin Ahmad ...	1,227 6 0	920 8 6	Ditto.
2368	Taraf Wag Abul Hossen...	Shekh Jaker Ali Chowdhry.	731 11 6	548 12 0	Ditto.
2389	Taraf Paran Darpanarayan.	Chandrakanta Pal and others.	601 6 6	271 6 0	Ditto.
2411	Kismat Pravaboti babait taraf Brajakishore Kanungoe.	Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassan Billah and others.	667 11 10	136 13 4	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share No. 3 of Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassam Billah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 13-13-3, share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 41-13-10, share No. 9 of Kailas Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 3-10-5, share No. 12 of Barkatullah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 11-9-7, share No. 13 of Tarakinkar Datta, with a revenue of Rs. 37-8-3, and ijmali share of Baisnab Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 186-11-11, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2453	Taraf Poran Ballabh ...	Jaga Mohon and others ...	944 5 3	427 0 3	Separate accounts having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Renooka, with a revenue of Rs. 236-1-4, and ijmali share of Ram Das Chowdhry and others, with a revenue of Rs. 708-4-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2542	Taraf Raja Ambiya ...	Agbar Ali Chowdhry ...	608 12 0	456 9 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
2554	Taraf Ram Shunder Kanungoe.	Annapurna and others ...	849 6 6	124 14 0	Ditto.
2562	Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe.	Bhairab Charan and others.	918 15 7	74 5 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 2 of Durga Charan Das and others, with a revenue of Rs. 7-2-9, share No. 22 of Ishan Chandra Kastaziri, with a revenue of Rs. 1-0-11, share No. 27 of Hari Har Bhattacharjya, with a revenue of Rs. 5-15-6, share No. 31 of Chandrabadani, with a revenue of Rs. 92-15-9, share No. 34 of Srimati Bishcshwari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 19-8-9, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2565	Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe.	Ali Hossen and others ...	819 1 7	858 10 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, with a revenue of Rs. 70, share No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar, with a revenue of Rs. 358-7-9, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 199-3-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2566	Kismat Ram Dulal ...	Ali Hossen and others ...	823 4 10	192 13 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2, Krishna Kumar Rai, with a revenue of Rs. 156-15-0, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 107-0-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2588	Nilam Ram Mohan Imam Shorip.	Srimati Pran Kishori ...	540 6 6	1,325 9 10	The entire mehal will be sold.
2929	Taraf Shachi Roshan ...	Shekh Ladak Ali and others.	752 11 0	264 10 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ladak Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-3, share No. 2 of Keramat Ali Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 138-2-9, share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-4, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2933	Taraf Shachiram Kanungoe.	Aitton and others	826 14 3	180 8 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 7 of Jagat Chandra Sen, with a revenue of Rs. 7-7-0, and the shares which are under butwara under Regulation XIX of 1814 of Oloka and others, Gopal Das Sen and others, Jagat Chandra, Har Chandra and others, Nilkanta and others, Mahomed Bashirullah, Omola, and others, Tarakeshwari Nazemannessa and others, Ram Shebok Das, Amir Hossen, Krishna Mohan Guha, Srimati Purna Dassi, Srimati Narayani *alias* Bashi, and Ahsanullah, bearing revenue Rs. 392-13-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3039	Taraf Shyam Rajah ...	Dhononjai Raha and others.	675 14 3	382 10 10	Separate accounts having been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1857, the share No. 1 of Tarini Charan Raha and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 2 of Nobo Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 5 of Taranga Debya, with a revenue of Rs. 14-2-2, share No. 6 of Tofer Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 232-14-2, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3054	Taraf Shib Durga Sharan	Brindaban and others ...	2,942 8 9	1,749 12 6	The entire mehal will be sold.
3125	Taraf Srimantaram Kanungoe.	Abdullah Khan and others	1,737 12 0	182 9 11	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 843-13-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
3171	Taraf Teeta Teari ...	Shekh Karam Ali	1,505 10 3	683 2 11	The entire mehal will be sold.
3880	Taraf Abedullah, Shekh Mahomed Ossi, Shekh Mahomed Ali.	Aayamona Bibi and others	678 14 0	169 13 9	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1859 that the undermentioned taluqs in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at, the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Mehal Nayabad.

Towji number.	Name of pergunnah and mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
184	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ukhiar Ghona, taluq Magon Das Chaudhuri, Indranarayan Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipria Monoroma.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	575 14 9	144 0 0	The entire taluq will be sold.
188	Thana Ramu, mouzah Bhomoria Ghona, taluq Kamalapuree.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	531 13 3	133 0 0	Ditto ditto.
191	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ichakhali, taluq Mobarak Ali.	Farzar Ali and others	506 1 6	127 0 0	Ditto ditto.
614	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Bheala Manikchar, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Magon Ali	757 10 0	189 0 0	Ditto ditto.
552	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Barabakia, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Shek Dewan Ali Chaudhuri.	687 9 3	172 0 0	Ditto ditto.
553	Thana Satkania, mouzah Chambol, taluq Srimati Tajonnissa Chowdhuria.	Furkunda Bukhta and others.	1,193 4 10	298 0 0	Ditto ditto.
1°	Thana Teknaaf, mouzah Dakhin Nhillah, taluq Khosme Chowdry, Omari Chowdry, Lhatong Chowdry, Lhapo Chowdry, Lhapechoo Chowdry, Chaimrao Chowdry, babait taluq Fando.	Ishan Chandra Das ...	670 15 0 Road fund, 6 12 0 677 11 0	169 6 0	Ditto ditto.
1613	Thana Town, mouzah Char Shabok Bakalia, taluq Ahamad Ali, Mahomed Isaaf, Korban Ali, Arzgar Ali, Nur Bebi.	Ahamad Ali and others	680 4 0	170 15 9	Ditto ditto.
1614	Thana Fattikcherry, mouzah Kanchannagar, taluq Srimati Ronoo Debya.	Dewan Ali Sowdagar	890 15 8	223 0 0	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1878 :—

Number.	Towjee number	Name of estate.	Name of proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A P	Rs A P	
	8078	Julkar Navanadi Rath khola, pergunnah Bikrumpore	Ramkristo, Kallykristo, Shoshi Mohun for self and as guardian of Lal Mohun and Kristo Mohun, Sinkandalal for self and as guardian of Horendralal and Shyamlal, Chandra Benode Pal for self and as guardian of Prem Benode, Radha Benode Pal, and Chitto Benode Pal	1,125 0 0	25 11 0	The entire mehal will be sold

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 9th January 1879 D R LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of September 1878.

Number	Number on the district roll	Name of estate and pergunnah	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold	REMARKS
				Rs A P	Rs A P	
1	8434	Government resumed estate Chur Baktabaly	Prasanna Kumari Debya and Pranath Parey Sabait of Lakshmarayan Thakur	584 0 0	278 0 0	These are resumed estates and are settled with the proprietors The proprietory and the settlement rights will be sold
2	8672	Chur Oolail	Gosain bandra Datta	1,003 0 0	549 0 0	
3	9084	Kismat Hargoa within Chur Jalna Kamta	Bharat Chandra, Harish Chandra, Nilmadhab and Prasanna Kumar Roy Chowdhuri and Draupady, Kubja Sundari Chowdhurani and Nandalal Shaha Ray Chowdhury	1 936 12 0 E F 13 6 0	177 15 10	
4	9422	Chur Bazutva	Ballabhikant Bhattacharjya	1,388 0 0	756 0 0	
5	9675	Chur Dighaldy, pergunnah Uttarsahpur	Srimati Kamal Kamini, Sonamani, Ananda mayi, Chandrakala, Rajmani, Dayamayi Jaytara, Chandra Nath and Kali Das Mukerjea and Mr M David	1,121 0 0	485 0 0	
6	9702	Chur Dalowarpur, pergunnah Bardakhat	Munshi Golam Mowla Moulavi, Reza Robbani for self and as trustee of the estate of Asmatunnessa Bibi, Dewan Emdad Ali, Karimannessa Bibi *alias* Nanee Bibi, Dewan Azimdad Khan	4,196 0 0	1,752 0 0	
7	10499	Surplus alluvial accretion to estate Mahaddinagar in Tuppeh Khalsi, pergunnah Sultanpratab	Rajah Syama Sankar Ray Bahadur and Parvati Sankar Chowdhury	1,100 0 0	400 0 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 8th January 1879 D. R LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Deputy Collector's office at Ranaghat, district Nuddea, on the 28th day of February 1879, corresponding with the 17th Falgoon 1285 (B S.) for meeting a public demand, viz meeting the sum embezzled by the Manager, Court of Wards' estate, Putia, in the district of Rajshahye.

Class	Number of Towji	Name of the mehal	Name of the proprietor	Government revenue	Amount due	REMARKS.
				Rs A P	Rs A P	
1	337	Pergunnah Mamjoania	Annada Prosad Mukherji and others	20,297 6 6 Police 245 1 5 Total .. 26,542 7 11	10,892 13 3½ and cost.	Of this estate only 1 anna 3½ gondas 7½ dantí will be put up to sale

CHUNDRA SEKHAR BANARJI, *Deputy Collector of Ranaghat.*

RANAGHAT DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 27th January 1879

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Maldah will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of March 1879, corresponding with 2nd Chaetro 1285 B S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879

Class.	Towji number	Name of estate and pergunnah	Name of proprietor	Sudder jumma	Balance due	REMARKS.
				Rs A P	Rs A. P	
1st Class	517	Mouzah Toke Bara Gird Syadpur, pergunnah Rokumpore	Jadunath Baral and Trailakhya Nath Baral	2,558 11 0	89 7 0	Half share of the entire estate belonging to Jadunath Baral will be sold for arrears of Government revenue due on the 13th January 1879 Trailakhya Nath Baral, the proprietor of the other half, had opened a separate account under Act XI of 1859 for his share, and has paid in the revenue due from him

MALDAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 1st February 1879. R POGUE, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Patna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 14th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Touji number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	REMARKS.
		Class I—Permanently-settled estate.		
		Rs. A. P.		
20	Bhadsara, pergunnah Masondha.	1,314 5 6	Mussamut Barati Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Baboo Beer Narain Singh and others, malika.	Out of the sudder jumma Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 669-12-3 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishoon Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs. 644-9-3, on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kalas Puttu Narain Singh, Baboo Hari Narayan Singh, Baboo Mahinder Narayan Singh, Baboo Raghoobuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother, and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheeree Pershad Narayan Singh, minor, and Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Harukh Lall, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
22	Ditto ...	1,314 5 6	Ditto ...	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 750-5-4 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishur Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 564-0-2 on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kailas Puttee Narain Singh, Baboo Haree Narain Singh, Baboo Mohender Narain Singh, Baboo Raghubuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheshree Pershad Narain Singh, minor, Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor, Harakh Lall, Harakh Narain Singh, and Mussamut Jay Koer, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
229	Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, pergunnah Ayimahad	1,185 5 7	Raghu Nath Sahay and others, maliks.	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,185-5-7, Rs. 1,007-8-4 is deducted in respect of mouzahs Mussiahpore, Sadekpore, Jogee, Sakutpore Lodee Heeranunpore, Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, Janarjunpore, Huzratpore, Akharia, Hummotpore Deara, and Nesf (8 annas) Kalyanpore, on account of the shares of Banee Persad Sahor *alias* Madho Lall Sahu, and others, applicants, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 87-13-3 in respect of 8 annas of Kalyanpore, appertaining to the lot of the aforesaid Nurunderpore, Kharoonia on account of the share of Raghu Nath Sahay, non-applicant, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.

PATNA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879. GEO. E. PORTER, *for Offg. Collector.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th Feb. 1879.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities	83,77,976 8 0
Reserve Fund	20,27,480 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	64,42,783 6 10
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 69,89,593 5 10		Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	91,39,285 2 8
Ditto at Branches ... „ 1,30,66,901 4 10	2,00,56,494 10 8	Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches	1,79,34,885 2 2
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	2,53,85,891 6 2	Balances with other Banks	6,99,098 15 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.	12,44,352 9 1	Bullion	.....
Sundries	7,24,357 12 2	Dead Stock	9,80,097 10 7
		Stamps	7,916 13 6
		Sundries	3,16,379 14 5
			4,38,98,423 9 2
		Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs. 66,84,628 13 4	
		Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 1,88,55,523 15 7	2,55,40,152 12 11
Rupees ...	6,94,38,576 6 1	Rupees ...	6,94,38,576 6 1

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accti. and Dy. Secy.* R. HARDIE,
Calcutta, the 6th February 1879. (801—1) *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 6th February 1879.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	
January 31st, 1879 ...	49 1 3	44 10 6	89 1 3	69 3 3	251 0 3	
February 1st, „ ...	59 4 6	57 4 0	100 9 0	91 1 0	308 2 6	
„ 2nd, „ ...	69 5 0	67 13 3	90 2 9	68 11 6	296 0 6	
„ 3rd, „ ...	55 10 3	59 2 9	91 1 9	90 1 9	296 0 6	
„ 4th, „ ...	54 5 9	59 9 0	84 9 9	65 11 6	264 4 0	
„ 5th, „ ...	61 5 3	63 4 6	92 14 6	84 15 3	302 7 6	
„ 6th, „ ...	72 7 0	79 10 6	91 5 0	73 12 6	317 3 0	
Total ..	421 7 0	431 6 6	638 12 0	543 8 9	2,035 2 3	
	1,688 12 0	1,624 10 9	2,457 7 0	2,104 13 0	7,875 10 9	
Grand Total ...	2,110 3 0	2,056 1 3	3,096 3 0	2,648 5 9	9,910 13 0	

CALCUTTA, the 8th February 1879. (802—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Jan. 31	1 Cask, B C D in a diamond	Order ...	Ship Star of Scotia.
,, 31	250 Bars Angle Iron, 11 blue or no mark... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	720 Bars Square Iron, best refined, rupee stamp or no mark.	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 31	11 Plates Iron, D S in green...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, S N D in a diamond, top M R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	4 Cases, T C O N L A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Cases, T D D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Casks, 605 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	1 Cask, A. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ship Rohilla.
,, 29	22 Packages, 366 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	4 Casks, K C M...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	4 Packages, M in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	1 Cask, no mark...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	1 Cask, P T & S...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	1 Case, T D D	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 29	1 Case, T in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	26 Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	1 Bundle Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	2,534 Cakes Spelter, V	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	35 Kegs, B M S	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Khois.
,, 28	3 Cases, 314 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	10 Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Package, M in a triangle, top E P	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Bales, N M N C in a diamond, outside W C S K	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	16 Packages, P in a triangle, top G M, bottom M ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Package, P in a triangle, top G M	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	1 Package, P in a triangle, bottom Y M ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Crates, 507 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	3 Bundles Sheet Iron, C in a diamond or no mark...	Ditto ...	Ship Ben Macdhin.
,, 29	170 Bundles Round Iron, M L K or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	23 Pieces Rod Iron, M L K or no mark... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	615 Bars Rod Iron, M L K or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 29	35 Bars Flat Iron, XXX yellow, or no mark ..	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 30	6 Casks, no mark	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 30	56 Fire Bricks and a quantity of broken pieces, no mark, or Ramsay.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	1 Cake Spelter, T	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 30	1 Cask, S B D, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Cases, B. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	S. S. Deccan.
,, 31	1 Case, B M S in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	6 Cases, C & H, top C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Bag, C S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, C C & H	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	10 Cases, H P, bottom D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, 159 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	2 Cases, 151 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, H C C in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Bag, J E	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, M. H. & Co. in a triangle, top W S A, bottom London.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, addressed	Dr. W. Schlich, Forest Department of Darjeeling District, Bengal	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Case, addressed	Douglas Wise, Esq.	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Package, addressed	W. C. Nosworthy, care of Messrs. Moran & Co.	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	H. Woodly Masson, Esq.	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Package, addressed	Robert & Charriol ...	Ditto.
,, 31	1 Empty Case, P. & O. Co.	Order ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 8th February 1879. (803—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

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Assistant Surveyor-General.

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THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
391	O 21—45396	20	The Post-Master General, North-Western Provinces.
392	,, 41—54669	10	Mohoruddeen.
395	,, 25—39632	20	Mrs. B. J. Tohsaent.
	,, 24—41233	20	
396	L 93—68905	50	Mohendro Nath Dey.
397	L 14—84799	20	Messrs. Kerr, Tarruck & Co.
	O 24—67695	20	
	,, 69254	20	
	,, 22—34001	20	
	,, 24—94719	20	
	,, 43—68219	10	
	,, 68220	10	
	,, 68221	10	
	,, 68394	10	
	,, 68395	10	
398	O 30—16377 to ,, —16386	50 each	Inspector J. A. Fleming, Calcutta Police.
	O 26—19168 to ,, —19200	20 each	
	,, —24101 to ,, —24117	20 each	
	O 44—06741 to ,, —06747	10 each	
	,, —06749	10	
	,, —06751 to ,, —06781	10 each	
	,, —06783 to ,, —06789	10 each	
399	O 35—46601	100	Shib Nath Ghose.
	,, —42899	100	
	,, —42900	100	
400	O 35—10274	100	Haran Chunder Mitter.
	,, —10275	100	
	,, —10276	100	
401	O 29—71756	1,000	Shama Churn Lahuri.
	L 93—85862	50	
402	O 11—73355	10	Hara Kissore Choudoory.
	,, 17—85545	10	
	,, —85547	10	
403	O 34—75325	100	Kristo Doss Roy.
404	L 84—23938	100	Chirunjee Lall.
405	O 13—57693	10	Lieut. H. M. Mackenzie.
407	O 35—32308	100	Chamroo Bhagubut Ram Doss.
408	O 41—96207	10	Nairan Singh.
409	L 94—19435	100	Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
410	O 34—91945	100	Sheik Tinoor.
411	L 22—49229	5	Post-Master General, Madras.
	,, —49228	5	

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428	L 94—69426	100	G. L. Smith, B.C.S.
429	O 14—02452	10	Hurro Chunder Mukerjee
430	,, 19—33576	10	Hafez Mohamed.
	,, 39—45741	10	
431	,, 40—18331	10	Lal Mohan Ghose.
	,, 23—97189	20	
432	,, 22—54953	20	Kali Das Sett.
433	,, 19—76000	10	W. W. R. Burgess.
	L 13—31434	20	
434	O 25—21646	20	K. M. Chatterjee.
435	O 18—75039	10	M. Barty.
436	L 3—24448	50	Mohendra Nath Chand.
438	,, 93—74538	50	Haru Mull.
439	,, 74—56305	10	Bajetollah Sircar.
440	O 22—99650	20	Pundit Kasi Nauth.
441	L 31—85772	5	Kasi Nauth Chand.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
442	L 31—01406	5	Joygessur Seal.
443	O 42—60054	10	Brojo Gopal Mullick.
444	L 33—19709	10	Hajee Haroon Ismail.
	,, 39—56161	10	
445	,, 16—69792	5	Hara Nundo Sein.
447	A 64—99275	100	Radha Nund Tacoor.
448	O 19—49324	10	Kunlarad Nauth Bhatta chajee.
	,, 39—10828	10	
449	,, —78566	10	Groves, Watt & Co.
450	O 25—74906	20	P. Paulson.
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy.
	,, —57898		
245	L 96—38631	10	Opoorbo Kissen Sen.
	,, 91510		
246	O 24—89376	20	W. J. Ainsworth.
	,, 89377		
247	O 22—80895	20	Luckhun Chunder Mullick
	,, 80896		
	O 5—34729	10	
	,, 34730		
	O 16—24549	10	
	,, 24546		
248	A 96—18187	10	Tonsook Roy.
	L 1—63763		
249	L 22—34971	5	Wooma Charan Nundi.
	,, 34974		
250	A 72—19937	20	Rye Churn Mukerjee.
	A 71—54557		
233	L 3—05070	10	Gris Chunder Das.
	L 4—30157		
148	L 5—05559	10	Chunder Brothers & Co.
	,, 05560		
243	L 17—32663	5	Roghoobur Dial.
	,, 32673		
251	O 25—39943	20	The Treasury Officer Burdwan.
	,, 39948		
252	O 14—99336	10	Rutnessur Mullick.
	,, 99339		
M 253	L 9—73794	5	Akbar Moonshi.
	,, —73377		
254	O 42—02223	10	W. Richards, Serjeant.
	,, —02224		
256	L 30—69924	5	Gopaul Kristo Sein.
	,, —69928		
257	L 72—26046	10	Gopaul Kristo Mullick.
	,, —26049		
258	O 10—97396	10	Missoo Ram Mundle and Pauchoo Ram Mundle.
	,, 16—98405		
260	L 7—77271	20	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation.
	,, 12—35743		
261	L 26—13713	5	The Agent, Bank of Bengal Allahabad.
	,, —13714		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 4th February 1879.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Bar Flat Iron, no mark	... City of Hankow.
21	Bars Square Iron, no mark	... Lady Belhaven.
2	Rundlets, [C P B] H. S. K. & Co.	... Ditto.
8	Plates, Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
12	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
14	Bars Square Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
10	Bars Round Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, [180] B. L. & Co.	... Dundee.
1	Cask, [607] W L 7	... Ditto.
2	Rundlets, [X]	... Star of
1	Case, [S A & N] 4458	... Berar.
1	Case, [G] 14294	... Almora.
28	Spades, no mark	... Ditto.
56	Bobbins, no mark	... Ditto.
3	Cases, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Bar Round Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, S	... Statesman.
1	Parcel [R B] C	... Ditto.
17	Pieces Spelter, no mark	... Inventor.
28	Pieces Fire Bar, no mark	... City of Edinburgh
1	Cask, I J C	... Ditto.
18	Pieces Spelter, no mark	... Ditto.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
101	Pieces Fire Bar, no mark	... City of Edinburgh.
1	Bundle Hoop Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Case, [Q. S. & Co.] 20 C	... Ditto.
2	Kegs, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, B C L	... Ditto.
2	Galvanized Pipes, no mark	... City of Manchester.
1	Parcel, [G] or G. Wyllie & Co.	Ditto.
1	Fire Bar, [B]	... Ditto.
1	Drum, P. C. M. & Co.	... Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	... Lady Belhaven.
1	Case, [illegible] 158	... Meinam.
1	Case, Superintendent, Government Telegraph Department, Calcutta	.. Asia.
1	Chest, no mark	... Moray.
1	Parcel, S. B. Elias	... Ditto.
1	Parcel, A. M. Esabhoy	... Ditto.
12	Cakes Spelter, G J O	... St. Magnus.

N. B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 1st of March 1879.

7	Bars, XX	... Lock Eck.
2	Cakes Spelter, B	... City of Hankow.
1	Cake Spelter, T	... Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, S M	... Ditto.

N. B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 1st of March 1879.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 8th February 1879.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

A SUB-DEPUTY COLLECTOR is required for measuring estate Parni, No. 351, under orders of the Civil Court. The pay of the post is Rs. 100 a month. None need apply who have not passed the Native Civil Service Examination. The applications should be received up to the 15th instant.

W. S. WELLS, *Collector.*

Cooch Behar State.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

THE undersigned is prepared to receive tenders for the erection of a Normal Training and Vernacular School at Cooch Behar.

All particulars of plans, specification, and quantities may be had on application to the office of Public Works Extraordinary, Cooch Behar.

Tenders for above schools must be sent in not later than 21st of February next.

J. ROBINS,
In charge of Public Works Extraordinary.

COOCH BEHAR, dated 1st February 1879. (797—3)

WANTED an Overseer for the District Road Cess Committee of Julpigoree. Salary Rs. 72 per mensem, including allowances None need apply who has not passed the Public Works Department Overseer's examination, and has not had at least one year's practical experience in the Public Works Department Health certificate should be submitted together with the application. No replies will be given to unsuccessful candidates. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to the 21st February 1879.

PRONATH BANERJEE,
(790—2) *Vice-Chairman, D.R.C., Julpigoree.*

Notice.

For Sale.—Court of Wards, Bhagulpore.

A PORTION of the estate of Lalpoor Puttoori will be sold to liquidate the ancestral debts of the whole estate.

Particulars may be obtained at the office of the Collector of Bhagulpore. Written offers for the same will be opened at noon on Wednesday, the 26th February 1879, at the Collector's office, and the estate will then be put up to auction, the highest offer being taken as the upset price.

CHUNDRE NARAIN SINGH, *for Collector.*

The 3rd February 1879. (798—2)

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sál beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet. at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers, &c.*, special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,

SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate Johann Frederick Ludwig Hollmann, late of Moulmein, in British Burmah, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above estate, to which letters of administration were duly granted by the High Court at Calcutta on the 16th day of September 1878, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 1st day of March 1879, and notice is also hereby given that after the expiration of the last mentioned day, the Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator shall then have notice, and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator shall have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 18th day of January 1879.

(771—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Notice to Creditors.

Estate James Frederick Cockburn, deceased, late of Indore, Central India, Executive Engineer.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the above estate, to which letters of administration were duly granted by the High Court at Calcutta on the 16th day of December 1878, are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 1st day of March 1879; and notice is also hereby given that after the expiration of the last mentioned day, the said Administrator will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Administrator shall then have notice; and that the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Administrator shall have not had notice at the time of such distribution. Dated this 18th day of January 1879.

(772—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

BENGAL CIVIL FUND.

At a Half-yearly General Meeting of Subscribers to the Bengal Civil Fund, held at the Town Hall, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 29th January 1879.

PRESENT :—The Hon'ble W. F. McDonell, v.c.; W. Waterfield, Esq.; the Hon'ble H. T. Prinsep; C. E. Bernard, Esq., c.s.i.; H. L. Harrison, Esq., the Hon'ble J. O'Kinealy; R. H. Pawsey, Esq.; J. Westland, Esq.; T. W. Gribble, Esq.; W. H. Grimley, Esq, J. G. Charles, Esq.; J. Scobell Armstrong, Esq.; Colman Macaulay, Esq., C. E. Buckland, Esq.

R. H. Pawsey, Esq., *in the Chair.*

The following report was submitted by the Managers :—

REPORT.

1. The Managers submit their proceedings for the past half-year for the consideration and sanction of the Meeting.

2. Subject to the approval of the subscribers, they have admitted to the benefits of the Fund the following families :—

	£
Widow	300
4 Children	230
Total ...	530

The widow and four children (two sons and two daughters) of the late Mr. V. T. Taylor, who died at Hazareebagh on the 9th March last.

	£
Widow	300
2 Daughters	200
Total ...	500

The widow and two daughters of the late Mr A. R. Young (annuitant of 1862), who died in England on the 23rd October last.

	£
Widow	300

The widow of the late Mr. E. H. C. Monckton annuitant of 1857), who died in England on the 24th July last.

	£
Widow	300
2 Sons	60
	360
Less one-sixth under Rule 7 ...	60
Total ...	300

The widow and two sons of the late Mr. E. S. Moseley, who died at Pubna on the 12th December last.

3. Mr. A. C. Tute has applied for remission of the fine of Rs. 50 incurred under article V of the rules for not reporting the birth of a son within one month of its occurrence. He explains that the cause of the delay of six weeks in reporting the birth was the severe illness of his wife, whose life was despaired of during that time. The Managers have informed Mr. Tute that they will submit his case for the decision of the Meeting.

4. Mr. J. Power, who retired on the 24th March last, has objected to pay the subscription due from the date of resignation up to 1st November 1878, the date on which the composition of £119 was paid. He asks for consideration of this matter on the following grounds :—

1*st*.—That he had not left India on the 17th April, the date of the Fund letter, and he could then have compounded had the letter been forwarded to Shajehanpore instead of to Messrs. Coutts & Co.

2*nd*.—That when he received the letter he referred to Messrs. Coutts & Co. to know what sum he ought to pay, but they could give no information.

The Managers have informed him that they had no means of knowing that he proposed to remain in India after his retirement, and that the payment of composition is a matter left open to the subscriber, whereas that of subscription at half rates is imperative. It is for retiring subscribers who desire to compound to ascertain the amount of composition payable in each case. This is not a fixed sum, but has to be calculated in the Fund office from actuarial tables, and varies according to the age of the subscriber, and, if he is married and has a family, according to the ages of the different members of his family. Mr. Power, however, did not communicate in any way with the Fund office regarding his subscription. Under these circumstances the subscription, £7-11-2, is clearly due, and should be paid to the agents of the Fund.

5. Lord William Hay, who retired on an invalid annuity on the 27th September 1865, wishes to make up his balance to Rs. 12,500, and thus secure for his family the half benefits of the Fund. He says—

"I continued my subscriptions to the Fund under the impression that the deductions made up to my retirement with the accumulations of interest would entitle me to the scale of half benefits, with which scale I was satisfied. In the present year I have married and have given due notice and made the required payments on this event. But I have been informed that the amount standing to my credit with the Fund at the date of my retirement was £38 (more or less) short of the amount entitling me to the half scale of benefits. I have now to request permission

to pay this amount with such back interest as the Managers may determine. I need scarcely assure the Managers that the omission to make this payment earlier has arisen from ignorance and inadvertence only; and I trust that they will not on account of an inadvertent delay in the payment of so small a sum hold me deprived of the half benefits to which the deductions made from my pay and allowances during my service would otherwise entitle me."

As Lord William Hay had been informed at the time of retirement of the sum payable, the Managers have told him that by article VIII of the rules, which permits retiring subscribers to make up their balances to the prescribed minima, that option can be exercised at the time of retirement only, and that they have no authority to carry the privilege further.

6. The facts of the case of Miss Amy Augusta Lawford, eldest daughter of the late Mr. H. B. Lawford, were submitted at the last general meeting. The managers have recently received intimation that the decree annulling Miss Lawford's marriage with Captain Davies has been made absolute. They will therefore recommend to the subscribers Miss Lawford's admission to the benefits of the Fund, with effect from the date of her father's death, on payment of all arrears of subscription on her account then due, with interest. As the case is not distinctly provided for under the rules, two months' notice of this proposal must be given under article XVII, and this will accordingly be done.

7. Mr. H. F. Bartlett has reported that he has been divorced from his wife, and applied to subscribe at reduced rates as a widower subscriber from July last. He has intimated that the decree *nisi* has been made absolute, and the Managers have informed him that he may subscribe at widower rates from that date

8. As requested at the last Meeting, the Managers have taken into consideration the effect on the revenue of the Fund of the despatch of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State, dated 17th January 1878, amending supplement A of the Civil Pension Code rules, whereby a Civil Servant resigning the service vacates any office under the Government which he may then hold, and excepting from the rule the office of Viceroy and Governor-General of India, Governor of Madras, Governor of Bombay, and Ordinary Members of the Council of the Governor-General. The Managers have thought it unnecessary to take any action on the despatch.

9. In accordance with articles XLII and XLIII of the Rules the Managers lay on the table the result of the quinquennial valuation of the assets and liabilities of the Fund for the period ending 31st March 1878. They have heard from Mr. E F. Harrison that the actuary is actively engaged on the valuation, and will shortly submit his report.

10. The accounts of the year 1877-78 are submitted.

Proposed by *Mr. J. Scobell Armstrong*, seconded by *Mr. C. E. Buckland*, and carried—

"That the Managers' proceedings in admitting the families of the late Messrs. V. T. Taylor, A R. Young, E. H. C. Monckton, and E. S. Moseley, to the benefits of the Fund be confirmed."

Proposed by *Mr. Westland*, second by *Mr. O'Kinealy*, and carried—

"That Mr. Tute be informed that the rule as to fine for failure to report birth being absolute, the meeting regret that the fine imposed upon him cannot be remitted."

Proposed by *Mr. H L. Harrison*, seconded by *Mr. C. E Buckland*, and carried—

"That the reply of the Managers to Mr. J. Power be approved."

Proposed by *Mr. C E Buckland*, seconded by *Mr. H. L Harrison*, and carried—

"That the reply of the Managers to Lord William Hay be approved."

Proposed by *Mr. Grimley*, seconded by *Mr. Prinsep*, and carried—

"That the accounts of the past year 1877-78, be approved."

Proposed by *Mr Gribble*, seconded by *Mr. Charles*, and carried—

"That the following gentlemen be elected Managers for the ensuing year:—The Hon'ble L. S. Jackson, C.I.E.; the Hon'ble C. T. Buckland; the Hon'ble W. F. McDonell, V.C.; the Hon'ble J. O'Kinealy; and W. M. Souttar, Esq."

A vote of thanks to the Chairman was proposed by *Mr. J. G. Charles*, seconded by *Mr. J. Scobell Armstrong*, and carried.

BENGAL CIVIL FUND,
The 29th January 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Secretary.

R. H. PAWSEY,
Chairman.

Abstract of the Accounts of the Bengal Civil Fund for 1877-78.

	Bearing interest at 8 per cent.	Bearing interest at 5 per cent.
UNAPPROPRIATED FUNDS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
By balance, 1st April 1877	39,44,717 9 2	37,37,435 9 0
„ interest	3,44,594 15 1	1,93,192 4 3
„ subscriptions during the year	2,64,173 3 1	2,08,030 14 6
„ payments under Rule 8 by seven annuitants in India	13,458 15 4	.....
„ Ditto ditto by one in England	2,507 10 0	.....
„ composition payments by two annuitants in India	2,362 10 8	1,867 8 10
„ Ditto ditto from four in England	1,360 2 0	3,998 2 0
„ contributions by annuitants in India	3,803 7 8	3,846 8 11
„ Ditto paid in England and by absentees on furlough ...	15,675 10 10	13,808 6 6
„ fine from 12 subscribers including 10 for unequal age at marriage ...	.....	6,173 5 10
„ Ditto from two in England	.....	100 0 0
„ transfer from Appropriated Funds of deduction of one-sixth from pensions under Rule 7	19,993 10 9	5,639 3 10
„ amount granted by Government for the payment of pensions of families of those subscribers who were killed in the Mutiny ...	26,315 13 11	7,422 6 9
„ transfer from Annuity Fund	1,404 0 0	396 0 0
„ donation from the Government paid in England	25,000 0 0	.....
„ transfer from Appropriated Funds at quinquennial adjustment on 31st March 1878 under Rule 42	.....	4,16,034 9 4
	46,65,427 12 6	45,97,944 15 9
DEDUCT—		
To transfer to Appropriated Funds—		
„ value of pension of Mrs. G. E. Makgill, widow of G. E. Makgill (annuitant)	5,863 7 3	2,254 14 3
„ Ditto of Mrs. J. Geoghegan and one daughter ...	30,644 10 3	11,751 9 4
„ Ditto of Mrs. A. R. S. Pollock, five daughters, and four sons	73,436 14 10	26,251 6 9
„ Ditto of Mrs. H. S. Boulderson, widow of H. S. Boulderson (annuitant)	13,087 9 11	4,229 4 6
„ Ditto of Mrs. G. P. Leycester, widow, and two daughters of G. P. Leycester (annuitant)	35,445 8 8	12,770 7 7
„ Ditto of Mrs. S. J. Becher, widow, and one daughter of S J. Becher (annuitant)	27,321 1 0	9,693 3 2
„ Ditto of Mrs. V. H. Schalch widow, three daughters, and one son of V. H. Schalch (annuitant)... ...	47,144 5 9	17,098 3 2
„ Ditto of Mrs. D. D. M. Campbell and two daughters ...	35,575 0 4	13,818 5 7
„ Ditto of Mrs. V. T Taylor, two daughters, and two sons	48,080 5 11	17,932 3 2
„ Ditto of Mrs. C. D. Russell, widow, four daughters, and two sons of C. D. Russell (annuitant)... ...	56,795 4 11	20,356 10 0
„ Ditto of Mrs. W. Bell, widow of W. Bell (annuitant) ...	20,624 12 2	7,254 11 6
„ interest thereon	12,095 0 0	2,710 15 0
„ transfer to Apprd. Funds on account of pensions payable by Govt. ...	26,315 13 11	7,422 6 9
„ refund of overpaid subscriptions	1,444 0 2	1,016 8 10
„ establishment, &c.	8,628 3 7	2,483 9 11
„ printing charges	1,654 8 2	466 10 3
„ transfer to Appropriated Funds at quinquennial adjustment on 31st March 1878 under Rule 42	5,46,638 10 4	.....
	9,90,795 5 2	1,57,461 1 9
Balance, 31st March 1878 ...	36,74,632 7 4	44,40,483 14 0
APPROPRIATED FUNDS.		
By balance, 1st April 1877	48,04,225 1 4	13,98,828 2 5
„ interest	3,52,005 6 0	68,366 7 2
„ transfer from Unappropriated Funds, values of pensions granted to the above eleven families within the year	3,94,019 1 0	1,43,410 15 0
„ interest thereon	12,095 0 0	2,710 15 0
„ transfer from Unappd. Funds on account of pensions payable by Govt.	26,315 13 11	7,422 6 9
„ transfer from Unappropriated Funds at quinquennial adjustment on 31st March 1878 under Rule 42	5,46,638 10 4	.....
	62,25,299 0 7	16,20,738 14 4
DEDUCT—		
To pensions paid in England under old Rules	1,65,400 0 0	.....
„ ditto ditto new Rules	4,90,314 11 4	1,60,795 4 0
„ ditto India ditto	13 585 10 6	3,831 13 2
„ marriage donation	2,340 0 0	660 0 0
„ transfer to Unappropriated Funds of the deduction of one-sixth from pensions under Rule 7	19,993 10 9	5,639 3 10
„ transfer to Appropriated Funds at quinquennial adjustment on 31st March 1878 under Rule 42	.. ...	4,16,034 9 4
	6,91,634 0 7	5,86,960 14 4
Balance, 31st March 1878 ...	55,33,665 0 0	10,33,778 0 0
TOTAL BALANCE, 31ST MARCH 1878 ...	92,08,297 7 4	54,74,261 14 0

INVESTMENT OF THE ABOVE BALANCE.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Invested Treasury Notes at 8 per cent.	82,53,784	5	0
Uninvested at 8 per cent. (since invested)	9,54,513	2	4
Ditto at 5 per cent.	54,74,261	14	0
Total ...	1,46,82,559	5	4

COMPARISON OF THE BALANCE.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance, 31st March 1878 ...	1,46,82,559	5	4
Balance, 31st March 1877 ...	1,39,75,206	5	11
Increase ...	7,07,352	15	5

COLMAN MACAULAY, *Secretary and Accountant.*

CIVIL FUND OFFICE, *the 29th January* 1879.

(806—1)

Notice.

MR. ROBERT PHILIP HEILGERS has been empowered to sign our firm from this date.

F. W. HEILGERS & Co.

CALCUTTA, 1st February 1879. (788—3)

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. J. Dyce Nicol in our firm ceased this day under the provisions of the partnership articles.

McKEWAN & Co.

CALCUTTA, 31st January 1879. (789—3)

Dehra Doon Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-first Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Secretary's Office, Hurbunswalla, Dehra Doon, on the 28th February 1879, at noon.

By order of the Directors,

(804—1) A. F. GIBSON, *Secretary*.

Soom Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 27th February next, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts, declaring a final dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,

WILLIAMSON, MAGOR AND Co., *Secretaries*.

CALCUTTA, the 24th January 1879. (780—5)

Equitable Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-first Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 1, Lyon's Range, on Tuesday, the 25th day of February 1879, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and Accounts for the half-year ending 31st December 1878, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought forward.

The share transfer books of the Company will be closed for fourteen days from 12th instant.

MACNEILL & Co, *Managing Agents*.

CALCUTTA, the 11th February 1879. (805—1)

NOTICE under Section XLII of the Indian Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866.

Estate of COLONEL THOMAS GEORGE MONTGOMERIE, deceased.

All creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are required to send in such claims with vouchers to the undersigned, who are the attornies of Colonel J. J. McLeod Innes, R.E.V.C., the administrator (with copy will annexed) of the estate and effects of the said deceased on or before the 1st day of May next, immediately after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets according to law, and will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

SANDERSON & Co.

Dated this 1st day of February 1879. (796—3)

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house, on Saturday, the 15th day of February next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, at noon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court made in suit No. 278 of 1876 [wherein Sett Sooltan Chund Kuchha and Sett Kabul Chund Kuchha are plaintiffs, and Sreemutty Oojulmoney Dossee is defendant], and dated the 3rd day of July 1876, the following properties, namely—

Lot No. 1.—All that piece or parcel of land or ground containing by estimation one cottah and eight chittacks, be the same a little more or less, situate at Mooktaram Baboo's Lane in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say,—on the north by the Company's drain; on the south by the house and premises of Gobind Day; on the east by the Company's drain; and on the west by the ground and dwelling-house of Ram Chund Mullick.

Lot No. 2.—All that upper-roomed, brick-built messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house, and the piece or parcel of land thereunto belonging, and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing, as per pottah, 1 cottah 13 gundahs and 5 cowries, situate and being at Colootollah in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows—on the north by ground belonging to Summonram Buckett; on the south by the Company's public road called Dhurmotolla Lane; on the west by the house and premises belonging to the family of Bissumber Day, deceased; and on the east by the house and premises of Radhabullub Day.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court in its Original Jurisdiction, or at the office of Mr. C. F. Pittar, Attorney for the plaintiffs, at No. 7, Council House Street, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar*.

CALCUTTA HIGH COURT ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. (764—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of ALEXANDER MOIR PORTEOUS, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 29th day of January last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 3rd day of February 1879.

IN the matter of JAMES DYCE NICOL, formerly carrying on business prior to and from the 1st day of January 1878, up to the 20th day of November following, as merchants and agents at No. 1, Fairlie Place, in the Town of Calcutta, under the style or firm of "Nicol, Fleming and Company," and at 55, Leadenhall Street, London, in copartnership with Alexander Michie, under the style or firm of "Dyce, Nicol and Company," and from the said 20th day of November up to the 31st day of December following, at Fairlie Place aforesaid, under the style or firm of "J. Dyce, Nicol and Company," and in London under the said style or firm of "Dyce, Nicol and Company," and from the 1st day of January 1879 up to the present time at Fairlie Place aforesaid, in co-partnership with William Henry McKewan, under the style or firm of "McKewan and Company," and in London under the said style or firm of "Dyce, Nicol and Company," an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 31st day of January last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

C. T. Geddes, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of SALEYMAN AHMED BHAMJEE, of No. 19, Amratollah Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, carrying on the business of a merchant and agent in Amratollah Lane, under the name and style of Saleyman Ahmed Bhamjee, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 3rd day of February instant, it was, on the petition of Obhoyram Hindermull Salimchand and Luckmee Chund, carrying on business at No. 10, Puggiaputty, under the name and style of Obhoyram Hajareemull and of Sewdoss and Juggernauth, carrying on business at No. 11, Puggiaputty, Burra Bazar, in Calcutta, under the name and style of Sewdoss Juggernauth, creditors of the said Insolvent, adjudged that the said Saleyman Ahmed Bhamjee hath committed an act of insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic., Cap. XXI, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

M. Dover, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 10th February 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Cape of Good Hope	6 P. M.	12th Feb.	*Lady Selbourne.*
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 „	12th „	*Malda.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 „	14th „	*Mecca.*
Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria, *via* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter colony must be specially superscribed)	6 „	15th „	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo.	6 „	16th „	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 „	17th „	From Bombay.
Straits and Hong-Kong ...	6 „	18th „	*Venice and Hindostan.*
Port Blair and Camorta ...	6 „	18th „	*Satara.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 14th February 1879.*

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 13th February 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*
GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 10th February 1879.

* Mails for Mauritius, St. Denis, and Reunion can be forwarded.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Bamporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 „ 8 „ 2 P.M.	5 „ 7-30 A.M. 1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 „	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 „	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 „ 6 P.M.	7-45 „ 5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 „	5 „	7 „
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 „	3-30 „	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 „	5 „	7 „
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Rungpore, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 „
Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 „	5 „	6-30 „
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays Sundays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M. 7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W	6	9-30	2-30	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-29	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-55	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Balliaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Napit Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Balliaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-35	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st NOVT. 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 11th February 1879.

Abrue, Miss A.
Adels, A. M.
Andrews, Mrs. R.
Anger, F. W.
Atkinson, J.
Balfour, J.
Bartlett, Mrs.
Beakun, W. R.
Castelo, Mrs. L.
Castello, J. A.
Clarke, Mrs. J. J.
Conte, G.
Cockey, Esq., E. N.
Corbyn, H. W.
Cullen, Esq., E. W.
Cuttell, W.
Davis, Master E.
D'Cruise, Mrs. A.
Delaney, Mrs. E. M.
DeLeemans, Miss
Dennis, Esq., A. W.
Dougal, R. K.
Doyle, W. E.
Dunford, Mrs. C.
Edmans, Mrs. A.
Fawkes, Capt.
Fitz Gerald, Mrs. A.
Freeman, W. B.
Forbes, Archibald
Gindee, Duncan
Glancey, John
Glenson, T.
Gomes, Mrs. M.
Graw, Mrs.
Gray, Mrs A.
Halden, Mrs. A.
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Hardy, Charles S.
Harbinson, R. J.
Hay, Mrs. D.
Hearns, H.
Howe, George
Inglis, Esq., J.
Johnson, Esq., James
Kischer, J. P.
Lamb, Thomas
Macdonald, J. R.
Malitte, Oscar
Micheal, Mr.
Mitnish, Mrs.
Molinero, H.
Moore, W. J.
Nettleship, George
Nicolay, E. F.
Oneal, Mrs. Ada
Osmond, George
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Steel, John
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Watson, J. J.
White, Mrs.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

A. B. C.
Addington, E.
Alcock, A. W.
Anderson, A.
Atkins, F. T.
Bailey, F. A.
Bancroft, W. A.
Beaver, P.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blagdon, G.
Boileau, L.
Burnett, G. B.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.
Cameron, Mrs. Ewer
Canning, W. G.
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Colly, Miss A.
Cotton, T. F.
Cummins, Mrs.
Dann, F.
Davison, W.
Denton, J.
Dumbol, T.
Duncan, Chesney
Eales, E. F.
Ephgrave, E.
Evans, G.
Feltwell, J. W.
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
Fontaine, M. Saul
Furguson, D.
Gage, W. Quintin
Gobin, Charles
Gorrick, Miss L.
Gayford, C.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Gruiblander, Esphir
Guldedibon, George
Haig, Esq., G. O.
Halford, J.
Haris, H. L.
Hart, J.
Hellstrom, Miss
Holleywood, F.
Hutchinson, Miss F.
Innes, T. E. D.
Janney, L. R.
Johnson, Miss
Kirkton, C.
Lawson, J.
Lewis, Mr.
M. C., Mrs.
M. S. W.
Man, G. O.
Marshal, E. O.
Martin, Thomas
Mitcheal, C.
Moore, Miss
Murphy, G. P.
Neijeeballah, Shaik
Nicolay, Mrs.
Nicols, J. M.
Nelson, H. R.
P. D. C.
Patterson, R.
Payne, Bob
Perrin Mari, Monsieur
Renaud, M. D.
Ring, J. B.
Sanders, A.
Sanders, Mrs.
Segrab, Miss
Sim, Robert.
Shaw, Dr. F. C.
Simpson, —.
Smith, W.
Stoddard, W. A.
Thomson, G. M.
Tonnerre, Fabre
Trigido, T.
Walker, P. F.
Webster, David
Webb, H.
West, Mrs. E
Whitliam, Dr. R.
X.

Newspapers.

Blair, R. W.
Braham, A H.
Cotton, F. T.
Cooper, Messrs.
Davis, J. W.
Davison, W.
Delaney, P.
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Green, H.
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Smith, Mrs. Agnus
Statman, F.
Stuart, J. S M.
Wallace, F. C.
Waters, T.
Wheeller, E. E.
Williams, L.

Registered Letters.

Duncan, Chesney
Macleod, C. H.
Robinson, Peter
Trevor, Major, R.E.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

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Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water. Ft.	In.	Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.			
Entrance below Chouraria...	8	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	4	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	6	Radhamughur.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	6	Pickpara.*
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	9	Juggernathpore and Kidderpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	2	9	Nechinpore.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3	3	Peerojpore and Hurriram-pore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	9	Sadeepore and Teakatta.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3	6	Radhanughur and Shaib-nughur.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 10th February 1879, above zero, 1 foot 5½ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.

BERHAMPORE, the 10th February 1879.

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"Nazir" means any officer of a Court authorized to serve or execute its process. "Nazir."

"Section" means a Section of this Act. "Section."

3. On and from the commencement of this Act, the enactments specified in Schedule A hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule. Enactments repealed.

4. All suits or proceedings, of the nature provided for by this Act, which, before the commencement of this Act, shall have been instituted before any Deputy Commissioner or other officer having jurisdiction under any enactment hereby repealed, shall be heard and decided, so far as may be, under this Act. Decision of suits instituted before the commencement of this Act.

5. Every ryot is entitled to receive, from the person to whom the rent of the land held or cultivated by him is payable, a pottah containing the following particulars :— Ryot entitled to a pottah.

the quantity and boundaries of land: and where fields have been numbered in a Government survey, the number of each field;

the amount of annual rent;

the instalments in which the same is to be paid;

any special conditions of the lease; and

(if the rent is payable wholly or partially in kind), the proportion or quantity of produce to be delivered, and the time and manner of delivery.

6. Every ryot, who has cultivated or held land for a period of twelve years, has a right of occupancy in the land so cultivated or held by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same; but this rule does Right of occupancy of ryot cultivating or holding land for twelve years.

not apply to the classes of lands locally known as majhahas, man, or saika; nor to khamar, nijjote, or seer land belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure, and let by him on lease for a term, or year by year.

The holding of the father, or other person from whom a ryot inherits, shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot within the meaning of this section.

Saving of terms of written contracts.

7. Nothing contained in the last preceding section shall be held to affect the terms of any written contract for the cultivation of land entered into between a landholder and a ryot, when it contains any express stipulation contrary thereto.

Ryots having right of occupancy, are entitled to receive pottahs.

8. Ryots having rights of occupancy are entitled to receive pottahs at fair and equitable rates.

In case of dispute, the rate previously paid by the ryot shall be deemed to be fair and equitable, unless the contrary be shown in an enquiry under section 24.

Pottahs to which ryots not having rights of occupancy are entitled.

9. Ryots not having rights of occupancy are entitled to pottahs only at such rates, and on such conditions, as may be agreed on between them and the persons to whom the rent is payable.

Person granting pottah entitled to a counterpart engagement.

10. Every person who grants a pottah is entitled to receive from the person to whom the pottah is granted a kubooliyet or counterpart engagement in conformity with the terms of the pottah.

The tender to any ryot of a pottah, such as the ryot is entitled to receive, shall be held to entitle the person to whom the rent is payable to receive a kubooliyet from such ryot.

Exactions in excess of rent or receipt withheld.

11. Every under-tenant or ryot, from whom any sum is exacted in excess of the rent specified in his pottah, or payable under this Act, whether as abwab or under any other pretext,

and every under-tenant, ryot, or cultivator from whom a receipt is withheld for any sum of money paid by him as rent,

shall be entitled to recover from the person receiving such rent, damages not exceeding double the amount so exacted or paid.

Form of receipt.

12. Receipts for rent shall specify the year or years on account of which the rent is acknowledged to have been paid; and any refusal to make such specification shall be held to be a withholding of a receipt.

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., pay into court, whether suit has been instituted against him or not, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

13. If any under-tenant or ryot shall, at the mal kutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents of the land held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to be the full amount of rent due from him at the date of the tender to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full forthwith granted, the under-tenant or ryot may, whether a suit shall have been instituted against him or not, within one month from the date of such tender, deposit such amount, in the court of the Deputy Commissioner having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for such rent, to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid;

and such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him are concerned, in all respects operate as and have the full effect of a payment then made by the under-tenant or ryot, of the amount deposited to the credit of such zemindar or other person.

Proceedings on receipt of deposit and payment of the same.

14. The Deputy Commissioner shall receive such deposit on the written application of the under-tenant, or ryot, or his agent; and on the under-tenant, or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form, or as nearly as circumstances will admit, in the form set forth in Schedule B hereto annexed, the Deputy Commissioner shall give a receipt for the same.

The Deputy Commissioner shall, within seven days from the date of the deposit, issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited, in the form set forth in Schedule C hereto annexed.

If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him.

Suit for further balance to be instituted within six months of service of notice of deposit.

15. Whenever such deposit shall have been made, no suit shall be brought against the person making the same or his representatives, on account of any rent which accrued due prior to the date of the deposit, unless such suit be instituted within six months from the date of the service of the notice mentioned in the last preceding section.

Landholder not to compel the attendance of tenant for adjustment of rent or for any other purpose.

16. All zemindars and other landholders are prohibited from compelling the attendance of their tenants for the adjustment of their rents or for any other purpose, and from adopting any means of compulsion for enforcing payment of the rent due to them other than those authorized by this Act.

Damages for extorting payment of rent by duress.

17. If payment of rent, whether the same be legally due or not, is extorted from any under-tenant or ryot by illegal confinement or other duress, such under-tenant or ryot shall be entitled to recover such damages, not exceeding two hundred rupees, as may be deemed a reasonable compensation for the injury done him by such extortion.

An award of compensation under this section shall not bar or affect any penalty or punishment to which the person practising such extortion may be subject by law.

Dependent talookdar, &c., holding land at fixed rent without change since permanent settlement not liable to enhancement of rent.

18. No dependent talookdar or other person possessing a permanent transferable interest in land, intermediate between the proprietor of an estate and the ryots, who holds his talook or tenure (otherwise than under a terminable lease) at a fixed rent which has not been changed from the time of the permanent settlement, shall be liable to any enhancement of such rent, anything in section fifty-one, Regulation VIII, 1793, or in any other law, to the contrary notwithstanding.

Enhancement of the rent of bhuinhari and khoodkatti lands.

19. No tenant of lands known as bhuinhari or khoodkatti shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him for such lands, unless it be shown that the tenure has been created within twenty years before the institution of the suit to enhance the rent of the said lands;

and where enhancement of the rent of such tenure is decreed, the rent assessed shall not exceed one-half of the rent paid by an ordinary ryot with a right of occupancy on the same class of land with similar advantages.

Enhancement of the rent of korkor, &c., lands.

20. No tenant of lands known as korkor, baeebullah, khundwut, sujhwut, jalsasun, and ariat shall be liable to any enhancement of rent, except under the terms of a written contract, or in accordance with the general custom prevailing with respect to such lands in the village in which they are situated.

Procedure for enhancement of rent.

21. No other under-tenant or ryot having a right of occupancy shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him, otherwise than in the manner provided by the three next succeeding sections.

Petition to be made to Deputy Commissioner.

22. Any person wishing to enhance the rent previously paid to him by any such under-tenant or ryot may present a petition to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such enhancement is sought, and (if necessary) to measure the same.

Particulars to be specified.

23. Such petition shall specify;

the present rent of the under-tenant or ryot against whom the application is made;

the general rate prevailing in the village for different classes of lands;

the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the rate was last adjusted in the village;

the rate which the applicant desires to demand; and

the grounds on which he considers that he is entitled to enhancement.

The provisions of sections 49 and 50 shall apply to all such applications.

Procedure on receipt of petition.

24. On receipt of such petition the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the under-tenant or ryot holding the land in respect of which enhancement is sought, and may (if necessary) order the same to be measured, and may upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the petition, and after hearing any objection which may be advanced against the proposed enhancement by the said under-tenant or ryot, fix such enhanced rent, or may otherwise alter or vary the rent for the said land as to him may seem fair and reasonable for such period, not being less than ten nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit;

and the rent so fixed or varied shall be payable by such undertenant or ryot from the commencement of the local year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit preferred against him for arrears of the same.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to bar the right of such under-tenant or ryot to claim at any time an abatement of the rent previously paid by him under the provisions of section 27.

Commutation of conditions or services to which lands may be subject.

25. When lands are held subject to any conditions or services other than or besides the payment of a rent in money, the tenant of such lands, or the person who has the right to receive the rents and services issuing from such lands, may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner for the commutation of all such conditions or services.

Determination of rent payable in commutation.

26. The Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon cause a notice to be served on each of the persons who, under the last preceding section, would have a right to make such application, and shall fix a date for considering the same; and on such date, or any date thereafter to which the hearing may be postponed, shall proceed to enquire into the matter, and to determine the amount of rent which in his judgment is fairly and equitably payable in commutation of the conditions or services to which such lands may be subject.

Claim of abatement of rent.

27. Any under-tenant or ryot having a right of occupancy, and wishing to claim an abatement of the rent previously paid by him, may present a petition to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such abatement is sought, and (if necessary) to measure the same.

Such petition shall specify the particulars mentioned in section 23, and the grounds on which such under-tenant or ryot considers that he is entitled to such abatement.

The provisions of sections 49 and 50 shall apply to all such applications.

Procedure on claim of abatement of rent.

28. On receipt of such petition the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the person to whom the rent of such under-tenant or ryot is payable, and may (if necessary) order the land to be measured, and may proceed as prescribed by section 24 to fix such abatement of rent, or may otherwise alter or vary the rent for the land of such under-tenant or ryot as to him may seem fair and reasonable for such period not being less than ten, nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit;

and the rent so fixed or varied shall be payable by such under-tenant or ryot from the commencement of the local year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit preferred against him for arrears of the same.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to bar the right of the person to whom the rent of such under-tenant or ryot is payable to claim at any time an enhancement of the rent of such under-tenant or ryot under the provisions of section 22.

Relinquishment of land by ryot after notice given.

29. Any ryot may relinquish the land held or cultivated by him, provided he gives notice of his intention in writing to the person entitled to the rent of the land, or his authorized agent, in or before the month of Pous of the year preceding that in which the relinquishment is to have effect.

If he fails to give such notice, and the land is not let to any other person, he shall continue liable for the rent of the land.

If the person entitled to the rent of the land or his agent refuses to receive any such notice and to sign a receipt for the same, the ryot may make an application to the Deputy Commissioner, who shall thereupon cause the notice to be served on such person or his agent.

What to be deemed an arrear of rent under this Act.

30. Any instalment of rent which is not paid on or before the day when the same is payable according to the pottah or engagement, or, if there is no written specification of the time of payment, at or before the time when such instalment is payable according to established usage, shall be held to be an arrear of rent under this Act, and in the absence of any written agreement to the contrary, shall be liable to interest at six per centum per annum.

Liability of ryot to be ejected for arrear due.

31. When an arrear of rent remains due from any ryot at the end of the Bengal or Sambut year, or at the end of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, as the case may be, such ryot shall be liable to be ejected from the land in respect of which the arrear is due, but only in execution of a decree or order passed under the provisions of this Act.

Liability of farmer to have his lease cancelled for arrear adjudged due.

32. When an arrear of rent is adjudged to be due from any farmer or other leaseholder not having a permanent or transferable interest in the land, the lease of such leaseholder shall be liable to be cancelled, and the leaseholder to be ejected.

Provided that no such lease shall be cancelled, nor the leaseholder ejected, otherwise than in execution of a decree or order under the provisions of this Act.

Measurement of lands.

33. Every proprietor of an estate or tenure, or other person in receipt of the rents of an estate or tenure, has a right to make a general survey or measurement of the lands comprised in such estate or tenure, unless restrained from doing so by express engagement with the occupants of the lands.

If any person intending to measure any land which he has a right to measure is opposed in making such measurement by the occupant of the land,

or if any under-tenant or ryot, having received notice of the intended measurement of land held or cultivated by him which is liable to such measurement, refuses to attend and point out such land,

such person may make application to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon proceed to enquire into the case in the manner provided for suits under this Act, and shall pass an order either allowing or disallowing the measurement, and, if the case so require, enjoining or excusing the attendance of any such under-tenant or ryot.

If any under-tenant or ryot, after the issue of an order enjoining his attendance, neglects to attend, it shall not be competent to him to contest the correctness of the measurement made in his absence.

Registration of transfers of talooks, &c.

34. All dependent talookdars and other persons possessing a permanent heritable interest in land intermediate between the zemindar and the cultivator are required to register, in the sherishteh of the zemindar or superior tenant to whom the rents of their talooks or tenures are payable, all transfers of such talooks or tenures, or portions of them, by succession or inheritance.

Every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all such transfers.

Application for the registration of all such successions as may have occurred previously to the commencement of this Act shall be made within two years from the commencement thereof, and for future successions within one year from the date on which the succession occurred: and if such application be not made within the period herein specified, the zemindar or superior tenant may apply to the Deputy Commissioner to put him in possession of the talook or tenure.

On receipt of such application the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a notice to the talookdar or tenure-holder in possession, requiring him to register the transfer within three months from the receipt of the notice, and if he neglects or refuses so to register, the Deputy Commissioner may, on proof to his satisfaction being given of the service of the notice, put the zemindar or superior tenant aforesaid in possession of the talook or tenure.

Provisions of section 34 applicable to sale of under-tenures.

35. The provisions of the last preceding section shall also be applicable to the sale of such under-tenures as are mentioned in section 123, and to the sale of the right and title of any person under section 124.

Procedure on refusal to register.

36. If any zemindar or superior tenant refuses to admit to registry or otherwise to give effect to any such transfer as is mentioned in the two last preceding sections, the transferee may make application to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon proceed to enquire into the case in the manner provided for suits under this Act, and if no sufficient grounds are shown for the refusal, shall pass an order enjoining the zemindar or superior tenant to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to such transfer.

Provided that no zemindar or superior tenant shall be required to admit to registry, or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenures, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or superior tenant.

Cognizance of suits under this Act.

37. (1) All suits for the delivery of pottahs or kubooliyets, or for the determination of the rates of rent at which such pottahs or kubooliyets are to be delivered;

(2) all suits for damages on account of the illegal exaction of rent or of any unauthorized cess or impost, or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid, or on account of the extortion of rent by confinement or other duress;

(3) all complaints of excessive demand of rent, and all claims to abatement of rent;

(4) all suits for arrears of rent due on account of land either rent-paying or rent-free, or on account of any rights of pasturage, forest-rights, fisheries, or the like;

(5) all suits to eject any ryot, or to cancel any lease on account of the non-payment of arrears of rent, or on account of a breach of the conditions of any contract by which a ryot may be liable to ejectment, or a lease may be liable to be cancelled;

(6) all suits to recover the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, from which a ryot, farmer, or tenant has been illegally ejected by the person entitled to receive rent for the same;

(7) all suits by zemindars and others in receipt of the rent of land, against any agents employed by them in the management of land or collection of rents, or the sureties of such agents, for money received or accounts kept by such agents in the course of such employment, or for papers in their possession;

shall be cognizable by the Deputy Commissioners, and shall be instituted and tried under the provisions of this Act, and shall not be cognizable in any other court, except in the way of appeal as provided in this Act.

Power to refer to arbitration.

38. The Deputy Commissioner may, with the consent of the parties, refer any suit under this Act to arbitration, and the provisions of sections 506 to 522 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, as far as may be practicable, apply to such references

Suit may be brought by or against any number of ryots collectively.

39. In every suit under this Act, of the nature of those specified in the first, second, third, or fourth clauses of section 37, and in applications for enhancement, abatement or measurement under sections 22, 27 or 33, any number of ryots or other tenants may sue or be sued collectively, and it shall be no ground for dismissing the suit or refusing to hear the application that such ryots or other tenants are wrongly joined as plaintiffs or defendants, provided that all such ryots or other tenants hold land in the same village;

but no order shall be passed in such case, unless the officer making the same is satisfied that all parties have had an opportunity to appear and make objection to any claims preferred against them;

and if at any time it shall appear to the Deputy Commissioner that the question between any two of the parties, of whom one is so joined with others, cannot conveniently be so jointly tried, the Deputy Commissioner may order a separate trial to be held.

Order to specify how far it applies to each ryot.

40. Every order passed in any such case as is mentioned in the first clause of the last preceding section shall specify the extent to which each of the ryots or other tenants named in the order shall be affected thereby

Suits by or against surburakars or tuhseeldars of estates held khas.

41. All suits which, under this Act, may be brought by or against zemindars or other persons in the receipt of the rent of land, may be brought by or against surburakars or tuhseeldars of estates held under khas management, whether such estates are the property of Government or of individuals.

General rule for limitation of suits.

42. Except as otherwise herein provided, all suits instituted under this Act shall be commenced within the period of one year from the date of the accruing of the cause of action.

Limitation of suits for grant of pottahs, &c.

43. Suits for the delivery of pottahs or kubooliyets, and for the determination of the rates of rent at which such pottahs or kubooliyets are to be delivered, may be instituted at any time during the tenancy.

Limitation of suits for arrears of rent.

44. Suits for the recovery of arrears of rent shall be instituted within three years from the last day of the Bengal or Sambut year, or from the last day of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, in which the arrear claimed shall have become due.

Provided that, if the suit be for the recovery of rent at a higher rate than was payable in the previous year, such rent not having been enhanced by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, the suit shall be instituted within three months from the end of the Bengal or Sambut year, or of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, on account of which such enhanced rent is claimed.

Limitation of suits against agents for money, papers, or accounts.

45. Suits for the recovery of money in the hands of an agent, or for the delivery of accounts or papers by an agent, may be brought at any time during the agency, or within one year after the determination of the agency of such agent.

Provided that, if the person having the right to sue shall, by means of fraud, have been kept from the knowledge of the receipt of any such money by the agent, or if any fraudulent account shall have been rendered by the agent, the suit may be brought within one year from the time when the fraud shall have been first known to such person; but no such suit shall in any case be brought at any time exceeding three years from the termination of the agency.

Mode of instituting suits. Form of statement of claim.

46. Suits under this Act shall be instituted by presenting to the Deputy Commissioner a plaint or statement of claim which shall contain

the name, description, and place of abode of the plaintiff;

the name, description, and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained;

the substance of the claim; and

the date of the cause of action.

Form of statement in suits for arrears of rent.

47. If the suit is for the recovery of an arrear of rent, the statement of claim shall specify

the name of the village and estate;

the name of the pergunnah or other local division in which the land is situated;

(if the arrear is alleged to be due from any ryot), the quantity of land,

(where fields have been numbered in a Government survey), the number of each field;

the yearly rent of the land;

the amount (if any) received on account of the year for which the claim is made;

the amount in arrear; and

the time in respect of which it is alleged to be due.

Form of statement in suits for ejectment of ryot, &c., or for recovery of occupancy or possession of land, &c.

48. If the suit is for the ejectment of a ryot, farmer, or tenant from any land, farm, or tenure, or for the recovery of the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, the statement of claim shall specify (as circumstances may require) the extent, situation, and designation of the same, and (if necessary for the identification of the land), the boundaries of such land.

Statement by whom to be presented.

49. The statement of claim shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an authorized agent of the plaintiff who has personal knowledge of the facts of the case, or by an agent who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge.

Verification of statement.

50. The statement of claim shall be subscribed and verified at the foot by the plaintiff or his agent in the manner following, or to the like effect:—

I, A. B., do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Documentary evidence to be produced by plaintiff.

51. If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he shall deliver the same to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim.

Unless such document be delivered or its non-production be sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner see fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

Plaintiff may require production of document from defendant.

52. If the plaintiff requires the production of any document in the possession or power of the defendant, he may, at the time of presenting his statement of claim, deliver to the Deputy Commissioner a description of the document in order that the defendant may be required to produce the same.

Statement may be returned or allowed to be amended.

53. If the statement of claim does not contain the several particulars hereinbefore required to be specified therein, or is not subscribed and verified as hereinbefore required, the Deputy Commissioner may return the statement to the plaintiff, or at his discretion allow it to be amended.

Issue of summons; personal attendance of defendant may be required.

54. If the statement of claim is in proper form, the Deputy Commissioner, except as otherwise hereinafter specially provided, shall direct the issue of a summons to the defendant, and if the plaintiff requires the personal attendance of the defendant, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that such personal attendance is necessary, or the Deputy Commissioner of his own accord requires such personal attendance, the summons shall contain an order for the defendant to appear personally on a day to be specified in the summons; otherwise the summons shall order the defendant to appear personally or by an agent duly authorized on his behalf, who has personal knowledge of the subject, or who shall be accompanied by a person who has such personal knowledge.

The day to be specified in the summons how to be fixed. Defendant to be ordered to produce necessary documents, and to bring witnesses willing to attend without process.

55. The day to be specified in the summons shall be fixed with reference to the state of the file, and the distance that the defendant may be or be supposed to be at the time from the place where the court is held, and the summons shall order the defendant to produce any document which he may have in his possession, of which the plaintiff demands inspection, or upon which the defendant may intend to rely in support of his defence.

It shall also enjoin him to bring with him his witnesses if they are willing to attend without issue of process, and shall be in the form contained in Schedule D hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Cost of serving summons or warrant to be deposited in court.

56. The amount of the cost of serving the summons, or, if a warrant is issued as provided in the next succeeding section, of serving the warrant, shall in all cases be deposited in court upon the same day or the day next following that on which the plaint or statement of claim is presented to the Deputy Commissioner.

If the said amount be not so deposited the case shall not be brought on the file of suits: but in such case the plaintiff may present another plaint at any time within the period prescribed by this Act for the limitation of suits.

Warrant of arrest in what cases to be issued.

57. If in any suit against an under-tenant or ryot for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or against an agent for the recovery of any money, papers, or accounts, the plaintiff desires a warrant of arrest to be issued against the defendant, such defendant being resident within the district in which the suit is instituted, he shall present with his statement of claim an application for the issue of such warrant.

When such application is presented, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the plaintiff or his agent, according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses, and inspect the documents adduced by him in support of his claim, and if there be *primâ facie* grounds for believing the claim to be well-founded, and that, if a summons be issued, the defendant will abscond instead of appearing to answer the claim, the Deputy Commissioner may issue a warrant for the arrest of the defendant.

The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a reasonable time for the return of the warrant, which shall be in the form contained in the Schedule E hereto annexed, or to the like effect, and the officer entrusted with the service of the warrant shall at the time of arresting the defendant deliver to him a notice addressed to the defendant, which shall be in the form in the Schedule F. hereto annexed, or to the like effect, containing the particulars of the claim, and requiring the defendant, if he contest the claim, to bring with him any document upon which he may intend to rely in support of his defence.

But no such warrant shall be issued in a suit for arrears of rent due in respect of a dependent talook or other transferable tenure which, as hereinafter provided, is liable to sale in execution of any decree which may be passed in the case.

58. If the defendant is arrested under the warrant of arrest, he shall be brought with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall commit him to custody, unless he deposits in court such sum as may be specified in the notice.

Procedure after arrest of defendant.

59. When the defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant, the Deputy Commissioner shall with all convenient speed proceed to try the case in the manner hereinafter provided; if the suit cannot be at once adjudicated, the Deputy Commissioner may, if he think fit, require the defendant to give security for his appearance whenever the same may be required at any time whilst the suit is pending, or until execution of the final decree which may be passed thereon, and may commit the defendant to the civil jail to be there detained until he shall furnish such security, or deposit such sum as the Deputy Commissioner shall order.

Procedure when defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant.

The security bond shall be in the form contained in Schedule G hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

60. If the defendant cannot be arrested under the warrant, the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the plaintiff, shall either postpone the case, for such period as he may think proper, in order that the plaintiff may apply within the said period for another warrant to be issued for the arrest of the defendant, or shall forthwith issue a proclamation to be affixed to his own office and to the residence of the defendant appointing a day for the hearing of the case, which shall not be less than ten days from the date of the publication of the notice at the residence of the defendant.

Procedure if warrant of arrest cannot be served upon the defendant.

If the defendant appears in pursuance of the proclamation, he shall be dealt with as provided in the last preceding section.

61. If it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the arrest of the defendant was applied for without reasonable cause, the Deputy Commissioner may in his decree award to the defendant such sum, not exceeding one hundred rupees, as he may deem a reasonable compensation for any injury or loss which the defendant may have sustained by reason of such arrest, or of his detention in jail during the pendency of the suit.

Compensation for arrest applied for without reasonable cause.

62. If on the day fixed by the summons or proclamation for the appearance of the defendant, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be postponed prior to the recording of an issue for trial as hereinafter provided, neither of the parties appears in person or by an agent, the case shall be struck off, with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit, unless precluded by the provisions for the limitation of suits contained in this Act.

Consequence of neither party appearing on the day of trial.

63. If on any such day the defendant only appears, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admit the cause of action, in which case the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to give judgment for the plaintiff upon such admission without costs;

If defendant only appear to dispute the demand, Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment by default; but if defendant admit the claim, Deputy Commissioner shall decree upon such admission.

provided that such judgment, if there be more than one defendant, shall be only against the defendant who makes the admission.

64. If on any such day the plaintiff only appears, the Deputy Commissioner, upon proof that the summons or proclamation has been duly served according to the provisions of this Act, shall proceed to examine the plaintiff or his agent, and after considering the allegations of the plaintiff, and any documentary or oral evidence adduced by him, may either dismiss the case, or postpone the hearing of it to a future day for the attendance of any witness the plaintiff may wish to call, or may pass judgment *ex parte* against the defendant.

If plaintiff only appear, Deputy Commissioner may proceed *ex parte*.

65. If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be postponed under the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such conditions, if any, as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, allow the defendant to be heard in answer to the suit as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his attendance.

If defendant appear on a day to which the case is postponed, Deputy Commissioner may allow him to be heard in answer to the suit.

66. No appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, or from a judgment against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance.

Revival, reversal, and alteration of decrees *ex parte* or by default.

But in all such cases, if the party against whom judgment has been given appears, either in person or by agent, if a plaintiff within fifteen days from the date of the Deputy Commissioner's order, and if a defendant within fifteen days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed, or at any earlier period, and shows sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, revive the suit and alter or rescind the decree, according to the justice of the case.

But no decree shall be reversed or altered without previously summoning the opposite party to appear and be heard in support of it.

67. In all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall pass an order for setting aside a judgment, the order shall be final; but in all appealable cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall reject the application, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable; provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision.

Order to set aside judgment shall be final, but rejection of application to set it aside shall be appealable.

68. When both parties appear in person on the day named in the summons, or upon any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be adjourned, for sufficient reason to be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to examine them, and either party or his agent may cross-examine the other.

On appearance of parties, the parties to be examined by the Deputy Commissioner and may cross-examine each other.

If either of the parties is not bound to attend personally, any agent by whom he shall appear, or any person who shall accompany such agent, shall be examined and cross-examined in like manner as the party himself would have been if he had attended personally.

At the time of examination the defendant, if he think fit, may file a written statement of his defence. Such statement shall be verified in the manner prescribed in section 50.

Examination of parties, &c.

69. The examination of the parties or their agents, or such other persons as aforesaid, shall be conducted according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses. The substance of the examination shall be reduced to writing in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner and filed with the record.

Provided that all examinations of parties and witnesses may be recorded in English, if the Deputy Commissioner be sufficiently acquainted with that language.

Witnesses to be examined.

70. If either of the parties brings forward a witness on the day aforesaid, the Deputy Commissioner may take the evidence of such witness.

Documentary evidence to be produced by defendant.

71. If the defendant relies on any document in support of his defence, he shall deliver the same into court at the first hearing of the suit; and unless such document is so delivered in, or its non-production is sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner sees fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

After examination Deputy Commissioner may make his decree if no further evidence is required.

72. If after the examination required by section 68, and also the examination of any witness who may attend to give evidence on behalf of either of the parties, and after a consideration of the documentary evidence adduced, a decree can be properly made without further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall make a decree accordingly.

Consequence of inability of agent to answer material question.

73. If, on such examination as aforesaid, the agent of either party is unable to answer any material question relating to the case, which the Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the party whom he represents ought to answer, and is likely to be able to answer if interrogated in person, the Deputy Commissioner may postpone the hearing of the case to a future day, and direct that the party whose agent may have been unable to answer as aforesaid shall attend in person on such day;

and if the party so directed to attend fails to appear in person on the day appointed, the Deputy Commissioner may pass judgment as in case of default, or make such other order as he may deem proper under the circumstances of the case.

If necessary, Deputy Commissioner to record issue and to fix a day for hearing further evidence.

74. If, on such examination as aforesaid, it appears that the parties are at issue on any question upon which it is necessary to hear further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall declare and record such issue, and shall fix a convenient day for the examination of witnesses and the trial of the suit; and the trial shall take place on that day, unless there be sufficient reason for adjourning it, which reason shall be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner.

Parties shall produce their witnesses on the day of trial, or Deputy Commissioner on application of either party shall issue summons for the attendance of a witness.

75. The parties shall bring forward their witnesses on the day of trial, and if either party requires assistance to procure the attendance of a witness on such day, either to give evidence, or to produce a document, he shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner in sufficient time before the day fixed for the trial, to enable the witness to be summoned to attend on that day; and the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a summons requiring such witness to attend.

Provisions of Code of Civil Procedure to apply to attendance, examination, &c., of witnesses.

76. The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents, and to the remuneration and punishment of witnesses, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, apply to all suits under this Act.

Consequence of parties not appearing on the day fixed for the trial of any issue.

77. If on the day fixed for the trial of any issue neither of the parties appear, the case shall be struck off under the conditions provided in section 62.

If on any such day one only of the parties appears, the issue may be tried and determined in the absence of the other party, upon such proof as may be then before the court.

Suits instituted or defended by naibs, gomastahs, &c.

78. When suits under this Act are instituted or defended by naibs, gomastahs, or other persons employed in the collection of rent, or management of land, in the name and on the behalf of the landholders by whom they are so employed, all the provisions of this Act, by which the personal appearance or attendance of parties to a suit is or may be required, shall be applicable to such naibs, gomastahs, or other persons; and anything which by this Act is required or permitted to be done by a party in person, may be done by any such person as aforesaid.

Processes served on any such person shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if the same had been served on the landholder in person, and all the provisions of this Act, relative to the service of processes on a party to the suit, shall be applicable to the service of processes on such person.

Personal attendance of plaintiff or defendant not required in certain cases.

79. A plaintiff or defendant shall not be required to attend in person if of the female sex, and of a rank or class which, according to the custom and manners of the country, would render it improper for her to appear in public.

Employment of authorized agents or mookhtars.

80. Any party to a suit may employ an authorized agent or mookhtar to conduct the case on his behalf, but the appointment of such agent or mookhtar shall not excuse the personal attendance of the plaintiff or defendant in cases where his personal attendance is required by the summons or any order of the court.

81. The Deputy Commissioner may in any case grant time to the plaintiff or defendant to proceed in the prosecution or defence respectively of a suit, and may also from time to time, in order to the production of further proof, or for other sufficient reason to be recorded by him, adjourn the hearing or further hearing of any case in such manner as to him may seem fit.

Deputy Commissioner may grant time or adjourn hearing.

82. The Deputy Commissioner may at any stage of a suit cause a local enquiry and report respecting the matter in dispute to be made by any officer subordinate to him, or by any other officer of Government with the consent of the authority to whom such officer is subordinate, or may himself proceed to the spot and make such local enquiry in person.

Deputy Commissioner may cause local enquiry to be made.

The provisions of the law for the time being in force, relative to local enquiries by amecns or commissioners under orders of the civil courts, shall apply to any local enquiry made by any officer under this section, and, so far as they are applicable, to enquiries made by the Deputy Commissioner in person.

In the latter case, the Deputy Commissioner, after completing the enquiry, shall record on the proceedings such observations as appear to him appropriate, and the observations so recorded shall be received as evidence in the suit.

83. The defendant in any suit under this Act may, if he has duly tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into court such sum of money as he may consider due to the plaintiff without paying in any costs incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment, and such sum shall be immediately paid out of court to the plaintiff.

After action brought, defendant may pay into court, without costs, money tendered before action brought.

If after such payment the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no further sum than shall have been paid into court, the plaintiff shall be charged with the whole costs of the suit incurred by the defendant; but if the plaintiff ultimately recovers a further sum than shall have been paid into court, the defendant shall be charged with the whole costs of the suit.

Costs if plaintiff goes on and recovers no more.

84. The defendant in any suit under this Act may, without having made any tender before action brought, pay into court such sum of money as he may consider due to the plaintiff, together with the costs (to be fixed by the court if necessary as upon a suit originally instituted for the amount so paid into court) incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment, and such sum shall immediately be paid out of court to the plaintiff.

If no previous tender has been made, defendant may pay into court what he admits to be due, with costs on that sum.

If after such payment the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no further sum than shall have been paid into court, he shall be charged with all costs incurred by the defendant subsequently to such payment; but if the plaintiff ultimately recovers a further sum than shall have been paid into court, the defendant shall be charged with costs as upon a suit originally instituted for the whole amount for which the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree, but shall have credit thereout for the amount of costs paid into Court by him in the first instance.

Costs if plaintiff goes on with the suit.

85. No interest shall be allowed to the plaintiff on any sum paid by the defendant into court from the date of such payment, whether such sum be in full of his claim, or fall short thereof.

No interest on deposits.

86. If on the trial of a suit for the delivery of a pottah instituted by a ryot having a right of occupancy the parties do not agree as to the term for which the pottah is to be granted, the Deputy Commissioner shall fix such term as under the circumstances of the case he may think just and proper.

If on trial of suit for delivery of pottah, parties do not agree as to the time for which the pottah is granted, Deputy Commissioner to fix the time.

Provided that the term shall not in any case be longer than twenty years, and in estates not permanently settled, shall not extend beyond the period for which the proprietor of the estate has engaged with Government. Provided also that, if the defendant be a farmer or other person having only a temporary interest in the land, the term of the pottah shall not extend beyond the period of the continuance of such interest.

For cultivators not having a right of occupancy, the term of pottah shall be exclusively in the discretion of the person entitled to the rent of the land.

87. When in any suit between a landholder and a ryot or under-tenant under this Act, the right to receive the rent of the land or tenure cultivated or held by the ryot or under-tenant is disputed, and such right is claimed by or on behalf of a third person, on the ground that such third person, or a person through whom he claims, has actually and in good faith received and enjoyed such rent before and up to the time of the commencement of the suit, such third person shall be made a party to the suit, and the question of the actual receipt and enjoyment of the rent by such third person shall be enquired into, and the suit shall be decided according to the result of such inquiry.

If in actions for rent a third person appear as claimant, he is to be made a party to the suit.

Provided that the decision of the Deputy Commissioner shall not affect the right of either party, who may have a legal title to the rent of such land or tenure, to establish his title by suit in a civil court, if instituted within one year from the date of the decision.

88. Any person desiring to eject a ryot, or to cancel a lease on account of non-payment of arrears of rent, may sue for such ejectment or cancelment and for recovery of the arrear in the same action, or may adduce any unexecuted decree for arrears of rent as evidence of the existence of such arrears in a suit for such ejectment or cancelment.

Suits for ejectment or cancelment of lease.

In all cases of suits for the ejectment of a ryot or the cancelment of a lease, the decree shall specify the amount of the arrear; and if such amount, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into court within fifteen days from the date of the decree, execution shall be stayed.

89. The Deputy Commissioner shall pronounce judgment in open court. The judgment shall be written in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall contain the reasons for the same, and shall be dated and signed by the Deputy Commissioner at the time when it is pronounced.

Judgment how to be pronounced.

Provided that any judgment may be written in English, if the Deputy Commissioner be sufficiently acquainted with the English language.

90. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due from him,

The court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

and that he has not, before the institution of the suit, tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or, in case of refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Deputy Commissioner before the institution of the suit in manner hereinbefore mentioned,

the court may award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the amount of rent decreed, as the court may think fit;

and such damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest from the date of decree until payment thereof at such rate per centum as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable.

91. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause,

The court may award compensation, not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount sued for, to a defendant improperly sued.

or that the defendant, before the institution of the suit, duly deposited with the Deputy Commissioner in the manner hereinafter mentioned the full amount which the court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such deposit,

the court may award to the defendant by way of compensation such sum, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the court may think fit;

and such sum, with interest until payment thereof at such rate per centum as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable, shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums decreed to be paid by defendants under this Act.

92. When a decree is given for the delivery of a pottah, if the person required by the decree to grant such pottah refuses or delays to grant the same, the Deputy Commissioner may grant a pottah in conformity with the terms of the decree under his own hand and seal, and such pottah shall be of the same force and effect as if granted by the person aforesaid.

If person required by the decree refuse to grant pottah, Deputy Commissioner may do so.

93. When a decree is given for the delivery of a kubooliyet, if the person required by the decree to execute such kubooliyet refuses to execute the same, the decree shall be evidence of the amount of rent claimable from such person, and a copy of the decree under the hand and seal of the Deputy Commissioner shall be of the same force and effect as a kubooliyet executed by the said person.

Refusal of person to execute kubooliyet as required by the decree.

94. If the decree is for the ejectment of any ryot from land occupied by him, or for the reinstatement of any ryot in the occupancy of land from which he has been ejected, the decree shall be executed by giving the possession or occupancy of the land to the person entitled by the decree to such possession or occupancy.

Mode of executing decree for ejectment or reinstatement of ryot.

If any opposition is made to the execution of the order for giving such possession or occupancy by the party against whom the order is made, the Deputy Commissioner, in the exercise of his powers as a Magistrate, shall give effect to the same.

Procedure in case of opposition to execution.

95. If the decree is for the cancelment of any lease, or the ejectment of any farmer or other person (not being an actual cultivator), or for the reinstatement of any farmer or other such person in the possession of a farm or tenure from which he has been ejected, the decree shall be executed by proclaiming the substance of the decree to the cultivators or other occupants by beat of drum, or in such other manner as may be customary, and affixing the same in some conspicuous place within, or adjacent to, the farm or tenure.

Mode of executing decree for cancelment of a lease, or for ejectment or reinstatement of a farmer or tenant.

96. If the decree is for arrears of rent, or for money, papers, or accounts, and the defendant has been committed to jail, or appears pursuant to the conditions of any security-bond given under section 59, the Deputy Commissioner may order that he be detained in, or committed to, the civil jail, unless he immediately pay into court the amount of the decree with costs, or otherwise comply with the terms of the decree.

In what case a judgment-debtor may be detained or imprisoned without issue of process of execution.

97. If the judgment-debtor has given security for his appearance, and is not present when judgment is pronounced, and the surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, process of execution may be taken out against the surety in the same manner as if a decree for the amount due from the debtor had been passed against the surety.

Liability of surety on failure to deliver judgment-debtor into custody.

If the decree is for the delivery of papers or accounts, and the defendant is not present when judgment is pronounced, and the surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, execution may be taken out against the surety for the sum due under the bond in the same manner as if a decree for that sum had been passed against the surety.

98. The provisions relating to attachment before judgment, contained in the Code of Civil Procedure, are hereby extended to all suits under this Act.

Attachment before judgment.

99. Process of execution may be issued against either the person or the property of a judgment-debtor, but process shall not

Issue of process of execution

be issued simultaneously against both person and property.

Process of execution against the person or moveable property of a debtor shall be in the form contained in Schedule H or I hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Application for execution against moveable property.

100. Any moveable property required to be seized under an execution shall, if practicable, be described in a list to be furnished by the judgment-creditor, but if the creditor is unable to furnish such list, he may apply for a general attachment of the debtor's effects to the amount of the judgment and costs.

In either case the property to be seized shall be pointed out to the officer entrusted with the execution of the process, by the creditor or his agent.

How long warrant shall continue in force.

101. Every warrant of execution shall bear date on the day on which it is signed by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall continue in force for such period as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, not being more than sixty days from such date.

Second and successive warrants.

102. Second and successive warrants of execution may be issued by order of the Deputy Commissioner on the application of the judgment-creditor, after the expiration of the period fixed for the continuance in force of a previous warrant.

After one year execution not to issue without notice.

103. Process of execution shall not be issued upon any judgment without previous notice to the party against whom execution is applied for, if, when application for the issue of the process is made, a period of more than one year shall have elapsed from the date of the judgment, or from the date of the last previous application for execution.

Execution not to issue against heir or representative of a deceased party without notice.

104. Execution on a judgment shall not issue against the heir or other representative of a deceased party, without notice to such heir or other representative to appear and be heard.

No process of execution to be issued three years after date of judgment.

105. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on a judgment under this Act, unless an application be made within three years from the date of such judgment.

Warrant against the person.

106. If a warrant is issued for taking in execution the body of any person, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall bring him with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner.

If such person does not then deposit in court the full amount specified in the warrant, or make such arrangement for the payment of the same as shall be satisfactory to the judgment-creditor, or satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that he has no present means of paying the debt, the Deputy Commissioner shall send him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time as shall be directed, by a warrant addressed to the keeper of the jail, unless he shall in the mean time pay the full amount for the payment of which he is liable under the decree.

Provided that no person shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree under this Act for a longer period than six months;

or for a longer period than six weeks, if the decree is for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding fifty rupees.

If arrest be for non-delivery of accounts.

If the decree against any person arrested under a warrant is for the delivery of papers or accounts, and the papers or accounts are not delivered by him when he is brought before the Deputy Commissioner, such person may be committed to the civil jail, there to remain for such time, not exceeding six months, as the Deputy Commissioner shall direct, unless he shall in the mean time deliver the papers or accounts according to the terms of the decree.

No person to be imprisoned a second time under same judgment.

107. Any person once discharged from jail shall not be imprisoned a second time under the same judgment.

If the amount due under the decree does not exceed fifty rupees, the Deputy Commissioner may declare such discharged person absolved from liability under that decree.

In other cases the discharge shall not extinguish the liability of the discharged person under the decree, or exempt property belonging to such person from attachment in execution of the same.

Diet-money to be deposited at the time of issue of warrant.

108. Any person applying for a warrant of arrest under section 57, or suing out process of execution against the body of any person, shall deposit in court, at the time of issue of the warrant, diet-money for thirty days at such rate as the Deputy Commissioner may direct.

Payment of diet-money in advance during imprisonment.

109. Payment of diet-money at the same rate shall be made previously to the commencement of each succeeding month of the imprisonment, in failure of which the party confined shall be discharged.

Diet-money to be costs in suit.

110. All diet-money spent in providing subsistence for any prisoner shall be added to the costs in the suit, and any diet-money not so spent shall be returned to the person who deposited the same.

List of property to be prepared and proclamation of sale to be published, &c.

111. In executing a writ of execution against the moveable property of a debtor liable under this Act, the officer charged with the execution of the writ shall prepare a list of the property pointed out by the judgment-creditor, and shall publish a proclamation specifying the day upon which the sale is intended to be held, together with a copy of the said list, at the intended place of sale and at the residence of the debtor.

A copy of the said proclamation and list shall be transmitted to the Deputy Commissioner and shall be affixed in his office.

Until the day of sale, the said property shall remain in the custody of the officer attaching the same.

Place and manner of sale of property.

112. The sale shall be held at the place where the property is deposited, or at the nearest gunge, bazar, haut, or other place of public resort, if the officer holding the sale is of opinion that it is likely to sell there to better advantage.

The property shall be sold by public auction in one or more lots as the officer holding the sale may think advisable; and if the judgment-debt with the costs of the execution and sale is satisfied by the sale of a portion of the property, the execution shall be immediately withdrawn with respect to the remainder.

If fair price be not offered, sale may be postponed to another day, and shall be then completed at whatever price may be offered.

113. If on the property being put up for sale a fair price, in the estimation of the officer holding the sale, is not offered for it, and the owner of the property, or some person authorized to act on his behalf, applies to have the sale postponed until the next day, or the next market day, if a market be held at the place of sale, the sale shall be postponed until such day, and shall be then completed at whatever price may be offered for the property.

Payment of purchase-money.

114. The price of every lot shall be paid for in ready money at the time of sale, or as soon after as the officer holding the sale shall think necessary; and in default of such payment, the property shall be put up again and sold.

When the purchase-money has been paid in full, the officer holding the sale shall give the purchaser a certificate describing the property purchased by him and the price paid.

Proceeds of sale.

115. From the proceeds of the sale of the property, the officer holding the sale shall make a deduction, at the rate of one anna in the rupee, on account of the costs of the sale, and shall transmit the amount to the Deputy Commissioner in order that it may be credited to Government.

The said officer shall then pay to the judgment-creditor the expenses incurred by the judgment-creditor on account of the preparation of the list, and of the publication of the proclamation of sale prescribed in section 111, to such amount as, after examination of the statement of expenses furnished by the judgment-creditor, he thinks proper to allow.

The remainder shall be applied to the discharge of the debt for which the sale was made, with interest thereon up to the day of sale, and if there be any surplus, it shall be delivered to the person whose property has been sold.

Officers holding sales prohibited from purchasing.

116. Officers holding sales of property under this Act, and all persons employed by, or subordinate to such officers, are prohibited from purchasing either directly or indirectly any property sold by such officers.

Sale of moveable property taken in execution.

117. No sale of any moveable property taken in execution shall be made until after the end of ten days next following the day on which such property may have been so taken.

Deputy Commissioner may stay sale of moveable property seized if a third party claim any interest therein.

118. If before the day fixed for the sale, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner, and claims a right or interest in any of the moveable property taken in execution, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party or his agent according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses, and if he see sufficient reason for so doing, may stay the sale of such property.

Deputy Commissioner to adjudicate such claims.

119. The Deputy Commissioner shall adjudicate upon such claim, and make such order between the claimant and the plaintiff and defendant in the original suit, as shall to him seem fit.

In trying such claim the Deputy Commissioner shall be guided by the provisions of this Act, so far as they may be applicable.

Claimant failing to establish his right, liable to pay compensation to judgment-creditor.

120. If the claimant fails to establish his right to the property taken in execution, the Deputy Commissioner at the time of disposing of the case may award to the judgment-creditor against such claimant, as part of the costs, such sum as he may consider sufficient to cover any loss of interest or damage which the judgment-creditor may have sustained by reason of the postponement of the sale of the property.

No appeal from order of Deputy Commissioner under the two last preceding sections.

121. No appeal shall lie from any order passed by the Deputy Commissioner under the last two preceding sections.

But the party against whom the same may be given shall be at liberty to bring a suit in the civil court to establish his right at any time within one year from the date of the order;

provided that, if the order be for the sale of the property, the suit shall not be for the recovery of the property, but for damages against the judgment-creditor by whom the property was brought to sale.

Sale not vitiated by irregularity in publishing or conducting the same.

122. No irregularity in publishing or conducting a sale of moveable property under an execution shall vitiate such sale; but nothing contained in this section shall be held to deprive any person who may sustain damage by reason of such irregularity from recovering such damage by action in the Civil Court; provided such action be brought within one year from the date of sale.

Sale of transferable tenures in execution of decrees for arrears of rent.

123. If the decree is for an arrear of rent due in respect of an under-tenure, which, by the title-deeds, or the custom of the country, is transferable by sale, the judgment-creditor may make application for the sale of the tenure, and, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, the tenure may thereupon be brought to sale in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in Bengal Act VIII of 1865.

But no such application shall be received when a warrant of execution has been previously issued against the person or moveable property of the judgment-debtor, so long as such warrant remains in force.

If after sale of an under-tenure any portion of the amount decreed remains due, process may be applied for against any other property, moveable or immoveable, belonging to the debtor, and any such immoveable property may be brought to sale in the manner provided in section 129.

Under-tenure held conditionally on survival of heirs male not transferable by sale.

124. No under-tenure which is held conditionally on the survival of heirs male of the grantee, and which, on failure of such heirs, reverts to the grantor free of all encumbrances made subsequent to the date of the grant, shall be sold under this Act.

Provided that the right and title of any person in such tenure may be sold with the sanction of the Commissioner.

If third party claim to be the lawful possessor of such under-tenure, Deputy Commissioner to stay the sale and to enquire into and adjudicate upon the claim.

125. If before the day fixed for the sale of any such under-tenure as is mentioned in section 123, or of the right and title of any person in an under-tenure of the nature described in section 124,

a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and alleges that such third party, and not the person against whom the decree has been obtained, is the proprietor of such under-tenure, and was in lawful possession of the same at the time when such decree was obtained,

the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party in the manner provided in section 118; and if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, and such party deposits in court the amount of the decree, or gives sufficient security for the same, the Deputy Commissioner shall stay the sale and proceed to enquire into and adjudicate upon the claim.

Provided that no transfer of an under-tenure, which, by the provisions of this Act or any other law for the time being in force, is required to be registered in the sherishteh of the zemindar or superior tenant, shall be recognized, unless it has been so registered, or unless sufficient cause for non-registration is shown to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner.

Mode of adjudicating such claims.

126. In trying such claim the Deputy Commissioner shall be guided by the provisions of this Act, so far as the same may be applicable, and the judgment passed by the Deputy Commissioner on such claim shall not be subject to appeal, but the party against whom it is given may bring a suit in the civil court to establish his right, at any time within one year from the date of the judgment.

Execution of decrees given in favor of sharers in undivided estates or tenures.

127. If a decree is given in favor of a sharer in a joint undivided estate, dependent talook, or other similar tenure, for money due to him on account of his share of the rent of an under-tenure situate in such undivided estate, talook, or tenure, application for the sale of such under-tenure shall not be received, unless execution shall have been first taken out against any moveable property which the judgment-debtor may possess within the district in which the suit was instituted, and the sale of such property, if any, shall have proved insufficient to satisfy the judgment.

In such case the under-tenure, if of the nature described in section 123, and not of the nature described in section 124, may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in execution of the decree in the same manner as any other immoveable property may be sold in execution of a decree for money under the provisions of the next two succeeding sections.

In all cases of decrees for money, if judgment cannot be satisfied by sale of debtor's moveable property, execution may be had against his immoveable property.

128. In the execution of any decree for the payment of money under this Act, not being money due as arrears of rent of a saleable under-tenure, or of a tenure the right and title in which is saleable, if satisfaction of the judgment cannot be obtained by execution against the person or moveable property of the debtor within the district in which the suit was instituted, the judgment-creditor may apply for execution against any immoveable property belonging to such debtor, and such immoveable property may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in the manner described in the next succeeding section.

Mode of executing process if immoveable property be a house or other building.

129. If the immoveable property against which execution is applied for is a house or other building, process shall be issued in the same manner as for the attachment and sale of moveable property, and the provisions of sections 111 to 117 (both inclusive) shall, so far as may be practicable, be applicable to the execution of such process.

If it be a saleable under-tenure.

If the property is a saleable under-tenure, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in the Lower Provinces of Bengal applicable to the sale of such under-tenures for demands other than those of arrears of rent due in respect thereof.

If it be an estate or a share of an estate.

If the property is an estate, or a share of an estate, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in the Lower Provinces of Bengal applicable to the sale of estates for the recovery of demands recoverable by the same process as arrears of land revenue.

Consequence of objection being offered before the sale of any immoveable property.

130. If, before the day fixed for the sale of any immoveable property as aforesaid, objection is offered to the sale on the ground of such property not belonging to the judgment-debtor, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the party making the objection in the manner prescribed in section 118, and, if satisfied that there is sufficient ground for so doing, shall stay the sale and proceed to enquire into, and adjudicate upon, the objection, in the same manner, and subject to the same right of suit by the party against whom judgment may be given, as is provided in section 126.

Service of process.

131. Every process issued by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be under the seal and signature of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be served or executed by the Nazir, or by such other officer as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, at the cost of the party at whose instance it issued.

Deputy Commissioner may hold a court in any part of his jurisdiction.

132 The Deputy Commissioner may hold a court for hearing and determining suits under this Act in any place within the limits of his district or local jurisdiction, provided that every hearing and decision shall be in open court, and that the

parties to the suit, or their authorized agents, shall have had due notice to attend at such place.

Powers of Deputy Collectors.

133. All the powers conferred on the Deputy Commissioner by this Act may be exercised by any Deputy Collector in cases referred to him by a Deputy Commissioner; and in all cases without such reference, by any Deputy Collector placed in charge of any subdivision of a district, or specially authorized by the local Government to receive such cases;

and all applications and reports allowed or required by this Act to be made to the Deputy Commissioner may be made to any Deputy Collector having such local jurisdiction, or specially authorized as aforesaid.

Deputy Commissioner and Deputy Collectors to be subject to direction and control of the Commissioners and the Board of Revenue.

134. In the performance of their duties under this Act, the Deputy Commissioners and Deputy Collectors shall be subject to the general direction and control of the Commissioner and the Board of Revenue; and the Deputy Collectors shall be subject to the direction and control of the Deputy Commissioner to whom they are subordinate.

Appeal from orders of Deputy Commissioner and Deputy Collectors.

135. All orders passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, not being judgments in suits or orders passed in the course of suits and relating to the trial thereof, or orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be appealable to the Commissioner, and all such orders passed by a Deputy Collector shall be appealable to the Deputy Commissioner;

but no judgment of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector in any suit, and no order of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector passed in any suit and relating to the trial thereof, or after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be open to revision or appeal otherwise than as expressly provided in this Act.

Time for presenting appeals from orders.

136. Every appeal against the order of a Deputy Commissioner shall be presented to the Commissioner within thirty days, and every appeal against the order of a Deputy Collector shall be presented to the Deputy Commissioner within fifteen days, from the date of the order.

Orders passed in appeal by a Commissioner or a Deputy Commissioner shall not be open to any further appeal; but the Board of Revenue or the Commissioner may call for any case and pass such orders thereon as they may think proper.

No appeal from any decree of Deputy Commissioner for money below Rupees 100 unless the decision involve some question of right to enhance rents or some question relating to a title to land.

137. In suits under clauses two, four and seven of section 37, tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, if the amount sued for, or the value of the property claimed does not exceed one hundred rupees, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final, and not open to revision or appeal except as hereinafter provided, unless in any such suit a question relating to a title to land, or to some interest in land as between parties having conflicting claims thereto has been determined by the judgment, in which case the judgment shall be open to appeal in the manner provided in section 144.

In suits not open to appeal, Deputy Commissioner may grant a rehearing upon the discovery of new evidence, &c.

138. In suits in which the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is final, as provided in the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon the application of either party, if made within thirty days from the date of the decision, order the rehearing of a suit upon the ground of the discovery of new evidence, or matter material to the issue of the case, which the applicant had no knowledge of, or could not produce, at the time of trial.

Appeal from decision of Deputy Collector.

139. When any such suit as aforesaid, in which, if tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner would be final, is tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Collector shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner.

Period allowed for appeal.

140. The petition of appeal shall be presented to the Deputy Commissioner within fifteen days from the date of decree provided that such time as may be requisite for procuring a copy of the decree appealed against shall not be reckoned as part of the fifteen days.

Procedure in appeal.

141. The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a day for hearing the appeal, and shall cause notice of the same to be served on the respondent.

If on the day fixed for hearing the appeal, or any other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the appellant does not appear in person or by an agent, the appeal shall be dismissed for default.

If the appellant appears, and the respondent does not appear in person or by an agent, the appeal shall be heard *ex parte*.

Re-admission of appeal.

142. If an appeal is dismissed for default of prosecution, the appellant may, within fifteen days from the date of the dismissal, apply to the Deputy Commissioner for the re-admission of the appeal; and if it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that the appellant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Deputy Commissioner may re-admit the appeal.

Judgment in appeal.

143. After hearing the appeal, the Deputy Commissioner shall give judgment in the manner hereinbefore prescribed for giving judgment in original suits, and the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final.

In what suits appeal to lie to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

144. In all suits other than those in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is declared to be final, or when tried and decided by a Deputy Collector an appeal is allowed to the Deputy Commissioner, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector shall lie to the Judicial Commissioner of the Division, unless the amount or value in dispute exceed five thousand rupees, in which case the appeal shall lie to the High Court.

Period of limitation for appeals.

145. Appeals to the Judicial Commissioner or to the High Court under this Act shall be presented within the time prescribed

for the presentation of appeals to a District Judge or to the High Court under the Code of Civil Procedure by the law for the time being in force for the limitation of appeals.

Suits to be preferred in the Revenue Office of the District or sub-division in which the greater part of the land is situate.

146. Suits under this Act shall be preferred in the Revenue Office of the district;

or, when a sub-division of a district has been placed under the jurisdiction of a Deputy Collector, in the Revenue Office of the sub-division in which the cause of action shall have arisen;

or, when the cause of action has arisen within the limits of the local jurisdiction of any Deputy Collector not in charge of a sub-division, but who has been specially authorized by the local Government to receive such suits, then in the office of such last-mentioned Deputy Collector.

Provided that the Deputy Commissioner may withdraw any suit from any Deputy Collector and try it himself, or refer it to another Deputy Collector.

Procedure if lands are situated in more than one district or sub-division.

147. If the lands comprised in any talook, farm, or other tenure, or any lands held under one lease or engagement, or at one entire rent, in respect of which arrears of rent may be due, are situated in more than one district or sub-division, the district or sub-division in which the greater part of such lands is situated shall be held to be the district or sub-division in which the cause of action has arisen;

and if any question shall be raised respecting the district or sub-division in which the greater part of the lands is situated, the Board of Revenue, or if all the lands are situated in one district, the Deputy Commissioner of the district, shall decide the question, and such decision shall be conclusive on the point of jurisdiction.

Except as above, Deputy Commissioner not to exercise jurisdiction in respect to lands situate beyond his district.

148. Except as provided in the last preceding section, no Deputy Commissioner shall exercise any jurisdiction under this Act in respect of any lands situated beyond the limits of the district to which he is appointed, by reason of such lands forming part of an estate, the revenue of which is paid into the treasury of the said district.

Service of notice or summons.

149. Every notice or summons in and by this Act required to be served on any person may be served.

(1) by delivering the same to the person to whom it is directed,

or, on failure of such service, by posting the same on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person usually resides;

or by delivering the said notice or summons to a general agent of the person to whom such notice or summons is directed, or to any person who has been appointed in that behalf; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing such notice or summons directed to the said person at his usual place of abode;

(3) or, if no such place of abode can be found, and if the notice or summons cannot be served in any of the other modes mentioned in this section, by posting the same at the bhandhar of the village or holding to which the notice or summons relates.

Saving clause.

150. Nothing contained in this Act shall be held to affect the provisions of Bengal Act II of 1869, or of Bengal Act VI of 1876.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 3.)

Being Acts repealed in the territories to which this Act extends.

DATE AND NO. OF ACT.	TITLE OF ACT.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
Act X of 1859 ...	An Act to amend the law relating to the recovery of rent in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.	The whole Act.
Act VI of 1862, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council.	An Act to amend Act X of 1859.	The whole Act.
Act IV of 1867, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council.	An Act to explain and amend Act VI of 1862, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, and to give validity to certain judgments.	The whole Act.

SCHEDULE B.*

(*See Section* 14.)

I, A. B., of &c., do solemnly declare that I did personally (*or* by my agent C. D.) on the day of tender payment to E. F., at his mal-kutcherry (*or at*) the place where the rent of the lands at held or cultivated by me under or from the said E. F., are usually payable, of the sum of Rupees as and for the whole amount due from me in respect of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of , both inclusive. I further declare that the said E. F. refused to accept the said sum so tendered (or to give me a receipt in full forthwith for the same). And I do declare that to the best of my belief, the sum of Rupees so tendered and which I now desire to pay into Court, is the full amount which I owe the said E. F. on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of , both inclusive, and that I owe the said E. F. no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

SCHEDULE C.†

(*See Section* 14.)

Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Dated the day of 18

To E. F. of &c.

WITH reference to the within declaration, you are hereby informed that the sum of Rupees therein mentioned is now in deposit in this Court, and that the above sum will be paid to you or to your duly authorised agent on application. And take notice that if you have any further claim or demand whatsoever to make against the said A. B. in respect of the

* If this declaration is made by an agent it must be altered accordingly.

† This is to be by endorsement on a copy of the Declaration under Schedule B made by the person paying the money into Court.

rent of the said lands, you must institute a suit in Court for the establishment of such claim or demand within six calendar months from this date; otherwise your claim will be for ever barred.

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Section* 55.)

FORM OF SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT.

No. (of suit) dated
In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

[*Name, description, and address of plaintiff.*]

C. D., Defendant.

[*Name, description, and address of defendant.*]

Whereas the said A. B. has brought a claim against you in this court for [*here specify particulars of claim as given in the statement*] you are hereby required to appear in person in this court on the day of [*if not specially required to appear in person, state* "in person or by an agent who has personal knowledge of the subject, or who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge"] to answer the abovenamed plaintiff, and you will bring with you (or send by your agent) [*here mention any document, the production of which may be required by the plaintiff*] which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and all documents on which you may intend to rely in support of your defence. You will also bring with you your witnesses, if they are willing to attend without issue of process.

SCHEDULE E.

(*See Section* 57.)

FORM OF WARRANT OF ARREST.

No. (of suit) dated
In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas the plaintiff in this suit has obtained an order from the Court for the arrest of the defendant, you are hereby commanded to bring the defendant before the Court on or before the day of to be dealt with according to law.

Dated this day of 187

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 57.)

FORM OF NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY SUCH WARRANT.

In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

[*Name, description, and address of plaintiff.*]

C. D., Defendant.

[*Name, description, and address of defendant.*]

Whereas the said A. B. has brought a claim against you in this Court for (*here specify particulars of claim as given in the statement*) and has obtained a warrant for your arrest, you are hereby required, unless you admit the claim, to bring with you to the Court all documents on which you may intend to rely in support of your defence.

SCHEDULE G.

(*See Section* 59.)

FORM OF SECURITY BOND FOR APPEARANCE OF DEFENDANT.

Whereas A. B., plaintiff, has instituted a suit in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of against C. D., defendant, and the said C. D. has been required to give security for his appearance at any time when called on while the suit is depending and until execution of the decree, I, E. F., hereby declare myself surety for the said C. D.'s appearance as aforesaid, and in case of his making default in such appearance, I engage to pay any sum for the payment of which the said C. D. may be liable under the decree. *If the suit be for the delivery of papers or accounts, specify some sum to be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner.*

SCHEDULE H.

(*See Section* 99.)

WRIT OF EXECUTION AGAINST THE PERSON.

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas the said C. D. was directed by a decree of this Court, under date the day of 187 , to pay to A. B. the sum of and for costs of suit, amounting to , and whereas the said C. D. has omitted to pay the same, you are hereby commanded to apprehend the said C. D., and to bring him with all convenient speed before this court to be dealt with according to law.

SCHEDULE I.

(*See Section* 99.)

WRIT OF EXECUTION AGAINST THE MOVEABLE PROPERTY.

A. B., Plaintiff,

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas C. D. was directed by a decree of this Court, under date the day of 187 , to pay to A. B. the sum of and for costs of suit, amounting to , and whereas the said C. D. has omitted to pay the same, you are hereby commanded to levy the said sum of , and the sum of for costs of executing this process, by seizure and sale of such moveable property of the said C. D. as (is described in the list annexed, and) [*if no list is furnished, these words to be omitted*] shall be pointed out to you by the judgment-creditor or his agent; and you are hereby ordered to sell such property of the said C. D. on some convenient day, not being less than ten nor more than fifteen days from the day of seizure, unless the amount leviable as aforesaid shall be sooner paid; and you are hereby commanded to certify to me what you shall do by virtue of this warrant.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1879.

PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[First publication.]

The following preliminary Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 29th January, 1879 :—

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to amend the Pleaders, Mukhtárs and Revenue Agents Act, 1865, was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin.

From Secretary for Birár to Resident, Haidarábád, No. 10B, dated 19th November, 1878.
„ Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Mysore, No. 7039-13J, dated 25th November, 1878.
Memorandum by Pandit Srikishen, Pleader, Judicial Commissioner's Court, Oudh, dated 30th November, 1878.
From Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, No. 2440, dated 3rd December, 1878.
„ Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Assam, No. 2296, dated 10th December, 1878.
„ Under Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 7183, dated 10th December, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Chief Commissioner, Ajmer and Merwára, No. 19, dated 3rd January, 1879.
„ Officiating Secretary, to Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 119-255, dated 9th January, 1879.
Note by the Hon'ble the Chief Justice, High Court, Calcutta, dated 22nd January, 1879.

2. We have deemed it well, instead of adding a fifth Act to the four Acts already in force relating to pleaders, mukhtárs and revenue-agents, to frame a consolidation measure embracing the entire law.

3. We have, at the instance of the Hon'ble the Chief Justice of Bengal, restored in section 16 of the Bill now submitted, the power of the High Courts to make rules for the admission and control of mukhtárs practising on the appellate side of those Courts, which was conferred by section 44 of Act XX of 1865, but which has been held by the Calcutta High Court to have been *ultra vires*.

4. We have made the Bill applicable to the Courts of Small Causes in the Presidency towns, where we understand some such law is needed.

5. We have substituted, for the stamp-duties on certificates prescribed by Act XX of 1865, fees fixed according to the scale which was proposed in the Bill to amend the law relating to stamps and court-fees recently before the Council. The alterations here made are of no substantial importance.

6. We have made several amendments in arrangement and drafting, with a view to clearness and simplicity.

7. We recommend that the Bill now submitted be published.

8. The publication ordered by the Council has been made.

W. STOKES.
F. R. COCKERELL.
T. H. THORNTON.

The 29th January, 1879.

THE LEGAL PRACTITIONERS' BILL, 1879.

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No. II.

A bill to Consolidate and amend the law relating to Legal Practitioners.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to legal Practitioners, in the Lower Provinces of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces, the Panjáb, Oudh and Assam; and to empower each of the Local Governments of the rest of British India to extend to the territories administered by it such portions of this Act as such Government may think fit; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

CHAPTER I.—*Preliminary.*

1. This Act may be called "The Legal Practitioners' Act, 1879:" and shall come into force on the first day of April, 1879.

Short title.

Commencement of Act.

This section and section two extend to the whole of British India.

Local extent.

The rest of this Act extends, in the first instance, only to the territories respectively administered by the Lieutenant-Governors of the Lower

Provinces of Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and the Panjáb, and the Chief Commissioners of Oudh and Assam. But any other Local Government may from time to time, by notification in the official Gazette, extend all or any of the provisions of the rest of this Act to the whole or any part of the territories under its administration.

Repeal of enactments.

2. On and from the first day of April, 1879, the enactments mentioned in the first schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified therein.

Saving of rules, &c.

All rules and appointments made, penalties prescribed, fees fixed, persons admitted, names enrolled, certificates issued, sanctions given and orders passed under any enactment hereby repealed shall be deemed to be respectively made, prescribed, fixed, admitted, enrolled, issued, given and passed under this Act.

References to repealed enactments.

All references made to any enactment hereby repealed, in any Act or Regulation passed, or notification published, subsequently thereto, shall be read as if made to this Act.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Judge." "Judge" means the presiding judicial officer in every civil and criminal Court by whatever title he is designated:

"Subordinate Court." "Subordinate Court" means all Courts subordinate to the High Court, including Courts of Small Causes established under Act No. IX of 1850 or Act No. XI of 1865:

"Officer subordinate to such Authority." "Officer subordinate to such Authority," "Subordinate Revenue-officer" and "Revenue-office" include all Courts (other than civil Courts) trying suits under any Act for the time being in force relating to landholders and their tenants or agents.

"Subordinate Revenue-officer."

"Revenue-office."

CHAPTER II.—*Of Advocates, Vakíls and Attorneys.*

Advocates and Vakíls of chartered High Court.

4. Every person now or hereafter entered as an Advocate or Vakíl on the roll of any High Court under the Letters Patent constituting such Court shall, notwithstanding anything herein contained, be entitled as such to practise in any Court in British India other than a High Court on whose roll he is not entered, or in any such Court with the permission of the Court, and in any Revenue-office, subject nevertheless to the rules in force relating to the language in which the Court or office is to be addressed by Pleaders or Revenue-agents:

Provided that no such Vakíl shall be entitled to practise under this section before a Judge of the High Court, Division Court, or High Court exercising original jurisdiction.

Attorneys of High Court.

5. Every person now or hereafter entered as an Attorney on the roll of any High Court shall, notwithstanding anything herein contained, be entitled as such to practise in any Court of British India other than a High Court established by Royal Charter and in any Revenue-office.

CHAPTER III.—*Of Pleaders and Mukhtárs.*

Power to make rules as to qualification, &c., of pleaders and mukhtárs.

6. The High Court may, from time to time, make rules consistent with this Act—

(*a*) for the qualification, admission and certificates of proper persons to be pleaders of the subordinate Courts, and of the revenue-offices situate within the local limits of its appellate jurisdiction, and, in the case of a High Court not established by Royal Charter, of such Court:

(*b*) for the qualification, admission and certificates of proper persons to be mukhtárs of the subordinate Courts, and, in the case of a High Court not established by Royal Charter, of such Court:

(*c*) for the fees to be paid for the examination and admission of such persons; and

(*d*) for their suspension and dismissal.

Publication of rules.

All such rules shall be published in the local official Gazette and shall thereupon have the force of law; provided that, in the case of rules made by a High Court not established by Royal Charter, such rules have been previously approved by the Local Government.

Certificates to pleaders and mukhtárs.

7. On the admission, under section six, of any person as a pleader or mukhtár, the High Court shall cause a certificate, signed by such officer as the Court from time to time appoints in this behalf, to be issued to such person, authorizing him to practise for the period of one year from its date in the Courts and, in the case of a pleader, the offices, specified therein.

At the expiration of such period, the holder of the certificate, if he desires to continue to practise, shall be entitled to have his certificate renewed by the Judge of the District Court within the local limits of whose jurisdiction he then ordinarily practises, or by such officer as the High Court from time to time appoints in this behalf.

On every such renewal, the certificate then in possession of such pleader or mukhtár shall be cancelled and retained by such Judge or officer.

Every certificate so renewed shall be signed by such Judge or officer.

Every Judge or officer so renewing a certificate shall notify such renewal to the High Court.

Pleaders on enrolment may practise in Courts and revenue-offices.

8. Every pleader holding a certificate issued under section seven, may apply to be enrolled in any Court or office mentioned therein and situate within the local limits of the appellate jurisdiction of the High Court by which he has been admitted, and on being so enrolled, may appear, plead and act in such Court or office.

Mukhtárs on enrolment may practise in Courts.

9. Every mukhtár holding a certificate issued under section seven, may apply to be enrolled in any civil or criminal Court mentioned therein and situate within the same limits, and, on being so enrolled, may appear and act in any such civil Court, and may (subject to the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, section 186) appear, plead and act in any such criminal Court.

No person to practise as pleader or mukhtár unless qualified.

10. Except as provided by the Code of Civil Procedure, section 37, or any other enactment for the time being in force, no person shall

appear, plead or act as a pleader or mukhtár in any Court not established by Royal Charter, unless he holds a certificate issued under section seven and has been enrolled in such Court :

Provided that persons holding certificates as revenue-agents under this Act in the territories subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may, on being enrolled in any Munsif's Court, appear, plead and act in such Court in suits under Bengal Act No. VIII of 1869 (*to amend the procedure in suits between Landlord and Tenant*) or under any other Act for the time being in force, regulating the procedure in suits between landholders and their tenants or agents.

Revenue-agents may appear, plead and act in Munsifs' Courts in suits under Bengal Act VIII of 1869.

11. The High Court may suspend or dismiss any pleader or mukhtár holding a certificate issued under this Act, who is convicted of any criminal offence.

Dismissal of pleader or mukhtár convicted of a criminal offence.

12. The High Court may also, after such enquiry as it thinks fit, suspend or dismiss any pleader or mukhtár holding a certificate as aforesaid, who is guilty of fraudulent or grossly improper conduct in the discharge of his professional duty, or of giving, receiving or retaining commission on remuneration paid to any legal practitioner, or for any other reasonable cause.

Dismissal of High Court pleader or mukhtár guilty of unprofessional conduct.

13. If any such pleader or mukhtár practising in any subordinate Court or in any revenue-office, is charged in such Court or office with any such conduct as aforesaid, the presiding officer shall send him a copy of the charge and also a notice that, on a day to be therein appointed, such charge will be taken into consideration.

Procedure when charge of unprofessional conduct is brought in a subordinate Court or revenue-office.

Such copy and notice shall be served upon the pleader or mukhtár at least ten days before the day so appointed.

On such day or on any subsequent day to which the enquiry may be adjourned, the presiding officer shall receive all evidence properly produced in support of the charge, or by the pleader or mukhtár, and shall proceed to adjudicate on the charge.

If such officer finds the charge established, and considers that the pleader or mukhtár should be suspended or dismissed in consequence, he shall record his finding and the grounds thereof, and shall report the same to the High Court, and the High Court shall proceed to acquit, suspend or dismiss the pleader or mukhtár.

Any Judge or Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority acting under this section may, and, with the previous sanction of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, any subordinate revenue-officer so acting may, pending the investigation and the orders of the High Court, suspend the pleader or mukhtár from practising as such in his Court or office.

Suspension pending investigation.

Every report made to the High Court under this section shall—

(*a*) when made by any Civil Judge other than the District Judge, be made through the Judge;

(*b*) when made by a Magistrate subordinate to the Magistrate of the District, be made through the Magistrate of the District and the Sessions Judge;

(*c*) when made by the Magistrate of the District, be made through the Sessions Judge;

(*d*) when made by any subordinate revenue-officer, be made through the Revenue-Authorities to which he is subordinate.

Every such report shall be accompanied by the opinion of each Judge, Magistrate or Revenue-Authority through whom or which it is made.

14. The High Court, in any case in which a pleader or mukhtár has been acquitted under section thirteen otherwise than by an order of the High Court, may call for the record and pass such order thereon as it thinks fit.

Power to call for record in case of acquittal under section 13.

15. Whenever a mukhtár who has been suspended or dismissed by order of the High Court is also a revenue-agent holding a certificate under this Act, the High Court shall forward a report of the case to the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority.

Report when dismissed mukhtár is also a revenue-agent.

Such Authority, after making any enquiry which it thinks necessary, may suspend or dismiss him as such revenue-agent.

16. Notwithstanding anything contained in any Letters Patent or in the Code of Civil Procedure, section 37, clause (*a*), any High Court established by Royal Charter may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act—

Power to make rules for mukhtárs on appellate side of High Court.

(*a*) for the qualification, admission, suspension and dismissal of proper persons to be mukhtárs practising on the appellate side of such Court;

(*b*) for the security which they may be required to give for their honesty and good conduct; and

(*c*) as to their powers and duties;

and may prescribe and impose fines for the infringement of such rules not exceeding in any case five hundred rupees; and such fines, when imposed, may be recovered as if they had been imposed in the exercise of the High Court's ordinary original criminal jurisdiction.

CHAPTER IV.—*Of Revenue-Agents.*

17. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may from time to time make rules consistent with this Act—

Power to make rules as to qualifications, &c., of revenue-agents.

(*a*) for the qualification, admission and certificates of proper persons to be revenue-agents;

(*b*) for the fees to be paid for the examination and admission of such persons; and

(*c*) for their suspension and dismissal.

All such rules shall be published in the local official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Publication of rules.

18. On the admission of any person as a Revenue-agent under section seventeen, the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority shall cause a certificate, signed by such officer as such Authority from time to time appoints in this behalf, to be issued to such person, authorizing him to practise for the period of one year from its date in such offices as may be specified therein.

Certificates to revenue-agents.

At the expiration of such period, the holder of the certificate, if he desires to continue to practise,

all be entitled to have his certificate renewed the Secretary of the Chief Controlling Revenue-uthority, or by any other officer authorized by ch Authority in that behalf.

On every such renewal, the certificate then in e possession of such revenue-agent shall be ncelled and retained by such Secretary or other ficer.

Every certificate so renewed shall be signed by ch Secretary or other officer.

Every officer so renewing a certificate shall tify the renewal to the Chief Revenue-Authority.

Enrolment of revenue-ent.

19. Every revenue-agent holding a certificate issued under section eighteen, may apply to be enrolled in any revenue-office mentioned herein and situate within the limits of the territory under the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, and, on being so enrolled, may practise in ch office as a revenue-agent.

No person to act as ent in revenue-offices, less qualified.

20. Except as provided by any enactment for the time being in force, no person, other than a pleader duly qualified under the provisions hereinbefore contained, shall actise as a revenue-agent in any revenue-office, less he holds a certificate issued under section ghteen, and has been enrolled in such office :

Provided that any person duly authorized in is behalf may, with the sanction of the Chief ntrolling Revenue-Authority, or of an officer powered by the Local Government in this behalf, nsact all or any business in which his employer y be concerned in any revenue-office :

The sanction mentioned in this section may be neral or special, and may at any time be voked or suspended by such Authority or officer.

Dismissal of revenue-nt convicted of criminal offence.

21. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may suspend or dismiss any revenue-agent holding a certificate issued under this Act, ho is convicted of any criminal offence.

Dismissal of revenue-nt guilty of unprofessional conduct.

22. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may also, after making such enquiry as it thinks fit, suspend or dismiss any revenue-agent holding a certificate issued under this ct who is guilty of fraudulent or grossly improper conduct in the discharge of his professional ty, or of giving, receiving or retaining commission on remuneration paid to any legal practitioner, for any other reasonable cause.

Procedure when revenue-agent is so charged subordinate office.

23. If any revenue-agent holding a certificate issued under this Act is charged with any such conduct in any office subordinate to the Chief Controlling evenue-Authority, or in the Court of any Munsif, the officer at the head of such office, or such Munsif, as the case may be, shall send him a copy the charge and also a notice that, on a day to therein appointed, such charge will be taken to consideration.

Such copy and notice shall be served upon the erson charged at least ten days before the day so ppointed. On such day or on any other day to hich the enquiry may be adjourned, the officer Munsif shall receive all evidence properly proced in support of the charge, or by the person harged, and shall proceed to adjudicate on the harge.

If the officer or Munsif finds the charge established and considers that the person charged should be suspended or dismissed in consequence, he shall record his finding, and the grounds thereof, and report the same to the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority; and such Authority shall proceed to acquit, suspend or dismiss him.

Where any officer acting under this section is subordinate to the Commissioner of a Division, he shall forward the report through such Commissioner, who shall accompany the same with an expression of his own opinion on the case.

Power to Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority to call for record.

24. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, in any case in which a revenue-agent has been acquitted under section twenty-three, otherwise than by an order of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, may call for the record and pass such order thereon as seems fit.

Report to High Court when dismissed revenue-agent is also a mukhtár.

25. Whenever a revenue-agent who has been dismissed or suspended by order of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority is also a mukhtár holding a certificate under this Act, the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority shall forward a report of the case to the High Court by which he was admitted.

Such Court, after making any enquiry which it thinks necessary, may suspend or dismiss him as such mukhtár.

CHAPTER V.—*Of Certificates.*

Fee for certificates.

26. For every certificate, whether original or renewed, issued under this Act, a fee of the amount prescribed therefor in the second schedule hereto annexed, shall be paid by the person entitled to such certificate.

Dismissed practitioners to surrender certificates.

27. When any pleader, mukhtár or revenue-agent is suspended or dismissed under this Act, he shall forthwith deliver up his certificate to the Court, or officer at the head of the office, before or in which he was practising at the time he was so suspended or dismissed, or to any Court or officer to which the High Court or Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority (as the case may be) orders him to deliver the same.

CHAPTER VI.—*Of the Remuneration of Pleaders, Mukhtárs and Revenue-Agents.*

High Court and Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority to fix fees on civil and revenue proceedings.

28. The High Court shall from time to time fix and regulate the fees payable by any party in respect of the fees of his adversary's pleader or vakíl upon all proceedings (*a*) on the appellate side of such Court, (*b*) in the case of a High Court not established by Royal Charter, on its original side, and (*c*) in the subordinate Courts.

The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority shall from time to time fix and regulate the fees payable upon all proceedings in the revenue-offices by any party in respect of the fees of his adversary's pleader or revenue-agent.

Tables of the fees so fixed shall be published in the local official Gazette.

Exception as to agents mentioned in section 20.

Nothing in this section applies to the agents mentioned in the proviso to section twenty.

Agreements with pleaders, &c.

29. All persons employing pleaders, mukhtárs or revenue-agents shall be at liberty to settle with them by private agreement the re-

muneration to be paid for their professional services; and it shall not be necessary to specify such agreement in the power under which such pleaders, mukhtárs or revenue-agents for the time being act.

Such agreements shall not be enforced otherwise than by suit.

CHAPTER VII.—*Penalties.*

On persons illegally practising as pleaders, mukhtárs or revenue-agents.

30. Any person who appears, pleads, acts or practises in any Court or office in contravention of the provisions of section ten or section twenty, shall be liable, by order of such Court, or the officer at the head of such office, to a fine not exceeding ten times the amount of the fee required by this Act to be paid for a certificate authorizing him to appear, plead, act or practise in such Court or office, and, in default of payment, to imprisonment in the civil jail for a term which may extend to six months.

He shall also be incapable of maintaining any suit for, or enforcing any lien in respect of, any fee or reward for, or in respect of, anything done, or any disbursement made, by him as pleader or mukhtár or revenue-agent whilst he has been contravening the provisions of either of such sections.

On suspended or dismissed pleader, &c., failing to deliver certificate.

31. Any pleader, mukhtár or revenue-agent failing to deliver up his certificate as required by section twenty-seven, shall be liable, by order of the Court, Authority or officer to which or to whom, or according to whose orders, the delivery should be made, to a fine not exceeding two hundred rupees and, in default of payment, to imprisonment in the civil jail for a term which may extend to three months.

On suspended or dismissed practitioner practising during suspension or after dismissal.

32. Any pleader, mukhtár or revenue-agent who, under the provisions of this Act, has been suspended or dismissed, and who, during such suspension or after such dismissal, practises as a pleader or mukhtár or revenue-agent in any Court or office, shall be liable, by order of such Court, or the officer at the head of such office, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees and, in default of payment, to imprisonment in the civil jail for a term which may extend to six months.

Revision of fines.

33. Every order under section thirty, thirty-one or thirty-two shall be subject to revision, by the High Court, where the order has been passed by a subordinate Court, and by the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority, where the order has been passed by an officer subordinate to such Authority.

CHAPTER VIII.—*Miscellaneous.*

Local Government to appoint examiners.

34. To facilitate the ascertainment of the qualifications respectively mentioned in sections six and seventeen, the Local Government shall from time to time appoint persons to be examiners for the purposes aforesaid, and make regulations for conducting such examinations.

Exemption of High Court practitioners from certain parts of Act.

35. Except as provided by sections four, five, sixteen and twenty-eight, nothing in this Act applies to advocates, vakíls and attorneys admitted and enrolled by any High Court under the Letters Patent by which such Court is constituted, or to mukhtárs practising in such Court.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

(*See section 2*).

Number and date of enactments.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
Act XX of 1865 ...	To amend the law relating to Pleaders and Mukhtárs.	The whole.
Act XXIX of 1865	To amend the Pleaders, Mukhtárs and Revenue-Agents' Act, 1865.	So much as has not been repealed.
Act IX of 1866 ...	To extend to the Sudder Court of the North-Western Provinces certain provisions of "the Pleaders, Mukhtárs and Revenue Agents' Act, 1865," and of Act No. XXIX of 1865.	The whole.
Act IV of 1876 ...	To authorize Revenue-Agents to practise in certain suits in the Munsifs' Courts of the Lower Provinces of Bengal.	The whole.
Act XVII of 1877	The Panjáb Courts Act, 1877.	Section forty-five.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

(*See section 26*).

FEES FOR CERTIFICATES.

I.

For a certificate authorizing the holder to practise as a Pleader—

(*a.*) In the High Court and any subordinate Court—rupees fifty:

(*b.*) In any Court of Small Causes in a Presidency-town—rupees twenty-five:

(*c.*) In all other subordinate Courts—rupees twenty-five:

(*d.*) In the Courts of Subordinate Judges, Munsifs, Magistrates, Assistant Commissioners, Extra Assistant Commissioners and Tahsíldárs, and in Courts of Small Causes outside the Presidency-towns—rupees fifteen:

(*e.*) In the Munsifs' Courts and any Court of first instance not hereinbefore specifically mentioned—rupees five.

II.

For a certificate authorizing the holder to practise as a Mukhtár—

(*f.*) In the High Court and any subordinate Court—rupees twenty-five:

(*g.*) In any Court of Small Causes in a Presidency-town—rupees fifteen:

(*h.*) In all other subordinate Courts—rupees fifteen:

(*i.*) In the Courts of Subordinate Judges, Munsifs, Magistrates, Assistant Commissioners, Extra Assistant Commissioners and Tahsíldárs, and in Courts of Small Causes outside the Presidency Towns—rupees ten:

(*j.*) In the Munsifs' Courts and any Court of first instance not hereinbefore specifically mentioned—rupees five.

III.

For a certificate authorizing the holder to practise as a Revenue-Agent—

(*k*) In the office of the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority and in any office subordinate to such Authority—rupees fifteen:

(*l*) In the office of a Commissioner and in any office subordinate to a Commissioner—rupees ten:

(*m*) In the office of a Collector and in any office subordinate to a Collector—rupees five.

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APPENDIX TO

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FOURTH QUARTER.

BENGAL LIBRARY SUPPLEMENTARY CATALOGUE OF BOOKS

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						ASSAMESE
30	Asamíya-larár-shikshá-sár; or Principles of instruction for Assamese children.	Assamese.	Padmaháns Goswámí.	Reader, E.	Printed and published at the New Árya Press, No. 43-1, Bhavánícharan Datta's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Kedárnáth Chackravarti, and published by Milárám Dévsharmmá.
						BENGALI
1783	Núvan-dratya-guna darpana; or the New Mirror of Properties of Things.	Bengali	Compiled and translated by Bholánáth Mukerji.	Medicine, H.	Printed at the Kavitáratnákara Press, No. 17, Vrindávana Vasák's Street, Calcutta, and published at No. 115, Chitpore Road.	Printed by Fakír Chánd Das, and published by Vishwambhar Láhá.
1784	Hindu-darpana; or, Mirfor a Hindu. Part I, No. 1, for Ashwin 1285.	to ...	Edited by Rámdayál Chakravartí.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Gupta Press, No. 24, Mírjáfir's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Matilál Das, and published by the Editor.
1785	Jnán Kaumudí; or the Moonlight of Knowledge.	ditto ...	Ráméshwar Banerji.	ditto, E. ...	Printed and published at the Vidyáratna Press, No. 285, Upper Chitpore Road, Shobhá Bazar, Calcutta.	Printed and published by Arunodaya Ghosh.
						BENGALI
2395	Mánava Sanskárak; or the Purifier of Man.	ditto ..	Shaikh Abdul Latíf.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Mission Press, Midnapore.	Printed and published by R. M. Lawrence.
						ENGLISH
421	Tables of Interest ...	English	F. A. D. Merces.	Accounts...	Printed at the Peoplés Press, 56, Middle Road, Intally, and published at the libraries of the principal European booksellers in Calcutta.	Printed by the People's Press, and published by the Author.
422	The Plays and Poems of William Shakespeare, King Henry VIII. Part II. No, 29.	ditto ...	Edited by S. C. Mallick.	Drama ..	Printed and published at the Sanátan Press, No. 14, Fakírchánd Dé's Lane, Calcutta.	Printed by Natavar Majumdár, and published by S. C. Mallick and Rakshita.
423	Administration Report of the municipality of the Suburbs of Calcutta, for the year 1877-78, with indices.	ditto ...	Messrs. P. Nolan, Chairman, and A. Forbes Vice-Chairman.	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Suburban Municipal Press, Alipore.	Printed and published by Shyámácharan Bood.
						ENGLISH
548	Exotics and foreign medicine.	ditto ...	Hiránmaya Mukerji.	Medicine	Printed and published at the Oriental Press, No. 21, Strand Road, Bhawánípur.	Printed and published by Púrnachandra Mukerji.

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AMPHLET.									
1878.	Pages.					Rs. A. P.			
ept. 23rd	60	12mo ...	2nd ...	1,000	Printed	0 4 0	Padmaháns Goswámí of Nowgong.	Containing moral reading lessons, as also lessons on the electric fluid and the solar and lunar eclipses.	30
BOOKS.									
1878.	Pages.								
Sept. 9th	163	8vo. ...	1st ...	1,250	ditto ...	0 4 0	Vishwambhar Láhá, No. 15, Tárak Chatterji's Lane.	Describes the properties of a large number of things such as the various drugs used in Hindu medicine, the common articles of food, the common herbs and vegetables, different kinds of flesh and fish, &c. The book has been compiled from various Hindu medical works.	1783
„ 24th	16	Dy. 8vo.	1st ...	150	ditto ...	Not given	Rámdayál Chakravartí.	It is impossible to tell from the title-page whether this is meant to be a periodical or a work which is to be brought	1784

out in monthly parts. The writer dwells on the superiority and purity of Hinduism, and attacks the abuses prevalent at the present day. The work, however, appears to be the outcome of some misunderstanding which has arisen with certain persons in the village of *Amptá* who do not strictly observe the rules of caste, and also between the Editor and some one who has written a book abusing the Author. The present number possesses only a local interest.

Dec. 2nd	144	12mo. ...	1st ...	2,000	Printed	0 2 0	.....	This work is a kind of a letter-writer and intended for educational purposes. The Author undertakes to teach the style in which letters should pro-	1785

perly be written to different relatives and on business. The style is rather pedantic, antiquated and ungrammatical. The latter portion however is more valuable, and contains specimens of forms of agreements and *zamindári* and *mahájani* accounts.

PAMPHLET.

1878.	Pages.								
Oct. 22nd	91	Dy. 8vo.	1st ...	1,000	Printed	0 8 0	Bábu Abdul Latíf, Midnapore.	A collection of 20 short but well-written essays by a Muhammadan gentleman on various	2395

topics; such as God and man, the court, the cultivator, marriage, religious and civil policy, &c. There is nothing striking in the sentiments. The style, however, is simple and idiomatic, and is creditable to the writer; being, as he is, a Muhammadan: and is not in the usual Eastern Bengal Musalmáni-Bengali dialect.

BOOKS.

1878.	Pages.								
Oct. 23rd	150	Dy. 8vo.	New or 3rd edition.	250	Printed	4 0 0	F. A. D. Merces, No. 56, Middle Road, Entally.	A new edition, shewing the interest of any sum from 3 pie to Rs. 1,00,000, at any rate, from 1 to 15 per cent. per annum, reckoning 360 and 365 days to the year.	421
Sept. 19th	72	8vo. ...	2nd ...	500	ditto ...	0 8 0	S. C. Mallick, No. 14, Fakírchánd Dé's Lane, Calcutta.	A reprint of Malone's Shakespeare with the corrections and illustrations of various commentators, comprehending a life of the poet and an enlar-	422

ged history of the stage, with a new glossarial index.

July 23rd	82	Fs. cp. 4to.	1st ...	120	ditto ...	Nil	Nil ...	.....	423

PAMPHLETS.

1878.	Pages.								
July 28th	10	8vo. ...	1st ...	100	Printed	0 2 0	Hiránmaya Mukerji	The Author repudiates theories that appeared in Sir George Campbell's time, that a change	548

of habits weakened the native constitution; he holds to the theory that climate and imported food have to do with it also and that native treatment, by physicians, is more suitable for the diseases and people of this country.

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						ENGLISH
549	A full report of the Great Adultery case—Munsiff *versus* Attorney.	English	None ...	Miscellaneous.	Printed and published at the Oriental Press, No. 21, S. B., Bhavánipur.	Printed and published by Varadá Kánta, Vidyáratna.
550	A free rendering into English of the poetical pieces in the Arabic Entrance Course.	ditto ...	Translated by Govinda Charan.	ditto E ...	Printed and published at the Behár Vandhu Press, Patna.	Printed and published by the Behar Vandhu Press, Bankipore, Patna.
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54	Vraja-yilás; or, Sports at Vraja.	Hindi ...	Vrajavásidás ...	Poetry ...	Printed and published at N. L. Shil's Press, No 99, Ahírítolá Street, Calcutta.	Printed and published by N. L. Shíl.
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127	Gajéndra Mokh; or, the Salvation and Deliverance of the Elephant demon.	Hindi ...	Siápati Dooby	Religion, H	Printed and published at the Nasím Sáran Press, Chhaprah.	Printed by Akshaya Kumár Chatterji, and published by the Author.
128	Rámáshtak; or, Eight stanzas in praise of Ráma.	ditto ...	Vihárí Sinha...	ditto ...	ditto ...	ditto ...
129	Sanshaya-nivárana; or, Removal of doubt.	ditto ...	Banwárílál ...	ditto ...	Printed and published at the Behar Vandhu Press Bankipore, Patna.	Printed and published by Sadhorám Bhat, Patna.
130	Sankhipta Rámáyana; or, the brief Rámáyana.	ditto ...	D. V. Sápray ...	ditto ...	ditto ..	ditto ...
						SANSKRITA
326	Devanáth Charitam; or, the Acts of Devanáth.	Sanskrita.	Dámodar Chakravartí.	Poetry ...	Printed at the Girish Vidyáratna Press, 24, Girish Vidyáratna's Lane, and published at the Canning Library, Calcutta.	Printed by Harish Chandra Kaviratna, and published by the Author.
327	Devárchana Paddhatih; or, the Procedure of Worship.	ditto ...	Chandra Kumár Bhattáchárya.	Religion, H.	Printed and published at the Kamalá Kánta Press, 334, Chitpore Road, Calcutta.	Printed by Ganesh Chandra Ghosh, and published by Nandalál Dé.
328	Amarkosh; or, the Dictionary by Amar Sinha.	ditto ...	Edited by Bhágirath Sattna and others.	Dictionary	Printed and published at the Cuttack Printing Company's Press, Cuttack.	Printed and published by the Cuttack Printing Company.

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Nov. 5th	14	Dy 12mo.	1st ...	500	Printed	0 3 0	Govindachandra, Bankipore.	.....	550
BOOK.									
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Sept. 20th	572	8vo. ...	1st ...	2,000	Printed	0 12 0	.....	This book is written in the Vraja diálect, and takes in all particulars relative to Krishna, from his birth to his accession to the throne at Mathurá; and his slaughter of the demons.	54
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Oct. 23rd	32	16mo. ...	1st ...	250	Lithographed.	0 1 0	Siápati Dooby of Doav, Zillah Saran.	This book is taken from the 8th Chapter of the Sanskrita Shrimad Bhágavat, and relates to the deliverance of the elephant demon by Krishna. It is written in the pure Vraja dialect.	127
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ditto ...	16	Dy. 8vo.	1st ...	550	ditto ...	0 4 0	D. V. Sápray Bankipore.	A brief account of Ráma from his birth to his coronation; his slaughter of the demons; his marriage with Sítá, and other acts of his life.	130
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Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 8th February 1879.

No	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.			
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn. 1	Burdwan. Feb. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the standing crops are good.
Burdwan Divn. 2	Bankoora, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer daily. The prospects of the crops are fair. A little rain is wanted. Fever is disappearing. Some cases of small-pox are reported.
Burdwan Divn. 3	Beerbhoom, „ 8 „	Nil	The weather has become much warmer. Nothing to report about the crops.
Burdwan Divn. 4	Midnapore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—much hotter than usual for the time of year, the thermometer registering 80° to 90°. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. The malarious fever is abating.
Burdwan Divn. 5	Hooghly. „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the winter crops are good. Some of them are being cut. A few cases of cholera and small-pox are reported in the sub-division of Serampore.
	Howrah, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable, but somewhat warmer than it ought to be. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
	Central Districts.		
Presidency Divn. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Feb. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—warmer Foggy mornings. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory; but prices of grains continue very high. Public health in general is good. Small-pox is reported from Barrackpore.
Presidency Divn. 7	Nuddea, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—warm. The winter crops are fair, but rain is wanted for the wheat. Cholera is still prevalent in various parts of the district.
Presidency Divn. 8	Jessore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fine and gets warm during the day. Rain is still wanted in parts of the district The prospects of the winter crops in parts of the district are not so good from want of rain. The *cheena* and linseed crops are well reported of. Public health is good.
Presidency Divn. 9	Moorshedabad, „ 8 „	Nil	A great change in the weather since last week. It has become perceptibly warm. The crops are in fair condition. The price of common rice continues stationary at 13 seers per rupee.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 10	Dinagepore, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The *rubbee* crops are being cut. The cold-weather crops are good. Rice continues to be dear, being 13 to 18 seers the rupee.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 11	Rajshahye, „ 8 „	Nil	The *rubbee* crops continue to be flourishing, but want a little rain. Land is being prepared for the *boro dhan*. Public health is good.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 12	Rungpore. „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. All crops promise well. Public health is good. Cholera is abating.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 13	Bogra, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fine and bright. Prospects are generally favourable, though rain will soon be wanted. Public health is good.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 14	Pubna, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—warmer than last week, but still cool and seasonable. The early spring crops have suffered from want of rain. Public health is good.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 15	Darjeeling, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—very cold; atmosphere cloudy. There is no important crop on the ground. Land is being cultivated for other crops.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 16	Julpigoree, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting sensibly warmer, and clouds gather frequently. Strong east winds have been prevalent. The cultivation for *bhadoi* is progressing. Wheat and barley are being harvested. Mustard and tobacco are doing well; for the former crop in the Dooars portion of the district rain is wanted.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn.	Cooch Behar, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—fair. Somewhat warmer. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. Nothing to add to last report. Public health continues good.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
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	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divn. 17	Dacca, Feb. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—getting sensibly warmer. Heavy fogs during the week. The state and prospects of the crops are good. The fogs have been almost as good as rain, and all crops look well.
18	Furreedpore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting warm; occasionally foggy in the mornings. The winter crop will be a fair one, but would have been better had there been more rain.
19	Backergunge, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The crops on the ground are doing well. The price of rice in Perozepore is still said to be rising on account of large exportations. General health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—fine; a little warmer than last week. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable, but a little rain is wanted for the *cheena* and *kaon* crops.
21	Tipperah, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The cold-weather crops are being gathered. The outturn is fully up to the average. Exportation is keeping up the price of rice. A few cases of sporadic cholera are reported from the Brahmanbariah sub-division.
Chittagong Divn. 22	Chittagong, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the cold-weather crops are good. Small-pox is reported from Cox's Bazar.
23	Noakholly, „ 6 „	Nil	Mornings foggy and cloudy during the last few days. The direction of the wind has been unusual and changeable. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are fair. Scattered cases of sickness are reported—cholera and small-pox.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts Feb. 4 „	Nil	Weather—seasonably cold. The gathering of the mustard crop still continues. Tobacco plants are doing well. General health is good.
	Hill Tipperah „ 5 „	Nil	Weather—rather a little too hot for the season. The prospects of chillies are good. Mustard and sugarcane are being cut. Winter crops are not grown to any large extent.
BEHAR.			
Patna Divn. 25	Patna, Feb. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good.
26	Gya, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The highest reading of the thermometer in the shade was 86·4°. The prospects of *rubbee* continue the same, but a good fall of rain is wanted. A good many cases of small-pox have been reported. The health of the plough-cattle is good.
27	Shahabad, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—cool in the morning Getting warm daily. The *rubbee* crops are suffering for want of rain. Small-pox is prevalent in the Sasseram sub-division.
28	Durbhunga, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Rain is much wanted throughout the district. Prices are stationary. Health of the people is generally good.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—mild, with west wind. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops on good lands are fair, but the crops are very thin and poor elsewhere.
30	Sarun, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—less cold than last week. West wind (favourable to the *rubbee* crops) is prevailing. The continued drought is doing much harm to the cold-weather crops. *Rahur, masur*, and peas have suffered considerable injury from the effect of the frost. Poppy is in flower. Prices are stationary. Public health is good.
31	Chumparun, „ 8 „	Nil	High east and west winds. Weather warmer. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops. The *rubbee* crops are urgently in need of rain.
Bhagulpore Division. 32	Monghyr, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—growing warmer; dry west winds prevail. The crops are in excellent condition.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting warm. Mustard is being gathered. Other *rubbee* crops are thriving well, but would improve by rain. Prices are high for the season. General health is good. A few cases of small-pox are reported from the interior.
34	Purneah „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fine. The *rubbee* crops are good, but rain is wanted.
35	Maldah, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fair The reaping of the paddy crop is nearly over. The wheat, barely, and *rubbee* plants are thriving well. The public health is improving with the blowing of the western breeze.
36	Southal Perghs. „ 9	Nil	Weather—dry, hot, and hazy till the morning of the 9th, when clouds came up and a few drops of rain fell. The *rubbee* crops want rain.

No	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack, Feb. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—fine and warm, with cold nights. The reaping of the *sarad* and *rubbee* crops is going on. The spring crops are coming up Cholera is decreasing.
Orissa Divn. 38	Pooree, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable Sultry at Khoorda. The harvesting of the *sarad* rice continues. The *dalua* rice is progressing fairly. Common rice sells at 15$\frac{3}{4}$ to 21 seers for the rupee. Public health is good.
Orissa Divn. 39	Balasore, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—rapidly getting warmer. Very dry. The cold-weather crops are being got in.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Feb. 7 '79	Nil	Weather—fine and in the day time warm. The nights are still cool The state of the *rubbee* crops is generally fair, though in parts of the district damage has been done by frost.
41	Lohardugga, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—becoming warm during the day with occasional high winds The *rahur* crop has partially suffered from frosts, but other *rubbee* crops promise well. Fever is still very prevalent in the Palamow sub-division.
42	Singbhoom, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—warm for the time of the year. No change to report. Rain is much required generally, and particularly for the mango, which is now coming into blossom.
43	Manbhoom, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—very warm and most unseasonable. The crops continue good, but the large exportation is sending the price of rice up. 16 or 17 seers per rupee is the current price of common rice. General health continues good.

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The 11th February 1879.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE UNDERMENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST JANUARY 1879.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	A 12 0	12 4	11 8	18 8	19 0	25 0	13 8	13 8	15 12	14 8	14 4	16 8	...	...	...
2	Bankoora	B 10 4	10 4	13 4	14 0	14 0	22 0	15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 8	17 8	17 8	17 0	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom	C 11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	20 0	10 8	10 8	12 0	13 8	13 0	13 8	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	D 10 0	10 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	11 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...
	Howrah	...	11 0	10 8	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 8	11 0	11 0	11 8	15 0	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
	Calcutta	...	10 11	10 4	12 8	13 5	13 4	16 0	5 11	5 11	7 0	10 0	10 0	11 8	...	...	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	E ...	...	...	...	...	...	6 8	6 0	7 4	10 8	10 8	11 8	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	F 11 7	11 14	13 5	...	...	30 8	10 0	10 0	...	11 0	10 10	12 5	...	...	...
8	Jessore	G 11 12	11 0	11 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	11 0	12 0	12 12	15 8	...	...	...
9	Moorshedabad	H 12 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	38 8	11 4	11 4	10 0 to 13 0	12 8	12 8	14 0 to 15 0	...	...	...
10	Dinagepore	I 9 5	9 14	12 0	16 12	19 8	11 6	12 0	12 0	16 0	14 6	14 6	21 8	...	...	...
11	Rajshahye	J 12 0 to 13 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	32 0	10 14 to 11 4	10 8	12 0 to 13 8	13 2 to 13 14	13 8 to 14 4	14 4 to 16 0	...	...	...
12	Rungpore	K 9 0	8 0	15 13	...	...	...	11 4	9 0	11 12	13 8	14 12	22 8	...	...	...
13	Bogra	12 0	12 0	9 13	...	...	...	9 0	9 12	15 0	12 12	13 8	19 8	...	...	...
14	Pubna	L 13 8	13 0	13 0 to 16 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...
15	Darjeeling	M 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
16	Julpigoree	N 8 8	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	6 3	13 0	12 0	11 0	16 0	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.															
17	Dacca	O 9 8	9 8	12 4	...	...	32 0	10 0	9 0 to 10 12	12 4	12 4	12 4	16 0	...	...	...
18	Furreedpore	P 13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	...	6 0	6 0	8 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...
19	Backergunge	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	15 0	...	...	...
20	Mymensingh	R 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 8	10 8	14 0	13 8	11 0	15 12	...	...	...

A In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12½ seers, barley 16 to 19 seers, best rice 11 to 11½ seers, common rice 13 to 15½ seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 25 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 25 seers, and gram 11 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, best rice 11½ to 15 seers, common rice 13 to 16½ seers, and gram 9 to 11½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 10½ seers, barley 13 to 16 seers, best rice 7 to 10½ seers, common rice 11 to 13 seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10½ seers, barley 13½ to 14½ seers, best rice 6 to 7 seers, common rice 10 to 12½ seers, and gram 9½ to 10 seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11½ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 20½ seers, best rice 7 to 10 seers, common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram 8 to 12½ seers.

G In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 12 seers, common rice 12 to 13 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st January 1879.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 4	15 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 4	10 4	9 0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	31 0	30 0	32 0	10 8	10 8	13 4	360 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	9 8	9 0	16 8	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	14 0	105 0	105 0	100 0	10 0	9 12	9 8	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
16 0	16 0	13 5	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	10 8	10 5	10 0	16 0	64 0	66 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	12 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 10	20 0	120 0	110 0	100 0	9 11	9 6	8 14	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	20 0 to 20 12	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 9 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	6 9	13 10	160 0	180 0	180 0	8 4	8 4	7 12	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	9 0	12 0 to 18 0	200 0 to 240 0	200 0 to 240 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 5½	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	13 8½	106 0	105 0	107 0	7 14	6 0	8 1	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 0	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 4	8 10	8 4	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0 to 18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	10 0	8 8	Pubna.
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	75 0	75 0	80 0	7 2	8 0	7 2	Julpigoree
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	8 8	13 5	96 0	96 0	80 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	120 0	80 0	100 0	8 8	9 0	8 8	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	Mymensingh.

H In Jungypore the prices are—Wheat 11 seers, barley 25 seers, best rice 12½ seers, common rice 15 seers, bulrush millet 15 seers, and gram 12 seers.

I In Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 12½ seers, best rice 13 seers, and common rice 14 seers.

J In Nattore the prices are—Wheat 17½ seers, best rice 8½ seers, common rice 12 seers, and gram 6 seers.

K In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7½ to 21 seers, best rice 9 to 10½ seers, common rice 11½ to 14$\frac{1}{16}$ seers, and gram 7½ to 8 seers.

L In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 10½ seers, best rice 6½ seers, common rice 10 seers, and gram 7½ seers.

M In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 5 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, lesser millets (at Kurseong) 10 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Kurseong) 13 seers, and gram 6 to 7 seers.

N In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 8 seers, best rice 10 to 11 seers, common rice 17½ to 16 seers, and gram 6 to 6$\frac{7}{12}$ seers.

O In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 9 to 10½ seers, common rice 11 to 12½ seers, and gram 9½ to 12 seers.

P In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10 to 11½ seers, common rice 11 to 13½ seers, and gram 8 to 11 seers.

Q In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11 to 11½ seers, common rice 12 seers, and gram 5 to 12 seers.

R In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 9 to 10 seers, best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 10 to 13 seers, and gram 7½ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY															
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BUTRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)															
		S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.
21	Chittagong	S 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...
22	Noakholly	T ...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	9 0	9 0	12 0	12 8	13 0	...	...	...
23	Tipperah	10 8	10 8	11 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 8	13 4	13 4	15 8	...	...	...
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	10 0	13 5	13 5	10 10	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	7 5	8 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	16 0	14 5	16 0	18 0	...	...	...
	BEHAR.															
25	Patna	13 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	20 0	19 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	17 8	17 8	15 0	...	...	...
26	Gya	U 13 0	12 5	14 8	16 8	16 0	20 0	8 0	8 8	9 0	14 8	14 8	13 8	...	...	...
27	Shahabad	V {12 4 to 13 4}	{12 8 to 13 0}	{13 8 to 14 8}	{16 0 to 17 0}	16 0	18 0	{12 0 to 13 0}	{13 0 to 14 0}	11 12	{14 0 to 14 8}	15 0	{12 0 to 13 0}	...	...	...
28	Durbhunga	W 12 0	12 0	15 4	20 0	17 0	23 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	14 4	14 0	13 8	...	...	...
29	Mozufferpore	12 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...
30	Sarun	11 8	12 4	12 0	16 4	19 4	18 0	7 4	7 12	7 12	14 0	14 4	11 0	...	...	...
31	Chumparun	X 11 0	11 0	14 0	...	17 0	21 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	15 0	16 0	12 8	...	...	...
32	Monghyr	Y 10 10	12 6	13 6	14 7	14 7	22 1	9 4	10 5	9 4	13 6	13 6	12 6	...	...	...
33	Bhagulpore	Z 10 11	12 0	12 10	12 10	11 6	20 8	13 10	13 4	11 6	15 2	15 2	13 14	...	...	...
34	Purneah	Z1 {12 0 to 14 0}	13 0	{14 0 to 17 0}	...	...	...	14 0	15 8	14 0	16 0	16 8	{15 0 to 17 0}	...	...	...
35	Maldah	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	32 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Z2 9 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	12 0	15 0	17 0	13 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.															
37	Cuttack	13 2	13 2	8 8	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	9 8	17 1*	15 12	13 2	...	...	...
38	Pooree	Z3 10 8	10 8	11 13	...	...	...	9 3	8 9	9 8	17 1	15 0	15 12	...	...	...
39	Balasore	10 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	14 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*															
40	Hazareebagh	Z4 11 0	11 0	13 8	...	...	22 0	8 0	8 8	9 8	15 0	15 0	14 8	...	...	...
41	Lohardugga	Z5 9 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...
42	Singhbhoom	8 0	8 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	Z6 10 0	9 12	11 0	32 0	...	33 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	18 8	19 0	17 0	...	...	...

* In the interior the price of common rice varies from 18¾ to 21 seers the rupee.
S In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 11 to 12 seers and common rice 12 to 14 seers.
T In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 8½ to 16 seers and common rice 11 to 17 seers.
U In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11 to 12½ seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, and gram 8 to 9½ seers.
V In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 13 to 14 seers, barley 15 to 19 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 13½ to 15 seers, bulrush millet 17 to 18 seers, great millet 21 to 24 seers, lesser millets 20 to 22 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 24½ seers, and gram 10 to 11 seers.
W In Madhubani the prices are—Wheat 14 seers, barley 25 seers, best rice 16 seers, common rice 17 seers, murwa 30 seers, and maize or Indian-corn 35 seers.
X In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 13 seers, barley 12½ to 18 seers, best rice 8½ to 11 seers, common rice 14 to 16½ seers, lesser millets 30 to 32 seers, maize or Indian-corn 30 to 35 seers, and gram 8½ to 10 seers.
Y In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 12½ to 13$\frac{1}{16}$ seers, barley 14$\frac{7}{16}$ to 19$\frac{9}{16}$ seers, best rice 9½ to 16½ seers, common rice 14$\frac{1}{16}$ to 17½ seers, jowar 19$\frac{1}{16}$ to 29$\frac{9}{16}$ seers, murwa 26½ to 42 seers, maize or Indian-corn 27$\frac{1}{16}$ to 27½ seers, and gram 10$\frac{9}{16}$ seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th February 1879.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st January* 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts—(Contd.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 4	7 8	8 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	7 8	12 0	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 10	6 10	7 4	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	9 5	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	29 0	29 0	19 0	13 0	10 0	18 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	26 0	...	20 8	22 8	18 0	9 8	9 8	17 8	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Gya.
25 8	25 0	16 0	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	...	9 8 to 10 0	9 0 to 10 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	8 12	Shahabad.
...	...	...	24 0	21 0	18 8	31 0	30 0	18 8	10 0	9 12	16 8	120 0	120 0	176 0	8 0	7 12	8 0	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	27 0	27 0	19 0	10 0	9 0	15 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Mozufferpore.
26 8	28 0	16 0	21 4	22 0	18 0	26 4	26 0	16 8	9 8	9 8	16 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 4	8 8	8 0	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	30 0	18 0	8 0	8 0	17 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	Chumparun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	26 2	27 8	16 8	11 5	11 5	18 9	147 0	147 0	126 0	8 4	9 1	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	28 0	27 12	17 11	10 6	10 1	17 11	101 0	138 12	151 9	8 8	8 8	8 8	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0 to 10 0	10 0	15 0 to 17 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	80 0	8 8	8 8	8 4	Maldah.
...	..	...	...	...	...	25 0	30 0	...	8 12	9 0	15 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Perghs.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	...	..	6 9	14 7	...	...	...	16 6	14 7	17 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	Cuttack.
...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	11 13	11 13	15 12	100 0	100 0	105 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 12	6 8	13 0	120 0	80 0	120 0	7 0	7 0	8 7	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
...	..	...	22 8	25 0	...	21 8	22 0	17 0	8 0	9 8	17 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	...	28 0	28 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	10 0	9 0	18 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	10 0	10 0	24 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 8	6 0	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	9 0	9 8	15 0	130 0	130 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Manbhoom.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 19 seers, best rice 17 to 18 seers, common rice 18 to 19 seers, lesser millets (at Soopole) 25 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Banka) 24 seers, and gram 11 to 13 seers.

Z1 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 16 seers, best rice 14 to 18 seers, common rice 16 to 24 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

Z2 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 13¾ seers, best rice 11 to 19 seers, common rice 12½ to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 30 seers, and gram 10 to 11½ seers.

Z3 In Khoorda the prices are—Best rice 15½ seers, common rice 19½½ seers and gram 15½ seers.

Z4 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 10 seers, common rice 15½ to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 22 seers, and gram 10 seers.

Z5 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 11·81 seers, best rice 12·94 to 10 seers, common rice 16·30 to 20 seers, mohwa (at Daltongunge) 15·18 seers, lesser millets 27 to 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 23·6 seers, and gram 9 to 11 seers.

Z6 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 6 to 9½ seers, best rice 16 seers, common rice 19 to 20 seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 12 6	3 13 6	3 3 0	2 15 6	2 15 6	2 8 0	6 15 9	7 0 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 6 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	3 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	6 0 0	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	2 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	3 14 0	4 0 0 to 4 6 0	3 8 0	3 3 0	3 5 0	2 6 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 13 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	2 11 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 8 0	4 8 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	3 1 3	2 13 9	2 10 9	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 14 3	4 3 6	4 5 0	4 0 0	2 5 6	2 5 9	2 10 9	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	3 12 0	4 6 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 13 0	2 3 0	2 10 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 3 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 2 0	2 2 0	2 5 0	2 13 0	...	...	...

CALCUTTA,
The 11th February 1879.

The undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st January 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 7 9	2 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 12 0	3 13 9	4 0 0	3 11 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 6 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 7 0	4 10 0	3 1 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	3 15 0	2 14 0	0 14 6	0 13 0	0 10 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 4 3	Naraingung
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 0	1 6 0	1 14 3	3 1 3	4 0 0	2 3 6	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Pátna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8 0	6 0 0	3 12 0	0 5 4	0 6 0	0 5 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poorea.
...	...	...	...	5 14 0	3 9 0	...	...	...	2 1 0	2 10 0	2 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 12 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 19th to 25th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	Nil	1st Feb.	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Not received, 19th to 25th Jan.
	Bankoora	Bankoora	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto ..	Not received, 19th to 25th Jan.
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Ditto do.
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Ditto do.
	Midnapore	Midnapore	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Not received, 12th to 18th Jan.
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Central Districts						
Presidency.	24 Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Baraset	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ..	Not received, 1st to 4th Jan.
		Barrackpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Berhampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ..	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	0·10	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	ditto	0·30	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	0·06	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Baulcah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Buxa	ditto	ditto	0·22	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 19th to 25th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	Nil	1st Feb.	
		Dacca... Hospital	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Furreedpore	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Backergunge	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoakhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Chittagong Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	0·18	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail	0·20	ditto	0·36	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	1·07	ditto	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly	Noakholly	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah	Comillah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill	0·03	ditto	0·23	ditto	
		Ruma	Not recd.	Not recd.	Nil	11th Jan.	
	Hill Tipperah	Hill Tipperah	Nil	Nil	0·11	1st Feb.	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna	Patna	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Gya	Gya	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Shahabad	Arrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	0·08	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mozufferpore	Mozufferpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Durbhunga	Durbhunga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sarun	Chupra	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	25th Jan.	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Not received, 12th to 18th Jan.
	Chumparun	Motiharee	ditto	ditto	ditto	1st Feb.	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr	Monghyr	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	25th Jan.	
		Begoosarai	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bhagulpore	Bhagulpore	ditto	Nil	ditto	1st Feb.	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sopbursa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Purneah	Purneah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	ditto	0·25	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Godda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 19th to 25th Jan. 1879.	Rain from 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack	Nil	Nil	Nil	1st Feb.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Not received, 5th to 18th Jan.
	Pooree ...	Pooree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dispensary	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mowdie Hill	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	Not recd	ditto	25th Jan.	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	Nil	ditto	1st Feb.	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	ditto	Not recd.	1·14	25th Jan.	
		Golaghat	ditto	ditto	0·52	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	1·00	ditto	
	Burmah ...	Akyab	ditto	Nil	Nil	1st Feb.	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	ditto	ditto	0·20	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	0·07	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 8th February 1879.

Alexander Pedler,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 2nd to 8th February 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Jan. 2nd	10	30·126	30·148	76·3	59·7	32	N W by N	3 8	...	.....	b
		16	29·986	30·008	81·0	58·3	18	N W	6·2	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	30·101	30·123	71·0	59·2	45	N W by N	1·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·969	29·990	80·6	60·0	24	W N W	6·7	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30·159	30·181	71·0	64·9	71	N N E	0 8	...	.....	b
		16	30·027	30·049	81·0	61·6	28	N N E	4 8	...	.....	b
	5th	10	30·134	30·156	73·2	60·2	43	W by N	2·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·988	30·010	81·9	63·4	31	W by N	4·8	...	.....	b
	6th	10	29 994	30·016	74·5	68·0	70	W S W	7·3	...	.....	b
		16	29 858	29·879	86·0	66·0	30	W	7·8	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·017	30·039	77·3	63·9	44	S E by E	2·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·927	29·949	83·7	63·8	28	E S E	3·5	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·023	30·045	71·1	68·4	87	N E	2·3	...	P.C.	a, g
		16	29·890	29·912	82 0	68·2	46	S S W	3·2	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Jan. 2nd	10	30·142	30·148	74·5	69·0	74	N N W	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29 993	29·999	78·5	70 5	66	S	8	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	3rd	10	30·113	30·119	73	69	81	N W	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·991	29·997	79	70·5	64	S W	8	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30·166	30·172	75	72	86	W N W	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	30·043	30·049	79	72	70	S W	8	...	.....	b, c
	5th	10	30·140	30·146	78·5	68·5	76	W	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	30·005	30·011	79	69	58	S W	8	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	30·007	30·013	78	72	74	S W	11	...	.....	b
		16	29·893	29 899	81	75	74	S S W	12	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·016	30·022	78	74·5	81	S	7	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·938	29 944	80·5	74 5	74	S	4	...	.....	b, c
	8th	10	30·020	30·026	77	74	86	N W	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·909	29·915	80	75	78	S	4	...	.....	b, c
Chittagong.	Jan. 2nd	10	30·069	30·164	73	64·5	65	W	4	...	.....	
	3rd	10	30 021	30·116	70	60	53	N N E	5	...	.....	
	4th	10	30·079	30·174	71·5	65	69	N N W	5	...	.....	
	5th	10	30 046	30·141	68	61	65	N N E	5	...	.....	
	6th	10	29·953	30·048	72	64	69	N N E	7	...	.....	
	7th	10	29·965	30·059	74·5	67.5	68	N E	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	8th	10	29 921	30 015	73	65	63	N N W	3	...	.....	
Akyab.	Jan. 2nd	10	30·104	30·126	75	64	52	N	4	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	3rd	10	30·071	30·093	76	64	49	N E	3	...	.....	*Sultry.*
	4th	10	30·126	30·148	75	69	72	N	2	...	.....	b
	5th	10	30·042	30·064	74	65	59	N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	30·013	30·034	76	67	60	N E	2	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·026	30·048	79	69	58	N	2	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·026	30·048	76	68	64	N N W	2	...	.....	b
False Point.	Jan. 2nd	10	30·137	30·159	75	70	77	Calm.	4	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	3rd	10	30·119	30·134	75	72	86	Calm.	3	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	4th	10	30·165	30·180	77	72	77	Calm.	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	5th	10	30·145	30·160	76	70	73	W S W	4	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	6th	10	30·030	30·045	78	68 5	60	W S W	5	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·025	30·040	80	71	62	E	7	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	8th	10	30·016	30·031	81·5	74·0	69	S	3	...	.....	*Foggy.*
Vizagapatam.	Jan. 2nd	10	30·116	30·148	76	70·5	68	S S E	1	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	3rd	10	30 093	30·125	77	70	69	W	1	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30·124	30·156	77	69·5	67	S W	1	...	.....	b
	5th	10	30·130	30·162	76·5	68·0	62	W	1	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	30·057	30 089	75·5	66·5	60	W S W	1	...	.....	b, c
	7th	10	30·018	30·050	77	68	61	W N W	1	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·027	30·059	78	64·5	45	W N W	1	...	.....	b, c
Colombo.	Jan. 2nd	10	29·971	30·012	81	70 5	58	N E	15	...	.....	*Fine clear weather.*
	3rd	10	30·013	30·054	80	68·5	53	N E	14	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30·011	30·052	81	68·5	50	N N E	13	...	.....	b, c
	5th	10	30 014	30 055	80	70	58	N N E	13	...	.....	b c
	6th	10	29·960	30·001	80	71	62	N N E	18	...	.....	b, c
	7th	10	29·904	29·945	82	74	67	N N E	15	...	.....	b, c
	8th	10	29·916	29·957	82	75	71	N N W	10	...	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 8th February 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 2nd to 8th February 1879.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Feb.	2nd	139·9	30·043	66·6	81·4	26·9	54·5	57·2	0·343	48·6	52	Till 10 A.M. W, till 11 P.M. chiefly N W by W, till midnight W.	68	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	3rd	139·6	·025	67·1	80·6	24·9	55·7	59·1	·397	52·6	60	Till 7 A.M. W, till 10-30 A.M. N W by N, till 9 P.M. chiefly N W by W, till midnight W.	92	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	4th	140·6	·078	65·6	81·7	26·9	54·8	59·9	·441	55·5	70	Till 9 A.M. W, till 10-30 A.M. N by E through N W, till 2 P.M. W through N W, till 10 P.M. N by E through N W, till midnight W by N through N W.	51	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	5th	140·5	·038	67·0	81·9	27·2	54·7	59·5	·410	53·5	62	Chiefly W by N ...	80	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	6th	140·8	29·938	71·2	86·0	27·7	58·3	65·6	·553	61·8	72	Till 7 P.M. chiefly W by S, till midnight S W by W.	128	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	7th	139·8	·962	71·6	84·3	23·3	61·0	63·4	·478	57·7	62	Till 8-30 A.M. S W by W, till 9 P.M. chiefly E S E through S and S E, till midnight S E by S.	56	,,	Clear, *f* and *w*.
,,	8th	134·8	·936	71·9	82·0	17·5	64·5	68·3	·646	66·2	83	Till 6-30 A.M. S E by S, till 11 A.M. N E through E, till 4 P.M. S by E through E and S E, till midnight S W by W.	92	,,	Morning cloudy, day and night clear, *o*, *g*, *f* and *w*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		30·001
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...		29·972
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days		68·7
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...		70·0
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days		31·5
The maximum temperature during the seven days		86·0
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days		66
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...		70
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 2nd to 8th February 1879		Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office		0·28
The total fall from 1st January to 8th February 1879		Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office		0·85

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed at the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o, overcast; *g*, gloomy; *f*, fog; *w*, dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 10th February 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Abstract of the results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of January 1879.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	30·003		
The average pressure of 26 years	30·018		
The highest pressure during the month	30·160	2nd	10h.
The lowest pressure during the month	29·830	17th	16h.
The range of pressure during the month	0·330		
	⊖		
The mean temperature of the month	65·0		
The average temperature of 26 years	67·6		
The highest temperature during the month	83·1	31st	
The lowest temperature during the month	47·5	24th	
The range of temperature during the month	35·6		
The mean daily range of temperature during the month ...	22 6		
The greatest range of temperature in one day during the month	30·1	31st	
	%		
The mean humidity during the month	69		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension during the month	0·432		
	%		
The average humidity of 26 years	71		
	Inches		
The average vapour tension of 12 years	0·465		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	0·39		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	Nil.		
The average fall of 51 years	0·47		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	Nil.		
	Days		
The number of rainy days in the month	Nil.		
The average number of rainy days of 26 years	3		
	⊖		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation of the month	133·8		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures ...	56·3		
The greatest sun temperature	141·8	31st	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	64 9	10th	
The mean temperature of nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	45·0		
The mean depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	9·8		
The greatest depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	13·2	25th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	70·6		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	130	18th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour... ...	17	18th	Noon.

The number of hours under each of the 8 points—

N217, NE85, E3, SE8, S6, SW62, W150, NW146, Calm 67.

The results of the observations at the Alipore Observatory are not rigorously comparable with the registers of past years (at the Park Street Observatory). The barometer is about 3 feet higher at Alipore, and, the other things being equal, reads therefore ·003 lower. The diurnal range of temperature is also greater at Alipore, and the mean temperature apparently about 1° or 1½° lower; and finally, the thermometer, which has furnished the record of temperature at the Surveyor-General's Office during the last 20 years and upwards, is found to read 0·6° higher than the Kew standard thermometer, which is the standard of reference at the present Observatory.

JOHN ELIOT,

Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA, the 10th February 1879.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st February 1879 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts		Weight carried	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	160,620	2,18,746 2 5	20,051 14 7	16,01,934 0	5,45,209 6 0	50,040 15 7	7,64,645 8 8	46,873½	100,016½	146,889½
Or per mile of railway	...	170 14 10	15 13 4	..	426 9 1	39 2 1	597 7 11	...	...	...
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	526,470	7,83,028 2 9	71,777 11 8	55,22,921 0	20,20,632 9 0	185,224 13 0	28,03,660 11 9	170,191½	337,768	527,539½
Total for 5 weeks	687,090	10,01,774 5 0	91,829 6 3	71,24,855 0	25,66,831 15 0	235,265 8 7	35,68,306 4 0	217,064½	437,784½	674,449
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	149,518½	2,19,807 12 10	20,103 4 2	15,60,097 20	5,44,503 13 11	49,912 17 1	7,63,811 9 9	46,820	108,212	155,032
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	171 5 11	15 14 2	.....	425 7 7	39 0 1	596 13 6	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	603,576	8,70,768 10 10	79,620 0 1	63,06,370 30	26,35,094 6 2	241,550 6 4	35,05,853 1 0	221,110	502,530	723,640

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st February 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,490	17,569 0 3	1,610 9 10	2,81,394 0	60,791 4 0	6,397 10 8	87,360 4 8	5,092½	18,995	24,087½
Or per mile of railway	...	78 8 4	7 4 0	..	311 14 8	28 11 10	390 7 0	..	..	..
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	32,980	1,13,773½	10,429 4 4	14,28,739 0	2,97,214 12 0	27,244 13 9	4,10,988 0 6	18,640½	81,286	99,926½
Total for 5 weeks	39,470	1,31,342 4 9	12,039 14 2	17,10,133 0	3,57,006 0 0	33,642 4 5	4,98,348 4 9	23,733½	100,275	124,008½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,654	27,786 1 6	2,547 1 2	1,78,259 30	51,663 6 0	4,735 16 2	79,449 7 6	5,193	10,626	15,819
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	.....	124 2 11	11 7 8	.....	230 14 5	21 3 4	355 1, 4	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	38,354½	1,02,986 6 0	9,440 12 0	7,98,086 0	2,22,596 1 0	20,404 12 9	3,25,584 7 0	23,460	51,182	74,642

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 18th January 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts
	Number of passengers	Coaching Receipts		Weight carried.	Receipts		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d
Total traffic for the week	37,941	31,243 1 2	2,863 16 11	1,30,152 0	34,733 9 0	3,183 18 2	6,047 17 1
Or per mile of railway	239	196 12 11	18 0 10	819 34	218 12 8	20 1 1	38 1 11
For previous 3 week of half-year	53,836½	41,203 9 8	3,776 19 11	1,87,680 38	37,265 2 8	3,415 19 5	7,192 18 4
Total for 3 weeks	91,777½	72,446 10 6	6,640 18 10	3,17,832 38	71,998 11 8	6,599 17 7	13,240 16 5
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	37,356½	24,751 13 3	2,268 16 4	1,98,605 21	42,041 3 6	3,908 15 7	1,677 13 11
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	235	155 14 8	14 5 10	1,251 2	268 9 8	24 12 6	38 18 4
Total to corresponding date of previous year	95,541½	67,283 7 4	6,167 13 0	5,44,639 35	1,14,904 0 5	10,532 17 5	16,700 10 5

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for Week ended 25th January 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P	£ s. d.	£ s. d
Total traffic for the week	47,212	34,837 11 6	3,193 9 2	1,06,880 0	29,401 0 9	2,696 1 11	5,889 11 1
Or per mile of railway	298	219 7 2	20 2 4	683 38	185 3 3	16 19 6	37 1 10
For previous 3 weeks of half-year	91,777½	72,446 10 6	6,640 18 10	3,17,832 38	71,998 11 8	6,599 17 7	13,240 16 5
Total for 4 weeks	139,089½	1,07,284 6 0	9,834 8 0	4,24,412 38	1,01,399 12 5	9,294 19 8	19,129 7 0
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	45,567	29,902 15 9	2,741 2 9	2,98,559 37	64,822 8 8	5,942 1 8	8,683 3 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	287	189 5 10	17 5 4	1,880 28	408 5 4	37 6 7	54 13 11
Total to corresponding date of previous year	141,128½	97,186 7 1	8,908 15 2	8,43,199 32	1,79,726 8 8	16,474 18 8	25,388 13 10

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 51.

Latest return received	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total Receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878
			22nd December 1877.	21st December 1878.	To 22nd December 1877.	To 21st December 1878.		
		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A P.	
21st December 1878 First 4 days of January 1879.	Northern Bengal	219	2,092 0 0	27,906 0 0	38,525 0 0	8,88,527 0 0	8,50,002 0 0	.....
	Tirhoot	76	8,044 0 0	9,523 0 0	2,86,595 0 0	4,31,425 0 0	1,44,830 0 0	..
18th January 1879 Last 10 days of December 1878.	Calcutta and South-Eastern	28	3,416 0 0	3,105 0 0	1,13,046 0 0	1,22,085 0 0	9,039 9 0	.....
	Nalhati	27½	1,714 0 0	1,534 0 0	85,175 0 0	87,471 0 0	2,296 0 0	.....
	Total	350½	15,166 0 0	41,068 0 0	5,23,341 0 0	15,29,508 0 0	10,06,167 0 0	...

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1076A.

GENERAL.—*The 12th February* 1879.—Moulvie Mahomed Abdul Kadir, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Soopool division of the Bhagulpore district, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he may have availed himself of it.

Baboo Ram Churn Bose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bagirhat, Jessore, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Soopool division of the Bhagulpore district during the absence, on leave, of Moulvie Mahomed Abdul Kadir, or until further orders.

Baboo Soshee Bhusun Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Muddehpoorah division of the Bhagulpore district, is also appointed to have charge of the Soopool division of that district till relieved by Baboo Ram Churn Bose, or until further orders.

Mr. E. H. Whinfield, who reported his return from furlough on the 4th instant, is allowed subsidiary leave for twenty-one days from that date, to enable him to join his appointment as Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack.

The 13th February 1879.—In modification of the orders of the 21st ultimo, Mr. H. W. Alexander, Opium Agent, Behar, is allowed special leave for six months, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. T. Norman, Magistrate and Collector, Balasore, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. J. Whitmore, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. Norman, or until further orders.

The 14th February 1879.—Mr. T. Smith, who has returned from furlough, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Backergunge, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J C. Geddes, or until further orders.

The orders of the 7th instant, granting Mr F. H. McLaughlin, Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Noakholly, privilege leave for one month and fifteen days, are cancelled.

Baboo Shyamadhub Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, is allowed leave for fourteen days, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted him under orders dated the 29th ultimo.

The 15th February 1879.—Mr. R. F. Rampini, who reported his return from furlough on the 4th instant, is allowed subsidiary leave for thirty days from that date, to enable him to join his appointment as Additional District and Sessions Judge, Chittagong.

Mr. J D. Gael, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is posted temporarily to Pubna, with effect from the date on which he joined that district.

Baboo Gunga Nund Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Manbhoom, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 20th instant, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. W. R. Millar, C. S., is allowed extension of furlough for six months, on medical certificate, by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India.

Mr, G. K. Lyon, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rajshahye, is transferred temporarily to Dinageporc, with effect from the 12th instant.

Baboo Komul Nath Ghose, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pooree, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

The 17th February 1879.—The services of Baboo Promoda Nath Mookerjee, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, Jhenidr Jessore, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Board of Revenue for employment in e Ramnuggur Wards' Estate.

In supersession of the orders of the 10th instant, Mr. A. Forbes, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is transferred temporarily to the Sudder Station of the Shahabad district.

Mr. E. M. Reily, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, on leave, is transferred to Dacca.

Moulvie Ikram Russool, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Kissengunge division of the Purneah district, is transferred to the Sudder Station of that district.

Mr. B. L. Gupta, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purneah, is appointed to have charge of the Kissengunge division of that district.

Mr. J. A. Bourdillon, Officiating Inspector-General of Registration, is allowed leave for two months and twenty-five days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 7th proximo, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. A. A. Wace, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is appointed to act as Inspector-General of Registration, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. A. Bourdillon, or until further orders.

Baboo Promotho Nath Bose, Officiating Sub-Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is allowed leave for three months, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under orders of the 24th December 1878.

Baboo Radhica Lall Shome is appointed to act as a Sub-Deputy Collector of the Second Grade in Julpigoree, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Promotho Nath Bose, or until further orders.

Mr. A. Manson, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Noakholly, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 20th March 1879, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. F. B. Peacock, Commissioner of the Dacca Division, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 20th March 1879.

Mr. J. F. Bradbury, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is allowed furlough for one year, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, from 1st March 1879, together with subsidiary leave for thirty days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from such date as he may avail himself of it.

The 18th February 1879.—In supersession of the orders of the 5th instant, Mr E. Stewart, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Sasseram division of the Shahabad district, is transferred to Gya.

POLICE.—*The 15th February* 1879.—Mr. H. Bayley, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Lohardugga, is allowed leave for one month, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The 18th February 1879.—Mr. O. S. Stack, District Superintendent of Police, Moorshedabad, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Monghyr, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Waller, proceeding on furlough.

Mr. H M Reily, District Superintendent of Police, Mymensing, is appointed to be District Superintendent of Police, Moorshedabad, *vice* Mr. O. S. Stack.

Mr. V. W. Bertelsen, Assistant Superintendent of Police, in charge of the District Police, Balasore, is appointed to act until further orders as District Superintendent of Police, Mymensing.

Mr. J. P. Sneyd, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Jessore, is transferred to Balasore, and is appointed to have charge of the district police of that district.

Baboo Guddadhur Khan, Assistant Superintendent of Police, 24-Pergunnahs, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 13th February* 1879.—The Rev. A. L. Smith is appointed temporarily to officiate as Second Chaplain, St. John's Church, Calcutta.

The 14th February 1879.—The Rev. Brook Deedes, M.A., Domestic Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, having returned to duty in the afternoon of the 11th instant, the unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted him under orders dated the 23rd ultimo is cancelled.

MEDICAL.—*The 7th February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Karatia Dispensary, in the district of Mymensingh :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer of Tangail, *ex-officio*.
Hazi Sadat Ali Khan, Zemindar.
Hafez Mahomed Ali Khan, Zemindar.
Baboo Guru Doyal Das Gupta, Assistant Surgeon, Tangail Dispensary.
" Jogut Chundra Ghose, Pleader, Moonsif's Court, Tangail.
" Prosunno Coomar Chowdry, Court Sub-Inspector, Tangail.
" Nunda Gopal Ghutak, Head Master, Graham School.
" Chandra Mohun Roy, Naib.
" Raj Nath Guha, Peshkar.
" Bhyrub Nath Dutt, Zemindary Amla.
" Radha Nath Nag, Ditto.
" Gunga Das Bose, Head Master, Karatia School.

The 10th February 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be additional members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Gurbetta, in the district of Midnapore :—

Mr. C. B. Gregson, of Messrs. Watson & Co.
Baboo Kartic Chunder Mookerjee, Pleader.
" Lukhy Narain Misser, Deputy Postmaster.
" Bissonath Sing, Aimadar.
" Ajoodha Nath Chatterjee, Pleader.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be additional members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Bankipore, in the district of Patna :—

Syed Wallayet Ali Khan, " Lutf Ali Khan, Baboo Modun Mohun Lal, Rai Joykissen,	*Zemindars.*	Baboo Nobin Chunder Dey, Moulvie Khodabux Khan,	*Pleaders.*

Captain H. M. Ramsay, District Superintendent of Police.
Mr. J. Graham, Head Assistant to Opium Agent.

Mr. F. B. Taylor, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Jessore.

The 17th February 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Bejoy Coomar Chuckerbutty, in temporary medical charge of the Dhenkanal Charitable Dispensary, Cuttack, is confirmed in that appointment from the date of the expiration of the leave of Assistant Surgeon Kedarnath Sen.

MARINE.—*The 18th February* 1879.—Captain F. Laycock, River Surveyor, is allowed furlough for one year six months and seven days, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for five days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, from the 20th March next.

JAILS.—*The 17th February* 1879.—Mr. W. Leonard, Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Jails, is appointed to act as Superintendent of the Central Jail, Bhagulpore, during the absence, on furlough, of Surgeon W. E. Battersby, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he joined that appointment.

Mr H. Tucker is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to the Inspector-General of Jails during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. W. Leonard, or until further orders, with effect from the 7th instant.

The 18th February 1879.—Dr. S. C. Mackenzie, Superintendent of the Campbell Medical School and Hospital, Sealdah, is appointed, under the provisions of Section 7 of Act V (B.C.) of 1865, to be an official visitor of the Presidency Jail.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 8th February* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Jessore Municipality of Mr. F. B. Taylor, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, to be their Vice-Chairman, *vice* Dr. G. Price.

The following notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 47.—*The 4th February* 1879.—On the report of the Central Examination Committee, the result of the half-yearly examination of Assistant-Commissioners and Extra-Assistant-Commissioners, held on the 9th January 1879 and following days, is published for general information :—

NAME.	SUBJECTS IN WHICH PASSED.		SUBJECTS IN WHICH STILL HAVE TO PASS.	
	Higher standard.	Lower standard.	Higher standard.	Lower standard.
Mr. S. J. Douglas, C.S.	Bengali ... ... Law	.....	Assamese	.....
„ R. T. Greer, C.S.	Bengali (conversation) Law .. { Paper without books, Special Assam Paper.	.....	Bengali { Translation, Transliteration, Dictation. Law... (Paper with books)	.....
„ W. C. Macpherson, C.S. ...	Bengali ... . Law	.....	.....	.....
„ F. St. Clair Grimwood, B.A. ...	Bengali { Conversation, Transliteration.	.....	{ Bengali { Translation ... Dictation .. Assamese	....

No. 45.—Mr. J. M. E. Gouldsbury, District Superintendent of Police, having returned from furlough, is posted to the district of Darrang.

No. 46.—Mr. C. A. Soppitt, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Darrang, is, on public grounds, transferred to the district of Sibsagar.

No. 50.—*The 7th February* 1879.—The undermentioned officer has been permitted by Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India to return to duty, as advised in list dated 3rd January 1879 :—

Permitted to return.

Name.	Service.	Appointment.	Date on which permitted to return.
G. J. Cawley ...	Uncovenanted...	District Superintendent of Police, Assam.	Within the period of his leave.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th February 1879.—At the instance of the Government of Fort St. George, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Kistna Collector's Office, Masulipatam, 31st January 1879.

IT is hereby notified, under Section V of "The Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878)," that on or about the 4th September 1877, a copper vessel containing gold and silver jewels valued in all at Rs. 70-14, as detailed below, was found buried in the puttah land of Patti Peda Latchereddi of Kambhampad, in the Palnad Taluq of the Kistna district.

2. All persons claiming the treasure, or any part thereof, are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Kistna at his office on the 12th June 1879, in order to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

Description of Articles.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
8 Ingots of gold	24	12	0
2 Female ear ornaments	7	14	0
4 Gold wires	26	4	0
2 Small ear ornaments	5	0	0
1 Gold ring	4	4	0
1 Gold bead	0	14	0
2 Silver bangles	1	14	0
2 Pieces of a broken copper vessel	...		
Total ...	70	14	0

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 6 of Act VIII of 1878, that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioner of the Dacca division to be "Chief Customs Officer" in the port of Naraingunge, in the district of Dacca.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of Act VIII of 1878 the Lieutenant Governor is pleased to declare that Naraingunge, in the district of Dacca, shall be a port for the carrying on of coasting trade with customs ports, and for no other purpose.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—Plans and estimates, the latter amounting to Rs. 14,500, for the construction of a landing stage at Schalch's Wharf, in place of the jetty erected there, having been submitted by the Port Commissioners with their Vice Chairman's letter No. 3122, dated the 9th January 1879, and approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 32 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, with the consent of the Commissioners of the English Bazar Municipality, to exclude the portions specified below of the undermentioned roads from the operation of the said Act.

No.	Names of Roads.	From	To	Length.	
				Mile.	Chains.
1	Rajmehal Road	Mukdoompore Street	Baghbari	1	25
2	Neemaserai Road	Rajmehal Road	Monoskamonah Road	.....	27
3	Monoskamonah Road	Neemaserai Road	English Bazar Street	.....	43
4	English Bazar Street	Monoskamonah Road	Mukdoompore Street .	.....	30
5	Mukdoompore Street	Right embankment of the river Mohanunda near the Sudder Ferry Ghaut.	Same embankment near Kulkuli	1	9
6	Obhirampore Street	Mukdoompore Street	Gaur Road	.....	12
7	Gaur Road	Ditto	Outermost north rampart of Gaur	.....	10
8	Hatkhola Road	Ditto	Monoskamonah Road	.....	36
9	Police Station Road	Rajmehal Road	Gaur Road	.....	33

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 10, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to approve, on the recommendation of the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting, the following revised boundaries of the Hooghly and Chinsurah Municipality, with effect from the 1st April 1879:—

Revised Boundaries of the Hooghly and Chinsurah Municipality.

Bounded on the east by the Hooghly River: on the south by the French Settlement of Chandernagore from river bank, according to the survey boundary, up to boundary stone No. 1, and thence along the said boundary, as marked by stones, as far as stone No. 42 on the Grand Trunk Road at the Taldanga entrance to French town: on the west by the Grand Trunk Road from Taldanga entrance and boundary stone pillar No. 42 as far as the Naldanga Road up to the bridge over Ross Poora or Bali Khal; by the Ross Poora or Bali Khal through the masonry bridge on the Kajeedanga metalled road as far as it goes to the north (*i.e.* to where it turns off sharp to the east); thence due north by the old water-course to Bana Pookur and the bridge close to that tank on the Balagur Road; thence by the edge of the low paddy lands to the east of the East Indian Railway as far as the two arched bridges at the junction of the Burtollah and Grand Trunk Road: and on the north by the Burtollah Road for 20 chains or a quarter of a mile, by the edge of the low paddy lands to the south of the Bansbaria thana, and by the southern boundary of the Bansbaria thana to the River Hooghly.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to sanction the establishment of a ferry on the river Tetulia, between the village of Gangapur in thana Berhanudî and of Dhulia in thana Bowphal, in the district of Backergunge, and to declare the said ferry to be a public ferry under the provisions of Regulation VI of 1819.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1878, that from and after the 1st April 1879, no boat not duly licensed and registered shall be allowed to ply as a cargo-boat for the landing and shipping of merchandise within the limits of the port of Dhamra in the province of Orissa. It is also notified that, until further orders, no fee will be charged for such license and registration. Application for registration should be made to the Port Officer of Chandbally.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—Under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1878 (the Sea Customs Act) the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Port Officer of Chandbally to issue licenses for, and register cargo-boats plying within the limits of the Port of Dhamra in the Province of Orissa. Under that Section and under Section 7 of Act XII of 1875 (the Indian Ports Act) the following rules are hereby prescribed. These rules shall come into force on the 1st April 1879.

Rules sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the issue of Licenses for, and Registration of, Cargo-boats by the Port Officer of Chandbally, for the Dhamra Port, under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1879, *and Section 7 of Act XII of* 1875.

I.—Each application for the licensing and registration of a cargo-boat must contain particulars of the owner's name and residence, and the tonnage of the boat.

II.—The applications shall be made to the Port Officer of Chandbally, who shall cause the boats to be examined, and shall certify that they are safe.

III.—The Port Officer shall every six months cause the boats to be surveyed, and if any boat is found unsafe shall withdraw the license held by the owner of the said boat, until it shall have been repaired to his satisfaction.

IV.—The Port Officer may from time to time condemn any boat found to be thoroughly unsafe, and may refuse to allow it to be repaired.

V.—The licenses issued will be free until further orders of Government, but shall be issued subject to all the conditions specified in these rules.

VI.—The licenses issued will be current until they are withdrawn by the Port Officer, provided that this condition may be modified if it should be determined hereafter to fix any license fee.

VII.—All licenses will be registered in the order of granting, but when any license is permanently withdrawn, then the next license issued shall bear the number of the license withdrawn.

VIII.—The number of the license must be painted in black letters on a white ground on both the bows of every licensed boat; the figures must not be less than six inches in length and four inches in breadth.

IX.—The license must be produced whenever demanded by the Port Officer of Chandbally, or any of his subordinates, by any Officer of Police or Customs, or by any person using or hiring the boat.

X.—Cargo-boats the manjees of which shall not produce their license as aforesaid may be treated as unlicensed boats, failing an explanation satisfactory to the Port Officer of Chandbally, or, in his absence, to the Customs Officer at the station.

XI.—Any goods found within the limits of the port on board of any boat not duly licensed and registered shall, unless such goods be covered by a special permit from the officer in charge of the Custom House, be liable to confiscation, and the owner or the person in charge of the boat shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees.

XII.—No cargo-boats shall be licensed unless provided with a sufficient crew, to be specified in the license.

XIII.—If any license be cancelled for any reason, the holder thereof shall be bound to deliver it up to the Port Officer of Chandbally.

XIV.—Scale of crews :—

Class 1st, square-built, open, or decked.

For a boat of not more than	15	tons	burthen,		4	men, including manjee.	
Above	15	tons and under	20	tons,	5	ditto	ditto.
Do.	20	ditto	25	„	6	ditto	ditto.
Do.	25	ditto	30	„	7	ditto	ditto.
Do.	30	ditto	35	„	8	ditto	ditto.
Do.	35	ditto	40	„	9	ditto	ditto.
Do.	40	ditto	...	„	10	ditto	ditto.

Class 2nd, Bhurs or Pattamoondi Boats.

For a boat of not more than	15	tons	burthen,		4	men, including manjee.	
Above	15	tons and under	20	tons,	5	ditto	ditto.
Do	20	ditto	30	„	6	ditto	ditto.
Do.	30	ditto	35	„	7	ditto	ditto.
Do.	35	ditto	...	„	8	ditto	ditto.
Pattiah (small boats)	3	to 6		„	3	ditto	ditto.

XV.—Any licensed cargo-boat found plying within the limits of the port of Dhamra with less than the prescribed scale of crew under Rule XIV, or with deficient ground-tackle and appliances, shall be liable to withdrawal of license until such deficiency be made good to the satisfaction of the Port Officer of Chandbally.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 5th February 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 8.)

INDIA—WEST COAST—KATTYWAR.

Fixed Light at Goapnath Point, Gulf of Cambay.

Information has been received from the Executive Engineer, Bhaunagar State, that a light is now exhibited from a light-house recently erected on Goapnath point, at the entrance to the Gulf of Cambay.

The light is a fixed *white* light, elevated 68 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather through an arc of 180°, or between the bearings of S. S W., through west, to N. N. E., from a distance of 6 miles.

The light-house—a buff-coloured limestone masonry tower, 32 feet high from base to vane—is situated on a hillock 240 yards inshore from Goapnath point.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric or by lenses of the 6th order.

Position: Latitude 21° 11′ 35″ N., longitude 72° 6′ 0″ E.

[*Bearings are Magnetic and from Seaward: Variation* 1° *Easterly in* 1879].

By Direction of the Government of India.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr.* (*late I.N.*),
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 3rd February 1879.

This Notice affects the following British Admiralty Charts, Nos. 50, 51, 2736, 826, 748*b*; Sailing Directions "West Coast of Hindostan pilot;" page 177; Light List for 1879.

Indian Marine Survey Chart, No. 15; Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 361; Light List for 1879.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing directions to which it relates.

[Second Publication.]

The 7th February 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

(No. 9.)

THE MARKING OF WRECKS.

The Corporation of the Trinity House, London, has issued the following notice:—

"It being desirable, when light-vessels or other craft are anchored to mark the position of wrecks, that Mariners should be able to distinguish them, and to learn on which side of them they should go,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That with these objects, wreck-marking vessels will in future have their top-sides colored *green*, and will exhibit—

BY DAY—Three balls on a yard 20 feet above the sea; two placed *vertically* on the side on which navigating vessels may safely pass, and one on the other side.

BY NIGHT—Three *white* fixed lights will be shewn similarly arranged, but not the ordinary riding light.

Mariners will thus know, on sighting a wreck-marking craft, that she is so employed; and that they should pass on that side of her on which the two balls or two lights are shewn."

The above is published for general information.

By Direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 5th February 1879.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has been pleased to declare that the west bank of the main stream of the river Jamoona or Daokoba shall be the common boundary between districts Mymensing and Bogra. The course by which steamers proceed up stream during the dry season shall be, for the time being, taken to be such main stream.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the recruiting of labourers under Act VII (B.C.) of 1873 is not authorized in Sirgoojah and the other tributary mehals of Chota Nagpore. The Deputy Commissioner of Lohardugga will countersign no certificates of either garden sirdars or recruiters intended for use within those mehals, and will register no labourers brought from thence.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1077A.

The 10th February 1879.—Baboo Mutty Lall Sircar, B.L., Moonsif of Meherpore, is vested with the powers of a Moonsif in Chooadangah, in the district of Nuddea.

Baboo Chunder Nath Ghose, B.L., Moonsif of Chooadangah, is appointed temporarily to be Second Moonsif of Kishnaghur, in the district of Nuddea, with effect from the 1st instant.

Major W. L. Samuells, Assistant Commissioner, Lohardugga, is vested with the powers of a Subordinate Judge in that district.

Baboo Nepal Chunder Bose, Second Moonsif of Buxar, in Shahabad, is appointed temporarily to be an Additional Moonsif of Arrah, in that district.

Baboo Ram Chunder Chuckerbutty, Pleader, Moonsif's Court, Bagirhat, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Bagirhat Bench, in the district of Jessore, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Moulvie Abdool Wassey Ahmed, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade, Diamond Harbour, in the 24-Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 13th February 1879.—Mr. P. Nolan, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is, under Section 266 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, vested with the power of hearing appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the Second and Third Classes.

Mr. J. A. Craven, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Darjeeling, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences specified in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The 14th February 1879.—Baboo Soshi Sikhar Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

The 15th February 1879.—Mr. C. J. S. Faulder, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Rampore Hat division of the Moorshedabad district, is appointed, under the provisions of Section 3, Act II of 1869, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 13th February* 1879.—Baboo Sheosurun Lall, First Moonsif of Gya, has been allowed leave of absence for forty-two days, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him on the 16th January 1879.

The 15th February 1879.—Baboo Nilmadhub Mookerjee, First Moonsif of Jessore, has been allowed leave of absence for one month and twelve days, under Note 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th March 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 to the town of Revilgunge, in the district of Sarun.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—The following revised notification is published for general information, in supersession of the notification, dated 1st February 1879, published at page 116, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem.

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the district of Maldah be excluded from the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and be included in that of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye, and that the Sessions Court do sit for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the District Magistracy of Maldah, at Maldah, which place has been approved of by the High Court.

2. Application will be made to the Government of India for sanction to the abolition of the office of Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge in the districts of Darjeeling and Julpigoree. The Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division do cease to exercise jurisdiction as Civil and Sessions Judge in those districts, and that the district of Darjeeling be included in the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge now exercised by the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner in the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court,

appoints Darjeeling as the place where the sittings of the Court of Session shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor further directs that, saving always the provisions of Act XVI of 1869, the district of Julpigoree be included within the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judges of Rungpore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge exercised by the Deputy Commissioner of the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Julpigoree as the place where the sittings of the Court of Sessions shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

4. These arrangements will take effect from the 1st March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd February 1879.—In continuation of Government notification dated the 19th July 1878, it is hereby notified, under the provisions of Section 15 of Act V of 1861, that in consequence of the continued existence of ill feeling in the undermentioned village and the probability that, if the police were withdrawn, a breach of the peace would occur, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the retention, for a further period of six months, from the 31st January 1879, of the reduced special police force of one head-constable and four constables, quartered in the village of Singkhali, in the Perozepore subdivision, in the district of Backergunge. The cost of the force noted below will, as before, be assessed and levied from the inhabitants of the village in proportion to their respective means :—

		Rs.	A.	P.
One fourth grade head-constable		10	0	0
Four ditto constables at Rs. 6		24	0	0
Pensionary charges at 2 annas per rupee		4	4	0
Contingent charges at 10 per cent.		3	6	0
Dinghy hire at Rs. 8 per mensem		8	0	0
Total ...		49	10	0
Or for six months		297	12	0
Clothing allowance for six months		10	0	0
Total ...		307	12	0

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Under the provisions of Sections 5 and 7 of Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the Chaugaon Sub-Registry Office in the district of Rajshahye from Chaugaon to Singra.

This change will have effect on and from the 1st February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Under Section 6 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the appointment of a separate Rural, Sub-Registrar to the charge of the Sub-Registry Office of Bhola, in the district of Backergunge and appoints Syed Abdus Salam to be Rural Sub-Registrar of the place.

These arrangements will take effect from the 15th February 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 31st January 1879.—Mr. Edward Branson Harris, C.S., Assistant Magistrate and Collector, is appointed to be also Sub-Registrar of Monghyr, *vice* Mr. H. S. Thompson, deceased.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th February 1879.

No. 42.—*Notifications.*—Mr. F. Sills, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, joined the First Calcutta Division on the 21st January 1879, before noon.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 17th February 1879.

No 43.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for construction of a jail at Durbhunga, in the villages of Bulvaderpore and Ispanjarpore in pergunnah Poorb-Bhego, and in the village of Saidnagur in pergunnah Puschim Bhego, all in zillah Durbhunga, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 84 beeghas 15 cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the north by the village road passing through Backergunge, Saidnagur, and Bulvaderpore shallow tank; on the east by the public road from Durbhunga to Lehra Sarai; on the south by the *khaits* or cultivated fields of Nye Ojah in Bulvaderpore, and of Kalil Sonar, Bahadur Meah, Jhotee Parsee, Poson Noonya, Jamair Hajam, Fakeer Dosad, in Saidnagur, and on the west by the village road running southwards from Backergunge, is required within the aforesaid villages of Bulvaderpore, Ispanjarpore and Saidnagur.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. CADELL, COL., R E.,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 12*th February* 1879.

No. 54.—*Notification.*—Mr. Kamil Cuny, Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, reported his return from Madras on the afternoon of the 12th February 1879.

No. 55.—*Posting.*—With reference to the above notification, Mr. Kamil Cuny is posted to the Sone Circle.

The 17*th February* 1879.

No. 56.—*Notifications.*—Mr. H. Unwin, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Cossye Division on the afternoon of the 5th February 1879.

No. 57.—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 85, *dated* 12*th February* 1879.—"The services of Mr. G. A. G. Shawe, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, are re-transferred from Madras Famine Relief Works to Bengal Irrigation Branch."

No. 58.—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

No. 84, *dated* 12*th February* 1879—"With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 56, dated the 29th January 1879, Mr. A. B. Sampson made over, and Mr. J. S. Thorpe assumed, charge of the office of the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, on the afternoon of the 7th February 1879."

"Mr. C. Taylor assumed charge of the office of Assistant Secretary to Government of India on the same date."

No 59.—With reference to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 14, dated 6th January 1879, (republished *vide* this office Notification No. 12, dated 13th idem,) and in modification of the orders marginally noted, the promotion of Major J. G. Forbes, R.E., to Superintending Engineer, Second Grade, is to have effect from the 1st January 1878, the date of Mr. Parker's transfer to the Pension Establishment, and not from the 26th September 1877, as notified previously.

No. 145, dated 1st May 1878.

The 18*th February* 1879.

No. 60.—*Leave.*—Mr. R. A. Oldham, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, on special duty in the Eastern Sone Division, is granted furlough for sixteen months, under Chapter IV, Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 61.—Mr. R. B Buckley, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Eastern Sone Division, is granted furlough for one year, under Chapter IV, Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 62.—*Posting.*—With reference to Notification No. 21, of the 20th ultimo, Mr. G. H. Faulkner, Executive Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division.

H. C. LEVINGE,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

The 11th February 1879.

No. 11.—*Notification.*—Mr. G. M. Drury, Probationary Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway, is granted one month's privilege leave, with effect from such date as he may be permitted to avail himself of the same.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Asst. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

WHEREAS it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, as a building site for the East Indian Railway Company in the village of Jerriagadee, pergunnah Khurruckdeeha, zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land more or less, four cottahs and ten chittacks of standard measurement, is required in the said village of Jerriagadee, bounded on the north by land already in possession of the East Indian Railway Company, and on the south, east, and west by cultivated land in the village of Giridi

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

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WHEREAS it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, namely, as a building site for the East Indian Railway Company in the village of Giridi, pergunnah Khurruckdeeha, zillah Hazareebagh, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, more or less, five beeghas one cottah and eleven chittacks of standard measurement, is required in the said village of Giridi, bounded on the north partly by land already in possession of the East Indian Railway Company and partly by the southern boundary of the village of Jerriagadee; on the south by cultivated land in the village of Giridi; on the east by land (to be) in possession of East Indian Railway Company, as notified in *Government Gazette* dated the twenty-ninth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight; and on the west by road leading from Giridi Railway Station to Dhurumsala and Hazareebagh.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

J G. LINDSAY, *Major*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1324, *dated* 14*th February* 1879.—Surgeon W. E. Batterseby made over charge of the Central and District Jails at Bhagulpore to Mr. William Leonard in the forenoon of the 8th instant.

A. S. LETHBRIDGE,
Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

CIVIL.

No. 6, *dated the* 6*th February* 1879.

INCONVENIENCE having in some cases arisen from the absence of a report made at the time of the date and hour officers presiding in the Subordinate Civil Courts have given over or received charge of their office whether on deputation, transfer, going on, or returning from, leave, the Court are pleased to direct that District Judges do in future invariably report to it when any formal transfer of charge takes place in any Court in their district.

2. The returns submitted with the Quarterly Civil Statements under General Letter No. 13, dated the 13th June 1877, may now be discontinued, and the following orders should also be noted as superseded by the above instructions, *viz.*—Circular Order No. 128, dated 26th July 1858, and Circular Memo. No. 11, dated 24th July 1875.

Sheriff's Office, the 19th February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of March next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৯ফেব্রুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই মার্চ সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের তৃতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত সময়ে উক্ত স্থানে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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ECCLESIASTICAL.

THE Rev. Henry Coleridge Spring, B.A., of Jesus College, Cambridge, Junior Chaplain has been appointed by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta, Surrogate in this Diocese for granting Episcopal Licenses of Marriage.

CALCUTTA, the 17th February 1879. R. LEYCESTER UPTON, *Offg. Registrar and Secy.*

TREASURY NOTICES.

MR. E. B. HARRIS, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the treasury in the district of Monghyr, and authorized to draw bills on all other treasuries.

S. P. CHATTERJEE, *Pl. Asst. to Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, BHAGULPORE, the 12th February 1879.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO HURICHURN GHOSE has been placed in charge of the Chumparun Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, the 4th February 1879.

COVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. R. H. GREAVES has been placed in charge of the Gya Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 129B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th March 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th March 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 10th March 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th March 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 3rd April	1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	„ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total ...	22,500	22,500	45,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th January 1879.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1879.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—MEDICAL.

Fort William, the 13th February 1879.

No. 120.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Debendronath Roy are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of British Burma.

The 14th February 1879.

No. 125.—Supernumerary Assistant Surgeon Ganga Dhar Roy is permitted to resign the service with effect from the 14th January 1879.

SANITARY.

The 13th February 1879.

No. 30.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 25 of Act XXII of 1864, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exclude the thana of Barranagore, lately called Areadah, from the operation of the rules and regulations made under Clause 7, Section 19 of the said Act, which were extended to that thana by Home Department Notification No. 22, dated the 19th February 1877.

The Act will remain in force in Thana Dum-Dum, which is bounded as follows :—

North—Thana Barrackpore.	East—Thanas Barasct and Bhangour.
South—Thana Bhangour.	West—Thana Barranagour.

JUDICIAL.

The 14th February 1879.

No. 170.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 3, Act XIV of 1874 (the Scheduled Districts' Act), the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to declare that Act VI of 1864 (Whipping Act) is in force in the Mehals of Ungool and Bankee.

No. 174.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 5 of Act XIV of 1874 (the Scheduled Districts' Act), the Chief Commissioner of Assam is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, to extend Act VII (B.C.) of 1878 (the Bengal Excise Act) to the Chief Commissionership of Assam, subject to the proviso that the words "or by the process described in Bengal Act VII of 1868" in Act VII of 1878 shall not extend to any part of Assam in which Bengal Act VII of 1868 is not in force.

EDUCATION.

The 13th February 1879.

No. 44.—Under Section 12 of Act II of 1857, the Governor-General in Council authorizes the affiliation to the Calcutta University, up to the standard of the B. A. Examination, of the Metropolitan Institution, Calcutta, with effect from the 1st January 1879.

The 13th February 1879.

No. 57.—The following list of Chaplains belonging to the Bengal Establishment, and absent on furlough or other leave on the 31st December 1878, is published for general information :—

Number.	Names	Rank.	Date of commencement of furlough or other leave.	Date of expiry of furlough or other leave	REMARKS
		FURLOUGH			
1	Revd. T Moore, B A	Senior Chaplain	Nov 21, 1876	May 20, 1879	Medical leave.
2	,, B Sharpe, B A	Ditto .	Feb 5, 1877	Feb 4, 1879	
3	,, P J. Jarbo, M A	Ditto .	.....	. . .	Allowed one year's furlough with subsidiary leave from 1st April 1877 Has obtained extension of leave till August 1879
4	,, M S Laing ...	Ditto ...	April 15, 1877	April 14, 1879	
5	,, G D Symonds . .	Ditto	Jan 1, 1878	Dec 31, 18 9	
6	,, G F P Blyth ..	Ditto	Feb 22, 1878	Feb 21, 1880	
7	,, B M Behr	Ditto	April 3, 1878	April 2, 1880	
8	,, J R Baldwin	Ditto .	July 1, 1878	June 30, 1880	
9	,, A Quinlan	Ditto	Nov. 1, 1878	Oct 31, 1880	
10	,, W C Bromehead	Ditto	Nov 4 1878	Nov 3, 1880	
11	,, J S Sandys, M A	Junior Chaplain	March 20, 1877	Mar 28, 1879	Medical leave
12	,, C. E Tollemache	Ditto	Jan 12, 1878	Dec 11, 1879	
		ON LEAVE OTHER THAN FURLOUGH			
13	Ven'ble J Baly	Archdeacon ..	April 1, 1878	July 31, 1878	Has obtained extension of leave till January 31st, 1879

Total absent 13
Sanctioned number of Chaplains in the Bengal Presidency 90
Percentage of absentees 14 4

The 14th February 1879.

No. 58.—The Ven'ble J. Baly, M.A, Archdeacon of Calcutta, reported his return to duty on the 29th January last from the leave granted him in Home Department Notification No. 144, dated the 2nd April 1878.

Archdeacon Baly is allowed subsidiary leave from the 30th January to the 3rd February, inclusive, to enable him to resume charge of his duties.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.—MARINE SURVEYS.—CASUALTIES AND DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Calcutta, the 14th February 1879.

No. 10 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

INDIA—BAY OF BENGAL—COAST OF ORISSA.

Alteration in position and improvement of Pooree Port light.

The following information, relating to the light now exhibited at Pooree, has been received from the Officiating Commissioner of Orissa.

The light is a fixed *white* light, elevated 44 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 10 miles.

The lantern is placed on a stone pedestal built into the parapet wall of the roof of the Circuit House at Pooree; the top of the lantern is 33 feet above the ground.

The pedestal is situated 270 yards N. E ½ E. from the flagstaff. Both the Circuit House and pedestal are coloured white.

The illuminating apparatus consists of six oil lamps arranged round a hexagonal reflector.

Position: Latitude, 19° 48′ 0″ N.; Longitude, 85° 49′ 10″ E.

NOTE.—The lantern formerly exhibited on the eastern yard arm of the flagstaff is discontinued.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant*,
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr.* (*late I. N*),
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India,
MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT,
CALCUTTA,
The 14th February 1879.

By Order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following :—

BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts, Nos. 829, 70*a*, and East India Light List for 1879

INDIAN MARINE SURVEY Charts, Nos. 1172, 15*c*; 103*a*; Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 468; and Light List for 1879.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced in the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

STAR OF INDIA.

No. 7 S. I.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 14th February 1879.

In obedience to the Command of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, Empress of India, Sovereign of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, a Grand Chapter of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India was held in Calcutta on Saturday, the 1st February 1879, at Government House, for the purpose of investing the Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., with the Insignia of the First Class; and the Hon'ble ASHLEY EDEN, C.S.I., C.I.E., and STEUART COLVIN BAYLEY, Esq., C.S.I., with the Insignia of the Second Class, of the said Order.

The following Members of the Order, who were summoned, attended the Chapter:—

His Highness Maharaja Sindia of Gwalior, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., C.I.E.
Maharaja Sir Jai Mangal Sing Bahadur, of Gidhaur, K.C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Sir Alexander John Arbuthnot, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble Lieutenant-General Sir Michael Kavanagh Kennedy, K.C.S.I.
Nawab Syad Ashgar Ali Khan Bahadur, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Lieutenant-General Richard Strachey, C.S.I., F.R.S.
The Hon'ble Syad Ahmad Khan Bahadur, C.S.I.
George Nelson Barlow, Esq., C.S.I.
Major-General Peter Stark Lumsden, C.B., C.S.I.
John Ware Edgar, Esq., C.S.I.
Robert Barclay Chapman, Esq., C.S.I.
Charles Edward Bernard, Esq., C.S.I.
Raja Digambar Mitra, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble W. Stokes, C.S.I., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble Augustus Rivers Thompson, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Thomas Henry Thornton, C.S.I., D.C.L.
The Hon'ble Theodore Cracraft Hope, C.S.I.

The seats of Members of the Order were placed on either side of the Dais, right and left, in alternate order according to seniority.

His Highness the Maharaja of Gwalior, who was the only Knight Grand Commander present on the occasion, was, when robed, conducted by the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department to the Council Chamber, where the Knights Commanders and the Companions of the Order were also assembled. A procession was formed of the Members of the Order according to ancient custom, the Junior preceding the Senior Members of the Order. As the procession entered the Marble Hall, a Viceregal Salute was fired. All present rose and remained standing till the GRAND MASTER had taken his seat.

The following was the procession:—

Spears.

Maces.

The Marshal of the Procession.

The Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department.

The Secretary of the Order.

Companions of the Star of India.

Knights Commanders of the Star of India.

Knights Grand Commanders of the Star of India.

Each Knight Grand Commander was preceded by the Officer bearing his Banner, and was followed by his Pages and Attendants.

Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy.	Aide-de-Camp to the Viceroy.
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.	Private Secretary to the Viceroy.

Officer bearing the Banner of the GRAND MASTER.

His Excellency the Grand Master, G.M.S.I., G.C.B.

Pages and Attendants of His Excellency the GRAND MASTER.

On entering the Throne Room, each Member of the Order filed off, right and left, to the seat allotted to him, and made his reverence to the GRAND MASTER as His Excellency passed.

The Band played the National Anthem. At its conclusion, His Excellency the GRAND MASTER ordered the Secretary to call the roll of those summoned to attend the Chapter. Each Member of the Order, who was present, bowed to the GRAND MASTER as his name was called, and then took his seat.

When the roll-call was over, the Secretary, by command of the GRAND MASTER, declared the Chapter open.

The Secretary then reported that the business before the Chapter was the investiture of the Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., as a Knight Grand Commander; and of the Hon'ble ASHLEY EDEN, C.S.I., C.I.E., and STEUART COLVIN BAYLEY, ESQ., C.S.I., as Knights Commanders, under the Sovereign's Grants.

The Secretary then delivered to His Excellency the GRAND MASTER the Sovereign's Grant of the dignity of Knight Grand Commander.

The Secretary of the Order and the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department and the two Junior Knights Commanders then withdrew from the Chapter in order to conduct the Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY into the presence of the GRAND MASTER.

A procession was then formed of—

Spears.

Maces.

Under-Secretary, Foreign Department, bearing the Insignia of the Order.

Secretary of the Order.

The two Junior Knights Commanders present.

Officer bearing the furled banner of the Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY.

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.

Pages and Personal Staff of the Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY.

The Guard of Honor presented arms as SIR JOHN STRACHEY passed. All Members of the Second and Third Classes of the Order rose and remained standing until the proclamation, hereinafter mentioned, was made.

SIR JOHN STRACHEY, with the two Knights Commanders, advanced to within a few paces from the Dais, and the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department placed the Insignia on the table.

The Secretary having received from the GRAND MASTER and read the Sovereign's Grant in favor of the Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY, conducted him to the table, and the Junior Knight Commander, receiving the Ribbon and Badge from the Secretary, decorated SIR JOHN STRACHEY therewith, and the next Junior Knight, receiving the Star of the Order from the Secretary, attached it in its proper place.

The two Knights Commanders next robed SIR JOHN STRACHEY with the Mantle of the Order.

This done, SIR JOHN STRACHEY was conducted by the Secretary to the front of the Dais, and made his reverence to the GRAND MASTER.

Meanwhile, the two Junior Knights withdrew to their places and remained standing.

The Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department took from the table the Collar of the Knight Grand Commander, and, with due reverence, delivered it to the GRAND MASTER.

The GRAND MASTER, remaining seated, then invested SIR JOHN STRACHEY with the Collar, and addressed the following admonition :—

"In the name of the Queen and Empress of India and by Her Majesty's Command, I hereby invest you with the Honorable Insignia of the Star of India, of which Most Exalted Order Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint you to be a Knight Grand Commander."

A salute of 15 guns was then fired.

When the admonition had been given, the newly-invested Knight made his reverence to the GRAND MASTER, and was then conducted by the Secretary to his seat, in front of which he remained standing. The officer bearing SIR JOHN STRACHEY's Banner then unfurled it, the Guard of Honor presented arms, and the Secretary of the Order proclaimed the full titles of SIR JOHN STRACHEY, that is to say :—

The Hon'ble SIR JOHN STRACHEY, Knight Grand Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire.

The proclamation being ended, all resumed their seats.

The investiture of the Knight Grand Commander having been finished, the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department and the two Junior Knights Commanders conducted the Hon'ble ASHLEY EDEN, C.S.I., C.I.E., from his seat to the Dais, where he made his reverence to the GRAND MASTER. Members of the Third Class of the Order present rose from their seats.

The GRAND MASTER then conferred upon the Hon'ble ASHLEY EDEN the Title, Degree and Honor of a Knight Batchelor of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and he was then conducted by the Secretary to the table.

The two Junior Knights Commanders, by desire of the GRAND MASTER, on receiving the Star of the Order from the Secretary, attached it in the proper place. This done, the Hon'ble ASHLEY EDEN was conducted by the Secretary to the front of the Dais, and made his reverence to the GRAND MASTER.

Meanwhile the two Junior Knights Commanders withdrew to their places and resumed their seats.

The Under-Secretary then, with due reverence, delivered the Ribbon and Badge of the Order to the GRAND MASTER.

The GRAND MASTER next invested the Hon'ble ASHLEY EDEN with the Ribbon and Badge, addressing him as follows :—

"In the name of the Queen and Empress of India and by Her Majesty's Command, I hereby invest you with the Honorable Insignia of the Star of India, of which Most Exalted Order Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint you to be a Knight Commander."

The newly-invested Knight then made his reverence to the GRAND MASTER, and was led by the Secretary to the seat appointed for him. Those standing resumed their seats.

Similar ceremonies were observed on the investiture of STEUART COLVIN BAYLEY, Esq., C.S.I., as Knight Commander.

The Secretary then represented that there was no further business before the Chapter, and the GRAND MASTER, rising, commanded him to declare the Chapter dissolved.

A procession of Knights Grand Commanders of the Star of India, Knights Commanders of the Star of India, and Companions of the Star of India, thereupon, formed and left the Marble Hall and returned to the Council Room in the reverse order to that in which it entered, under a Viceregal Salute, a Grand March being performed and the Guard of Honor presenting arms.

The Secretary of the Order and the Under-Secretary in the Foreign Department conducted the Knights Grand Commanders to their carriages.

Full dress was worn by all Officers who attended the Chapter.

By Command of His Excellency the GRAND MASTER.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 10th February 1879.

No. 516*P*.—Subject to the confirmation of Her Majesty's Government, His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognize the appointment of Mr. Wilhelm Bleeck as Acting Consul for the German Empire at Calcutta, during the absence of Mr. Eisenlohr.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information:—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Fort William, the 14th February 1879.

No. 137.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Louis Edward Doggett Rose, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant F. Finlayson, permitted to resign.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Major N. St. L. Carter, on return from furlough, to officiate as Commandant, from the 19th September 1878, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel D. W. Campbell, on leave.

Mr. John Francis Thomson, to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* Lieutenant T. A. F. Pardew, permitted to resign.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 139.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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Surgeon W. E. Battersby,—medical certificate, for one year, under rule XIV, clause 1 of the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 142.—ARRIVALS—

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Major L. Blathwayt, Bengal Staff Corps, Assistant Commissioner, First Grade, Bengal,—Bombay, 15th January 1879.

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A MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Choitro, 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
173	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 3 14	2 6 4	4 13 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HIME, *Collector*.

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Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
56	2317	Patenda, pergunnah Mundleghat	3 3 12	25 1 6	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to sale at the Rajshahye Collectorate on the 26th of March 1879, corresponding with the 13th of Choitra 1285 (Bengali).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedules of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

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Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
89	1882	Hazarahati, in pergunnah Luskerpore	1 2 28	6 0 0	12 0 0
5	1601	Shahpore, in pergunnah Turpeh Beas	43 0 2	12 0 0	24 0 0
41	1593	Chuk Jolkisto, in pergunnah Sorabajoo	0 2 0	1 4 0	2 8 0

J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector*.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Patna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 14th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Towji number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	REMARKS.
		Class I—Permanently-settled estate.		
		Rs. A. P.		
20	Bhudeara, pergunnah Masondha.	1,314 5 6	Mussamut Barati Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Baboo Beer Narain Singh and others, malika.	Out of the sudder jumma Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 669-12-3 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishoon Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs 644-9-3, on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kalas Puttu Narain Singh, Baboo Hari Narayan Singh, Baboo Mahinder Naravan Singh, Baboo Raghoobuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother, and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheshree Pershad Narayan Singh, minor, and Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Harukh Lall, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
22	Ditto ...	1,314 5 6	Ditto ...	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 780-5-4 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishur Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs 504-0-2 on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kailas Puttee Narain Singh, Baboo Haree Narain Singh, Baboo Mohender Narain Singh, Baboo Baghubuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheshree Pershad Narain Singh, minor, Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor, Harakh Lall, Harakh Narain Singh, and Mussamut Jay Koer, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
229	Nurunderpore, Kharooma, pergunnah Ayimabad	1,185 5 7	Raghu Nath Sahay and others, malika.	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,185-5-7, Rs. 1,097-8-4 is deducted in respect of mouzahs Mosulluhpore, Sadekpore, Joree, Sakutpore, Lodee Beerunnupore, Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, Jamarjuhpore, Hurrutpore, Akharia, Hummotpore Dears, and Nesf (8 annas) Kalyanpore, on account of the shares of Ranee Persad Sahor *alias* Madho Lall Sahor and others, applicants, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 87-13-3 in respect of 8 annas of Kalyanpore, appertaining to the lot of the aforesaid Nurunderpore, Kharoonia on account of the share of Raghu Nath Sahay, non-applicant, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.

PATNA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879. GEO. E. PORTER, *for Offg. Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 12th day of January 1879.

Class I—Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	Amount of revenue due to Government.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
2747	Nowan, pergunnah Amartha.	1,277 6 0	Hanuman Parshad Singh, for self, and as guardian of Kamta Parshad Singh minor, Ragho Parshad Singh, Kallar Singh, Debi Singh, Degamba Singh and others.	13 0 0	The entire estate will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government.
5259	Mahammedpore fattah, pergunnah Emadpore.	708 0 0	Wallun Nissa, Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadur, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Afzaladdin Ahmad Khan, Ahsaruddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihan Nissa and Jamalan Nissa, Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wojiun Nissa.	61 5 10	With the exception of the share owned by Mussamut Wallun Nissa, &c., the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 177, the remaining 12 annas share of Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadoor, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihun Nissa and Jamalun Nissa minors; and Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wajinun Nissa, will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government. This share has been separated under Act XI of 1859.

MONGHYR, the 13th February 1879. C. F. MAGRATH, *Offg. Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 64.—Nilam Anandi Manullah; recorded proprietors Asmatali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,160-0-3. Share No. 1, of Dewan Ali Sadagar, recorded proprietor Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 580-0-1; share No. 2, of Ramjoy Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 64; and No. 3, of Asmat Ali, Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 516-0-2, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 401.—Kismut Bolaram Sarkar, Babait Taraf Sanaullah Khan; recorded proprietors Girish Chandra Rakit and Gurudas Rakhit; sudder jumma Rs. 1,063-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 656.—Taraf Chittra Sen Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Prasanna Kumar Waddadar and Mukta Keshi; sudder jumma Rs. 568-3-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 669.—Taraf Chhatranarayan Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Abhaya and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-10-4. Share No. 2, of Girish Chandra, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 642-7-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 813.—Kismut Durga Lockan, Krishna Charan Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, Chandra Kala, Ram Sunder Sen, Krishna Mohan Kerani, Gopal Dass, Guru Das Pal, and Ram Chandra, Babait Taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ram Sunder Sen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 883-12-6. Share No. 3, of Kasi Chandra Waddadar, Rasik Chundra, Pran Hari, Kali Kumar and Prosanno Kumar Waddadar, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 62-3-9; share No. 5, of Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 205-2-2; and share No. 6, of Chandra Kanto Pal, Chandra Kala, Gurudas Pal, Nakuleshwer Pal, Bakrashwer Pal, Ruki Das Pal, Shulapani Pal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 389-15-11, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Ramesh Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Ram Sunder Sen, Ram Mohan Sen, Sasti Charan Datta, Krishna Chundra Gupta, Pitamber, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra, Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 177-13-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiyop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6. Share No. 7, of Yassin Khan, Yar Ali Khan, Sarfaraz Khan, Anwar Khan, Mahammad Samil, Amir Ali, and Hamidullah, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1469.—Taraf Kumar Kuli; recorded proprietors Golam Gaus and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,016-13-0. Share No. 1, of Shekh Abdul Fattah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-15-3; and share No. 2, of Golam Gaus, Golam Hydar, Jalfatnissa, Mahammad Mukim, Nazumannessa, Maimina, Ezaral Huq, Umed Ali, Soobratnessa, Jamiran, Ossimannessa, Mahassooma Bogum, Farid Lalam and Syud Lalam, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 761-13-9, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1749.—Taraf Mahammad Ali and Rustum Ali; recorded proprietors Krishna Chandra Gupta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,483-3-6. Share of Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,612-6-8, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate for which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1868.—Kismat Mahammad Daem Nazir, Azmutullah Khan, Amirannessa, Babait Taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Mobarek Ali; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-5-3. Share of Ramkanta, Mahammad Tossi, Mosson Ali, Pitamber Parial, Manager of Srimoti Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 506-6-10, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which the revenue have been paid up under separate accounts opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1889.—Taraf Mahammad Shafi Nazir; recorded proprietors Badiar Raheman and others; sudder jumma Rs. 558-7-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Guru Das, and Hara Das Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Haradas Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sunder Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimoti Annapurna and others; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7. Share No. 1, of Ram Sundar Sen, sudder jumma Rs 70-12-11; No. 10, of Pitamber Kanungoe, Gour Chandra Rai, Pran Huri Lalla, Prasonna Chandra, and Hari Har Bhattacharjya, sudder jumma Rs. 74-0-9; No. 12, of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Homantaram De, Chaitanya Charan, and Pran Huri Lalla, sudder jumma Rs. 163-12; No. 35, of Ramdhon Barnik, sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, and the remaining share of Bhairab Charan, Chandi Charan, Kali Charan, Nossorullah Munshi, Raj Chandra, Ram Das, Pran Hari Lalla, Tripura Charan, Annada Charan Nityananda, Abdullah, Uzir Ali, *alias* Poton, Debi Charan, *alias* Debu Mahayan, Aukhil Chandra Chaudhuri, Hari Nath, Barnijan Bibi, Ram Kinker, Aukhil Chandra Sen, Ishan Chandra Choudhury, Srimati Shyama Sundari, Guru Das Rai, Ram Das Shikdar, Baisnab Charan, Mohesh, Parbbati Charan Bhattacharyya, Bhobani Das, Bidyalankar, Raj Chandra Sen, for himself and on part of minor Bangsi Mohan Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 145-5-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3039.—Taraf Shyam Raja; recorded proprietors Dhananjoy Raha and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 678-14-3. The share of Dhananjoy Raha, Gakul Chandra, Mahomed Rafli, Muraridhar Sarma, Ram Keshab, Ram Dulal Surma, Ram Kanta, Ram Mohan, Ram Charan Surma, Sharbba Chandra Chakravartti, Shadavan, Anyad Ali, Yar Ali, Jan Ali, Abdul Kader, Jaduram Surma, Ram Sunder Surma, Kailas Chandra, and Ram Kinker Surma, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 223-4-3, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3113.—Taraf Shermat Khan Choudhuri; recorded proprietors Agbar Ali Choudhury and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 527-6-6. The share of Agbar Ali Bhuniya, Dewan Bibi, Jinnat Ali Khan, and Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 361-12-6, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

COMPROMISED MEHAL.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhav; recorded proprietors Balak Das and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4. Share No. 1, of Srimati Pran Krishore, bearing sudder jumma Rs 141-0-10; share No. 2, of Srimati Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 98-0-1; share No. 3, of Ram Sundar Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 418-8-6; and share No. 4, of Srimati Rasheshwari Debya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 383-2-3, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 13407.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Lalita Thakurani and Nayantara Chaudhuria; sudder jumma of the entire taluk Rs. 701-4-3. The share of Lalita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 150-10-10 10 kranto, will be sold, excluding the portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33534.—Taluk Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Annada Charan and Tripura Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1879, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Zilwangza.

No. $\frac{1}{16}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; auction purchasers Nassarat Ali, Omed Ali Choudhury; sudder jumma Rs. 938. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Patili.

No. $\frac{12}{162}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 1,491-4-9. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, Mouza Paharchanda.

No. $\frac{1}{160}$.—Taluk Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Pran Kishna Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 985-2-0. The entire taluk will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Dy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Serial number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2	Taraf Ajodhyaram, Fatehabad.	Chandi Charan and others.	723 13 0	434 0 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
7	Kismut Ambika, babait taraf Tilok Chandra Kanungoe.	Kailas Chandra Nandi and others.	745 10 0	559 3 1	Ditto.
39	Taraf Ali Rohollah ...	Kamalakanta Sen and others.	994 0 6	745 8 4	Ditto.
41	Taraf Abul Fazal ...	Abdul BariKhanand others	643 3 7	482 7 7	Ditto.
51	Taraf Aleyar Khan ...	Shahamat Ali and others.	1,606 0 9	608 0 5	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 2 of Aghar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 811-6-5, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
54	Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe.	Srimati Anandamoyi and others.	849 6 9	51 3 0	Separate accounts having been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 of Golok Chandra Rai Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 5-3-9, share No. 12 of Digambar Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 2-15-7, share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 52-14-5, and ijmali share of Braja Mohan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 35-10-10, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
55	Taraf Axis Nassarat ...	Karam Ali	791 12 6	593 12 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
61	Taraf Assad Massaood Khan.	Shyama Charn Mukherjea and others.	5,224 0 6	1,866 2 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share of Kenaram Banerjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, and share of Shyama Charan Mukherjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,613-0-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
187	Kismat Anandamoyi, Jiban Krishna, Ram Kumar, Sarat Chandra, Kishori Mohan, babait taraf Jugal Kishor Chowdhry.	Ram Kumar and others ...	666 15 10	349 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
396	Taraf Baksha Ali	Neyamatullah and others	937 10 0	403 2 8	Ditto.
467	Taraf Braja Lal	Braja Lal and others ...	508 7 3	191 13 5	Ditto.
486	Taraf Baraf Charan ...	Golam Ali and others ...	502 9 3	376 14 0	Ditto.
522	Kismut Bisheshwari, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Mrityumjai and others ...	1,228 13 4	460 3 11	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Mrityumjai and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,032-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
593	Taraf Bhela Khan ...	Muzaffer Ahmed and others.	506 13 8	254 1 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Abdullah, with a revenue of Rs. 247-6-5, and share No. 2 of Muzaffer Ahmed, with a revenue of Rs. 313-7-1, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
746	Taraf Sipi Dowlat	Shekh Abdullah Khan ...	2,930 1 3	791 8 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
764	Taraf Darpanarayan ...	Chandraprava and others	2,986 6 3	675 2 5	Ditto.
805	Taraf Lullavram Fatehabad	Nimai Charan Nandi and others.	819 0 9	614 4 0	Ditto.
813	Kismat Durga Lochan Krishna Mangal Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, babait taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe.	Durga Charan and others	883 12 6	26 10 8	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Durga Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 6-2-9, and share No. 3 of Kashi Chandra Waddadar and others, with a revenue of Rs. 62-3-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
942	Nilam Fakir Chand ...	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	646 14 0	485 2 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1024	Taraf Gobinda Anandi ...	Chhattranarayan and others.	1,061 13 10	6 9 5	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Chhattranarayan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 767-14-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1119	Taraf Hori Shona	Azimuddin and others ...	1,539 10 0	1,141 1 8	Entire estate will be sold.
1218	Kismat H. E. Marguard and Virginia Bruce, babait taraf Ishan Chandra Kanungoe.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	1,447 10 5	655 10 9	Ditto.
1239	Taraf Inas Alop	Adhoo Khan and others ...	2,272 7 6	1,886 7 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Warish Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 143-6-9, share No. 2 of Mahomed Samil, with a revenue of Rs. 91-0-6, share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 51-7-5, share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-2, share No. 5 of Yassin Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 143-6-9, share No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77 4-3, and ijmali share of Adhoo Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,265-7-8, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
1242	Taraf Imambaksh	Abdul Hari and others ...	697 5 4	523 0 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
1269	Taraf Jashuanta Sing ...	Fatteh Ali and others ...	1,386 10 2	1,039 15 8	Ditto.
1281	Taraf Jainarayan Kerani	Sharat Chandra and others	563 4 6	210 11 5	Ditto.
1285	Taraf Joip Mahomed ...	Jan Bibi and others ...	784 3 1	588 2 3	Ditto.
1363	Taraf Jadu Madan ...	Ali Raja and others ...	1,227 14 9	423 14 9	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ahsanullah Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 571-14-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1513	Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	Anandamoyi and others ...	853 4 6	639 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1548	Taraf Karkan Roshan ...	Balanab Charan Sen ...	616 7 7	462 3 9	Ditto.
1552	Taraf K. Fernandes ...	J. D. Barros	1,640 3 3	1,230 3 0	Ditto.
1671	Taraf Kooz Hoashang ...	Karam Ali Mia	1,129 6 6	847 1 9	Ditto.
1686	Taraf Khan Bibi	Shochinando Kunda ...	783 12 8	254 1 7	Ditto.
1714	Nilam Lakhinarayan ...	Ram Dayal Chowdhry and others.	1,199 15 0	899 13 9	Ditto.
1747	Taraf Monohor Rai Chowdhry.	Kamjai De and others ...	2,401 10 0	1,139 7 3	Ditto.
1808	Kismat Mahomed Daem Nasir, Azmatullah, Amirunnissa, babait taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe.	Mobarek Ali and others ...	840 5 3	199 9 4	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Mobarek Ali, with a revenue of Rs. 266-1-10, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1884	Taraf Mahomed Sona Mir	Shekh Mahomed Hashmat Ali Chowdhry.	785 10 3	589 3 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1887	Taraf Mahomed Raja Mir	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	540 6 6	405 5 7	Ditto.
1894	Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam	Bhairab Chandra and others.	560 5 9	93 5 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Masoah Bibi, auction-purchaser Shyam Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 135-8-0, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1900	Taraf Mahomed Monohar	Alfa Bibi and others ...	666 15 6	313 2 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
2099	Kismat Murari Dhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Srimati Annapurna and others.	1,230 3 1	665 3 4	Ditto.

Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2185	Taraf Mosson Hossen ...	Nil Kamal Chakravartti...	1,598 8 6	726 10 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2201	Kismat Naziruddin Ahmad, babait taraf Hossen Wali.	Naziruddin Ahmad ...	1,227 6 6	920 8 6	Ditto.
2368	Taraf Wag Abul Hossen...	Shekh Jaker Ali Chowdhry.	731 11 6	548 12 0	Ditto.
2389	Taraf Paran Darpanarayan.	Chandrakanta Pal and others.	601 6 6	271 6 0	Ditto.
2411	Kismat Pravaboti babait taraf Brajakishore Kanungoe.	Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassan Billah and others.	667 11 10	136 13 4	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share No. 3 of Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassan Billah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 13-13-3, share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 41-13-10, share No. 9 of Kailas Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 3-10-5, share No. 12 of Barkatullah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 11-9-7, share No. 13 of Tarakinkar Datta, with a revenue of Rs. 37-8-3, and ijmali share of Baisnab Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 186-11-11, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2433	Taraf Peran Ballabh ...	Jaga Mohon and others ...	944 5 3	427 0 3	Separate accounts having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Renooks, with a revenue of Rs. 236-1-4, and ijmali share of Ram Das Chowdhry and others, with a revenue of Rs. 708-4-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2543	Taraf Raja Ambiya ...	Agbar Ali Chowdhry ...	608 12 0	456 0 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
2554	Taraf Ram Shunder Kanungoe.	Annapurna and others ...	849 6 0	124 14 0	Ditto.
2562	Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe.	Bhairab Charan and others.	918 15 7	74 5 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 2 of Durga Charan Das and others, with a revenue of Rs. 7-2-9, share No. 22 of Ishan Chandra Kastaziri, with a revenue of Rs. 1-0-11, share No. 27 of Hari Har Bhattachariya, with a revenue of Rs. 5-15-6, share No. 31 of Chandrabadani, with a revenue of Rs. 92-15-9, share No. 34 of Srimati Bisheshwari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 19-8-9, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2565	Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe.	Ali Hossen and others .	819 1 7	358 10 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, with a revenue of Rs. 70, share No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar, with a revenue of Rs. 358-7-9, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 199-3-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2566	Kismat Ram Dulal ...	Ali Hossen and others ...	823 4 10	192 13 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2, Krishna Kumar Rai, with a revenue of Rs. 156-15-0, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 107-0-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2588	Nilam Ram Mohan Imam Shorip.	Srimati Pran Kishori ...	540 6 6	1,325 9 10	The entire mehal will be sold.
2929	Taraf Shachi Roshan ...	Shekh Ladak Ali and others.	752 11 0	264 10 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ladak Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-3, share No. 2 of Koramat Ali Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 183-2-9, share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-4, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2933	Taraf Shachiram Kanungoe.	Aitton and others	826 14 3	180 8 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 7 of Jagat Chandra Sen, with a revenue of Rs. 7-7-0, and the shares which are under butwara under Regulation XIX of 1814 of Oloka and others, Gopal Das Son and others, Jagat Chandra, Har Chandra and others, Nilkanta and others, Mahomed Bashirullah, Omola, and others, Tarakeshwari Nazemanneesa and others, Ram Shebok Das, Amir Hossen, Krishna Mohan Guha, Srimati Purna Dassi, Srimati Narayani *alias* Bashi, and Ahsanullah, bearing revenue Rs. 392-13-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3030	Taraf Shyam Rajah ...	Dhononjai Raha and others.	673 14 3	382 10 10	Separate accounts having been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Tarini Charan Raha and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 2 of Nobo Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 5 of Taranga Debya, with a revenue of Rs. 14-2-2, share No 6 of Tofer Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 232-14-2, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3054	Taraf Shib Durga Sharan	Brindaban and others ...	2,942 8 9	1,749 12 8	The entire mehal will be sold.
3125	Taraf Srimantaram Kanungoe.	Abdullah Khan and others	1,737 12 0	182 9 11	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 843-13-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
3171	Taraf Teeta Teari ...	Shekh Karam Ali	1,505 10 8	682 2 11	The entire mehal will be sold.
3880	Taraf Abedullah, Shekh Mahomed Ossi, Shekh Mahomed Ali.	Asyameea Bibi and others	678 14 0	169 13 9	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned taluqs in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Mehal Nayabad.

Towji number.	Name of pergunnah and mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
117	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ukhiar Ghona, taluq Magon Das Chaudhuri, Indrana a an Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipria Monoroma.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	575 14 9	144 0 0	The entire taluq will be sold.
118	Thana Ramu, mouzah Bhomoria Ghona, taluq Kamalapuree.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	531 13 3	133 0 0	Ditto ditto.
121	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ichakhali, taluq Mobarak Ali.	Fazar Ali and others	508 1 6	127 0 0	Ditto ditto.
124	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Bheala Manikchar, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Magon Ali	757 10 0	189 0 0	Ditto ditto.
125	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Barabakia, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Shek Dewan Ali Chaudhuri.	687 9 3	172 0 0	Ditto ditto.
127	Thana Satkania, mouzah Chambol, taluq Srimati Tajonniasa Chowdhuria.	Furkunda Bukhta and others.	1,193 4 10	298 0 0	Ditto ditto.
129	Thana Teknaaf, mouzah Dakhin Nhillah, taluq Khoame Chowdry, Omari Chowdry, Lhatong Chowdry, Lhapo Chowdry, Lhapechoo Chowdry, Chaimrao Chowdry, babait taluq Faudo.	Ishan Chandra Das ..	670 15 0 Road fund, 6 12 0 677 11 0	169 6 0	Ditto ditto.
2824	Thana Town, mouzah Char Shabok Bakalia, taluq Ahamad Ali, Mahomed Isaf, Korban Ali, Arzgar Ali, Nur Bebi.	Ahamad Ali and others	686 4 0	170 15 9	Ditto ditto.
2824	Thana Fattikcherry, mouzah Kanchannagar, taluq Srimati Ronoo Debya.	Dewan Ali Sowdagar.	890 15 8	223 0 0	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 28th day of September 1878 :—

Number.	Towjee number.	Name of estate.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
	8078	Julkar Nayanadi Rath Khola, pergunnah Bikrumpore.	Ramkristo, Kallykristo, Shoshi Mohun for self and as guardian of Lal Mohun and Kristo Mohun, Mukundalal for self and as guardian of Horendralal and Shyamlal, Chandra Benode Pal for self and as guardian of Prem Benode, Radha Benode Pal, and Chitto Benode Pal.	1,125 0 0	25 11 0	The entire mehal will be sold.

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 9th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 24th day of February 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 28th day of September 1878.

Number.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8454	Government resumed estate Chur Baktabaly.	Prasanna Kumari Debya and Prannath Parey Sabait of Lakshmarayan Thakur.	584 0 0	278 0 0	These are resumed estates and are settled with the proprietors. The proprietory and the settlement rights will be sold.
2	8672	Chur Oolail	Gagauchandra Datta	1,092 0 0	549 0 0	
3	9084	Kismat Hargoz, within Chur Jalua Kamta.	Bharat Chandra, Harish Chandra, Nilmadhab and Prasanna Kumar Roy Chowdhuri and Draupady, Kubja Sundari Chowdhurani and Nandalal Shaha Ray Chowdhury.	1,336 12 0 R. F. 13 6 0	177 15 10	
4	9422	Chur Bazutia	Ballabhikant Bhattacharjya	1,568 0 0	756 0 0	
5	9675	Chur Dighaldy, pergunnah Uttarsahpur.	Srimati Kamal Kamini, Sonamani, Ananda mayi, Chandrakala, Rajmani, Dayamayi, Jaybara, Chandra Nath, and Kali Das Mukerjea and Mr. M. David.	1,121 0 0	485 0 0	
6	9762	Chur Dalowarpur, pergunnah Bardakhat.	Munshi Golam Mowla Moulavi, Reza Robbani for self and as trustee of the estate of Asmatunnessa Bibi, Dewan Emdad Ali Karimannessa Bibi *alias* Nauee Bibi, Dewan Azimdad Khan.	4,196 0 0	1,752 0 0	
7	10490	Surplus alluvial accretion to estate Mahaddinagar in Tuppeh Khalsi, pergunnah Sultanpratab.	Rajah Syama Sankar Ray Bahadur and Parvati Sankar Chowdhury.	1,100 0 0	400 0 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 8th January 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Deputy Collector's office at Ranaghat, district Nuddea, on the 28th day of February 1879, corresponding with the 17th Falgoon 1285 (B.S.) for meeting a public demand, viz meeting the sum embezzled by the Manager, Court of Wards' estate, Putia, in the district of Rajshahye.

Class.	Number of towji.	Name of the mehal.	Name of the proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	337	Pergunnah Mamjoanna.	Annada Prosad Mukherji and others.	26,297 6 6 Police 245 1 5 Total .. 26,542 7 11	10,692 13 3½ and cost.	Of this estate only 1 anna 3½ rondas 7½ danti will be put up to sale.

CHUNDRA SEKHAR BANARJI, *Deputy Collector of Ranaghat.*

RANAGHAT DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 27th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Maldah will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of March 1879, corresponding with 2nd Chaetro 1285 B S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Class.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Balance due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.	
1st Class	517	Mouzah Toke Bara Gird Syadpur, pergunnah Rokunpore.	Jadunath Baral and Trailakhya Nath Baral.	2,553 11 0	89 7 0	Half share of the entire estate belonging to Jadunath Baral will be sold for arrears of Government revenue due on the 13th January 1879. Trailakhya Nath Baral, the proprietor of the other half, had opened a separate account under Act XI of 1859 for his share, and has paid in the revenue due from him.

MALDAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 1st February 1879. R. PORCH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rajshahye will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th March 1879, corresponding with 4th Choitra, 1285 B.S., Monday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on 30th November 1878.

Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	The amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
185	Dehi Darosa and mouzah Berabari, pergunnah Mahammidpore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, Grish Chunder Dutt, Protima Soondari Dassee, and Mr. A. Gallois.	4,373 13 0 Police, 30 6 0	.....	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.	4,404 3 0		
		Special No. 1.—Grish Chundra Dutt, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 2.—Protima Soondari Dassee, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 3.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas	1,204 4 0 Police, 8 6 0		
			1,212 10 0		
			2,383 4 0		
		The remaining to be sold for arrears of revenue on account of the joint share of the following persons:— Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore.	2,007 1 0 Police, 13 14 0	476 6 0 Police, 2 4 0	
			2,020 15 0		
878	Kismut pergunnah Hoosrapore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore, Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and Mr. A. Gallois.	1,629 13 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.			
		Special No. 1.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas	611 3 0		
		The remaining to be sold on account of joint share of the following persons:— Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singh Roy, minor...	1,018 10 0	168 14 0	

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 13th February 1879. J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 10th Chyet 1286 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

CLASS II.—*Temporarily-settled Estates.*

No. 923.—Mehal Karmi, pergunnah Chowsa; sudder jumma Rs. 935; recorded proprietors Bukshi Ramyad Sinha, &c. The estate is a temporarily-settled one. Excepting the shares of other proprietors, with whom separate account has been opened under section 10 of Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, being 12 annas out of entire mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 701-4-0, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 94-15-0.

CLASS I.—*Permanently-settled Estates.*

No. 1529.—Mehal Karoundia, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,528-15-8; recorded proprietors Mussamut Saraswati Kunar, mother and guardian of Bhekh Narayan Sinha and Imam Bux Khan, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. With the exception of the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened, and from whom the revenue is realized separately under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 472-12-5¾, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-10-8¼:—

				Shares.
				As.
Mouza Saitha,	pergunnah Chainpore...			16
				B. C. D.
,, Khaira,	ditto	ditto	...	133 5 11
				As.
,, Inchao,	ditto	ditto	...	16
,, Kekarha,	ditto	ditto	...	16
,, Pipri,	ditto	ditto	...	1 an. 4 p.
,, Baghi,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Baghi,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Pipra Ghat,	ditto	ditto	...	3
,, Pipra,	ditto	ditto	...	3
,, Karoundia,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Hemrajpore,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Zamin Kasba Chainpore, pergunnah Chainpore			...	8

			Shares.
			As.
Mouza Pipri,	pergunnah Chainpore		8
,, Koraichouba,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Patti Chaitha,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Patti Ganesh,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Sirsi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Kashah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Mahbubpur,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Chandaila,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Rai Beldih,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Lahra Jairampore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Pounra,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Kushah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Chak Bhugwat,	ditto	ditto ...	8

No. 1688.—Mehal Rupan attached to mehal Muhertha, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,058-2-2, recorded proprietors Haliwant Sinha, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. Excepting the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 267-2-8 18 krant, will be put to auction for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 4-15-5¾:—

Mouzah Mahertha,	pergunnah Chainpore	...	...	2 kulam 16 annas.
,, Naraon,	,,	ditto	...	... 2 ,, 16 ,,
,, Chhapri	,,	ditto	...	... 2 ,, 16 ,,
,, Rupin	,,	ditto	...	... 1 anna 8 pie 5 krant.

SHAHABAD COLLECTORATE, the 4th February 1879. J. MOOKERJEE *for Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Feb. 3	1 Case, 1498 in a diamond, bottom B. B. & Co. ...	Order ...	S. S. Ava.
,, 3	1 Case, addressed	Miss Carr, care of Major Whitehead, 40th Regt., Pachmarhy.	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Cask, G E H C	Great Eastern Hotel Co.	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, M D T C in a cross within a shield ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, M I	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, M O R, bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, M in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	10 Cases, M S D below I in a diamond, bottom F. T. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Case, N. N. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Cask, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	9 Plate-iron, B or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	2 Casks, N M N C in a diamond, outside W C S K	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Cask, 424 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Flamingo.
,, 7	1 Case, H R & M R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	16 Bundles Hoop-iron S X X or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Bundle Sheet-iron S X X or no mark... ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	3 Cases, M in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	3 Cases, 569 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	3 Casks, R D S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	1 Bar Square Iron, no mark...	Ditto ...	Ship Star of Scotia.
,, 3	2 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 3	4 Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, 543 in a diamond, top A R	Ditto ...	S. S. Duke of Lancaster.
,, 7	1 Case, addressed	To the Band President, 6th Dragoon Guards, Umballa.	Ditto.
,, 7	11 Cases, C in a diamond, top A A	J. Corfield & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, C C D & B	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, C. C. D. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	2 Cases, 317 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, 331 in a diamond, bottom C C ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, 172 in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	3 Cases, D P, bottom C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, E W in a diamond	Walsh, Lovett & Co.	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, A D. C. & Co. in a cross	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 7	2 Casks, 207 in a triangle, outside J. O. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, 455 in a diamond, top M R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, 530 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, M D P L in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, G D or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	2 Cases, R M in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	2 Casks, R L M, bottom H. S. K. & Co. ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, 605 in a diamond, bottom W L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Case, W L in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 7	1 Package, W C S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 2	38 Packages, no mark	Hoare, Miller & Co.	S. S. City of Cambridge.
,, 2	1 Case, P in a triangle, top B. H. & Co., below U ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 2	1 Bale, R B in a block, top B, bottom G ...	Ralli Brothers ...	Ditto.
,, 2	14 Bales, B C M, bottom W & S	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8	3 Packages, I T E C S in a cross	Ditto ...	S. S. Almorah
,, 8	1 Cask, M M in a diamond, outside B T C L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	5 Packages, 1772 in a diamond, bottom B. B. & Co...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	1 Case, S. S & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	8 Packages, 1643 in a diamond, bottom B. B. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	8 Cases, B. M. & Co. in a diamond.. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	5 Packages, B. H. & Co. in a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 6	11 Packages, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
		Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	2 Cases, B in a diamond, top W F M ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, C H K in a diamond, top M P ...	L. Loyd & Co. ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, C. & Co.	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 8	7 Cases, C. P. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, 299 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Feb. 8	4 Plate-iron, B or no mark	Order ...	S. S. Almorah
,, 8	1 Case, 272 in a triangle, top J C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, K D M C in a cross	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	4 Packages, K. M. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, M O R bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, M M in a diamond, outside B T C L ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	2 Bales, P. S. P. & Co. in a block, bottom M ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	100 Cases, 200 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Cask, R L M in a triangle, bottom H. S. K & Co	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	25 Cases, S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Case, S. P. & Co., bottom C in a diamond ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Cask, T D D	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Cask, W. M. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Parcel, addressed	Messrs. Gellatly, Hankey, Sewell & Co.	Ditto.
,, 8	1 Sample Case, addressed	Golam Mahomed Enam Woollah & Co.	Ditto

CALCUTTA, the 15th February 1879. (818—1). W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 13th February 1879.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
February 7th, 1879	61 14 0	60 10 9	75 2 0	59 13 3	257 8 0	
,, 8th, ,, ...	73 14 9	61 13 0	91 0 0	77 5 9	307 1 6	
,, 9th, ,, ...	83 1 0	77 8 6	88 5 9	58 10 0	302 9 3	
,, 10th, ,, ...	64 1 9	63 1 3	82 9 3	67 0 3	276 12 6	
,, 11th, ,, ...	61 3 0	60 6 9	69 10 9	72 0 6	263 5 0	
,, 12th, ,, ...	60 6 6	57 3 6	87 2 9	95 0 6	299 13 3	
,, 13th, ,, ...	63 4 3	58 11 3	105 3 0	74 7 0	301 9 6	
Total ...	467 13 3	439 7 0	597 1 6	504 5 3	2,008 11 0	
Total of previous 5 weeks ...	2,110 3 0	2,056 1 3	3,096 3 0	2,648 5 9	9,910 13 0	
Grand Total ...	2,578 0 3	2,495 8 3	3,693 4 6	3,152 11 0	11,919 8 0	

CALCUTTA, the 15th February 1879. (815—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 11th Feb. 1879.

LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.	Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities	78,99,760 8 0
Reserve Fund	20,27,480 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	60,88,144 14 10
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 85,53,431 14 7		Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	88,91,430 0 7
Ditto at Branches ... ,, 1,23,26,572 0 10	2,08,80,003 15 5	Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches	1,75,75,811 12 9
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	2,59,64,568 8 2	Balances with other Banks	8,80,992 0 1
Bank Post Bills, &c.	17,23,918 8 9	Bullion	.....
Sundries	7,64,357 6 9	Dead Stock	9,78,282 0 6
		Stamps	7,368 4 0
		Sundries	2,92,822 2 9
			4,25,64,611 11 6
		Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...Rs. 90,13,207 15 8	
		Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... ,, 1,97,82,508 7 4	2,87,95,716 6 7
Rupees ...	7,13,60,328 2 1	Rupees ...	7,13,60,328 2 1

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 13th February 1879.* W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accott. and Dy. Secy.* (813—1) R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the **31st January 1879.**

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853 54.	4 Per Cent Loans.							4½ Per Cent. Loans		Reduced 4 Per Cent Loan.	4½ Per Cent. Loans.						
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1879.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.	Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent Debentures for 15 years, repayable June 1883.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
Balance of 15th January 1879	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,01,200	2,28,59,1	1,13,33,200	1,92,65,100	39,30,900	3,36,000	3,05,70,900	51,21,400	4,02,65,800	51,500	33,[illegible]5,000	79,800	1,22,78,900	15,40,41,725
5½ per cent. Stock transferred to 4½ per cent. Stock in London ..	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	91,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	91,000
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 31st January 1879 .	...	...	.....	.....	3,000	59,000	.....	62,000	.....	.....	.....	31,000	64,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,12,600
Ditto at Bombay between 16th and 31st January 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	83,500	7,000	1,24,000	.....	.....	10,000	1,100	18,500	.....	.....	.....	...	2,44,100
Ditto at Calcutta between 16th and 31st January 1879 .	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	46,700	..	24,500	.....	.....	.....	28,000	5,95,200	.....	1,16,000	.....	.....	8,10,400
TOTAL ..	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,04,200	2,30,41,000	1,13,40,200	1,94,75,800	39,30,900	3,36,000	3,05,80,900	51,81,500	4,10,35,100	51,500	34,31,000	79,800	1,22,78,900	15,53,99,825
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers		.....	.....	.....	.....	80,800	1,24,000	13,700	.....	.....	1,31,000	10,000	4,00,000	.....	20,000	.....	1,09,600	8,79,100
Balance on 31st January 1879	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,04,200	2,29,60,800	1,12,16,200	1,94,62,100	39,30,900	3,36,000	3,04,49,900	51,71,500	4,06,35,100	51,500	34,11,000	79,800	1,21,69,300	15,45,20,725

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 10th Nov. 1878—Enfaced from India 3,010 lakhs; re-transferred from London 2,931 lakhs.

„	1st Dec. 1878 to 15th Dec.	„	„	„	93	„	„	„ 14 „
„	16th „ „ to 31st „	„	„	„	36	„	„	„ 7 „
„	1st Jany. 1879 to 15th Jany. 1879	„	„	„	8	„	„	„ 12 „
„	16th „ „ to 31st „	„	„	„	13	„	„	„ 8 „
					3,165			2,962 „
					2,962			
				Balance against India .	203	„		

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 10th February 1879

(807—1)

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes	Value	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
398	O 30—16377 to „ —16386	50 each	Inspector J A Fleming, Calcutta Police.
	O 26—19168 to „ —19200	20 each	
	„ —24101 to „ —24117	20 each	
	O 44—06741 to „ —06747	10 each	
	„ —06749	10	
	„ —06751 to „ —06781	10 each	
	„ —06783 to „ —06789	10 each	
399	O 35—46601	100	Shib Nath Ghose.
	„ —42899	100	
	„ —42900	100	
400	O 35—10274	100	Haran Chunder Mitter.
	„ —10275	100	
	„ —10276	100	
401	O 29—71756	1,000	Shama Churn Lahuri.
	L 93—85862	50	
402	O 11—73355	10	Hara Kissore Choudoory.
	„ 17—85545	10	
	„ —85547	10	
403	O 34—75325	100	Kristo Doss Roy.
404	L 84—23938	100	Chirunjee Lall
405	O 13—57693	10	Lieut. H. M. Mackenzie.
407	O 35—32308	100	Chamroo Bhagubut Ram Doss.
408	O 41—96207	10	Nairan Singh.
409	L 94—19435	100	Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
410	O 34—91945	100	Sheik Tinoor.
411	L 22—49229	5	Post-Master General, Madras
	„ —49228	5	
413	O 27—15519	500	The District Superintendent of Police.
	L 93—76967	50	
	O 35—37941	100	
	„ —37944	100	
	„ —37945	100	
	„ —37946	100	
	„ —37947	100	
	O 30—13441	50	
	„ 26—10452	20	
414	O 30—13752	50	Bhurat Chunder Mahapatra.
415	L 93—88442	50	Kristo Dhone Mukerjee.
417	O 39—22297	10	Redoy Nauth Sircar.
418	L 54—16894	5	Post-Master of Calcutta.
419	L 93—77741	50	The Superintendent of Police.
420	O 25—27823	20	The Post-Master of Calcutta.
	D 10—27378	5	
421	L 54—39060	5	Rev. A. O. Hardy.
	„ —39061	5	
422	O 35—21691 „ —34245	100	Inspector J M'Callock.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

434	O 25—21646	20	K. M. Chatterjee.
435	O 18—75039	10	M Barty.
436	L 3—24448	10	Mohendra Nath Chand.
438	„ 93—74538	50	Haru Mull
439	„ 74—56305	10	Bajetollah Sircar.
440	O 22—99650	20	Pundit Kasi Nauth.
441	L 31—85772	5	Kasi Nauth Chand.
442	L 31—01406	5	Joggessur Seal.
443	O 42—60054	10	Brojo Gopal Mullick.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs	
444	L 33—19799	10	Hajee Haroon Ismail.
	„ 39—56161	10	
445	„ 16—69792	5	Hara Nundo Soin.
447	A 64—99275	100	Radha Nund Tacoor.
448	O 19—49324	10	Kondorpo Nauth Bhattacharjee.
	„ 39—10828	10	
449	„ —78566	10	Groves, Wait & Co.
450	O 25—74906	20	P. Paulson.
451	L 72—43175	10	Somer Ahmed Khan.
452	O 10—63461	10	Krisna Dhone Bhattacharjee.
453	O 11—04505	10	Sarut Chunder Bose.
454	O 19—21522	10	C. Riemes.
455	„ 35—34976	100	Dino Nath Sircar.
456	L 93—67322	50	Raj Mohon Mookerjee.
457	O 42—60959 „ 43—71014	10	Sreenibash Ghose.
458	O 22—06984	20	Roma Nath Banerjee.
459	„ 11—74605	10	Jadu Money Mitter.
	L 54—20389	5	
460	„ 30—53890	5	Brojo Mohon Adyto.
461	O 12—02129	10	Lieut. A. Masters.
	„ 39—55478	10	
	„ 39—51673	10	
	„ 9—53126	10	
	„ 10—49795	10	
	O 40—13139	10	
462	„ 17—42674	10	E. D. Edwards.
463	„ 42—57130	10	Mohomed Taloolah.
464	„ 12—33628	10	Kareem Bux and Azizuddeen.
	„ —33171	10	
	„ —32203	10	
465	O 42—77846	10	B. Wince
	„ 43—09427	10	
	„ —55190	10	
	„ —64946	10	
	„ 40—72526	10	Mrs. E Tobin.
467	L 28—42813	5	P. B. Johnson.
	„ 31—66000	5	
	„ 40—02464	10	
468	O 8—47147	10	Dino Nath Ghose.
	O 13—56533	10	
469	O 39—88710	10	Warrisuddeen.
470	„ —78559	10	Messrs. Curestjee & Co.
471	L 31—42377	5	Deputy Post-Master General, Behar.
	O 22—01506	20	
	„ —01507	20	
	„ —01558	20	
	O 23—84283	20	
472	O 29—44068	1,000	Messrs. Carew & Co.
	„ —56478	1,000	
473	L 90—44257	20	Soojun Mull Hunmunt Ram.
474	„ 36—39629	20	Jeeta Nund Bidyasager
475	O 72—03174	1,000	Ram Chunder Johormull.
	„ 29—98929	1,000	
240	L 95—57899 „ —57898	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy
M 253	L 9—73794 „ —73377	5	Akbar Moonshi.
254	O 42—02223 „ —02224	10	W. Richards, Serjeant.
256	L 30—69924 „ —69928	5	Gopaul Kristo Seta.
257	L 72—26046 „ —26049	10	Gopaul Kristo Mullick.
258	O 10—97396 „ 16—98405	10	Missoo Ram Mundle and Pauchoo Ram Mundle.
260	L 7—77271 „ 12—35743	20	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation.
261	L 26—13713 „ —13714	5	The Agent, Bank of Bengal, Allahabad.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 11th February 1879.

For Sale

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

THE Midnapore Canal between Dainan and Midnapore will be closed for silt clearance between 15th March and 30th April next, instead of between 15th February and 31st March, as previously advertized.

H. C. LEVINGE,
Joint Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

Dated 14th February 1879.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sál beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows :—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,

SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

Execution Case No. 173 of 1878.

SRIRAM DUTT, guardian of minor Soshi Bhooshan Chowdhoory, decree-holder, *versus* Baroda Sundari Dassia, mother and guardian of minor Satyanarayan Basu, judgment-debtor.

In the above case, the property mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 15th March 1879, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 663-15-6 due to decree-holder. Particulars may be learned at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Eight annas share of Kismath Tarruff Shakhalipore, situate in Pergunnah Naskarpore, Division Dewan Seral, under the Sub-Registrar of Jungipore, entered in Moorshedabad Collectorate Towji No. 292, in the name of Asutosh Basu and others, on a sadar jumma of Rs. 1,112-7-11.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge.*
The 8th February 1879. (808—1)

Execution Case No. 94 of 1878.

KHETOO BEBEE, mother and guardian of minor Dharm Chand Rakhecha, decreeholder, *versus* Khettur Nath Roy, Manager of the Estate of Hari Lall Gossain, minor, and others, judgment-debtors.

In the above case, the property mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 15th March 1879, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 15,129-10 due to decree-holder. Particulars may be known at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Six annas five gundas share of Huda Raghunathpore, belonging to Hari Lall Gossain, judgment-debtor, situate in division Jullunghi under the Sub-Registrar of Islampore, entered in the zemindari sheriata of Maharany Surnomoyee, in the name of Moulvi Mohamed Hossein as putindar, on a putni jumma of Rs. 3,001 for the whole share.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge.*
The 8th February 1879. (809—1)

Execution Case No. 178 of 1878.

Seedam Chunder Sen, decreeholder, *vs.* Sharoda Proshad Roy and others, judgment-debtors.

IN the above case the property mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 15th March 1879, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 1,268-5-1 pie due to decreeholder. Particulars may be learned at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Twelve annas and twelve half gundas share of Kismath Rajdharpara, situate in pergunnah Choonakhaly, division Barnah, under the Sub-Registrar of Berhampore, entered in the zemindari sheriata of Shama Churn Roy and others, in the name of judgment-debtors as putnidars, on a putni jumma of Rs. 1,603.

MENU LALL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge.*
The 12th February 1879. (811—1)

Cooch Behar State.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

THE undersigned is prepared to receive tenders for the erection of a Normal Training and Vernacular School at Cooch Behar.

All particulars of plans, specification, and quantities may be had on application to the office of Public Works Extraordinary, Cooch Behar.

Tenders for above schools must be sent in not later than 21st of February next.

J. ROBINS,
In charge of Public Works Extraordinary.
COOCH BEHAR, dated 1st February 1879. (797—3)

NOTICE under Section XLII of the Indian Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866.

Estate of COLONEL THOMAS GEORGE MONTGOMERIE, deceased.

All creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the deceased abovenamed are required to send in such claims with vouchers to the undersigned, who are the attornies of Colonel J. J. McLeod Innes, R.E.V.C., the administrator (with copy will annexed) of the estate and effects of the said deceased on or before the 1st day of May next, immediately after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets according to law, and will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

SANDERSON & Co.
Dated this 1st day of February 1879. (796—3)

Notice.

MR. ROBERT PHILIP HEILGERS has been empowered to sign our firm from this date.

F. W. HEILGERS & Co.
CALCUTTA, 1st February 1879. (788—3)

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. J. Dyce Nicol in our firm ceased this day under the provisions of the partnership articles.

McKEWAN & Co.
CALCUTTA, 31st January 1879. (789—3)

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, will be held on Saturday, the 26th of April 1879, at the registered Office of the Company, at 27, Dalhousie Square, in the town of Calcutta, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider the means to be adopted for improving the mode of transport from certain of the collieries of the Company to the railway wharves, and to pass resolutions providing for the outlay necessary for such improved mode of transport as may be agreed upon.

By order of the Board,
H. H. MACLEOD, *Superintendent.*
CALCUTTA, the 22nd January 1879. (774—4)

Notice.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Shareholders of the late Bridgeman Tea Company, Limited, is hereby called for Saturday, the 22nd February 1879, at 3 o'clock, at No. 5, Garstin's Place, for the purpose of receiving the accounts of the Liquidator in accordance with Section CLVIII of the Indian Company's Act, No. X of 1866.
(775—2)

Ramgurh Tea Company, Limited.

THE Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held in the Company's registered Office, No. 16, Strand, on Wednesday, 26th February, at 3 P.M.

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & Co., *Agents.*

CALCUTTA, 15th February 1879. (819—1)

Soom Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 27th February next, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts, declaring a final dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,

WILLIAMSON, MAGOR AND Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 24th January 1879. (780—5)

MONMOHUN DUTT, B.L., intends to apply to be enrolled as a Vakeel, Calcutta High Court. (814—4)

NOTICE.—The undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(812—4) KARUNA SINDHU MUKERJEE.

INSOLVENT NOTICES

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of JOHANNES AVDALL an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 12,108-7-6 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend, at the rate of Rs. 8 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of BROJOGOPAUL BYSACK, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 4th day of December last, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, and that the order made in this matter for the *ad interim* protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be withdrawn, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. St. John Carruthers, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of MUGNEERAM, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, by an order of this Court the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively, and it is further ordered that Albert Birmingham Miller, Esq., the Official Assignee of this Court, and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Insolvent do, out of the estate of the said Insolvent, pay to Mr. Gregory, Attorney for the said Insolvent, his costs of this matter up to and including this hearing when taxed by the Taxing Officer of this Court.

G. Gregory, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of JOHN DUNCAN OGILVIE MITCHELL, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 25th day of February instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of JOHN DUNCAN OGILVIE MITCHELL, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 11th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of JOHN DUNCAN OGILVIE MITCHELL, formerly of No. 26, Mirzapore 2nd Lane, at present of No. 5, Gardener's Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, late Store-keeper in the employ of the Port Commissioners of the Town of Calcutta, and at present a pensioner, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, on Tuesday, the 11th day of February instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of SHAIKH HARO KHANSAMAH, of No. 36B., Goristan Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, serving as Khansamah in Mrs. Maughan's boarding establishment at No. 39, Free School Street, Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, on Monday, the 10th day of February instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of SHAIKH HARO KHANSAMAH, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 10th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of CORNELIUS CLEEVER BANCROFT, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 12th day of January 1878 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of FERDINAND SCHILLER, EDWARD CHARLES VANCUTSEM, AND ADAM BEYDON STRUTHER, Insolvents.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 23rd day of November 1877 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of HENRY WALLACE RONALDSON, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 19th day of November 1877 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of ALFRED RITZ, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 2nd day of February 1875 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of HURRYNARAIN KHETTRY, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 1st day of August 1875 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of ANDREW HENRY SMITH LEISK, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 30th day of July 1874 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of EDWARD CHARLES VANCUTSEM, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 2nd day of April 1878 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of MICHAEL SULLIVAN, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 4th day of January 1878 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of NOBIN CHUNDER DAY, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 7th day of September 1876 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of MUGNEERAM, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 19th day of May 1876 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of JAMES MURRAY, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 5th day of May 1877 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of SYED AMEER ALLY, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 30th day of April 1877 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of FREDERICK THOMAS STRAW, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 2nd day of August 1878 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of GEORGE NICHOLAS, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 23rd day of August 1878 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of HORATIO BARLO BRADFORD, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee, from the 18th day of December 1877 to the 31st day of January last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 4th day of March next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ *Any creditor or other person interested, who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said insolvent, may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.*

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 17th day of February 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Barasot	7-45 ,,	7-45 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Ichala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Oolooberiah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 3 P.M.	
	Sundays ..	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-10	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E	8-50	1-20	4-55	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-55	1-10	4-25	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Napit Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Novr. 1878.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Hour Closed at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P. M.	19th Feb.	*Baghdad.*
Madras and Ceylon	6 ,,	20th ,,	*Hindostan.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	21st ,,	*Arabia.**
Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo and Rangoon.	6 ,,	23rd ,,	*Commilla.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	24th ,,	From Bombay.
Ceylon and the Australian Colonies.	6 ,,	25th ,,	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 21st February 1879.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 20th February 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 17th February 1879.

* Mails for Port Blair and Camorta can be forwarded.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 18th February 1879.

Adjee, E. A.
Allen, Mr.
Anger, F. W.
Atkinson, J.
Baillee, J. R.
Barry, J. W.
Blackwood, Mrs.
Bond, W.
Boulard, Madame.
Braham, C. B.
Burridge, E J.
Cauley, J. M.
Clarke, Mrs. J. J.
Conte, G.
Corbyn, H. W.
Cox, Stirling.
Delaney, Mrs. E. M.
Dougal, R. K.
Edmans, Mrs. A.
Fawkes, Capt.
Figgs, A. W.
Forbes, Archibald
Fox, C.
Fox, Miss S.
Francomb, Esq.
Fuller, Mrs. A. M.
Glenson, T.
Halden, Mrs. A.
Hamilton, Capt. H.
Harbinson, R. J.
Hill, J. G.
Inglis, Esq., J.
Jennings, H.
Johnson, Esq., James
Kelsa, Esq. A.
Kennedy, J.
King, Mrs. C.
Kischer, J. P.
Melyunee, Lord.
Micheal, Mr.
Naville, Esq. A.
Oneal, Mrs. Ada
Osmond, George
Parker, J. L.
Paul, Allick.
Pautelackey, H.
Phagee, Miss.
Philipe, Esq.
Punchard, Mrs. T.
Raman, Esq., J.
Reming, Mrs. E. H.
Robertson, Mrs. L.
Roe, Miss E.
Ross, E. A.
Ritchie, Mrs.
Saunders, W. M.
Solet, Mary Ann.
Trouls, J. H.
Taylor, Mrs. J. B.
White, Mrs.
Wood, D.
Wright, Mrs. W.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

A. B. C.
Addington, E.
Alcock, A. W.
Anderson, A.
Atkins, F. T.
Bailey, F. A.
Bancroft, W. A.
Beaver, P.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blagdon, G.
Braham, Mrs. H.
Brener, W. J.
Boileau, L.
Burnett, G. B.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.
Cameron, Mrs. Ewer
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Colly, Miss A.
Cummins, Mrs.
Davison, W.
Denton, J.
Douglas, Allen
Dumbol, T.
Duncan, Chesney
Eales, E. F.
Evans, G.
Feltwell, J. W.
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
Fontaine, M. Saul
Fry, H. W.
Furguson, D.
Gage, W. Quintin
Gorrick, Miss L.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Gruiblander, Esphir
Guldediben, George
Haig, Esq., G. O.
Halford, J.
Haris, H. L.
Hart, J.
Holmes, D. F.
Hellstrom, Miss
Holleywood, F.
Hutchinson, Miss F.
Innes, T. E. D.
Janney, L. R.
Johnson, Miss
Kerr, A.
Kirkton, C.
Lewis, Mr.
Logan, Esq., B.
M. C., Mrs.
M. S. W.
Man, G. O.
Manuel, W.
Marshal, E. O.
Martin, Thomas
Moore, Miss
Murphy, G. P.
Nedjeeballah, Shaik
Nicholes, J. M.
Nicolay, Mrs.
Nelson, H. R.
P. D. C.
Pank, C. P.
Patterson, R.
Payne, Bob
Perrin Mari, Monsieur
Renaud, M. D.
Ring, J. B.
Sanders, A.
Sanders, Mrs.
Segrab, Miss
Shaw, Dr. F. C.
Simpson, —.
Smith, W.
Thomson, G. M.
Trigido, T.
Vigors, T. M.
Walker, Mrs.
Waller, A,
Webster, David
West, Mrs. E
Whinfield, Mrs.
Whitliam, Dr. R.
White, E.
X.

Newspapers.

Blair, R. W.
Braham, A. H.
Cooper, Messrs.
Davis, J. W.
Davison, W.
Delaney, P.
Feltwell, J. W.
Green, H.
Hayward, E.
Hudson, W. B.
Lane, W.
Law, J.
Lunder, W.
Marsham, Esq.
Miller, Esq., J. W. H.
Nailer, A. S.
Prince, John
Renaud, A.
Smith, Mrs. Agnus
Statman, F.
Stuart, J S M.
Wallace, F. C.
Waters, T.
Wheeller, E. E.
Williams, L.

Registered Letters.

Duncan, Chesney
Macleod, C. H.
Robinson, Peter
Trevor, Major, R.E.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagirutlee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 14th February 1879.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water.		Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance below Chourasia...	6	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	4	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	3	Lalkhawdiar.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	6	Dufferpore, Baliah Piekparah, Dangahpara, and Arizpore.*
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	9	Kidderpore and Juggernathpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	2	9	Neechinpore.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	0	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3	0	Peerojpore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	6	Saidahpore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3	6	Shaibnughur and Taranughur.

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PART III.

Acts of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Third Publication.]

THE following Act, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, received the assent of His Honor on the 14th March 1878; and having been assented to by the Governor-General on the 22nd January 1879, is hereby published for general information :—

ACT No. I OF 1879.

An Act to amend the procedure in suits between Landlords and Tenants in Chota Nagpore.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the procedure in suits between landlords and tenants in Chota Nagpore: It is enacted as follows :— Preamble.

1. This Act may be called "The Chota Nagpore Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act;" Short title.

It extends to the territories for the time being under the administration of the Commissioner of the division of Chota Nagpore, except the district of Manbhoom and the Tributary Mehals. Local extent.

And it shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General. Commencement.

2. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context— Interpretation clause.

"Civil Jail" includes the civil jail of the district, and any place appointed by the local Government for the confinement of prisoners under this Act. "Civil Jail."

"The Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner" mean respectively the Commissioner and Judicial Commissioner of Chota Nagpore. "Commissioner" and "Judicial Commissioner."

"Deputy Collector" includes also an Assistant Commissioner. "Deputy Collector."

"Nazir" means any officer of a Court authorized to serve or execute its process. "Nazir."

"Section" means a Section of this Act. "Section."

3. On and from the commencement of this Act, the enactments specified in Schedule A hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column of the said Schedule. Enactments repealed.

4. All suits or proceedings, of the nature provided for by this Act, which, before the commencement of this Act, shall have been instituted before any Deputy Commissioner or other officer having jurisdiction under any enactment hereby repealed, shall be heard and decided, so far as may be, under this Act. Decision of suits instituted before the commencement of this Act.

5. Every ryot is entitled to receive, from the person to whom the rent of the land held or cultivated by him is payable, a pottah containing the following particulars :— Ryot entitled to a pottah.

the quantity and boundaries of land; and where fields have been numbered in a Government survey, the number of each field;

the amount of annual rent;

the instalments in which the same is to be paid;

any special conditions of the lease; and

(if the rent is payable wholly or partially in kind), the proportion or quantity of produce to be delivered, and the time and manner of delivery.

6. Every ryot, who has cultivated or held land for a period of twelve years, has a right of occupancy in the land so cultivated or held by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same; but this rule does Right of occupancy of ryot cultivating or holding land for twelve years.

not apply to the classes of lands locally known as majhahas, man, or saika; nor to khamar, nijjote, or seer land belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure, and let by him on lease for a term, or year by year.

The holding of the father, or other person from whom a ryot inherits, shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot within the meaning of this section.

Saving of terms of written contracts.

7. Nothing contained in the last preceding section shall be held to affect the terms of any written contract for the cultivation of land entered into between a landholder and a ryot, when it contains any express stipulation contrary thereto.

Ryots having right of occupancy, are entitled to receive pottahs.

8. Ryots having rights of occupancy are entitled to receive pottahs at fair and equitable rates.

In case of dispute, the rate previously paid by the ryot shall be deemed to be fair and equitable, unless the contrary be shown in an enquiry under section 24.

Pottahs to which ryots not having rights of occupancy are entitled.

9. Ryots not having rights of occupancy are entitled to pottahs only at such rates, and on such conditions, as may be agreed on between them and the persons to whom the rent is payable.

Person granting pottah entitled to a counterpart engagement.

10. Every person who grants a pottah is entitled to receive from the person to whom the pottah is granted a kubooliyet or counterpart engagement in conformity with the terms of the pottah.

The tender to any ryot of a pottah, such as the ryot is entitled to receive, shall be held to entitle the person to whom the rent is payable to receive a kubooliyet from such ryot.

Exactions in excess of rent or receipt withheld.

11. Every under-tenant or ryot, from whom any sum is exacted in excess of the rent specified in his pottah, or payable under this Act, whether as abwab or under any other pretext,

and every under-tenant, ryot, or cultivator from whom a receipt is withheld for any sum of money paid by him as rent,

shall be entitled to recover from the person receiving such rent, damages not exceeding double the amount so exacted or paid.

Form of receipt.

12. Receipts for rent shall specify the year or years on account of which the rent is acknowledged to have been paid; and any refusal to make such specification shall be held to be a withholding of a receipt.

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., pay into court, whether suit has been instituted against him or not, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

13. If any under-tenant or ryot shall, at the mal kutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents of the land held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to be the full amount of rent due from him at the date of the tender to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full forthwith granted, the under-tenant or ryot may, whether a suit shall have been instituted against him or not, within one month from the date of such tender, deposit such amount, in the court of the Deputy Commissioner having jurisdiction to entertain a suit for such rent, to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid;

and such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him are concerned, in all respects operate as and have the full effect of a payment then made by the under-tenant or ryot, of the amount deposited to the credit of such zemindar or other person.

Proceedings on receipt of deposit and payment of the same.

14. The Deputy Commissioner shall receive such deposit on the written application of the under-tenant, or ryot, or his agent; and on the under-tenant, or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form, or as nearly as circumstances will admit, in the form set forth in Schedule B hereto annexed, the Deputy Commissioner shall give a receipt for the same.

The Deputy Commissioner shall, within seven days from the date of the deposit, issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited, in the form set forth in Schedule C hereto annexed.

If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him.

Suit for further balance to be instituted within six months of service of notice of deposit.

15. Whenever such deposit shall have been made, no suit shall be brought against the person making the same or his representatives, on account of any rent which accrued due prior to the date of the deposit, unless such suit be instituted within six months from the date of the service of the notice mentioned in the last preceding section.

Landholder not to compel the attendance of tenant for adjustment of rent or for any other purpose.

16. All zemindars and other landholders are prohibited from compelling the attendance of their tenants for the adjustment of their rents or for any other purpose, and from adopting any means of compulsion for enforcing payment of the rent due to them other than those authorized by this Act.

Damages for extorting payment of rent by duress.

17. If payment of rent, whether the same be legally due or not, is extorted from any under-tenant or ryot by illegal confinement or other duress, such under-tenant or ryot shall be entitled to recover such damages, not exceeding two hundred rupees, as may be deemed a reasonable compensation for the injury done him by such extortion.

An award of compensation under this section shall not bar or affect any penalty or punishment to which the person practising such extortion may be subject by law.

Dependent talookdar, &c., holding land at fixed rent without change since permanent settlement not liable to enhancement of rent.

18. No dependent talookdar or other person possessing a permanent transferable interest in land, intermediate between the proprietor of an estate and the ryots, who holds his talook or tenure (otherwise than under a terminable lease) at a fixed rent which has not been changed from the time of the permanent settlement, shall be liable to any enhancement of such rent, anything in section fifty-one, Regulation VIII, 1793, or in any other law, to the contrary notwithstanding.

19. No tenant of lands known as bhuinhari or khoodkatti shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him for such lands, unless it be shown that the tenure has been created within twenty years before the institution of the suit to enhance the rent of the said lands;

Enhancement of the rent of bhuinhari and khoodkatti lands.

and where enhancement of the rent of such tenure is decreed, the rent assessed shall not exceed one-half of the rent paid by an ordinary ryot with a right of occupancy on the same class of land with similar advantages.

20. No tenant of lands known as korkor, baeebullah, khundwut, sujhwut, jalsasun, and ariat shall be liable to any enhancement of rent, except under the terms of a written contract, or in accordance with the general custom prevailing with respect to such lands in the village in which they are situated.

Enhancement of the rent of korkor, &c., lands.

21. No other under-tenant or ryot having a right of occupancy shall be liable to any enhancement of the rent previously paid by him, otherwise than in the manner provided by the three next succeeding sections.

Procedure for enhancement of rent.

22. Any person wishing to enhance the rent previously paid to him by any such under-tenant or ryot may present a petition to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such enhancement is sought, and (if necessary) to measure the same.

Petition to be made to Deputy Commissioner.

23. Such petition shall specify;

Particulars to be specified.

the present rent of the under-tenant or ryot against whom the application is made;

the general rate prevailing in the village for different classes of lands;

the date (as nearly as it can be ascertained) when the rate was last adjusted in the village;

the rate which the applicant desires to demand; and

the grounds on which he considers that he is entitled to enhancement.

The provisions of sections 49 and 50 shall apply to all such applications.

24. On receipt of such petition the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the under-tenant or ryot holding the land in respect of which enhancement is sought, and may (if necessary) order the same to be measured, and may upon consideration of all the circumstances set forth in the petition, and after hearing any objection which may be advanced against the proposed enhancement by the said under-tenant or ryot, fix such enhanced rent, or may otherwise alter or vary the rent for the said land as to him may seem fair and reasonable for such period, not being less than ten nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit;

Procedure on receipt of petition.

and the rent so fixed or varied shall be payable by such undertenant or ryot from the commencement of the local year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit preferred against him for arrears of the same.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to bar the right of such under-tenant or ryot to claim at any time an abatement of the rent previously paid by him under the provisions of section 27.

25. When lands are held subject to any conditions or services other than or besides the payment of a rent in money, the tenant of such lands, or the person who has the right to receive the rents and services issuing from such lands, may apply in writing to the Deputy Commissioner for the commutation of all such conditions or services.

Commutation of conditions or services to which lands may be subject.

26. The Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon cause a notice to be served on each of the persons who, under the last preceding section, would have a right to make such application, and shall fix a date for considering the same; and on such date, or any date thereafter to which the hearing may be postponed, shall proceed to enquire into the matter, and to determine the amount of rent which in his judgment is fairly and equitably payable in commutation of the conditions or services to which such lands may be subject.

Determination of rent payable in commutation.

27. Any under-tenant or ryot having a right of occupancy, and wishing to claim an abatement of the rent previously paid by him, may present a petition to the Deputy Commissioner to assess the rent on the land in respect of which such abatement is sought, and (if necessary) to measure the same.

Claim of abatement of rent.

Such petition shall specify the particulars mentioned in section 23, and the grounds on which such under-tenant or ryot considers that he is entitled to such abatement.

The provisions of sections 49 and 50 shall apply to all such applications.

28. On receipt of such petition the Deputy Commissioner shall forthwith give notice of the contents thereof to the person to whom the rent of such under-tenant or ryot is payable, and may (if necessary) order the land to be measured, and may proceed as prescribed by section 24 to fix such abatement of rent, or may otherwise alter or vary the rent for the land of such under-tenant or ryot as to him may seem fair and reasonable for such period not being less than ten, nor more than twenty years, as he may think fit;

Procedure on claim of abatement of rent.

and the rent so fixed or varied shall be payable by such under-tenant or ryot from the commencement of the local year following the year in which the order is passed, and may be recovered in any suit preferred against him for arrears of the same.

Provided that nothing in this section shall be held to bar the right of the person to whom the rent of such under-tenant or ryot is payable to claim at any time an enhancement of the rent of such under-tenant or ryot under the provisions of section 22.

29. Any ryot may relinquish the land held or cultivated by him, provided he gives notice of his intention in writing to the person entitled to the rent of the land, or his authorized agent, in or before the month of Pous of the year preceding that in which the relinquishment is to have effect.

Relinquishment of land by ryot after notice given.

If he fails to give such notice, and the land is not let to any other person, he shall continue liable for the rent of the land.

If the person entitled to the rent of the land or his agent refuses to receive any such notice and to sign a receipt for the same, the ryot may make an application to the Deputy Commissioner, who shall thereupon cause the notice to be served on such person or his agent.

What to be deemed an arrear of rent under this Act.

30. Any instalment of rent which is not paid on or before the day when the same is payable according to the pottah or engagement, or, if there is no written specification of the time of payment, at or before the time when such instalment is payable according to established usage, shall be held to be an arrear of rent under this Act, and in the absence of any written agreement to the contrary, shall be liable to interest at six per centum per annum.

Liability of ryot to be ejected for arrear due.

31. When an arrear of rent remains due from any ryot at the end of the Bengal or Sambut year, or at the end of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, as the case may be, such ryot shall be liable to be ejected from the land in respect of which the arrear is due, but only in execution of a decree or order passed under the provisions of this Act.

Liability of farmer to have his lease cancelled for arrear adjudged due.

32. When an arrear of rent is adjudged to be due from any farmer or other leaseholder not having a permanent or transferable interest in the land, the lease of such leaseholder shall be liable to be cancelled, and the leaseholder to be ejected.

Provided that no such lease shall be cancelled, nor the leaseholder ejected, otherwise than in execution of a decree or order under the provisions of this Act.

Measurement of lands.

33. Every proprietor of an estate or tenure, or other person in receipt of the rents of an estate or tenure, has a right to make a general survey or measurement of the lands comprised in such estate or tenure, unless restrained from doing so by express engagement with the occupants of the lands.

If any person intending to measure any land which he has a right to measure is opposed in making such measurement by the occupant of the land,

or if any under-tenant or ryot, having received notice of the intended measurement of land held or cultivated by him which is liable to such measurement, refuses to attend and point out such land,

such person may make application to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon proceed to enquire into the case in the manner provided for suits under this Act, and shall pass an order either allowing or disallowing the measurement, and, if the case so require, enjoining or excusing the attendance of any such under-tenant or ryot.

If any under-tenant or ryot, after the issue of an order enjoining his attendance, neglects to attend, it shall not be competent to him to contest the correctness of the measurement made in his absence.

Registration of transfers of talooks, &c.

34. All dependent talookdars and other persons possessing a permanent heritable interest in land intermediate between the zemindar and the cultivator are required to register, in the sherishtch of the zemindar or superior tenant to whom the rents of their talooks or tenures are payable, all transfers of such talooks or tenures, or portions of them, by succession or inheritance.

Every zemindar or superior tenant is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all such transfers.

Application for the registration of all such successions as may have occurred previously to the commencement of this Act shall be made within two years from the commencement thereof, and for future successions within one year from the date on which the succession occurred; and if such application be not made within the period herein specified, the zemindar or superior tenant may apply to the Deputy Commissioner to put him in possession of the talook or tenure.

On receipt of such application the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a notice to the talookdar or tenure-holder in possession, requiring him to register the transfer within three months from the receipt of the notice, and if he neglects or refuses so to register, the Deputy Commissioner may, on proof to his satisfaction being given of the service of the notice, put the zemindar or superior tenant aforesaid in possession of the talook or tenure.

Provisions of section 34 applicable to sale of under-tenures.

35. The provisions of the last preceding section shall also be applicable to the sale of such under-tenures as are mentioned in section 123, and to the sale of the right and title of any person under section 124.

Procedure on refusal to register.

36. If any zemindar or superior tenant refuses to admit to registry or otherwise to give effect to any such transfer as is mentioned in the two last preceding sections, the transferee may make application to the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall thereupon proceed to enquire into the case in the manner provided for suits under this Act, and if no sufficient grounds are shown for the refusal, shall pass an order enjoining the zemindar or superior tenant to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to such transfer.

Provided that no zemindar or superior tenant shall be required to admit to registry, or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenures, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or superior tenant.

Cognizance of suits under this Act.

37. (1) All suits for the delivery of pottahs or kubooliyets, or for the determination of the rates of rent at which such pottahs or kubooliyets are to be delivered;

(2) all suits for damages on account of the illegal exaction of rent or of any unauthorized cess or impost, or on account of the refusal of receipts for rent paid, or on account of the extortion of rent by confinement or other duress;

(3) all complaints of excessive demand of rent, and all claims to abatement of rent;

(4) all suits for arrears of rent due on account of land either rent-paying or rent-free, or on account of any rights of pasturage, forest-rights, fisheries, or the like;

(5) all suits to eject any ryot, or to cancel any lease on account of the non-payment of arrears of rent, or on account of a breach of the conditions of any contract by which a ryot may be liable to ejectment, or a lease may be liable to be cancelled;

(6) all suits to recover the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, from which a ryot, farmer, or tenant has been illegally ejected by the person entitled to receive rent for the same;

(7) all suits by zemindars and others in receipt of the rent of land, against any agents employed by them in the management of land or collection of rents, or the sureties of such agents, for money received or accounts kept by such agents in the course of such employment, or for papers in their possession;

shall be cognizable by the Deputy Commissioners, and shall be instituted and tried under the provisions of this Act, and shall not be cognizable in any other court, except in the way of appeal as provided in this Act.

Power to refer to arbitration.

38. The Deputy Commissioner may, with the consent of the parties, refer any suit under this Act to arbitration, and the provisions of sections 506 to 522 (both inclusive) of the Code of Civil Procedure shall, as far as may be practicable, apply to such references.

Suit may be brought by or against any number of ryots collectively.

39. In every suit under this Act, of the nature of those specified in the first, second, third, or fourth clauses of section 37, and in applications for enhancement, abatement or measurement under sections 22, 27 or 33, any number of ryots or other tenants may sue or be sued collectively, and it shall be no ground for dismissing the suit or refusing to hear the application that such ryots or other tenants are wrongly joined as plaintiffs or defendants, provided that all such ryots or other tenants hold land in the same village;

but no order shall be passed in such case, unless the officer making the same is satisfied that all parties have had an opportunity to appear and make objection to any claims preferred against them;

and if at any time it shall appear to the Deputy Commissioner that the question between any two of the parties, of whom one is so joined with others, cannot conveniently be so jointly tried, the Deputy Commissioner may order a separate trial to be held.

Order to specify how far it applies to each ryot.

40. Every order passed in any such case as is mentioned in the first clause of the last preceding section shall specify the extent to which each of the ryots or other tenants named in the order shall be affected thereby.

Suits by or against surburakars or tuhseeldars of estates held khas.

41. All suits which, under this Act, may be brought by or against zemindars or other persons in the receipt of the rent of land, may be brought by or against surburakars or tuhseeldars of estates held under khas management, whether such estates are the property of Government or of individuals.

General rule for limitation of suits.

42. Except as otherwise herein provided, all suits instituted under this Act shall be commenced within the period of one year from the date of the accruing of the cause of action.

Limitation of suits for grant of pottahs, &c.

43. Suits for the delivery of pottahs or kubooliyets, and for the determination of the rates of rent at which such pottahs or kubooliyets are to be delivered, may be instituted at any time during the tenancy.

Limitation of suits for arrears of rent.

44. Suits for the recovery of arrears of rent shall be instituted within three years from the last day of the Bengal or Sambut year, or from the last day of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, in which the arrear claimed shall have become due.

Provided that, if the suit be for the recovery of rent at a higher rate than was payable in the previous year, such rent not having been enhanced by the Deputy Commissioner under this Act, the suit shall be instituted within three months from the end of the Bengal or Sambut year, or of the month of Jeth of the Fusly or Willayutee year, on account of which such enhanced rent is claimed.

Limitation of suits against agents for money, papers, or accounts.

45. Suits for the recovery of money in the hands of an agent, or for the delivery of accounts or papers by an agent, may be brought at any time during the agency, or within one year after the determination of the agency of such agent.

Provided that, if the person having the right to sue shall, by means of fraud, have been kept from the knowledge of the receipt of any such money by the agent, or if any fraudulent account shall have been rendered by the agent, the suit may be brought within one year from the time when the fraud shall have been first known to such person; but no such suit shall in any case be brought at any time exceeding three years from the termination of the agency.

Mode of instituting suits. Form of statement of claim.

46. Suits under this Act shall be instituted by presenting to the Deputy Commissioner a plaint or statement of claim which shall contain

the name, description, and place of abode of the plaintiff;

the name, description, and place of abode of the defendant, so far as they can be ascertained;

the substance of the claim; and

the date of the cause of action.

Form of statement in suits for arrears of rent.

47. If the suit is for the recovery of an arrear of rent, the statement of claim shall specify

the name of the village and estate;

the name of the pergunnah or other local division in which the land is situated;

(if the arrear is alleged to be due from any ryot), the quantity of land,

(where fields have been numbered in a Government survey), the number of each field;

the yearly rent of the land;

the amount (if any) received on account of the year for which the claim is made;

the amount in arrear; and

the time in respect of which it is alleged to be due.

Form of statement in suits for ejectment of ryot, &c., or for recovery of occupancy or possession of land, &c.

48. If the suit is for the ejectment of a ryot, farmer, or tenant from any land, farm, or tenure, or for the recovery of the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, the statement of claim shall specify (as circumstances may require) the extent, situation, and designation of the same, and (if necessary for the identification of the land), the boundaries of such land.

Statement by whom to be presented.

49. The statement of claim shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an authorized agent of the plaintiff who has personal knowledge of the facts of the case, or by an agent who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge.

Verification of statement.

50. The statement of claim shall be subscribed and verified at the foot by the plaintiff or his agent in the manner following, or to the like effect:—

I, A. B., do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Documentary evidence to be produced by plaintiff.

51. If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he shall deliver the same to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim.

Unless such document be delivered or its non-production be sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner see fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

Plaintiff may require production of document from defendant.

52. If the plaintiff requires the production of any document in the possession or power of the defendant, he may, at the time of presenting his statement of claim, deliver to the Deputy Commissioner a description of the document in order that the defendant may be required to produce the same.

Statement may be returned or allowed to be amended.

53. If the statement of claim does not contain the several particulars hereinbefore required to be specified therein, or is not subscribed and verified as hereinbefore required, the Deputy Commissioner may return the statement to the plaintiff, or at his discretion allow it to be amended.

Issue of summons; personal attendance of defendant may be required.

54. If the statement of claim is in proper form, the Deputy Commissioner, except as otherwise hereinafter specially provided, shall direct the issue of a summons to the defendant, and if the plaintiff requires the personal attendance of the defendant, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that such personal attendance is necessary, or the Deputy Commissioner of his own accord requires such personal attendance, the summons shall contain an order for the defendant to appear personally on a day to be specified in the summons; otherwise the summons shall order the defendant to appear personally or by an agent duly authorized on his behalf, who has personal knowledge of the subject, or who shall be accompanied by a person who has such personal knowledge.

The day to be specified in the summons how to be fixed. Defendant to be ordered to produce necessary documents, and to bring witnesses willing to attend without process.

55. The day to be specified in the summons shall be fixed with reference to the state of the file, and the distance that the defendant may be or be supposed to be at the time from the place where the court is held, and the summons shall order the defendant to produce any document which he may have in his possession, of which the plaintiff demands inspection, or upon which the defendant may intend to rely in support of his defence.

It shall also enjoin him to bring with him his witnesses if they are willing to attend without issue of process, and shall be in the form contained in Schedule D hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Cost of serving summons or warrant to be deposited in court.

56. The amount of the cost of serving the summons, or, if a warrant is issued as provided in the next succeeding section, of serving the warrant, shall in all cases be deposited in court upon the same day or the day next following that on which the plaint or statement of claim is presented to the Deputy Commissioner.

If the said amount be not so deposited the case shall not be brought on the file of suits: but in such case the plaintiff may present another plaint at any time within the period prescribed by this Act for the limitation of suits.

Warrant of arrest in what cases to be issued.

57. If in any suit against an under-tenant or ryot for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or against an agent for the recovery of any money, papers, or accounts, the plaintiff desires a warrant of arrest to be issued against the defendant, such defendant being resident within the district in which the suit is instituted, he shall present with his statement of claim an application for the issue of such warrant.

When such application is presented, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the plaintiff or his agent, according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses, and inspect the documents adduced by him in support of his claim, and if there be *primâ facie* grounds for believing the claim to be well-founded, and that, if a summons be issued, the defendant will abscond instead of appearing to answer the claim, the Deputy Commissioner may issue a warrant for the arrest of the defendant.

The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a reasonable time for the return of the warrant, which shall be in the form contained in the Schedule E hereto annexed, or to the like effect, and the officer entrusted with the service of the warrant shall at the time of arresting the defendant deliver to him a notice addressed to the defendant, which shall be in the form in the Schedule F hereto annexed, or to the like effect, containing the particulars of the claim, and requiring the defendant, if he contest the claim, to bring with him any document upon which he may intend to rely in support of his defence.

But no such warrant shall be issued in a suit for arrears of rent due in respect of a dependent talook or other transferable tenure which, as hereinafter provided, is liable to sale in execution of any decree which may be passed in the case.

58. If the defendant is arrested under the warrant of arrest, he shall be brought with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall commit him to custody, unless he deposits in court such sum as may be specified in the notice.

Procedure after arrest of defendant.

59. When the defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant, the Deputy Commissioner shall with all convenient speed proceed to try the case in the manner hereinafter provided;

Procedure when defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant.

if the suit cannot be at once adjudicated, the Deputy Commissioner may, if he think fit, require the defendant to give security for his appearance whenever the same may be required at any time whilst the suit is pending, or until execution of the final decree which may be passed thereon, and may commit the defendant to the civil jail to be there detained until he shall furnish such security, or deposit such sum as the Deputy Commissioner shall order.

The security bond shall be in the form contained in Schedule G hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

60. If the defendant cannot be arrested under the warrant, the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the plaintiff, shall either postpone the case, for such period as he may think proper, in order that the plaintiff may apply within the said period for another warrant to be issued for the arrest of the defendant, or shall forthwith issue a proclamation to be affixed to his own office and to the residence of the defendant appointing a day for the hearing of the case, which shall not be less than ten days from the date of the publication of the notice at the residence of the defendant.

Procedure if warrant of arrest cannot be served upon the defendant.

If the defendant appears in pursuance of the proclamation, he shall be dealt with as provided in the last preceding section.

61. If it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the arrest of the defendant was applied for without reasonable cause, the Deputy Commissioner may in his decree award to the defendant such sum, not exceeding one hundred rupees, as he may deem a reasonable compensation for any injury or loss which the defendant may have sustained by reason of such arrest, or of his detention in jail during the pendency of the suit.

Compensation for arrest applied for without reasonable cause.

62. If on the day fixed by the summons or proclamation for the appearance of the defendant, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be postponed prior to the recording of an issue for trial as hereinafter provided, neither of the parties appears in person or by an agent, the case shall be struck off, with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit, unless precluded by the provisions for the limitation of suits contained in this Act.

Consequence of neither party appearing on the day of trial.

63. If on any such day the defendant only appears, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admit the cause of action, in which case the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to give judgment for the plaintiff upon such admission without costs;

If defendant only appear to dispute the demand, Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment by default; but if defendant admit the claim, Deputy Commissioner shall decree upon such admission.

provided that such judgment, if there be more than one defendant, shall be only against the defendant who makes the admission.

64. If on any such day the plaintiff only appears, the Deputy Commissioner, upon proof that the summons or proclamation has been duly served according to the provisions of this Act, shall proceed to examine the plaintiff or his agent, and after considering the allegations of the plaintiff, and any documentary or oral evidence adduced by him, may either dismiss the case, or postpone the hearing of it to a future day for the attendance of any witness the plaintiff may wish to call, or may pass judgment *ex parte* against the defendant.

If plaintiff only appear, Deputy Commissioner may proceed *ex parte*.

65. If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be postponed under the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such conditions, if any, as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, allow the defendant to be heard in answer to the suit as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his attendance.

If defendant appear on a day to which the case is postponed, Deputy Commissioner may allow him to be heard in answer to the suit.

66. No appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, or from a judgment against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance.

Revival, reversal, and alteration of decrees *ex parte* or by default.

But in all such cases, if the party against whom judgment has been given appears, either in person or by agent, if a plaintiff within fifteen days from the date of the Deputy Commissioner's order, and if a defendant within fifteen days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed, or at any earlier period, and shows sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, revive the suit and alter or rescind the decree, according to the justice of the case.

But no decree shall be reversed or altered without previously summoning the opposite party to appear and be heard in support of it.

67. In all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall pass an order for setting aside a judgment, the order shall be final; but in all appealable cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall reject the application, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable; provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision.

Order to set aside judgment shall be final, but rejection of application to set it aside shall be appealable.

68. When both parties appear in person on the day named in the summons, or upon any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be adjourned, for sufficient reason to be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to examine them, and either party or his agent may cross-examine the other.

On appearance of parties, the parties to be examined by the Deputy Commissioner and may cross-examine each other.

the amount in arrear; and

the time in respect of which it is alleged to be due.

Form of statement in suits for ejectment of ryot, &c., or for recovery of occupancy or possession of land, &c.

48. If the suit is for the ejectment of a ryot, farmer, or tenant from any land, farm, or tenure, or for the recovery of the occupancy or possession of any land, farm, or tenure, the statement of claim shall specify (as circumstances may require) the extent, situation, and designation of the same, and (if necessary for the identification of the land), the boundaries of such land.

Statement by whom to be presented.

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Verification of statement.

50. The statement of claim shall be subscribed and verified at the foot by the plaintiff or his agent in the manner following, or to the like effect:—

I, A. B., do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Documentary evidence to be produced by plaintiff.

51. If the plaintiff relies in support of his claim on any document in his possession, he shall deliver the same to the Deputy Commissioner at the time of presenting his statement of claim.

Unless such document be delivered or its non-production be sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner see fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

Plaintiff may require production of document from defendant.

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Statement may be returned or allowed to be amended.

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Issue of summons; personal attendance of defendant may be required.

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The day to be specified in the summons how to be fixed. Defendant to be ordered to produce necessary documents, and to bring witnesses willing to attend without process.

55. The day to be specified in the summons shall be fixed with reference to the state of the file, and the distance that the defendant may be or be supposed to be at the time from the place where the court is held, and the summons shall order the defendant to produce any document which he may have in his possession, of which the plaintiff demands inspection, or upon which the defendant may intend to rely in support of his defence.

It shall also enjoin him to bring with him his witnesses if they are willing to attend without issue of process, and shall be in the form contained in Schedule D hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Cost of serving summons or warrant to be deposited in court.

56. The amount of the cost of serving the summons, or, if a warrant is issued as provided in the next succeeding section, of serving the warrant, shall in all cases be deposited in court upon the same day or the day next following that on which the plaint or statement of claim is presented to the Deputy Commissioner.

If the said amount be not so deposited the case shall not be brought on the file of suits: but in such case the plaintiff may present another plaint at any time within the period prescribed by this Act for the limitation of suits.

Warrant of arrest in what cases to be issued.

57. If in any suit against an under-tenant or ryot for the recovery of an arrear of rent, or against an agent for the recovery of any money, papers, or accounts, the plaintiff desires a warrant of arrest to be issued against the defendant, such defendant being resident within the district in which the suit is instituted, he shall present with his statement of claim an application for the issue of such warrant.

When such application is presented, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the plaintiff or his agent, according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses, and inspect the documents adduced by him in support of his claim, and if there be *primâ facie* grounds for believing the claim to be well-founded, and that, if a summons be issued, the defendant will abscond instead of appearing to answer the claim, the Deputy Commissioner may issue a warrant for the arrest of the defendant.

The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a reasonable time for the return of the warrant, which shall be in the form contained in the Schedule E hereto annexed, or to the like effect, and the officer entrusted with the service of the warrant shall at the time of arresting the defendant deliver to him a notice addressed to the defendant, which shall be in the form in the Schedule F hereto annexed, or to the like effect, containing the particulars of the claim, and requiring the defendant, if he contest the claim, to bring with him any document upon which he may intend to rely in support of his defence.

But no such warrant shall be issued in a suit for arrears of rent due in respect of a dependent talook or other transferable tenure which, as hereinafter provided, is liable to sale in execution of any decree which may be passed in the case.

58. If the defendant is arrested under the warrant of arrest, he shall be brought with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner, and the Deputy Commissioner shall commit him to custody, unless he deposits in court such sum as may be specified in the notice.

Procedure after arrest of defendant.

59. When the defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant, the Deputy Commissioner shall with all convenient speed proceed to try the case in the manner hereinafter provided;

Procedure when defendant is brought before the Deputy Commissioner under warrant.

if the suit cannot be at once adjudicated, the Deputy Commissioner may, if he think fit, require the defendant to give security for his appearance whenever the same may be required at any time whilst the suit is pending, or until execution of the final decree which may be passed thereon, and may commit the defendant to the civil jail to be there detained until he shall furnish such security, or deposit such sum as the Deputy Commissioner shall order.

The security bond shall be in the form contained in Schedule G hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

60. If the defendant cannot be arrested under the warrant, the Deputy Commissioner, on the application of the plaintiff, shall either postpone the case, for such period as he may think proper, in order that the plaintiff may apply within the said period for another warrant to be issued for the arrest of the defendant, or shall forthwith issue a proclamation to be affixed to his own office and to the residence of the defendant appointing a day for the hearing of the case, which shall not be less than ten days from the date of the publication of the notice at the residence of the defendant.

Procedure if warrant of arrest cannot be served upon the defendant.

If the defendant appears in pursuance of the proclamation, he shall be dealt with as provided in the last preceding section.

61. If it appears to the Deputy Commissioner that the arrest of the defendant was applied for without reasonable cause, the Deputy Commissioner may in his decree award to the defendant such sum, not exceeding one hundred rupees, as he may deem a reasonable compensation for any injury or loss which the defendant may have sustained by reason of such arrest, or of his detention in jail during the pendency of the suit.

Compensation for arrest applied for without reasonable cause.

62. If on the day fixed by the summons or proclamation for the appearance of the defendant, or on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be postponed prior to the recording of an issue for trial as hereinafter provided, neither of the parties appears in person or by an agent, the case shall be struck off, with liberty to the plaintiff to bring a fresh suit, unless precluded by the provisions for the limitation of suits contained in this Act.

Consequence of neither party appearing on the day of trial.

63. If on any such day the defendant only appears, the Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment against the plaintiff by default, unless the defendant admit the cause of action, in which case the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to give judgment for the plaintiff upon such admission without costs;

If defendant only appear to dispute the demand, Deputy Commissioner shall pass judgment by default; but if defendant admit the claim, Deputy Commissioner shall decree upon such admission.

provided that such judgment, if there be more than one defendant, shall be only against the defendant who makes the admission.

64. If on any such day the plaintiff only appears, the Deputy Commissioner, upon proof that the summons or proclamation has been duly served according to the provisions of this Act, shall proceed to examine the plaintiff or his agent, and after considering the allegations of the plaintiff, and any documentary or oral evidence adduced by him, may either dismiss the case, or postpone the hearing of it to a future day for the attendance of any witness the plaintiff may wish to call, or may pass judgment *ex parte* against the defendant.

If plaintiff only appear, Deputy Commissioner may proceed *ex parte*.

65. If the defendant appears on any subsequent day to which the hearing of the suit may be postponed under the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such conditions, if any, as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, allow the defendant to be heard in answer to the suit as if he had appeared on the day fixed for his attendance.

If defendant appear on a day to which the case is postponed, Deputy Commissioner may allow him to be heard in answer to the suit.

66. No appeal shall lie from a judgment passed *ex parte* against a defendant who has not appeared, or from a judgment against a plaintiff by default for non-appearance.

Revival, reversal, and alteration of decrees *ex parte* or by default.

But in all such cases, if the party against whom judgment has been given appears, either in person or by agent, if a plaintiff within fifteen days from the date of the Deputy Commissioner's order, and if a defendant within fifteen days after any process for enforcing the judgment has been executed, or at any earlier period, and shows sufficient cause for his previous non-appearance, and satisfies the Deputy Commissioner that there has been a failure of justice, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon such terms and conditions as to costs or otherwise as he may think proper, revive the suit and alter or rescind the decree, according to the justice of the case.

But no decree shall be reversed or altered without previously summoning the opposite party to appear and be heard in support of it.

67. In all cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall pass an order for setting aside a judgment, the order shall be final; but in all appealable cases in which the Deputy Commissioner shall reject the application, an appeal shall lie from the order of rejection to the tribunal to which the final decision in the suit would be appealable; provided that the appeal be preferred within the time allowed for an appeal from such final decision.

Order to set aside judgment shall be final, but rejection of application to set it aside shall be appealable.

68. When both parties appear in person on the day named in the summons, or upon any subsequent day to which the hearing of the case may be adjourned, for sufficient reason to be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner shall proceed to examine them, and either party or his agent may cross-examine the other.

On appearance of parties, the parties to be examined by the Deputy Commissioner and may cross-examine each other.

If either of the parties is not bound to attend personally, any agent by whom he shall appear, or any person who shall accompany such agent, shall be examined and cross-examined in like manner as the party himself would have been if he had attended personally.

At the time of examination the defendant, if he think fit, may file a written statement of his defence. Such statement shall be verified in the manner prescribed in section 50.

Examination of parties, &c.

69. The examination of the parties or their agents, or such other persons as aforesaid, shall be conducted according to the law for the time being in force for the examination of witnesses. The substance of the examination shall be reduced to writing in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner and filed with the record.

Provided that all examinations of parties and witnesses may be recorded in English, if the Deputy Commissioner be sufficiently acquainted with that language.

Witnesses to be examined.

70. If either of the parties brings forward a witness on the day aforesaid, the Deputy Commissioner may take the evidence of such witness.

Documentary evidence to be produced by defendant.

71. If the defendant relies on any document in support of his defence, he shall deliver the same into court at the first hearing of the suit; and unless such document is so delivered in, or its non-production is sufficiently excused, or unless the Deputy Commissioner sees fit to extend the time for producing the same, it shall not afterwards be admitted.

After examination Deputy Commissioner may make his decree if no further evidence is required.

72. If after the examination required by section 68, and also the examination of any witness who may attend to give evidence on behalf of either of the parties, and after a consideration of the documentary evidence adduced, a decree can be properly made without further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall make a decree accordingly.

Consequence of inability of agent to answer material question.

73. If, on such examination as aforesaid, the agent of either party is unable to answer any material question relating to the case, which the Deputy Commissioner is of opinion that the party whom he represents ought to answer, and is likely to be able to answer if interrogated in person, the Deputy Commissioner may postpone the hearing of the case to a future day, and direct that the party whose agent may have been unable to answer as aforesaid shall attend in person on such day;

and if the party so directed to attend fails to appear in person on the day appointed, the Deputy Commissioner may pass judgment as in case of default, or make such other order as he may deem proper under the circumstances of the case.

If necessary, Deputy Commissioner to record issue and to fix a day for hearing further evidence.

74. If, on such examination as aforesaid, it appears that the parties are at issue on any question upon which it is necessary to hear further evidence, the Deputy Commissioner shall declare and record such issue, and shall fix a convenient day for the examination of witnesses and the trial of the suit; and the trial shall take place on that day, unless there be sufficient reason for adjourning it, which reason shall be recorded by the Deputy Commissioner.

Parties shall produce their witnesses on the day of trial, or Deputy Commissioner on application of either party shall issue summons for the attendance of a witness.

75. The parties shall bring forward their witnesses on the day of trial, and if either party requires assistance to procure the attendance of a witness on such day, either to give evidence, or to produce a document, he shall apply to the Deputy Commissioner in sufficient time before the day fixed for the trial, to enable the witness to be summoned to attend on that day; and the Deputy Commissioner shall issue a summons requiring such witness to attend.

Provisions of Code of Civil Procedure to apply to attendance, examination, &c., of witnesses.

76. The provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure relating to the attendance and examination of witnesses and the production of documents, and to the remuneration and punishment of witnesses, shall, so far as they are consistent with this Act, apply to all suits under this Act.

Consequence of parties not appearing on the day fixed for the trial of any issue.

77. If on the day fixed for the trial of any issue neither of the parties appear, the case shall be struck off under the conditions provided in section 62.

If on any such day one only of the parties appears, the issue may be tried and determined in the absence of the other party, upon such proof as may be then before the court.

Suits instituted or defended by naibs, gomastahs, &c.

78. When suits under this Act are instituted or defended by naibs, gomastahs, or other persons employed in the collection of rent, or management of land, in the name and on the behalf of the landholders by whom they are so employed, all the provisions of this Act, by which the personal appearance or attendance of parties to a suit is or may be required, shall be applicable to such naibs, gomastahs, or other persons; and anything which by this Act is required or permitted to be done by a party in person, may be done by any such person as aforesaid.

Processes served on any such person shall be as effectual for all purposes in relation to the suit as if the same had been served on the landholder in person, and all the provisions of this Act, relative to the service of processes on a party to the suit, shall be applicable to the service of processes on such person.

Personal attendance of plaintiff or defendant not required in certain cases.

79. A plaintiff or defendant shall not be required to attend in person if of the female sex, and of a rank or class which, according to the custom and manners of the country, would render it improper for her to appear in public.

Employment of authorized agents or mookhtars.

80. Any party to a suit may employ an authorized agent or mookhtar to conduct the case on his behalf, but the appointment of such agent or mookhtar shall not excuse the personal attendance of the plaintiff or defendant in cases where his personal attendance is required by the summons or any order of the court.

81. The Deputy Commissioner may in any case grant time to the plaintiff or defendant to proceed in the prosecution or defence respectively of a suit, and may also from time to time, in order to the production of further proof, or for other sufficient reason to be recorded by him, adjourn the hearing or further hearing of any case in such manner as to him may seem fit.

Deputy Commissioner may grant time or adjourn hearing.

82. The Deputy Commissioner may at any stage of a suit cause a local enquiry and report respecting the matter in dispute to be made by any officer subordinate to him, or by any other officer of Government with the consent of the authority to whom such officer is subordinate, or may himself proceed to the spot and make such local enquiry in person.

Deputy Commissioner may cause local enquiry to be made.

The provisions of the law for the time being in force, relative to local enquiries by ameens or commissioners under orders of the civil courts, shall apply to any local enquiry made by any officer under this section, and, so far as they are applicable, to enquiries made by the Deputy Commissioner in person.

In the latter case, the Deputy Commissioner, after completing the enquiry, shall record on the proceedings such observations as appear to him appropriate, and the observations so recorded shall be received as evidence in the suit.

83. The defendant in any suit under this Act may, if he has duly tendered the same to the plaintiff before the institution of the suit, pay into court such sum of money as he may consider due to the plaintiff without paying in any costs incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment, and such sum shall be immediately paid out of court to the plaintiff.

After action brought, defendant may pay into court, without costs, money tendered before action brought.

If after such payment the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no further sum than shall have been paid into court, the plaintiff shall be charged with the whole costs of the suit incurred by the defendant; but if the plaintiff ultimately recovers a further sum than shall have been paid into court, the defendant shall be charged with the whole costs of the suit.

Costs if plaintiff goes on and recovers no more.

84. The defendant in any suit under this Act may, without having made any tender before action brought, pay into court such sum of money as he may consider due to the plaintiff, together with the costs (to be fixed by the court if necessary as upon a suit originally instituted for the amount so paid into court) incurred by the plaintiff up to the time of such payment, and such sum shall immediately be paid out of court to the plaintiff.

If no previous tender has been made, defendant may pay into court what he admits to be due, with costs on that sum.

If after such payment the plaintiff elects to proceed in the suit, and ultimately recovers no further sum than shall have been paid into court, he shall be charged with all costs incurred by the defendant subsequently to such payment; but if the plaintiff ultimately recovers a further sum than shall have been paid into court, the defendant shall be charged with costs as upon a suit originally instituted for the whole amount for which the plaintiff ultimately obtains a decree, but shall have credit thereout for the amount of costs paid into Court by him in the first instance.

Costs if plaintiff goes on with the suit.

85. No interest shall be allowed to the plaintiff on any sum paid by the defendant into court from the date of such payment, whether such sum be in full of his claim, or fall short thereof.

No interest on deposits.

86. If on the trial of a suit for the delivery of a pottah instituted by a ryot having a right of occupancy the parties do not agree as to the term for which the pottah is to be granted, the Deputy Commissioner shall fix such term as under the circumstances of the case he may think just and proper.

If on trial of suit for delivery of pottah, parties do not agree as to the time for which the pottah is granted, Deputy Commissioner to fix the time.

Provided that the term shall not in any case be longer than twenty years, and in estates not permanently settled, shall not extend beyond the period for which the proprietor of the estate has engaged with Government. Provided also that, if the defendant be a farmer or other person having only a temporary interest in the land, the term of the pottah shall not extend beyond the period of the continuance of such interest.

For cultivators not having a right of occupancy, the term of pottah shall be exclusively in the discretion of the person entitled to the rent of the land.

87. When in any suit between a landholder and a ryot or under-tenant under this Act, the right to receive the rent of the land or tenure cultivated or held by the ryot or under-tenant is disputed, and such right is claimed by or on behalf of a third person, on the ground that such third person, or a person through whom he claims, has actually and in good faith received and enjoyed such rent before and up to the time of the commencement of the suit, such third person shall be made a party to the suit, and the question of the actual receipt and enjoyment of the rent by such third person shall be enquired into, and the suit shall be decided according to the result of such inquiry.

If in actions for rent a third person appear as claimant, he is to be made a party to the suit.

Provided that the decision of the Deputy Commissioner shall not affect the right of either party, who may have a legal title to the rent of such land or tenure, to establish his title by suit in a civil court, if instituted within one year from the date of the decision.

88. Any person desiring to eject a ryot, or to cancel a lease on account of non-payment of arrears of rent, may sue for such ejectment or cancelment and for recovery of the arrear in the same action, or may adduce any unexecuted decree for arrears of rent as evidence of the existence of such arrears in a suit for such ejectment or cancelment.

Suits for ejectment or cancelment of lease.

In all cases of suits for the ejectment of a ryot or the cancelment of a lease, the decree shall specify the amount of the arrear; and if such amount, together with interest and costs of suit, be paid into court within fifteen days from the date of the decree, execution shall be stayed.

89. The Deputy Commissioner shall pronounce judgment in open court. The judgment shall be written in the vernacular language of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall contain the reasons for the same, and shall be dated and signed by the Deputy Commissioner at the time when it is pronounced.

Judgment how to be pronounced.

Provided that any judgment may be written in English, if the Deputy Commissioner be sufficiently acquainted with the English language.

90. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due from him,

The court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

and that he has not, before the institution of the suit, tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or, in case of refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Deputy Commissioner before the institution of the suit in manner hereinbefore mentioned,

the court may award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the amount of rent decreed, as the court may think fit;

and such damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest from the date of decree until payment thereof at such rate per centum as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable.

91. In any suit for rent under this Act, if it appears to the court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause,

The court may award compensation, not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount sued for, to a defendant improperly sued.

or that the defendant, before the institution of the suit, duly deposited with the Deputy Commissioner in the manner hereinafter mentioned the full amount which the court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such deposit,

the court may award to the defendant by way of compensation such sum, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the court may think fit;

and such sum, with interest until payment thereof at such rate per centum as the Deputy Commissioner deems reasonable, shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums decreed to be paid by defendants under this Act.

92. When a decree is given for the delivery of a pottah, if the person required by the decree to grant such pottah refuses or delays to grant the same, the Deputy Commissioner may grant a pottah in conformity with the terms of the decree under his own hand and seal, and such pottah shall be of the same force and effect as if granted by the person aforesaid.

If person required by the decree refuse to grant pottah, Deputy Commissioner may do so.

93. When a decree is given for the delivery of a kubooliyet, if the person required by the decree to execute such kubooliyet refuses to execute the same, the decree shall be evidence of the amount of rent claimable from such person, and a copy of the decree under the hand and seal of the Deputy Commissioner shall be of the same force and effect as a kubooliyet executed by the said person.

Refusal of person to execute kubooliyet as required by the decree.

94. If the decree is for the ejectment of any ryot from land occupied by him, or for the reinstatement of any ryot in the occupancy of land from which he has been ejected, the decree shall be executed by giving the possession or occupancy of the land to the person entitled by the decree, to such possession or occupancy.

Mode of executing decree for ejectment or reinstatement of ryot.

If any opposition is made to the execution of the order for giving such possession or occupancy by the party against whom the order is made, the Deputy Commissioner, in the exercise of his powers as a Magistrate, shall give effect to the same.

Procedure in case of opposition to execution.

95. If the decree is for the cancelment of any lease, or the ejectment of any farmer or other person (not being an actual cultivator), or for the reinstatement of any farmer or other such person in the possession of a farm or tenure from which he has been ejected, the decree shall be executed by proclaiming the substance of the decree to the cultivators or other occupants by beat of drum, or in such other manner as may be customary, and affixing the same in some conspicuous place within, or adjacent to, the farm or tenure.

Mode of executing decree for cancelment of a lease, or for ejectment or reinstatement of a farmer or tenant.

96. If the decree is for arrears of rent, or for money, papers, or accounts, and the defendant has been committed to jail, or appears pursuant to the conditions of any security-bond given under section 59, the Deputy Commissioner may order that he be detained in, or committed to, the civil jail, unless he immediately pay into court the amount of the decree with costs, or otherwise comply with the terms of the decree.

In what case a judgment-debtor may be detained or imprisoned without issue of process of execution.

97. If the judgment-debtor has given security for his appearance, and is not present when judgment is pronounced, and the surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, process of execution may be taken out against the surety in the same manner as if a decree for the amount due from the debtor had been passed against the surety.

Liability of surety on failure to deliver judgment-debtor into custody.

If the decree is for the delivery of papers or accounts, and the defendant is not present when judgment is pronounced, and the surety fails to deliver him into custody when required so to do, execution may be taken out against the surety for the sum due under the bond in the same manner as if a decree for that sum had been passed against the surety.

98. The provisions relating to attachment before judgment, contained in the Code of Civil Procedure, are hereby extended to all suits under this Act.

Attachment before judgment.

99. Process of execution may be issued against either the person or the property of a judgment-debtor, but process shall not

Issue of process of execution.

be issued simultaneously against both person and property.

Process of execution against the person or moveable property of a debtor shall be in the form contained in Schedule H or I hereto annexed, or to the like effect.

Application for execution against moveable property.

100. Any moveable property required to be seized under an execution shall, if practicable, be described in a list to be furnished by the judgment-creditor, but if the creditor is unable to furnish such list, he may apply for a general attachment of the debtor's effects to the amount of the judgment and costs.

In either case the property to be seized shall be pointed out to the officer entrusted with the execution of the process, by the creditor or his agent.

How long warrant shall continue in force.

101. Every warrant of execution shall bear date on the day on which it is signed by the Deputy Commissioner, and shall continue in force for such period as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, not being more than sixty days from such date.

Second and successive warrants.

102. Second and successive warrants of execution may be issued by order of the Deputy Commissioner on the application of the judgment-creditor, after the expiration of the period fixed for the continuance in force of a previous warrant.

After one year execution not to issue without notice.

103. Process of execution shall not be issued upon any judgment without previous notice to the party against whom execution is applied for, if, when application for the issue of the process is made, a period of more than one year shall have elapsed from the date of the judgment, or from the date of the last previous application for execution.

Execution not to issue against heir or representative of a deceased party without notice.

104. Execution on a judgment shall not issue against the heir or other representative of a deceased party, without notice to such heir or other representative to appear and be heard.

No process of execution to be issued three years after date of judgment.

105. No process of execution of any description whatsoever shall be issued on a judgment under this Act, unless an application be made within three years from the date of such judgment.

Warrant against the person.

106. If a warrant is issued for taking in execution the body of any person, the officer charged with the execution of the warrant shall bring him with all convenient speed before the Deputy Commissioner.

If such person does not then deposit in court the full amount specified in the warrant, or make such arrangement for the payment of the same as shall be satisfactory to the judgment-creditor, or satisfy the Deputy Commissioner that he has no present means of paying the debt, the Deputy Commissioner shall send him to the civil jail, there to remain for such time as shall be directed, by a warrant addressed to the keeper of the jail, unless he shall in the mean time pay the full amount for the payment of which he is liable under the decree.

Provided that no person shall be imprisoned in execution of a decree under this Act for a longer period than six months;

or for a longer period than six weeks, if the decree is for the payment of a sum of money not exceeding fifty rupees.

If arrest be for non-delivery of accounts.

If the decree against any person arrested under a warrant is for the delivery of papers or accounts, and the papers or accounts are not delivered by him when he is brought before the Deputy Commissioner, such person may be committed to the civil jail, there to remain for such time, not exceeding six months, as the Deputy Commissioner shall direct, unless he shall in the mean time deliver the papers or accounts according to the terms of the decree.

No person to be imprisoned a second time under same judgment.

107. Any person once discharged from jail shall not be imprisoned a second time under the same judgment.

If the amount due under the decree does not exceed fifty rupees, the Deputy Commissioner may declare such discharged person absolved from liability under that decree.

In other cases the discharge shall not extinguish the liability of the discharged person under the decree, or exempt property belonging to such person from attachment in execution of the same.

Diet-money to be deposited at the time of issue of warrant.

108. Any person applying for a warrant of arrest under section 57, or suing out process of execution against the body of any person, shall deposit in court, at the time of issue of the warrant, diet-money for thirty days at such rate as the Deputy Commissioner may direct.

Payment of diet-money in advance during imprisonment.

109. Payment of diet-money at the same rate shall be made previously to the commencement of each succeeding month of the imprisonment, in failure of which the party confined shall be discharged.

Diet-money to be costs in suit.

110. All diet-money spent in providing subsistence for any prisoner shall be added to the costs in the suit, and any diet-money not so spent shall be returned to the person who deposited the same.

List of property to be prepared and proclamation of sale to be published, &c.

111. In executing a writ of execution against the moveable property of a debtor liable under this Act, the officer charged with the execution of the writ shall prepare a list of the property pointed out by the judgment-creditor, and shall publish a proclamation specifying the day upon which the sale is intended to be held, together with a copy of the said list, at the intended place of sale and at the residence of the debtor.

A copy of the said proclamation and list shall be transmitted to the Deputy Commissioner and shall be affixed in his office.

Until the day of sale, the said property shall remain in the custody of the officer attaching the same.

Place and manner of sale of property.

112. The sale shall be held at the place where the property is deposited, or at the nearest gunge, bazar, haut, or other place of public resort, if the officer holding the sale is of opinion that it is likely to sell there to better advantage.

The property shall be sold by public auction in one or more lots as the officer holding the sale may think advisable; and if the judgment-debt with the costs of the execution and sale is satisfied by the sale of a portion of the property, the execution shall be immediately withdrawn with respect to the remainder.

If fair price be not offered, sale may be postponed to another day, and shall be then completed at whatever price may be offered.

113. If on the property being put up for sale a fair price, in the estimation of the officer holding the sale, is not offered for it, and the owner of the property, or some person authorized to act on his behalf, applies to have the sale postponed until the next day, or the next market day, if a market be held at the place of sale, the sale shall be postponed until such day, and shall be then completed at whatever price may be offered for the property.

Payment of purchase-money.

114. The price of every lot shall be paid for in ready money at the time of sale, or as soon after as the officer holding the sale shall think necessary; and in default of such payment, the property shall be put up again and sold.

When the purchase-money has been paid in full, the officer holding the sale shall give the purchaser a certificate describing the property purchased by him and the price paid.

Proceeds of sale.

115. From the proceeds of the sale of the property, the officer holding the sale shall make a deduction, at the rate of one anna in the rupee, on account of the costs of the sale, and shall transmit the amount to the Deputy Commissioner in order that it may be credited to Government.

The said officer shall then pay to the judgment-creditor the expenses incurred by the judgment-creditor on account of the preparation of the list, and of the publication of the proclamation of sale prescribed in section 111, to such amount as, after examination of the statement of expenses furnished by the judgment-creditor, he thinks proper to allow.

The remainder shall be applied to the discharge of the debt for which the sale was made, with interest thereon up to the day of sale, and if there be any surplus, it shall be delivered to the person whose property has been sold.

Officers holding sales prohibited from purchasing.

116. Officers holding sales of property under this Act, and all persons employed by, or subordinate to such officers, are prohibited from purchasing either directly or indirectly any property sold by such officers.

Sale of moveable property taken in execution.

117. No sale of any moveable property taken in execution shall be made until after the end of ten days next following the day on which such property may have been so taken.

Deputy Commissioner may stay sale of moveable property seized if a third party claim any interest therein.

118. If before the day fixed for the sale, a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner, and claims a right or interest in any of the moveable property taken in execution, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party or his agent according to the law for the time being in force relating to the examination of witnesses, and if he see sufficient reason for so doing, may stay the sale of such property.

Deputy Commissioner to adjudicate such claims.

119. The Deputy Commissioner shall adjudicate upon such claim, and make such order between the claimant and the plaintiff and defendant in the original suit, as shall to him seem fit.

In trying such claim the Deputy Commissioner shall be guided by the provisions of this Act, so far as they may be applicable.

Claimant failing to establish his right, liable to pay compensation to judgment-creditor.

120. If the claimant fails to establish his right to the property taken in execution, the Deputy Commissioner at the time of disposing of the case may award to the judgment-creditor against such claimant, as part of the costs, such sum as he may consider sufficient to cover any loss of interest or damage which the judgment-creditor may have sustained by reason of the postponement of the sale of the property.

No appeal from order of Deputy Commissioner under the two last preceding sections.

121. No appeal shall lie from any order passed by the Deputy Commissioner under the last two preceding sections.

But the party against whom the same may be given shall be at liberty to bring a suit in the civil court to establish his right at any time within one year from the date of the order;

provided that, if the order be for the sale of the property, the suit shall not be for the recovery of the property, but for damages against the judgment-creditor by whom the property was brought to sale.

Sale not vitiated by irregularity in publishing or conducting the same.

122. No irregularity in publishing or conducting a sale of moveable property under an execution shall vitiate such sale; but nothing contained in this section shall be held to deprive any person who may sustain damage by reason of such irregularity from recovering such damage by action in the Civil Court; provided such action be brought within one year from the date of sale.

Sale of transferable tenures in execution of decrees for arrears of rent.

123. If the decree is for an arrear of rent due in respect of an under-tenure, which, by the title-deeds, or the custom of the country, is transferable by sale, the judgment-creditor may make application for the sale of the tenure, and, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, the tenure may thereupon be brought to sale in execution of the decree, according to the provisions for the sale of under-tenures contained in Bengal Act VIII of 1865.

But no such application shall be received when a warrant of execution has been previously issued against the person or moveable property of the judgment-debtor, so long as such warrant remains in force.

If after sale of an under-tenure any portion of the amount decreed remains due, process may be applied for against any other property, moveable or immoveable, belonging to the debtor, and any such immoveable property may be brought to sale in the manner provided in section 129.

124. No under-tenure which is held conditionally on the survival of heirs male of the grantee, and which, on failure of such heirs, reverts to the grantor free of all encumbrances made subsequent to the date of the grant, shall be sold under this Act.

Under-tenure held conditionally on survival of heirs male not transferable by sale.

Provided that the right and title of any person in such tenure may be sold with the sanction of the Commissioner.

125. If before the day fixed for the sale of any such under-tenure as is mentioned in section 123, or of the right and title of any person in an under-tenure of the nature described in section 124,

If third party claim to be the lawful possessor of such under-tenure, Deputy Commissioner to stay the sale and to enquire into and adjudicate upon the claim.

a third party appears before the Deputy Commissioner and alleges that such third party, and not the person against whom the decree has been obtained, is the proprietor of such under-tenure, and was in lawful possession of the same at the time when such decree was obtained,

the Deputy Commissioner shall examine such party in the manner provided in section 118; and if he sees sufficient reason for so doing, and such party deposits in court the amount of the decree, or gives sufficient security for the same, the Deputy Commissioner shall stay the sale and proceed to enquire into and adjudicate upon the claim.

Provided that no transfer of an under-tenure, which, by the provisions of this Act or any other law for the time being in force, is required to be registered in the sherishteh of the zemindar or superior tenant, shall be recognized, unless it has been so registered, or unless sufficient cause for non-registration is shown to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner.

126. In trying such claim the Deputy Commissioner shall be guided by the provisions of this Act, so far as the same may be applicable, and the judgment passed by the Deputy Commissioner on such claim shall not be subject to appeal, but the party against whom it is given may bring a suit in the civil court to establish his right, at any time within one year from the date of the judgment.

Mode of adjudicating such claims.

127. If a decree is given in favor of a sharer in a joint undivided estate, dependent talook, or other similar tenure, for money due to him on account of his share of the rent of an under-tenure situate in such undivided estate, talook, or tenure, application for the sale of such under-tenure shall not be received, unless execution shall have been first taken out against any moveable property which the judgment-debtor may possess within the district in which the suit was instituted, and the sale of such property, if any, shall have proved insufficient to satisfy the judgment.

Execution of decrees given in favor of sharers in undivided estates or tenures.

In such case the under-tenure, if of the nature described in section 128, and not of the nature described in section 124, may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in execution of the decree in the same manner as any other immoveable property may be sold in execution of a decree for money under the provisions of the next two succeeding sections.

128. In the execution of any decree for the payment of money under this Act, not being money due as arrears of rent of a saleable under-tenure, or of a tenure the right and title in which is saleable, if satisfaction of the judgment cannot be obtained by execution against the person or moveable property of the debtor within the district in which the suit was instituted, the judgment-creditor may apply for execution against any immoveable property belonging to such debtor, and such immoveable property may, with the sanction of the Commissioner, but not otherwise, be brought to sale in the manner described in the next succeeding section.

In all cases of decrees for money, if judgment cannot be satisfied by sale of debtor's moveable property, execution may be had against his immoveable property.

129. If the immoveable property against which execution is applied for is a house or other building, process shall be issued in the same manner as for the attachment and sale of moveable property, and the provisions of sections 111 to 117 (both inclusive) shall, so far as may be practicable, be applicable to the execution of such process.

Mode of executing process if immoveable property be a house or other building.

If the property is a saleable under-tenure, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in the Lower Provinces of Bengal applicable to the sale of such under-tenures for demands other than those of arrears of rent due in respect thereof.

If it be a saleable under-tenure.

If the property is an estate, or a share of an estate, it shall be sold under the provisions of the law for the time being in force in the Lower Provinces of Bengal applicable to the sale of estates for the recovery of demands recoverable by the same process as arrears of land revenue.

If it be an estate or a share of an estate.

130. If, before the day fixed for the sale of any immoveable property as aforesaid, objection is offered to the sale on the ground of such property not belonging to the judgment-debtor, the Deputy Commissioner shall examine the party making the objection in the manner prescribed in section 118, and, if satisfied that there is sufficient ground for so doing, shall stay the sale and proceed to enquire into, and adjudicate upon, the objection, in the same manner, and subject to the same right of suit by the party against whom judgment may be given, as is provided in section 126.

Consequence of objection being offered before the sale of any immoveable property.

131. Every process issued by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act shall be under the seal and signature of the Deputy Commissioner, and shall be served or executed by the Nazir, or by such other officer as the Deputy Commissioner may direct, at the cost of the party at whose instance it issued.

Service of process.

132 The Deputy Commissioner may hold a court for hearing and determining suits under this Act in any place within the limits of his district or local jurisdiction, provided that every hearing and decision shall be in open court, and that the

Deputy Commissioner may hold a court in any part of his jurisdiction.

parties to the suit, or their authorized agents, shall have had due notice to attend at such place.

Powers of Deputy Collectors.

133. All the powers conferred on the Deputy Commissioner by this Act may be exercised by any Deputy Collector in cases referred to him by a Deputy Commissioner; and in all cases without such reference, by any Deputy Collector placed in charge of any subdivision of a district, or specially authorized by the local Government to receive such cases;

and all applications and reports allowed or required by this Act to be made to the Deputy Commissioner may be made to any Deputy Collector having such local jurisdiction, or specially authorized as aforesaid.

Deputy Commissioner and Deputy Collectors to be subject to direction and control of the Commissioners and the Board of Revenue.

134. In the performance of their duties under this Act, the Deputy Commissioners and Deputy Collectors shall be subject to the general direction and control of the Commissioner and the Board of Revenue; and the Deputy Collectors shall be subject to the direction and control of the Deputy Commissioner to whom they are subordinate.

Appeal from orders of Deputy Commissioner and Deputy Collectors.

135. All orders passed by a Deputy Commissioner under this Act, not being judgments in suits or orders passed in the course of suits and relating to the trial thereof, or orders passed after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be appealable to the Commissioner, and all such orders passed by a Deputy Collector shall be appealable to the Deputy Commissioner;

but no judgment of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector in any suit, and no order of a Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector passed in any suit and relating to the trial thereof, or after decree and relating to the execution thereof, shall be open to revision or appeal otherwise than as expressly provided in this Act.

Time for presenting appeals from orders.

136. Every appeal against the order of a Deputy Commissioner shall be presented to the Commissioner within thirty days, and every appeal against the order of a Deputy Collector shall be presented to the Deputy Commissioner within fifteen days, from the date of the order.

Orders passed in appeal by a Commissioner or a Deputy Commissioner shall not be open to any further appeal; but the Board of Revenue or the Commissioner may call for any case and pass such orders thereon as they may think proper.

No appeal from any decree of Deputy Commissioner for money below Rupees 100 unless the decision involve some question of right to enhance rents or some question relating to a title to land.

137. In suits under clauses two, four and seven of section 37, tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, if the amount sued for, or the value of the property claimed does not exceed one hundred rupees, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final, and not open to revision or appeal except as hereinafter provided, unless in any such suit a question relating to a title to land, or to some interest in land as between parties having conflicting claims thereto has been determined by the judgment, in which case the judgment shall be open to appeal in the manner provided in section 144.

In suits not open to appeal, Deputy Commissioner may grant a rehearing upon the discovery of new evidence, &c.

138. In suits in which the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is final, as provided in the last preceding section, the Deputy Commissioner may, upon the application of either party, if made within thirty days from the date of the decision, order the rehearing of a suit upon the ground of the discovery of new evidence, or matter material to the issue of the case, which the applicant had no knowledge of, or could not produce, at the time of trial.

Appeal from decision of Deputy Collector.

139. When any such suit as aforesaid, in which, if tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner would be final, is tried and decided by a Deputy Collector, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Collector shall lie to the Deputy Commissioner.

Period allowed for appeal.

140. The petition of appeal shall be presented to the Deputy Commissioner within fifteen days from the date of decree

provided that such time as may be requisite for procuring a copy of the decree appealed against shall not be reckoned as part of the fifteen days.

Procedure in appeal.

141. The Deputy Commissioner shall fix a day for hearing the appeal, and shall cause notice of the same to be served on the respondent.

If on the day fixed for hearing the appeal, or any other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the appellant does not appear in person or by an agent, the appeal shall be dismissed for default.

If the appellant appears, and the respondent does not appear in person or by an agent, the appeal shall be heard *ex parte*.

Re-admission of appeal.

142. If an appeal is dismissed for default of prosecution, the appellant may, within fifteen days from the date of the dismissal, apply to the Deputy Commissioner for the re-admission of the appeal; and if it shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner that the appellant was prevented by any sufficient cause from appearing when the appeal was called on for hearing, the Deputy Commissioner may re-admit the appeal.

Judgment in appeal.

143. After hearing the appeal, the Deputy Commissioner shall give judgment in the manner hereinbefore prescribed for giving judgment in original suits, and the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner shall be final.

In what suits appeal to lie to Judicial Commissioner or High Court.

144. In all suits other than those in which, when tried and decided by a Deputy Commissioner, the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner is declared to be final, or when tried and decided by a Deputy Collector an appeal is allowed to the Deputy Commissioner, an appeal from the judgment of the Deputy Commissioner or Deputy Collector shall lie to the Judicial Commissioner of the Division, unless the amount or value in dispute exceed five thousand rupees, in which case the appeal shall lie to the High Court.

Period of limitation for appeals.

145. Appeals to the Judicial Commissioner or to the High Court under this Act shall be presented within the time prescribed

for the presentation of appeals to a District Judge or to the High Court under the Code of Civil Procedure by the law for the time being in force for the limitation of appeals.

Suits to be preferred in the Revenue Office of the District or sub-division in which the greater part of the land is situate.

146. Suits under this Act shall be preferred in the Revenue Office of the district;

or, when a sub-division of a district has been placed under the jurisdiction of a Deputy Collector, in the Revenue Office of the sub-division in which the cause of action shall have arisen;

or, when the cause of action has arisen within the limits of the local jurisdiction of any Deputy Collector not in charge of a sub-division, but who has been specially authorized by the local Government to receive such suits, then in the office of such last-mentioned Deputy Collector.

Provided that the Deputy Commissioner may withdraw any suit from any Deputy Collector and try it himself, or refer it to another Deputy Collector.

Procedure if lands are situated in more than one district or sub-division.

147. If the lands comprised in any talook, farm, or other tenure, or any lands held under one lease or engagement, or at one entire rent, in respect of which arrears of rent may be due, are situated in more than one district or sub-division, the district or sub-division in which the greater part of such lands is situated shall be held to be the district or sub-division in which the cause of action has arisen;

and if any question shall be raised respecting the district or sub-division in which the greater part of the lands is situated, the Board of Revenue, or if all the lands are situated in one district, the Deputy Commissioner of the district, shall decide the question, and such decision shall be conclusive on the point of jurisdiction.

Except as above, Deputy Commissioner not to exercise jurisdiction in respect to lands situate beyond his district.

148. Except as provided in the last preceding section, no Deputy Commissioner shall exercise any jurisdiction under this Act in respect of any lands situated beyond the limits of the district to which he is appointed, by reason of such lands forming part of an estate, the revenue of which is paid into the treasury of the said district.

Service of notice or summons.

149. Every notice or summons in and by this Act required to be served on any person may be served.

(1) by delivering the same to the person to whom it is directed,

or, on failure of such service, by posting the same on some conspicuous part of the house in which the said person usually resides;

or by delivering the said notice or summons to a general agent of the person to whom such notice or summons is directed, or to any person who has been appointed in that behalf; or

(2) by sending a registered letter containing such notice or summons directed to the said person at his usual place of abode;

(3) or, if no such place of abode can be found, and if the notice or summons cannot be served in any of the other modes mentioned in this section, by posting the same at the bhandhar of the village or holding to which the notice or summons relates.

Saving clause.

150. Nothing contained in this Act shall be held to affect the provisions of Bengal Act II of 1869, or of Bengal Act VI of 1876.

SCHEDULE A.

(*See Section* 3.)

Being Acts repealed in the territories to which this Act extends.

DATE AND NO. OF ACT.	TITLE OF ACT.	EXTENT OF REPEAL.
Act X of 1859 ...	An Act to amend the law relating to the recovery of rent in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.	The whole Act.
Act VI of 1862, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council.	An Act to amend Act X of 1859.	The whole Act.
Act IV of 1867, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council.	An Act to explain and amend Act VI of 1862, passed by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal in Council, and to give validity to certain judgments.	The whole Act.

SCHEDULE B.*

(*See Section* 14.)

I, A. B., of &c., do solemnly declare that I did personally (*or* by my agent C. D.) on the day of tender payment to E. F., at his mal-kutcherry (*or at*), the place where the rent of the lands at held or cultivated by me under or from the said E. F., are usually payable, of the sum of Rupees as and for the whole amount due from me in respect of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of , both inclusive. I further declare that the said E. F. refused to accept the said sum so tendered (or to give me a receipt in full forthwith for the same). And I do declare that to the best of my belief, the sum of Rupees so tendered and which I now desire to pay into Court, is the full amount which I owe the said E. F. on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of , both inclusive, and that I owe the said E. F. no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

SCHEDULE C.†

(*See Section* 14.)

Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Dated the day of 18 .

To E. F. of &c.

WITH reference to the within declaration, you are hereby informed that the sum of Rupees therein mentioned is now in deposit in this Court, and that the above sum will be paid to you or to your duly authorised agent on application. And take notice that if you have any further claim or demand whatsoever to make against the said A. B. in respect of the

* If this declaration is made by an agent it must be altered accordingly.

† This is to be by endorsement on a copy of the Declaration under Schedule B made by the person paying the money into Court.

rent of the said lands, you must institute a suit in Court for the establishment of such claim or demand within six calendar months from this date; otherwise your claim will be for ever barred.

SCHEDULE D.

(*See Section* 55.)

FORM OF SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT.

No. (of suit) dated
In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

[*Name, description, and address of plaintiff.*]

C. D., Defendant.

[*Name, description, and address of defendant.*]

Whereas the said A. B. has brought a claim against you in this court for [*here specify particulars of claim as given in the statement*] you are hereby required to appear in person in this court on the day of [*if not specially required to appear in person, state* "in person or by an agent who has personal knowledge of the subject, or who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge"] to answer the abovenamed plaintiff, and you will bring with you (or send by your agent) [*here mention any document, the production of which may be required by the plaintiff*] which the plaintiff desires to inspect, and all documents on which you may intend to rely in support of your defence. You will also bring with you your witnesses, if they are willing to attend without issue of process.

SCHEDULE E.

(*See Section* 57.)

FORM OF WARRANT OF ARREST.

No. (of suit) dated
In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas the plaintiff in this suit has obtained an order from the Court for the arrest of the defendant, you are hereby commanded to bring the defendant before the Court on or before the day of to be dealt with according to law.

Dated this day of 187

SCHEDULE F.

(*See Section* 57.)

FORM OF NOTICE TO ACCOMPANY SUCH WARRANT.

In the Court of

A. B., Plaintiff.

[*Name, description, and address of plaintiff.*]

C. D., Defendant.

[*Name, description, and address of defendant.*]

Whereas the said A. B. has brought a claim against you in this Court for (*here specify particulars of claim as given in the statement*) and has obtained a warrant for your arrest, you are hereby required, unless you admit the claim, to bring with you to the Court all documents on which you may intend to rely in support of your defence.

SCHEDULE G.

(*See Section* 59.)

FORM OF SECURITY BOND FOR APPEARANCE OF DEFENDANT.

Whereas A. B., plaintiff, has instituted a suit in the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of against C. D., defendant, and the said C. D. has been required to give security for his appearance at any time when called on while the suit is depending and until execution of the decree, I, E. F., hereby declare myself surety for the said C. D.'s appearance as aforesaid, and in case of his making default in such appearance, I engage to pay any sum for the payment of which the said C. D. may be liable under the decree. *If the suit be for the delivery of papers or accounts, specify some sum to be fixed by the Deputy Commissioner.*

SCHEDULE H.

(*See Section* 99.)

WRIT OF EXECUTION AGAINST THE PERSON.

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas the said C. D. was directed by a decree of this Court, under date the day of 187 , to pay to A. B. the sum of and for costs of suit, amounting to , and whereas the said C. D. has omitted to pay the same, you are hereby commanded to apprehend the said C. D., and to bring him with all convenient speed before this court to be dealt with according to law.

SCHEDULE I.

(*See Section* 99.)

WRIT OF EXECUTION AGAINST THE MOVEABLE PROPERTY.

A. B., Plaintiff.

C. D., Defendant.

To

The Nazir of the Court of the Deputy Commissioner of

Whereas C. D. was directed by a decree of this Court, under date the day of 187 , to pay to A. B. the sum of and for costs of suit, amounting to , and whereas the said C. D. has omitted to pay the same, you are hereby commanded to levy the said sum of , and the sum of for costs of executing this process, by seizure and sale of such moveable property of the said C. D. as (is described in the list annexed, and) [*if no list is furnished, these words to be omitted*] shall be pointed out to you by the judgment-creditor or his agent; and you are hereby ordered to sell such property of the said C. D. on some convenient day, not being less than ten nor more than fifteen days from the day of seizure, unless the amount leviable as aforesaid shall be sooner paid; and you are hereby commanded to certify to me what you shall do by virtue of this warrant.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as amended by them, is, by order of the President, published for general information :—

WE, the undersigned, members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to whom the Bill to extend the Pooree Lodging-house Act was referred, have the honor to make the following report.

From Government of Bengal, Financial Department, dated 2nd January 1879.
From Government of Bengal, Financial Department, dated 10th February 1879.

We have considered the communications noted in the margin.

We have amended section 22 of the Pooree Lodging-house Act by providing that fines and fees shall be expended in the sanitary improvement of the towns and places in which that Act is in force, or in the sanitary improvement of pilgrim halting-places leading thereto. In consequence of this amendment we have altered the title and preamble of the Bill.

We have provided that when the Pooree Lodging-house Act is extended, fees for lodging-house licenses may be levied at a rate not exceeding one rupee.

We have made some other verbal alterations.

We think that the Bill as now amended may be passed.

J. O'KINEALY.
AMEER ALI.

The 14th February 1879.

AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to amend and extend the Pooree Lodging-house Act, 1871.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend Bengal Act No. IV of 1871 and to give power to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to extend the provisions of the said Act to places other than those specified in section 39 of the said Act: It is enacted as follows :—

Preamble.

1. This Act shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

Commencement of Act.

2. Section 22 of Bengal Act No. IV of 1871, is repealed and the following section substituted :—

Amendment of section 22 of Pooree Lodging-house Act.

"22. All fines and fees under this Act shall be expended in the sanitary improvement of all or any of the towns or places in which this Act may be in force, or in the sanitary improvement of pilgrim halting-places or the roads leading to such towns or places, in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may from time to time direct."

3. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may from time to time, by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend Bengal Act No. IV of 1871, as amended by this Act, or any part of it, to any town or place to or through which people go on pilgrimage and to the lines of road leading thereto; and

Lieutenant-Governor may extend Pooree Lodging-house Act.

The provisions of the said Act, or of any part of it, as the case may be, shall, from the date of such notification, apply accordingly with the following modifications :—

In lieu of the word "Pooree" in sections 2, 3, 7, and schedule B, shall be substituted the name of the place or places mentioned in the notification.

In lieu of the words "the rate of eight annas" in section 8 shall be substituted the words "a rate not exceeding one rupee."

In lieu of the last five words in sect on 14, shall be substituted the words "in the character of the vernacular of the district."

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 18th February 1879.

No	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.			
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn. 1	Burdwan, Feb. 15 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Clouds are appearing. Prospects are favourable as far as the winter crops are concerned.
2	Bankoora, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—at the beginning of the week clear and warm. Cool and cloudy from the night of the 14th. The prospects of the crops continue good. Public health is improving.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 15 „	0·28	Weather—warm, but skies cloudy. The little rain that fell on the night of the 9th was beneficial to the few cold-weather crops of the district.
4	Midnapore, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
5	Hooghly, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—clear throughout the week. The prospects of the winter crops are good. Most of them have been cut. Fever and cholera are still prevailing in some places in the district. It is reported that three or four men have died in Serampore during the week from cholera.
	Howrah, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable, but yet warmer than it ought to be at this time of the year. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory.
	Central Districts.		
Presidency Divn. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Feb. 15 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory. Prices of food-grains continue very high. Public health in general is good.
7	Nuddea, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—rather warm; slight rain on the 9th in the north of the district. The winter crops are generally doing pretty well. Rain is wanted for wheat, &c. Prices are still high. Public health has slightly improved.
	Kooshtea ...	0·59	
	Meherpore ...	0·15	
	Chooadanga ...	0·18	
8	Jessore, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy and close. The winter crops in parts of the district are good, but in others are not so favourably reported of. Preparations are going on for the spring crops, but slowly from want of rain. Prices still range high. Health is good.
9	Moorshedabad, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—warm. One or two slight storms. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. The price of rice is said to have fallen in the northern part of the district.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 10	Dinagepore, „ 14 „	0·17	Slight rain. Weather sensibly colder. The harvesting of the rice has been completed Half the *rubbee* crops has been cut.
11	Rajshahye, „ 15 „	Nil	Very slight rain throughout the district during the week. The *rubbee* crops have been slightly benefited by the rain and are thriving. Mustard is still being cut. Public health is good.
12	Rungpore, „ 14 „	0·16	Weather—occasionally cloudy. Rain has been beneficial. More would do good. Cholera is abating, but small-pox prevails in parts of the district.
	Gaibanda ...	Two light showers.	
	Bagdogra ...	0·55	
	Kurigram ...	0·28	
13	Bogra, „ 15 „	0·08	Weather—warm and cloudy. A small quantity of rain fell at head-quarters and benefited the spring crops. More rain, however, is much wanted Public health is good.
14	Pubna, „ 15 „	0·16	Weather—cool and pleasant. Rain with thunder on the night of the 9th. The crops have benefited by the rain, but more was wanted. Health is good.
15	Darjeeling, „ 14 „	0·15	Rain fell during the week. Weather very cold. Sky cloudy, threatening snow or rain. In the hills, wheat and barley are doing well, and land is being cultivated for the *bhootta* crop. In the Terai, mustard is being gathered, and land is being cultivated for *bhadoi*.
16	Julpigoree, „ 15 „	0·39	Weather—cloudy; much warmer. The mustard crop is being rapidly gathered in. Tobacco is doing well, as also wheat and barley, except towards Alipore and Dhupgury, where it is stated the late rain has been prejudicial to these crops.
	Cooch Behar, „ 13 „	0·30	Weather—colder on account of the showers of the 10th and 11th. The rain has done good to tobacco, *khesaree*, wheat, *cheena* and all other crops on the ground. Public health is good.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divn. 17	Dacca, Feb. 15 '79	0·60	Weather—seasonable; getting sensibly warmer. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
	Manickgunge (for week ending 13th.)	0·60	
18	Furreedpore, „ 16 „	Nil	No rain at Sudder station. Getting warmer. Heavy rain, however, fell at head-quarters last night (15th). The winter crops are not getting on well enough for want of rain. A little rain fell at Ainpore and a few drops at Madaripore.
	Madaripore ...	0·02	
19	Backergunge, „ 13 „	Nil	Weather—has become much warmer. The crops are in good condition. General health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 14 „	0·12	Weather—cloudy and a little warmer, with some slight rain. The rain has done good to the cold-weather crops. General prospects are favourable.
21	Tipperah, „ 14 „	0·13	Weather—fair generally and getting warmer. Storm on the 9th, with slight rain. The gathering of the cold-weather crops continues. The outturn is a fair average one.
	Brahmunbaria ...	1·10	
Chittagong Divn. 22	Chittagong, „ 13 „	A few drops.	Weather—fair. There is very little spring harvest in this district. The prospects are good.
23	Noakholly, „ 13 „	Nil	The weather has been slightly warmer during the last few days. Early mornings are foggy. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are fair.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts Feb. 11 „	Nil	Weather—cold and foggy. Mustard is being gathered. Tobacco plants are thriving well. The hill people have begun to cut jooms.
	Hill Tipperah „ 12 „	1·39	Weather—cloudy and rather warm. There was rain on the 9th and 10th. The prospects of chillies are good. Sugarcane is being gathered. No important crops in the field.
BEHAR			
Patna Divn. 25	Patna, Feb. 15 '79	0·97	Weather—less cold than last week. The rain has done much good to the *rubbee* crops. Prospects are excellent.
	Barrh ...	0·81	
26	Gya, „ 15 „	0·09	Weather—cold and cloudy. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 84·4°. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good. The recent showers have done good. Several cases of small-pox are reported. The health of the plough cattle is good.
	Jehanabad ...	0·29	
27	Shahabad, „ 15 „	0·60	Weather—unsettled; cloudy with gentle rain on the night of the 9th and morning of the 10th; misty in the morning of the 12th; clear on the 13th and 14th; cloudy again on the 15th with every sign of coming rain. The rain of the week did good to the *rubbee* crops to a certain extent, but those in flower were slightly damaged. More rain now is likely to injure the poppy and other crops in flower. Public health is good, but small-pox is on the increase.
28	Durbhunga, „ 15 „	0·86	Weather—cloudy and damp. The late rain has done some injury to the *rahar* and tobacco crops, but has benefited *moong*, *cheena*, and to some extent the other *rubbee* crops. It has helped the timely preparation of *dhan* land for early sowing. The prices are steady.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 15 „	0·60	Weather—cold and cloudy. Rain has fallen throughout the district and has done much good to the *rubbee* crops. The extent of the fall at Seetamurhee has not yet been reported.
	Hajeepore ...	1·60	
30	Sarun, „ 15 „	0·78	Rain has been general throughout the district, except in the jurisdiction of the outposts of Kuttya, Semaria, Moharani, Barowli, Gootni, Kochaikote and Rovelganj. There was again prospect of rainfall at the time of report. West wind is prevailing. The rain of the 10th has benefited the *rubbee* crops and indigo. *Rahar* injured by the late frost will now germinate, though there is no probability of its yielding a good outturn. Mustard is being reaped. Prices (*jowar*, *cheena*, and maize excepted) are stationary. Some cases of small-pox are reported.
	Sewan ...	0·31	
	Gopalgange ...	0·11	
31	Chumparun, „ 15 „	0·29	Weather—seasonable. The late rain has benefited the *rubbee* crops, and more is required. *Cheena* is now being sown.
Bhagulpore Division. 32	Monghyr, „ 15 „	0·69	A little rain. The state and prospects of the crops are excellent and could no be better.
	Begusarai ...	0·59	
33	Bhagulpore, „ 15 „	0·92	Weather—cloudy and rainy for the first two days of the week. Fine and cold since. Cloudy again on the 15th. The rainfall has done much good to the *rubbee* crops, the prospects of which are now excellent. Brisk exportation keeps up the price of grains. General health is fair. A few cases of small-pox are reported here and there.
34	Purneah „ 15 „	0·43	Rain on 10th and 11th; about an inch fell in the north of the district. Weather cloudy again on the 15th. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
	Kissengunge ...	1·00	
	Arrarcah ...	1·17	
35	Maldah, „ 15 „	0·91	Weather—cloudy. Rain on the night of the 9th, 10th, and 11th instants. The state and prospects of the crops continue to be satisfactory, but prices of grain are very high, notwithstanding that the markets are well supplied. Sporadic cases of cholera are reported from all parts of the district, mostly from the thana of Sibgunge.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 16 „	0·23	Weather—cooler since the rain; hot early in the week. In Doomka the prospects of the crops have not much changed. Rain has done a little good. In Godda the *rubbee* crops are better. In Jamtara and Pakour the crops of all kinds seem good.
	Deoghur ...	0·55	
	Godda ...	0·38	

	No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
ORISSA.				
Orissa Divs.	37	Cuttack ...	.....	Return not received.
Orissa Divs.	38	Pooree, Feb. 13 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* rice crop is still being harvested. *Dalua* rice is growing well. Common rice sells at 18½ to 21 seers for the rupee. Public health is good.
Orissa Divs.	39	Balasore, „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—warm and dry. Cool sea-breeze at night. The state and prospects of the crops are good. The harvest is well in.
CHOTA NAGPORE.				
		South-West Frontier Agency.		
	40	Hazareebagh, Feb. 14 '79	Nil	There has been a slight fall of rain in parts of the district during the week. Weather cooler. The *rubbee* crops are well forward. The slight rain which has fallen has been beneficial.
	41	Lohardugga, „ 15 „	Nil	Clouds are gathering. No change to report at head-quarters. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops in Palamow are unfavourable. Fever is still prevalent.
	42	Singbhoom, „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—very warm, without sign of rain. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops. Much fever is prevailing in the district.
	43	Manbhoom, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. What few crops there are on the ground need rain. If too heavy rain falls the *mohwa* will be injured. Sugarcane is being harvested.

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CALCUTTA, STATISTICAL DEPT.,
The 18th February 1879.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1879. Up to date.	Remarks.
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	Nil	8th Feb.	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ..	Not received, 19th to 25th Jan.
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Ditto ditto
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Ditto ditto
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Not received, 12th to 18th Jan.
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly ...	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Maheshrakar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Presidency.	Central Districts.						
	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Baraset	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barrackpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	0·10	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	ditto	0·30	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	0·06	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	1st Feb.	
		Buxa	ditto	ditto	0·22	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	ditto	Nil	ditto	8th Feb.	
		Dinhatta	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto	From 2nd February 1879.
		Mathabhanga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Ditto ditto
		Mickligunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	Ditto ditto

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	Nil	8th Feb.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoonkhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	0·13	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	ditto	0·36	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	ditto	0·23	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	ditto	1·08	ditto	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Hill Tipperah	ditto	ditto	0·11	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	0·08	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sewan	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Not received, 26th Jan. to 1st Feb.
		Gopalgunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Ditto ditto ditto, and 12th to 18th January.
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	Nil	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	1st Feb.	
		Begoosarai	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	ditto	Nil	ditto	8th Feb.	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Arrarean	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Southal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	Not recd.	0·25	1st Feb.	
		Deoghur	ditto	Nil	Nil	8th Feb.	
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Godda	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	1st Feb.	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 26th Jan. to 1st Feb. 1879.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack	Nil	Not recd.	Nil	1st Feb.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto ...	Not received, 5th to 18th Jan.
	Pooree ...	Pooree	ditto	Nil	ditto	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	Not recd.	ditto	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh ... Jail ...	ditto	Nil	ditto	8th Feb.	
		Hazareebagh ... Dispensary	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Mowdie Hills	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	0.46	Not recd.	1·60	1st Feb.	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto	0·52	ditto	
		Jorhat	0·20	ditto	1·20	ditto	
	Burmah ...	Akyab	Nil	Nil	Nil	8th Feb.	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	ditto	ditto	0·20	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	0·07	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 15th February 1879.

Alexander Pedler,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 9th to 15th February 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Feb. 9th	10	30·029	30·051	75·0	71·6	84	W by N	2·3	...	K, FK	c
		16	29·895	29·916	86·1	70·3	42	W by S	4·8	...	.....	b
	10th	10	30·094	30·116	73·9	64·2	56	E S E	11·3	...	.....	b
		16	29·979	30·001	81·5	67·0	44	E S E	8·5	...	.....	b
	11th	10	30·092	30·114	75·5	68·5	69	S E	4·2	...	C	c
		16	29·952	29·974	82·5	67·0	42	S W	6·8	...	C	b
	12th	10	30·034	30·056	76·0	70·0	73	W	9·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·900	29·922	82·8	71·0	54	W N W	7·2	...	K	b
	13th	10	30·090	30·112	74·4	60·0	38	E by N	4·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·965	29·987	79·9	62·9	34	N E by N	6·2	...	C	c
	14th	10	30·071	30·093	74·0	63·0	51	E by S	3·0	...	.....	b
		16	29·911	29·933	81·7	69·3	50	N by W	4·0	...	C3, K	c
	15th	10	30·004	30·026	75·2	72·0	86	S	3·0	...	K, C	c
		16	29·848	29·870	84·1	71·9	54	W by S	4·5	...	K, C	c
Saugor Island.	Feb. 9th	10	30·013	30·019	79·5	76·0	85	S W	7	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·920	29·926	81	76·5	81	S	8	...	.....	b
	10th	10	30·078	30·084	77	73·5	84	N	9	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·981	29·987	82	72	60	S	8	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	30·092	30·098	78	73	78	S S W	5	...	.....	Foggy.
		16	29·978	29·984	81	73	67	S	8	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	30·045	30·051	80	74	74	W S W	18	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·922	29·928	81·5	74·5	71	S W	16	...	.....	b, c
	13th	10	30·089	30·095	78	64	43	N E	8	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·979	29·985	83	69	46	W S W	8	...	.....	b
	14th	10	30·067	30·073	77	74	86	N W	4	...	.....	Foggy.
		16	29·930	29·936	80	73·5	72	S S E	8	...	.....	b, c
	15th	10	30·007	30·013	78·5	74	80	S W	8	0·32	.....	b, c
		16	29·881	29·887	81	76	74	S	12	...	.....	b, c
Chittagong.	Feb. 9th	10	29·935	30·029	75	69	72	N E	5	...	.....	Foggy.
	10th	10	29·965	30·049	76·5	67·5	64	N N E	4	...	.....	
	11th	10	30·006	30·099	78·5	72	73	N	7	...	.....	
	12th	10	29·986	30·080	76	69	72	N N E	3	...	.....	
	13th	10	30·007	30·101	76	70·5	75	E N E	5	0·05	.....	b, c
	14th	10	29·988	30·082	74	69·5	79	N E	2	...	.....	
	15th	10	29·959	30·053	73	62	51	N E	4	..	.....	
Akyab.	Feb. 9th	10	30·030	30·052	75	68	60	E	3	...	.....	b
	10th	10	30·058	30·080	77	68	61	E	3	...	.....	b
	11th	10	30·058	30·080	81	70	56	N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	12th	10	30·050	30·072	77	68	61	E N E	2	...	.....	b
	13th	10	30·094	30·116	76	69	69	E N E	3	...	.....	b
	14th	10	30·044	30·066	77	71	73	N	2	...	.....	Foggy.
	15th	10	30·008	30·030	75	66	60	N E	4	...	.....	b, c
Pilot Point.	Feb. 9th	10	30·016	30·031	82·5	73·0	61	S W	7	...	.....	Foggy.
	10th	10	30·066	30·081	80	72	66	W S W	6	...	.....	b
	11th	10	30·090	30·105	78	72	74	W S W	3	...	.....	b
	12th	10	30·057	30·072	79	73	74	W	6	...	.....	b
	13th	10	30·088	30·103	80	70	58	E N E	7	...	.....	b
	14th	10	30·065	30·080	78·5	73	76	W S W	6	...	.....	b
	15th	10	30·016	30·031	82	73·5	65	S W	5	...	.....	b, c
Vizagapatam.	Feb. 9th	10	30·023	30·035	78	65	46	W	1	...	.....	b
	10th	10	30·044	30·060	77	68·5	63	W	1	...	.....	
	11th	10	30·079	30·111	77	69	65	S W	1	...	.....	b
	12th	10	30·049	30·081	79	72·5	72	W N W	1	...	.....	
	13th	10	30·066	30·098	81	72	62	W N W	2	...	.....	b, c
	14th	10	30·046	30·078	80	73	70	W	4	...	.....	b, c
	15th	10	30·007	30·039	80·5	69·5	56	W	2	...	.....	b
Colombo.	Feb. 9th	10	29·908	29·949	82	75	71	N E	14	...	.....	c, bc
	10th	10	29·920	29·961	82·5	75	69	N	7	...	.....	b, c
	11th	10	29·952	29·993	80	75·5	80	N E	7	0·74	.....	Dark, gloomy weather.
	12th	10	29·968	30·009	81	76	78	Calm	5	0·10	.....	Ditto.
	13th	10	29·966	30·007	82	76	75	N N E	7	0·03	.....	Ditto,
	14th	10	29·974	30·015	82·5	77	77	N E	8	1·31	.....	Ditto.
	15th	10	29·944	29·984	86	77·5	70	Calm	6	0·31	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 15th February 1879.

ALEXANDER PEDLER,
Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 9th to 15th February 1879.

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Feb.	9th	138·8	29·944	74·3	86·0	19·0	67·0	70·1	0·684	67·9	81	Till 2·15 A.M. S W by W, till 9·30 A.M. S W by S, till 4·30 P.M. chiefly W S W, till midnight S W by W.	92	Nil	Morning cloudy, day and night clear, *o*, *g*, and *w*.
„	10th	138·2	30·026	71·4	86·0	23·0	63·0	63·9	·495	58·7	64	Till 4·30 A.M. S W by W, till midnight chiefly E by S through W & N.	148	„	Clear, *w*.
„	11th	144·2	·005	71·5	83·5	21·4	62·1	66·0	·567	62·5	73	Till 8·30 A.M. E, till midnight chiefly S W by W through S E & S.	111	„	Chiefly cloudy, *w*.
„	12th	137·8	29·953	72·7	83·0	18·4	64·6	68·4	·639	66·0	79	Till 6 A.M. S W by W, till 2 P.M. N through W & N W, till midnight W through N W.	122	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	13th	136·6	30·017	69·5	80·1	18·1	62·0	60·6	·410	53·5	57	Till 1·30 A.M. W, till 9·15 P.M. chiefly N E by N through N W and N, till midnight E by S.	91	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	14th	139·6	29·978	70·3	82·3	23·3	59·0	64·8	·541	61·2	73	Till noon E by S, till midnight N W by W through S E, S and W.	62	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	15th	141·0	·910	73·2	85·2	26·2	59·0	69·9	·690	68·2	84	Till 7 A.M. N W by W, till noon S, till midnight chiefly S W by W.	97	„	Chiefly cloudy, *w*, *f*, and *lr*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	29 958
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	29·957
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	71·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	71·9
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ...	...	27·0
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	86·0
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	73
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office	...	69
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 9th to 15th February 1879 ...	...	Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·32
The total fall from 1st January to 15th February 1879	...	Nil.
The average fall of the corresponding period for 26 years, S. G. Office ...	...	1·17

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o, overcast; *g*, gloomy; *w*, dew *f*, fog; *lr*, lightning reflection.

Meteorological Office, India,
The 17th February 1879.

Henry F. Blanford,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statements showing the total amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Canals for the month of December 1878.

Kendrapara Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—39 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.	Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
101	Paddy	16,870	33,740	27,603	986	36,872	375 12 0	.....
63	Rice	16,753	67,012	27,300	975	36,241	813 0 0	.....
7	Spices	1,250	25,000	2,487	88	3,296	93 0 0	.....
3	Gram	165	·345	249	9	260	6 8 0	.....
2	Cloths	80	8,000	232	8	310	8 0 0	.....
18	Salt	4,500	22,500	6,854	244	7,564	168 4 0	.....
1	Salt fish	15	75	57	2	80	1 8 0	.....
1	Oil-cake	100	100	286	10	400	8 4 0	.....
4	Telegraph stores	225	300	389	14	392	8 12 0	.....
22	Jaggery	3,140	15,700	5,127	182	4,389	126 0 0	.....
6	Til seed	810	3,240	831	29	636	20 0 0	.....
2	Miscellaneous	150	600	272	10	337	8 4 0	.....
2	Firewood	145	15	397	11	126	4 0 0	.....
3	Jute	260	1,100	612	22	258	6 8 0	.....
1	Kharee	100	250	190	7	245	7 0 0	.....
2	Flax	400	600	738	26	208	18 4 0	.....
1	Cocoanuts	50	75	140	5	200	5 0 0	.....
2	Cotton	500	5,000	825	30	984	25 8 0	.....
1	Hides	140	1,400	241	9	360	9 0 0	.....
1	Oil	30	600	73	3	120	1 8 0	.....
6	Sleeper	3,000	9,800	4,598	164	6,560	160 0 0	.....
1	Gunny-bags	100	600	227	8	320	6 12 0	.....
42	Piece-goods, &c., of Messrs. Bullock, Wellsted, & Co.	.....	.....	24,822	887	35,480	1,103 4 0	.....
10	Passengers (14 in number)	.....	.....	431	15	570	15 13 10	.....
236	Empty boats	.....	.....	26,181	935	31,164	674 7 7	.....
538	Total	48,783	1,96,052	1,31,062	4,679	1,67,402	4,194 5 5	0 4·8
562	Total of same month last year	1,34,534	4,29,737	1,25,465	4,483	1,58,196	1,623 10 0	0 1·9
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
16	Passengers (724 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	327 9 6	.....
2	Bamboos (11,680 in number)	.....	396	.....	.....	.....	47 4 6	...
	Timbers (15 in number)	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	6 8 0	.....
	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 8 0	.....
18	Total	.....	456	.....	.....	.....	401 9 0	... ..
...	Total of same month last year	.....	1,370	.....	.....	.....	161 1 8	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
1	Laterite stone	150	5	297	11	176	2 12 0	.....
1	Chain, &c.	50	200	186	5	200	5 0 0	.....
11	Firewood	3,500	350	5,495	196	7,840	215 0 0	.....
15	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,987	107	4,160	111 4 0	.....
28	Total	3,700	555	8,915	319	12,376	334 0 0	0 5·2
14	Total of same month last year	1,490	1,013	3,783	135	2,418	94 2 0	0 1·9
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
33	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
33	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
53	Total of same month last year	.....	108	.....	.....	.....	3 10 0	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
		Mds	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
556	Private, including miscellaneous	48,783	1,96,508	1,31,062	4,679	1,67,402	4,595 14 5	.....
61	Government stores, including miscellaneous	3,700	555	8,915	319	12,376	334 0 0	.....
617	Grand total	52,483	1,97,063	1,39,977	4,998	1,79,778	4,929 14 5*	.....
649	Grand total of same month last year	1,36,024	4,32,728	1,29,248	4,618	1,60,614	1,812 7 8	.....

* Of this, Rs. 1,169-7-8 is the total toll collection of Gobri Canal Locks, and Rs. 3,760-6-9 is the collection of Kendrapara Canal Lock.

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	3,806 11 9
Amount of tollage for the month	4,929 14 5
Total ...	8,736 10 2
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	4,820 10 1
Balance at the end of the month	3,916 0 1

MEMO. OF FREE BOATS.

	No. of boats.	Maundage.	Tonnage.	Tollage realisable. Rs. A. P.
Passenger boats of Government officials	4	229	15	7 12 0
Boats carrying materials for Jumboo harbour works ...	24	15,291	546	439 8 0
Orissa Carrying Co.'s steamer	5	2,882	102	46 0 0
Total ...	33	18,404	663	531 4 0

High Level Canal, Range I.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—37 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
6	Paddy	1,295	2,590	2,592	93	3,147	77 4 0	.....
13	Rice	1,825	7,300	3,638	130	4,365	105 8 0	.....
18	Salt	4,220	21,100	6,657	237	8,058	193 8 0	.....
1	Cocoanuts	100	150	158	6	170	4 8 0	.....
2	Jaggery	80	400	140	5	85	2 0 0	.....
1	Clay	50	2	81	3	18	0 12 0	.....
1	Castor seed	100	400	175	6	204	5 4 0	.....
1	Sundries	100	100	168	6	204	4 8 0	.....
2	Yams	25	50	120	4	60	1 8 0	.....
1	Irons	57	285	115	4	139	3 0 0	.....
1	Furniture	95	100	202	7	238	6 0 0	.....
4	Sleepers	980	3,800	1,901	68	2,308	55 8 0	.....
2	Timbers	217	705	435	16	528	12 12 0	.....
1	Tamarind	60	300	97	3	73	2 4 0	.....
7	Straw	500	125	973	34	204	9 4 0	.....
15	Passengers (63 in number)	.....	.....	2,624	96	3,219	77 3 0	.....
61	Empty boats	.....	.....	4,431	157	5,297	112 10 6	.....
137	Total ...	9,674	37,408	24,507	877	28,316	673 5 6	0 4·6
217	Total of same month last year ...	11,193	34,598	37,955	1,355	44,044	533 1 7	0 2·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Nil	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....
...	Total	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	1	.....	...	...	0 4 0	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

97	Rubble stone	28,831	450	57,664	2,059	2,059	575 0 0	.....
1	Timbers	215	698	430	15	532	12 12 8	.....
1	Stores, &c.	500	1,000	969	34	1,156	28 8 0	.....
1	Portland cement	100	25	168	6	204	4 8 0	.....
90	Empty boats	.....	.....	23,523	839	10,065	303 8 0	.....
190	Total ...	29,646	2,173	82,754	2,953	14,006	924 4 0	1 0·7
39	Total of same month last year ...	3,312	192	11,089	396	2,705	67 11 0	0 4·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
2	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ABSTRACT.

137	Private, including miscellaneous	9,674	37,408	24,507	877	28,316	673 5 6	.....
192	Government stores, miscellaneous	29,646	2,173	82,754	2,953	14,006	924 4 0	.....
329	Grand total ...	39,320	39,581	1,07,261	3,830	42,322	1,597 9 6	.....
256	Grand total of same month last year ...	14,505	34,791	49,014	1,751	46,749	590 0 7	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,123 1 9
Amount of tollage for the month	1,597 9 6
Total ...	2,720 11 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,419 7 0
Balance at the end of the month	1,301 4 3

MEMO. OF FREE BOATS.

	No. of boats.	Maundage.	Tonnage.	Tollage. Rs. A. P.
Passenger boats of Government officials	2	240	8	6 0 0

Taldunda Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
3	Jaggery	770	4,622	1,020	37	913	10 3 4	.....
5	Sand-cut stones	2,483	769	3,593	128	3,463	35 15 0	.....
1	Rubble	346	12	630	23	180	3 2 5	.....
1	Planks	72	20	113	4	40	1 2 0	.....
1	Cotton	140	1,400	203	7	181	2 0 5	.....
20	Passenger boats	.....	.....	8,430	301	1,204	43 5 0	.....
11	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,754	62	1,312	16 2 3	.....
43	Total ...	3,911	6,823	15,743	562	7,293	111 14 5	0 2·3
18	Total of same month last year ...	2,525	1,565	5,825	208	2,163	14 9 1	0 1·2
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	70 Logs	.....	360	.....	.....	.....	26 4 0	.....
...	383 Passengers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 11 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	360	.....	.....	.....	27 15 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	89	.....	.....	.....	5 8 0	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
...	Nil.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
144	Total of same month last year ...	26,356	1,184	68,342	2,440	7,322	170 13 9	0 4·4
	ABSTRACT.							
43	Private, including miscellaneous	3,811	7,183	15,743	562	7,293	139 13 5	.....
...	Government stores, including miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
43	Grand total ...	3,811	7,183	15,743	562	7,293	139 13 5	.....
162	Grand total of same month last year ...	28,881	2,838	74,167	2,648	9,485	190 14 10	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	78 12 8
Amount of tollage for the month	139 13 5
Total ...	218 10 1
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	121 4 2
Balance at the end of the month	97 5 11

High Level Canal, Range II.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—12½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

7	Paddy	1,007	3,214	3,016	108	2,004	38 8 0	.....
7	Rice	702	2,808	1,204	43	520	22 8 0	.....
7	Salt	1,695	3,025	3,212	115	617	62 8 0	.....
1	Cocoanuts	99	148	198	7	84	3 8 0	.....
2	Gingelly seed	280	1,120	562	20	217	12 9 0	.....
1	Castor seeds	147	514	295	10	129	5 8 0	.....
1	Furniture	95	100	209	7	84	4 0 0	.....
11	Passenger boats	.....	.....	1,562	56	580	28 14 0	.....
44	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,821	83	795	48 11 0	.....
81	Total ...	4,535	15,929	12,579	449	5,221	240 10 0	0 9·1
	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

High Level Canal, Range II—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
1	Firewood	168	17	336	12	84	6 8 0	.....
4	Ghooting lime	874	163	1,750	62	123	34 0 0	.....
2	Stores, &c.	800	1,400	2,409	86	1,020	47 8 0	.....
16	Gravel	3,772	108	7,544	269	1,876	146 0 0	.....
21	Empty boats	.....	.....	3,983	142	844	75 8 0	.....
44	Total ...	5,614	1,688	16,022	571	3,946	309 8 0	1 3
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
2	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	Total of the same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
81	Private, including miscellaneous	4,535	15,929	12,579	449	5,221	246 10 0	.....
46	Government stores, including miscellaneous	5,614	1,688	16,022	571	3,946	309 8 0	.....
127	Grand total ...	10,149	17,617	28,601	1,020	9,167	556 2 0	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	416 10 6
Amount of tollage for the month	556 2 0
Total ...	972 12 6
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	481 6 6
Balance at the end of the month	491 6 0

High Level Canal, Range III.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—6½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

2	Paddy	234	468	469	16	160	9 0 0	.....
4	Rice	246	948	493	18	126	8 8 0	.....
1	Jaggery	72	360	144	5	50	2 8 0	.....
1	Cocoanut	78	117	157	6	112	3 0 0	.....
9	Passengers (15 in number)	.....	.....	1,234	44	308	22 10 0	.....
5	Empty boats	.....	.....	442	16	116	8 0 0	.....
22	Total ...	630	1,929	2,939	105	872	53 10 0	0 11·8
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Timbers (37 in number)	.....	148	.....	.....	.....	6 15 0	.....
...	Demurrage on boats	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 14 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	148	.....	.....	.....	8 13 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

14	Bricks	1,794	175	3,593	128	768	68 0 0	.....
1	Soorkee	282	25	565	20	120	11 0 0	.....
2	Stores, &c.	800	1,400	2,455	91	637	48 0 0	.....
3	Lime	617	164	1,234	45	270	24 8 0	.....
19	Empty boats	.....	.....	2,785	99	594	51 8 0	.....
50	Total ...	3,493	1,764	10,652	383	2,389	203 0 0	1 4·8
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
29	Private, including miscellaneous ...	630	2,077	2,939	105	872	62 7 0	.....
39	Government stores, including miscellaneous	3,493	1,764	10,652	383	2,389	203 0 0	.....
61	Grand total ...	4,123	3,841	13,591	488	3,261	265 7 0	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	146 0 1
Amount of tollage for the month	265 7 0
Total ...	411 7 1
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	152 0 1
Balance at the end of the month	259 7 0

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Midnapore Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—53 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.	Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
25	Betel-leaves	930	5,300	3,535	.....	.....	17 4 9	.....
2	Betel nuts	45	490	300	.....	.....	1 2 0	.....
2	Bricks and tiles (4,000 in number)	400	80	1,150	.....	.....	4 5 0	.....
1	Bamboos (50 in number)	10	5	20	.....	.....	0 2 0	.....
1	Bones	150	5,000	325	.....	.....	6 14 6	.....
41	Brass and copper, and their manufactures	4,205	1,60,375	11,550	.....	.....	96 12 6	.....
30	Coal and coke	7,570	4,123	14,475	.....	.....	169 12 6	.....
3	Cotton, raw	170	6,800	600	.....	.....	4 15 6	.....
29	Cocoanuts (159,800 in number)	2,151	4,695	6,780	.....	.....	66 18 6	.....
53	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	5,605	1,78,440	16,000	.....	.....	146 5 6	.....
21	Cotton piece-goods (European)	2,175	1,74,525	6,405	.....	.....	64 15 6	.....
15	Cotton ditto (Indian)	250	38,000	3,145	.....	.....	21 7 3	.....
17	Curd	320	2,435	3,050	.....	.....	27 1 6	.....
951	Empty boats	.....	.....	69,360	.....	.....	542 11 3	.....
31	Earthenware	2,675	700	6,610	.....	.....	50 14 3	.....
7	Firewood	515	156	1,725	.....	.....	12 1 6	.....
23	Fruits and nuts of all kinds	2,890	4,450	5,400	.....	.....	55 15 9	.....
81	Gram and pulse	9,400	37,940	22,040	.....	.....	188 9 3	.....
1	Glassware	100	300	225	.....	.....	4 13 0	.....
6	Gunny cloths (pieces 650)	380	1,570	1,220	.....	.....	4 9 0	.....
1	Horns	100	2,500	225	.....	.....	1 15 6	.....
3	Hides of cattle, untanned (2,460 in number)	265	1,985	600	.....	.....	5 4 0	.....
3	Iron and its manufactures	280	1,900	625	.....	.....	7 9 0	.....
7	Indigo	960	1,92,000	2,425	.....	.....	35 7 6	.....
54	Jute, raw	6,805	23,080	14,760	.....	.....	56 9 3	.....
1	Lime and limestone	100	24	225	.....	.....	1 15 6	.....
2	Liquor	35	700	140	.....	.....	1 15 9	.....
47	Mustard	7,165	29,010	16,515	.....	.....	131 2 6	.....
42	Miscellaneous	2,485	6,281	7,860	.....	.....	68 4 9	.....
1	Medicines	20	500	150	.....	.....	1 5 0	.....
1	Oil-cake	300	300	525	.....	.....	4 9 6	.....
3	Oil	250	1,725	600	.....	.....	7 7 0	.....
2	Other fibres, raw	270	1,080	550	.....	.....	4 13 0	.....
1	Ditto, manufactured	300	3,000	650	.....	.....	13 13 0	.....
4	Other saline substances	395	652	975	.....	.....	12 10 0	.....
1	Other oilseed	200	800	475	.....	.....	4 2 3	.....
1,361	Passenger boats	.....	.....	72,355	.....	.....	645 4 9	.....
357	Paddy	16,949	24 522	32,615	.....	.....	566 3 3	.....
327	Rice	63,906	1,98,005	1,18,175	.....	.....	1,096 3 0	.....
1	Rosin	100	250	200	.....	.....	3 0 0	.....
3	Silk, raw	40	14,400	475	.....	.....	4 2 9	.....
69	Salt	20,775	35,290	38,355	.....	.....	358 13 0	.....
24	Straw (540 kahuns)	5,615	1,872	13,950	.....	.....	65 11 6	.....
21	Sand	5,605	588	10,460	.....	.....	41 15 0	.....
1	Stamp paper	100	4,000	325	.....	.....	1 3 6	.....
5	Stone plates	370	770	885	.....	.....	7 11 9	.....
19	Sugar, unrefined	2,045	7,584	4,880	.....	.....	49 15 0	.....
1	Sugar, refined	100	1,000	225	.....	.....	1 6 6	.....
53	Sal piles (1,639 in number)	3,013	4,278	3,145	.....	.....	37 6 0	.....
1	Sheep and goats (30 in number)	5	60	60	.....	.....	0 8 3	.....
2	Spices	600	3,000	1,100	.....	.....	11 11 0	.....
14	Timber (125 in number)	1,245	2,485	1,360	.....	.....	34 9 6	.....
1	Til	100	400	375	.....	.....	3 4 6	.....
37	Tobacco	4,365	28,890	10,155	.....	.....	118 4 3	.....
9	Vegetable and other kinds of provision	205	520	1,025	.....	.....	10 2 0	.....
10	Wheat	675	2,185	2,345	.....	.....	19 10 9	.....
3,729	Total	1,85,722	12,72,076	5,33,170	19,042	3,08,875	4,909 10 9	0 3
3,999	Total of same month last year	2,10,904	13,33,862	6,29,325	22,476	4,48,884	6,691 5 0	0 3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (9,597 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	167 12 3	.....
...	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48 12 6	.....
14	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	216 8 9	.....
14	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	229 9 6	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
59	Bricks (411,700 in number)	41,165	6,174	61,600	.....	.....	539 0 0	.....
10	Coal	5,050	1,554	9,150	.....	.....	71 9 6	.....
1	Portland cement	20	120	80	.....	.....	0 4 9	.....
1	Chains	10	100	50	.....	.....	0 4 0	.....
2	Iron and its manufactures	60	600	215	.....	.....	4 [illegible] 0	.....
41	Empty boats	.....	.....	11,075	.....	.....	94 14 6	.....
114	Total	46,305	8,548	82,170	2,934	46,894	710 5 9	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
3,743	Private, including miscellaneous	1,85,722	12,72,076	5,33,170	19,042	3,08,875	5,126 8 6	.....
114	Government stores, including miscellaneous	46,305	8,548	82,170	2,934	46,894	710 5 9	.....
3,857	Grand total	2,32,027	12,80,624	6,15,340	21,976	3,55,269	5,836 9 3	.....
4,013	Grand total of same month last year	2,10,904	13,33,862	6,29,325	22,476	4,48,884	7,120 14 6	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	875 7 8
Amount of tollage for the month	5,836 9 3
Total	6,712 0 11
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	6,061 3 11
Balance at the end of the month	650 13 0

Hidgellee Tidal Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—29 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
2	Betelnut	11	178	150	.....	.....	2 11 0	.....
1	Brooms	6	11	40	.....	.....	0 4 3	.....
1	Bricks and tiles (1,000 in number)	.....	.....	325	.....	.....	2 3 9	.....
1	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	8	400	400	.....	.....	2 12 0	.....
14	Cocoanuts (23,900 in number)	169	462	1,870	.....	.....	15 10 6	.....
5	Cloth, or cotton piece-goods (European)	24	2,980	445	.....	.....	3 15 6	.....
4	Coal	925	207	2,350	.....	.....	16 2 6	.....
845	Empty boats	.....	.....	63,680	.....	.....	587 10 9	.....
6	Earthenware (4,860 in number)	95	84	705	.....	.....	6 2 9	.....
4	Firewood	305	83	730	.....	.....	6 2 3	.....
5	Hental wood	350	187	1,165	.....	.....	10 9 3	.....
4	Hemp	400	1,600	1,125	.....	.....	7 11 9	.....
1	Iron	10	20	125	.....	.....	0 13 9	.....
3	Limestone	300	98	550	.....	.....	3 12 6	.....
6	Mats (3,200 in number)	970	1,750	1,525	.....	.....	11 14 0	.....
89	Miscellaneous	3,163	19,214	9,240	.....	.....	103 10 3	.....
31	Mustard	930	4,761	3,585	.....	.....	37 0 6	.....
3	Ooloo grass (38 kahuns)	148	32	375	.....	.....	6 0 3	.....
2	Oil-cake	60	60	170	.....	.....	1 2 6	.....
818	Paddy	30,952	45,959	60,045	.....	.....	703 12 0	.....
54	Passenger boats	.....	.....	3,625	.....	.....	43 7 3	.....
1	Plantain	2	20	80	.....	.....	0 8 9	.....
530	Rice	59,016	1,70,770	1,17,660	.....	.....	1,099 7 3	.....
35	Straw (350 kahuns)	4,845	816	9,975	.....	.....	68 9 3	.....
1	Shell lime	140	60	275	.....	.....	3 1 6	.....
4	Sand	750	25	1,500	.....	.....	10 5 9	.....
4	Sugar, unrefined	115	578	275	.....	.....	2 10 3	.....
2	Spices	105	1,200	335	.....	.....	2 15 6	.....
21	Salt	3,789	14,889	8,155	.....	.....	64 5 6	.....
13	Timber (353 in number)	2,216	5,473	1,175	.....	.....	53 3 3	.....
11	Tobacco	149	951	1,030	.....	.....	10 12 9	.....
1	Turmeric	4	16	80	.....	.....	1 7 0	.....
7	Tamarind	57	33	510	.....	.....	5 4 3	.....
2,023	Total	1,09,423	2,72,988	2,93,775	10,492	1,65,592	2,895 3 6	3·3
2,104	Total of same month last year	66,002	1,19,664	2,04,095	7,289	1,23,439	2,170 9 9	3·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (223 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6 9 3	.....
...	1 raft of 125 bamboos	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
...	10 rafts of 81 timber	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 13 3	.....
...	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 13 9	.....
...	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30 7 3	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 10 3	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
2,023	Private, including miscellaneous	1,09,423	2,72,988	2,93,775	10,492	1,65,592	2,925 10 9	.....
...	Government stores, including miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,023	Grand total	1,09,423	2,72,988	2,93,775	10,492	1,65,592	2,925 10 9	.....
2,104	Grand total of same month last year	66,002	1,19,664	2,04,095	7,289	1,23,439	2,182 4 0	.....

NOTE.	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	443 7 9
Amount of tollage for the month	2,925 10 9
Total	3,369 2 6
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	2,719 11 0
Balance at the end of the month	649 7 6

SONE CIRCLE.

Arrah Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—65 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

88	Salt	12,000	74,500	15,953	560	39,690	379 12 3	.....
13	Ghee	3,000	60,000	4,293	153	6,000	68 10 0	.....
8	Makai (Indian corn)	700	1,400	1,029	36	1,440	24 3 6	.....
17	Sesamum seeds (til)	9,200	46,160	10,932	390	15,600	168 5 6	.....
46	Stone	48,000	1,200	53,296	1,899	99,592	301 12 6	.....
	Lime	200	32	300	10	580	6 9 0	.....
36	Passenger boats	.....	.....	1,088	70	4,060	55 5 6	.....
55	Empty boats	.....	.....	47,138	1,683	94,614	118 0 6	.....
259	Total	74,000	1,83,292	1,34,832	4,810	2,61,576	1,123 11 9	0 1·
197	Total of same month last year	18,899	50,906	42,998	1,536	66,992	532 6 3	0 1·5
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
10	Firewood (225,538 in number)	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	12 12 6	.....
10	Total	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	12 12 6	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Arrah Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate		Tonnage of boats.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
47	Stone	13,856	169	18,556	662	10,592	65 8 0	.....
10	Coal	1,400	400	2,433	86	860	19 9 0	.....
3	Pipe	1,000	50	1,495	53	530	9 4 6	.....
5	Iron	100	500	1,363	48	3,284	28 15 9	.....
11	Empty	.....	.....	1,409	50	500	13 13 3	.....
1	Iron barge of Dehree Workshop Division, to be charged from 19th November to 18th December 1878, at Rs. 15 a month ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 0 0	.....
77	Total ...	16,356	1,119	25,256	899	15,766	152 2 6	0 1·7
115	Total of same month last year ...	9,390	2,212	16,365	584	13,678	451 3 0	0 6·8
	ABSTRACT.							
269	Private, including miscellaneous	74,000	1,83,317	1,34,832	4,810	2,61,576	1,135 8 3	.....
77	Government stores, including miscellaneous	16,356	1,119	25,256	899	15,766	152 2 6	.....
346	Grand total ...	90,356	1,84,436	1,60,088	5,709	2,77,342	1,287 10 9	.....
312	Grand total of same month last year ...	28,289	58,218	59,363	2,120	80,670	983 9 3	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	880 13 6
Amount of tollage for the month	1,287 10 9
Total ...	2,168 8 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	873 11 10
Balance at the end of the month	1,294 13 5

Western Main Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—22 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

4	Ghee	1,000	20,000	1,500	54	1,404	21 9 0	.....
21	Teel	9,075	36,300	13,025	465	11,770	173 2 9	.....
1	Spices	400	4,000	525	19	494	7 8 9	.....
1	Gairo	200	200	300	11	242	2 7 0	.....
1	Stone	300	15	400	14	364	4 2 0	.....
8	Empty boats	.....	.....	825	29	574	5 4 9	.....
3	Passenger boats	.....	.....	300	10	200	4 6 0	.....
39	Total ...	10,975	60,515	16,875	602	15,048	218 8 3	0 2·7
74	Total of same month last year ...	4,095	20,475	11,200	399	9,729	131 2 6	0 2·5

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

1	Ashlar stone	400	20	500	18	252	3 0 6	.....
1	Table and chair	25	15	50	2	20	0 6 6	.....
17	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,800	64	3,082	12 1 0	.....
19	Total ...	425	35	2,350	84	3,354	14 8 0	0 1·1
218	Total of same month last year ...	32,220	1,889	62,150	2,217	11,803	389 10 6	0 6·6
	ABSTRACT.							
39	Private, including miscellaneous	10,975	60,515	16,875	602	15,048	218 8 3	.....
19	Government stores, including miscellaneous	425	35	2,350	84	2,354	14 8 0	.....
58	Grand total ...	11,400	60,550	19,225	686	17,402	233 0 3	.....
293	Grand total of same month last year ...	36,315	22,364	73,350	2,616	21,032	520 13 0	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	14 12 0
Amount of tollage for the month	233 0 3
Total ...	247 12 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	172 10 0
Balance at the end of the month	75 2 3

Patna Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—84 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
38	Other food than rice and wheat	3,835	20,800	8,519	303	22,672	209 15 9	.....
30	Til	5,978	22,800	10,381	365	26,655	223 7 0	.....
2	Linseed	300	1,400	441	15	1,080	11 11 6	.....
1	Stimulant	65	260	236	8	825	5 4 6	.....
1	Clothing	20	150	51	2	71	1 1 3	.....
4	Staples of manufacture	250	1,365	458	15	638	6 9 3	.....
2	Building materials	240	90	406	17	855	3 11 6	.....
62	Road metal	10,281	310	27,812	994	50,747	259 10 9	.....
3	Fuel	260	25	480	17	255	6 14 2	.....
11	Cooking utensils	1,720	670	3,564	126	10,527	107 0 6	.....
36	Miscellaneous	2,785	23,657	6,753	240	17,225	168 6 6	.....
9	Passenger boats	.....	.....	451	14	602	7 4 6	.....
88	Empty boats	.....	.....	8,614	304	18,835	102 9 7	.....
287	Total ...	25,764	71,527	68,251	2,420	1,50,487	1,173 10 9	0 1·4
106	Total of same month last year ...	12,478	20,940	24,744	874	65,141	563 7 10	0 1·6
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Bamboos and bullahs (258,945 in number)	.....	3,406	.....	.....	.....	133 8 9	.....
...	Total ...	.....	3,406	.....	.....	.....	133 8 9	.....
7	Total of same month last year ...	38,015	728	.....	.....	.....	19 14 0	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

14	Rubble	3,690	111	7,216	258	17,435	93 10 3	.....
25	Bricks	3,995	133	5,963	211	1,153	48 14 0	.....
1	Pitching rubble	350	30	675	24	1,458	15 9 9	.....
3	Ashlar	384	13	833	29	752	4 2 0	.....
4	Other building materials	60	340	681	24	248	3 1 9	.....
11	Small stores (9,252 in number)	.....	.....	4,295	153	5,951	31 13 0	.....
2	Miscellaneous	.....	.....	274	9	613	5 15 9	.....
1	Trees	50	250	173	6	6	1 2 9	.....
11	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,890	73	8,098	23 10 2	.....
72	Total ...	8,529	877	21,999	787	30,734	227 13 5	0 1·4
260	Total of same month last year ...	12,574	6,253	64,924	2,316	59,926	871 13 6	0 2·7
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
3	Steamer passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1	Boat ditto	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
70	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ABSTRACT.

287	Private, including miscellaneous	25,764	74,933	68,251	2,420	1,50,487	1,306 3 6	.....
76	Government stores, including miscellaneous	8,529	877	21,999	787	30,734	227 13 5	.....
363	Grand total ...	34,293	75,810	90,250	3,207	1,81,221	1,534 0 11	.....
390	Grand total of same month last year ...	63,967	27,921	89,668	3,190	1,25,067	1,455 2 4	.....

NOTE.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	304 3 7
Amount of tollage for the month	1,534 0 11
Total ...	1,838 4 6
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,356 6 11
Balance at the end of the month	481 13 7

ABSTRACT.

Canals	Tollage of the year 1878-79.		Tollage of the year 1877-78.		Remarks.
	During the month.	To end of month.	During the corresponding month	To end of corresponding month	
Orissa Circle	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Kendrapara	4,929 14 5	22,009 16 6	1,812 7 8	15,408 2 3	
High Level, Range I	1,597 9 6	7,431 12 8	590 0 7	4,697 14 10	
Taldunda	139 13 5	1,133 14 8	190 14 10	1,186 3 7	
High Level, Range II	556 2 0	1,890 14 11	..	..	
Ditto, ditto III	265 7 0	476 2 1	..	..	
Total Orissa Circle .	7,488 14 4	32,436 11 10	2,593 7 1	21,292 4 8	
South-Western Circle					
Midnapore	5,836 0 3	58,538 0 2	7,120 14 6	74,274 14 9	
Hidgelee Tidal	2,925 10 9	43,490 3 6	2,182 4 0	57,143 14 0	
Total South-Western Circle ..	8,761 4 0	1,02,028 12 8	9,303 2 6	1,31,417 12 9	
Sone Circle.					
Arrah	1,287 10 9	7,326 6 3	983 9 3	9,796 11 5	
Western Main	233 0 3	803 4 9	520 13 0	2,471 3 0	
Patna	1,534 0 11	12,906 9 5	1,455 2 4	1,851 9 10	
Total Sone Circle ...	3,054 11 11	21,036 4 5	2,959 8 7	14,119 8 3	
Grand total ...	19,305 14 3	1,55,501 12 11	14,856 2 2	1,66,829 9 3	

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P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

The 3rd February 1879.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to 31*st December* 1878.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.			Five-year leases.		Three-year leases.				Annual leases.				Sugarcane.		Grand Total up to end of the month.				Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
						Khurreef.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.												
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Estimated discharge utilized.	Leased during December.	Leased up to end of December.	Leased during December.	Leased up to end of December.	Leased during December.	Leased up to end of December.	Leased during December.	Leased up to end of December.	Leased during December.	Leased up to end of December.	Leased during December.	Leased up to end of December.	Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugarcane.	Total.		Inches during the month.	Inches during 1878-79.	Average of ten previous years of the same period.	
						Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.				
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara	1,269	322·85	...	...	32,518	...	...	...	...	...	.....	69	490	...	33	32,518	490	33	33,041	27,963	0·25	43·66	49·94	
		Pattamoondee	..	..	...	...	9,815	...	...	...	...	...	.....	4	471	...	...	9,815	471	..	10,286	700				
		High Level, Section I	675	145·05	..	...	12,875	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	5	...	9	12,875	5	9	12,889	10,854				
		Toldundah	1,300	Canal closed		...	9,285	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	380	...	119	9,285	380	119	9,784	8,509				
		Machgong	650			...	23,338	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	383	...	119	23,338	383	119	23,840	19,994				
		Gobri	... ..	.....	...	...	.. ..	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	85	...	6	..	85	6	91	...				
		Total of the month	... ..	.....	...	..	87,831	...	..	...	...	...	.....	73	1,814	...	286	87,831	1,814	286	89,931	68,020	...	.	..	
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	.... .	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	66,944	257	883	75	193	66,944	883	193	68,020	...	...	..	.. ...	
South-Western	Midnapore	Midnapore	875	87	...	257	49,594	...	...	...	...	8	699	.....	.. ...	...	...	49,293	.....	...	49,293	14,605	0·52	50 44	9 years 51 70	
	Howrah	Panchkoorah	300	6	...	...	5,956	...	...	...	...	...	133	... ..	.....	...	...	6,089	.....	...	6,089	2,817	0·49	40 44	8 years 53 03	
		Total of the month	... ..	.....	..	257	54,550	...	...	...	...	8	832	... ..	.....	...	...	55,182	.....	...	55,182	17,422	..	.	...	
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	17,422	.....	... ..	...	...	17,422	.....	...	17,422	...	...	..	... ..	
Sone	Shahabad	Main Western	4,142	924	924	...	.....	...	1,069	...	...	...	13,934	1,817	2,376	235	2,257	15,003	2,376	2,257	19,636	99,569	...	24·08	39 11	
		Arrah	1,660	362	362	...	.....	...	774	...	...	...	51,581	13,017	15,917	98	234	52,355	13,017	234	65,606	118,467	...	31·83	37 37	
	Gya and Patna	Patna	1,466	533	400	...	.....	...	379	...	160	...	4,966	987	2,370	5	37	5,365	2,530	37	7,932	..	...	34 15	36·77	
		Total of the month	.....	... ..	..	...	... ..	...	2,222	...	160	...	70,501	15,821	17,763	338	2,528	72,723	17,923	2,528	93,174	218,036	...	..	.....	
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	.....	.....	...	...	... .	...	...	...	...	...	85,755	121,703	121,703	6,892	10,578	85,753	121,703	10,578	218,036	...	...	...	. ...	
		Grand total of the month	.....	.. ..		257	142,381	...	2,222	..	160	8	71,333	15,994	19,577	338	2,814	215,936	19,737	2,814	238,487	303,473	.	...	. .	
		Grand total of the corresponding month of previous year	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	170,121	121,960	122,986	6,967	10,771	170,121	122,986	10,771	303,478	...	...	..	.....	

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The 17*th February* 1879.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th February 1879 on 1,270¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	157,747	2,24,811 12 0	20,607 14 10	17,95,689 0	5,68,418 3 0	52,105 0 0	7,93,229 15 0	46,859½	109,587½	156,446½
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	176 10 8	16 2 1	.....	444 2 8	40 14 3	619 13 4	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	687,090	10,01,774 5 0	91,829 6 3	71,24,855 0	25,60,531 15 0	235,265 8 7	35,62,306 4 0	217,064½	457,384½	674,449
Total for 6 weeks ...	844,837	12,26,586 1 0	112,437 1 1	89,20,544 0	31,34,950 2 0	287,370 8 7	43,61,536 3 0	263,724	566,971½	830,696½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year ...	153,585	2,16,603 14 9	19,861 6 4	15,14,672 10	5,56,941 3 0	51,052 18 10	7,73,610 1 9	47,174	114,781	161,955
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	169 4 11	15 10 5	.....	435 3 1	39 17 10	604 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	757,161	10,67,432 9 7	99,681 6 5	83,21,043 0	31,92,035 9 2	292,603 5 2	42,79,468 2 9	268,284	617,311	885,595

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th February 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ...	7,791	21,894 15 0	2,007 0 0	3,56,450 10	89,041 0 0	8,162 1 0	1,10,935 15 0	5,092½	24,273½	29,366
Or per mile of railway ...	.....	97 15 8	8 19 5	.....	397 15 2	36 0 7	495 12 10	.....	.....	.....
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	39,470	1,31,342 4 9	12,039 14 2	14,10,133 0	3,67,006 0 0	33,642 4 5	4,98,348 4 9	23,733½	100,275	124,008
Total for 6 weeks ...	47,261	1,53,237 3 9	14,046 14 11	17,66,583 10	4,56,047 0 0	41,804 6 2	6,09,284 3 9	28,826½	124,548½	153,374
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	9,475	29,107 11 3	2,668 4 2	1,44,570 30	42,216 2 0	3,869 16 3	71,323 13 3	5,658	10,332	15,990
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	130 1 5	11 18 6	.....	188 10 10	17 5 11	318 12 3	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	47,329½	1,32,096 1 3	12,109 16 2	9,57,656 30	2,64,813 3 0	24,274 9 0	3,96,908 4 3	29,318	61,514	90,832

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for Week ended 1st February 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total receipts
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	38,413½	35,273 8 0	3,233 8 1	2,01,928 33	33,088 13 9	3,115 12 11	6,349 1 0
Or per mile of railway	242	222 5 1	20 7 4	1,272 0	214 1 8	19 12 6	39 19 10
For previous 4 weeks of half-year	140,386	1,06,631 4 6	9,774 10 9	4,77,996 38	99,992 6 2	9,165 19 4	18,940 10 1
Total for 5 weeks ...	178,798½	1,41,904 13 6	13,007 18 10	6,79,925 31	1,33,081 3 11	12,281 12 3	25,289 11 1
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	35,991½	28,027 13 5	2,569 4 4	2,79,517 17	54,264 9 6	4,974 5 1	7,543 9 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	227	176 8 10	16 3 8	1,760 30	341 13 2	31 6 8	47 10 6
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	177,120	1,25,214 4 6	11,477 19 6	11,22,717 0	2,33,991 2 2	21,449 3 9	32,927 3 3

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th February 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. S.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	43,048	40,891 15 3	3,748 5 8	1,85,089 0	35,172 7 6	3,224 10	6,972 11 6
Or per mile of railway	277	257 9 5	23 12 3	1,165 37	221 8 11	20 6 2	43 18 5
For previous 5 weeks of half-year	1,78,798½	1,41,904 12 6	13,007 18 10	6,79,925 31	1,33,981 3 11	12,281 12 3	25,289 11 1
Total for 6 weeks ...	2,22,746½	1,82,796 11 9	16,756 7 6	8,65,014 31	1,69,153 11 5	15,505 15 1	32,262 2 7
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	38,302½	31,638 2 2	2,900 3 2	2,84,755 21	58,086 3 7	5,324 9 7	8,224 13 10
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	241	199 4 9	18 5 5	1,703 29	365 14 3	33 19 9	51 16 9
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	2,15,422½	1,56,852 6 8	14,376 2 9	14,07,472 30	2,92,076 5 9	26,775 13 4	41,151 16 1

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1247A.

GENERAL.—*The 18th February* 1879.—Baboo Parbutty Churn Roy, B.A., Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed on Settlement Work, Dacca, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

The 20th February 1879.—Baboo Kali Prosonno Sircar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, on leave, is transferred temporarily to Nuddea.

Mr. Charles Knight Harcourt is appointed to be Captain of the "A" Company of the Darjeeling Volunteer Rifle Corps, *vice* Mr. W. Lloyd, resigned.

Mr. J. C. Veazey, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Noakholly, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. Manson, or until further orders.

Mr. F. H. Harding, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Buxar division of the Shahabad district.

The 21st February 1879.—Mr. T. Smith, who reported his return from furlough on the 13th instant, is allowed subsidiary leave for twenty-one days from that date, to enable him to join his appointment as Officiating District and Sessions Judge, Backergunge.

Moulvie Motioollah, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Jessore district.

Baboo Jogendra Nath Gupta, Sub-Deputy Collector, Jehanabad, Burdwan, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st April next.

The Senior Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs, for the time being, is vested with special appellate powers under Section 87 of the Land Registration Act, VII (B.C.) of 1876.

Mr. D. T. Barrow, Assistant Magistrate and Collector of Feoree, is vested with the powers of a Deputy Collector under Act X of 1859.

The 24th February 1879.—Mr. E. Grey, District and Sessions Judge of Gya, is allowed special leave for six months, under Section 21 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 6th May next, together with subsidiary leave for thirty days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Mr. G. E. Porter, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Gya, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. E. Grey, or until further orders.

Mr. W. B. Oldham, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to act as Deputy Commissioner of the Sonthal Pergunnahs, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. B. Wood, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he may relieve Mr. J. Boxwell. Mr. Oldham is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Deputy Commissioners.

Baboo Okhoy Coomar Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, having reported his return from leave on the afternoon of the 14th instant, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under the orders of the 31st October 1878, is cancelled.

Mr. F. R. S. Collier, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Seetamurhee, Mozufferpore, is transferred to the Sudder Station of that district.

Mr. F. H. Pellew, Officiating Inspector-General of Police, is appointed to act as Commissioner of the Dacca Division, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. F. B. Peacock, or until further orders.

Mr. J. Whitmore is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. W. H. Page. Mr. Whitmore will, however, act as Magistrate and Collector of Balasore during the absence, on leave, of Mr. T. Norman, or until further orders.

Mr. C. D. C. Winter, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Beerbhoom, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. J. F. Stevens.

The 25th February 1879.—Mr. E. H. Whinfield having applied for permission to resign the service, the orders of the 8th instant, appointing him to act as Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack, are cancelled.

Mr. P. Nolan, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Cuttack, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. Beames, or until further orders.

Mr. E. R. Middleton, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the 24-Pergunnahs.

Baboo Mohanund Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is transferred to Julpigoree, on being relieved of his present duties under the Irrigation Branch of this Government.

Baboo Janokey Nath Mozoomdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Beerbhoom, is transferred to Maldah.

POLICE.—*The 20th February* 1879.—Mr. H. S. Schurr, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Burdwan, having returned to duty in the afternoon of the 31st ultimo, the unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted him under orders of the 29th idem is cancelled.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 21st February* 1879.—The Rev. Alfred John Bamford, Minister of the Union Chapel, Calcutta, is authorized, under Clause 3, Section 5, Act XV of 1872, to solemnize marriages between persons one or both of whom is a Christian or Christians, and, under Clause 5, Section 5 of the said Act, to grant certificates of marriage between persons who are Native Christians.

REGISTRATION.—*The 21st February* 1879.—Baboo Kristo Hurry Bose, Special Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is allowed leave for twenty-seven days, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 13th ultimo.

The 25th February 1879.—Baboo Hurry Charan Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chumparun, is also appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Motecharee, *vice* Baboo Jadub Chunder Ghose.

EDUCATION.—*The 20th February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Noakholly District School Committee :—

Moulvie Anwaruddin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
Munshi Tamijuddin,
Moulvie Munsur Ahmed, } Pleaders.

The 25th February 1879.—Mr. F. J. Rowe, M.A., Officiating Principal, Kishnaghur College, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle, *vice* Mr. A. W. Garrett.

Mr. W. H. Paulson, a Professor of the Presidency College, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Principal of the Kishnaghur College, *vice* Mr. F. J. Rowe.

Mr. A. W. Garrett, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle, is allowed subsidiary leave for ten days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st March next.

OPIUM.—*The 21st February* 1879.—Mr. A. Christian, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, is allowed leave for one day, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 20th August 1878.

Mr. G. Nicholson, Officiating Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, attached to the Benares Agency, was on leave for twenty days, from the 17th December 1878, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

MEDICAL.—*The 25th February* 1879.—Surgeon H. W. Hill, Civil Surgeon, Monghyr, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Civil Surgeon of Manbhoom.

Mr. W. Wilson, Medical Officer, Manbhoom, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Medical Officer of Maldah.

Assistant Surgeon Omesh Chunder Roy, attached to the Monghyr Charitable Dispensary, is appointed to act temporarily as Medical Officer of Monghyr.

Supernumerary Assistant Surgeon Kedar Nath Sen, now doing duty at Cuttack, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Monghyr Charitable Dispensary, *vice* Assistant Surgeon Omesh Chunder Roy.

Assistant Surgeon Sonatun Bysack, in medical charge of the Charitable Dispensary, Mymensingh, is allowed leave for one month and fifteen days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Assistant Surgeon Kristo Churn Bose, a supernumerary at the Medical College Hospital, Calcutta, is appointed to have medical charge of the Charitable Dispensary, Mymensingh, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Sonatun Bysack, or until further orders.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 12th February* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Bansbaria Municipality of Baboo Lolit Mohan Singh to be their Vice-Chairman.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Purneah Municipality :—

Baboo Parvati Charan Dass. | Moonshi Hara Nandan Sahoy.

ROAD CESS.—*The 12th February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee at the Fenny sub-division, in the district of Noakholly :—

Baboo Gope Chandra Mojumdar, *vice* Baboo Goloke Chandra Chowdry, Rai Bahadoor.
Mahomed Manar Chowdry, *vice* Makbul Ahmed Chowdry.
Baboo Kali Charan Dutt, *vice* Boshivallab Chowdry.
Moonshi Asseemuddy, *vice* Ishan Chandra Chowdry.

The following Notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No 52.—*The 8th February* 1879.—Mr. J. M. E. Gouldsbury, District Superintendent of Police, Fourth Grade, who reported his return from furlough on the 31st December 1878, at the Sandheads, is allowed subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding thirty days, under Section 24(*b*) of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 57.—*The 13th February* 1879.—Mr. C. A. Soppitt, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Sibságar, is, on public grounds, transferred to the Khási and Jaintiá Hills district, and is temporarily posted to Shillong.

No. 58.—Mr. G. J. Cawley, District Superintendent of Police, Fifth Grade, who reported his return from furlough on the 12th February 1879, at Diamond Harbour, is allowed subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding thirty days, under Section 24 (*b*) of the Civil Leave Code.

No. 59.—Mr. G. J. Cawley, District Superintendent of Police, is posted to the district of Sibságar.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

ERRATUM.

The 25th February 1879 —In modification of the notification publishing the names of successful candidates for enrolment as Revenue Agents, which appeared in Part I of the *Calcutta Gazettes* of the 20th and 27th November and 4th December 1878, pages 1225, 1252, and 1281 respectively, the following corrected name is published :—

District.	Number.	For.	Read.
Nuddea	2	Dharani Dhar Banerjia.	Dharani Dhar Bhuttacharjia.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the last clause of Section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and subject to the proviso therein contained, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares (in continuation of the notification of the 7th December 1878, published at page 1298 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem,) the tract described in the schedule hereto annexed to be a "protected forest":—

24-PERGUNNAHS DISTRICT.

NAME OF FOREST—LOT No. 165.

Description of Boundaries.

On the north—By the Eshamuttee River, or Khuddumtullee.

On the east—By the Eshamuttee River, or Khuddumtullee, then by the Allooah Khal, and then by the Aburee Khal.

On the south—By the Moor Gang Khal.

On the west—By the lands of Ramzannuggur, Bhyrnonuggur, and Soonderberia.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the last clause of Section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and subject to the proviso therein contained, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the tract described in the schedule hereto annexed to be a "protected forest":—

JESSORE DISTRICT.

Pergunnah or other Sub-Division.

Sub-Division, Khulna. | Thana, Paik Gatcha.

NAME OF FOREST.

That portion of the Sunderbuns lying in the district of Jessore which consists of lot No. 216, the ungranted portion of lot No. 224 and lot No. 225, according to Lieutenant Hodge's Survey Map of 1831.

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES.

Northern boundary.—An irregular line starting from the northern extremity of the Sunderbuns boundary, immediately west of lot No. 216, and proceeding eastward along the Ghoskhali Khal until it reaches the Sipsah River; then north-eastward along the Dhaki River until it meets the south boundary of the granted portion of lot No. 224; then eastward along the south boundary of the granted portion of lot No. 224 until it meets the Bhudder River; then southward along the Bhudder River until it meets the Churna Khal; then north-eastward along the Churna Khal until it meets the Parsah River.

Eastern boundary.—The Parsah River.

Southern boundary.—The northern boundary of the reserved forest tract in the Jessore portion of the Sunderbuns.

Western boundary.—The Sunderbuns boundary line on the west side of lot No. 216, as shown in Lieutenant Hodge's Survey Map of 1831.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the tracts in the 24-Pergunnahs and Jessore Sunderbuns declared to be "protected forests" under the notification of the 7th December 1878 (published at page 1298 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem) and the two foregoing notifications of the 24th February 1879, have been removed from the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of the Sunderbuns and placed in charge of the Conservator of Forests in Bengal.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th February 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is pleased to sanction the following changes in district Chittagong:—

1*st*.—That the Sitakund Moonsifee shall be reconstituted with the same local jurisdiction as it possessed previously to the transfer of thana Mirserai to Noakholly.

2*nd*.—That the Juldee outpost of thana Banskhally shall be placed under the Moonsif of Satkania in regard to civil matters only.

3*rd*.—That the local jurisdictions of the Moonsifs of Putteah and Howlah shall be amalgamated.

It is also declared that the following shall be the revised disposition of the several Moonsifees and Thanas in district Chittagong, with effect from the 1st January 1879.

Moonsifees.	Thanas.	Sub-divisions.
Sitakund (head-quarters at Mirserai) ...	Mirserai	Chittagong, or the Sudder (head-quarters at Chittagong.)
	Kumirah, with outpost Sitakund ...	
Futtickcherry (head-quarters at Futtickcherry.)	Futtickcherry	
Hathazaree (head-quarters at Hathazaree)	Hathazaree	
Roujan (head-quarters at Roujan)*a* ...	Roujan, with outpost Rangonea ...	
Chittagong or the Sudder (head-quarters at Chittagong.)	Chittagong	
Putteah (head-quarters at Putteah)*b* ...	Putteah	
Anwara (head-quarters at Anwara) ...	Banskhally, with outposts Anwara and Parkee	
Satkania (head-quarters at Satkania) ...	Satkania, with outpost Juldee of Thana Banskhally	
Cox's Bazar (head-quarters at Cox's Bazar)	Cox's Bazar with outpost Ramoo, Chukooria	Cox's Bazar (head-quarters at Cox's Bazar.)
	Mascal, with outpost Kootubdia ...	
	Teknaf with outpost Ookhia ...	

a Has a 2nd Moonsif with head-quarters at Rangonea.
b Has a 2nd Moonsif with head-quarters at Korondip.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—In supersession of the notification dated 15th August 1870, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 24th idem, the following revised local jurisdictions of the Moonsiffees in district 24-Pergunnahs are hereby published for general information:—

Moonsiffees.	Thanas.	Remarks.	Moonsiffees.	Thanas.	Remarks.
Diamond Harbour, head-quarters at Diamond Harbour.	Bankipur.		Busseerhat, head-quarters at Busseerhat.	Baduria.	
	Debipur.			Busseerhat.	
	Diamond Harbour.			Haroa.	
	Sultanpur.			Hasanabad.	
	Mathurapur.		Satkhira, head-quaters at Satkhira.	Kalaroa.	
Barripore, head-quarters at Barripore.	Barripore.			Magoora.	
	Mutla.			Satkhira.	
	Jaynagar.			Asasuni.	
Alipore, head-quarters at Alipore.	Bhangar.			Kaliganj.	
	Tollygunge.		Baraset, head-quarters at Baraset.	Naihati.	
	Sonarpur.			Habra.	
	Vishnupur.			Diganga.	
	Atcheepore.			Baraset.	
	Ballygunge ...	Included in Calcutta Suburbs.	Sealdah, head-quarters at Sealdah.	Barrackpore.	
	Bhowanipore ...			Dum-Dum.	
	Tollygunge ...			Barnagore.	
	Alipore ...			Cossipore ...	Included in Calcutta Suburbs.
	Durgapur ...			Chitpore ...	
	Watganj ...			Ultadanga ...	
	Ikbalpur ...			Maniktala ...	
	Gardon Reach ...			Beliaghata ...	
				Intally ...	
				Beniapukur ...	

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th February 1879.—At the instance of the Government of Fort St. George the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Kistna Collector's Office, Masulipatam, 31st January 1879.

IT is hereby notified, under Section V of "The Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878)," that on or about the 4th September 1877, a copper vessel containing gold and silver jewels valued in all at Rs. 70-14, as detailed below, was found buried in the puttah land of Patti Peda Latchereddi of Kambhampad, in the Palnad Taluq of the Kistna district.

2. All persons claiming the treasure, or any part thereof, are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Kistna at his office on the 12th June 1879, in order to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

Description of Articles.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
8 Ingots of gold	24	12	0
2 Female ear ornaments	7	14	0
4 Gold wires	26	4	0
2 Small ear ornaments	5	0	0
1 Gold ring	4	4	0
1 Gold bead	0	14	0
2 Silver bangles	1	14	0
2 Pieces of a broken copper vessel	...		
Total ...	70	14	0

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 6 of Act VIII of 1878, that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioner of the Dacca division to be "Chief Customs Officer" in the port of Naraingunge, in the district of Dacca.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of Act VIII of 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that Naraingunge, in the district of Dacca, shall be a port for the carrying on of coasting trade with customs ports, and for no other purpose.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—Plans and estimates, the latter amounting to Rs. 14,500, for the construction of a landing stage at Schalch's Wharf, in place of the jetty erected there, having been submitted by the Port Commissioners with their Vice-Chairman's letter No. 3122, dated the 9th January 1879, and approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1878, that from and after the 1st April 1879, no boat not duly licensed and registered shall be allowed to ply as a cargo-boat for the landing and shipping of merchandise within the limits of the port of Dhamra in the province of Orissa. It is also notified that, until further orders, no fee will be charged for such license and registration. Application for registration should be made to the Port Officer of Chandbally.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—Under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1878 (the Sea Customs Act) the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Port Officer of Chandbally to issue licenses for and register cargo-boats plying within the limits of the port of Dhamra in the province of Orissa. Under that Section, and under Section 7 of Act XII of 1875 (the Indian Ports Act), the following rules are hereby prescribed. These rules shall come into force on the 1st April 1879:—

Rules sanctioned by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the issue of Licenses for, and Registration of, Cargo-boats by the Port Officer of Chandbally for the Dhamra Port, under Section 79 of Act VIII of 1878 and Section 7 of Act XII of 1875.

I.—Each application for the licensing and registration of a cargo-boat must contain particulars of the owner's name and residence and the tonnage of the boat.

II.—The applications shall be made to the Port Officer of Chandbally, who shall cause the boats to be examined and shall certify that they are safe.

III.—The Port Officer shall, every six months, cause the boats to be surveyed, and if any boat is found unsafe, shall withdraw the license held by the owner of the said boat until it shall have been repaired to his satisfaction.

IV.—The Port Officer may from time to time condemn any boat found to be thoroughly unsafe, and may refuse to allow it to be repaired.

V.—The licenses issued will be free until further orders of Government, but shall be issued subject to all the conditions specified in these rules.

VI.—The licenses issued will be current until they are withdrawn by the Port Officer, provided that this condition may be modified if it should be determined hereafter to fix any license fee.

VII.—All licenses will be registered in the order of granting, but when any license is permanently withdrawn, then the next license issued shall bear the number of the license withdrawn.

VIII.—The number of the license must be painted in black letters on a white ground on both the bows of every licensed boat; the figures must not be less than six inches in length and four inches in breadth.

IX.—The license must be produced whenever demanded by the Port Officer of Chandbally, or any of his subordinates, by any Officer of Police or Customs, or by any person using or hiring the boat.

X.—Cargo-boats the manjees of which shall not produce their license as aforesaid may be treated as unlicensed boats, failing an explanation satisfactory to the Port Officer of Chandbally, or, in his absence, to the Customs Officer at the station.

XI.—Any goods found within the limits of the port on board of any boat not duly licensed and registered shall, unless such goods be covered by a special permit from the officer in charge of the Custom House, be liable to confiscation, and the owner or the person in charge of the boat shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees.

XII.—No cargo-boats shall be licensed unless provided with a sufficient crew, to be specified in the license.

XIII.—If any license be cancelled for any reason, the holder thereof shall be bound to deliver it up to the Port Officer of Chandbally.

XIV.—Scale of crews:—

Class 1st, square-built, open, or decked.

For a boat of not more than	15	tons	burthen,		4	men, including manjee.	
Above	15	tons and under	20	tons,	5	ditto	ditto.
Do.	20	ditto	25	„	6	ditto	ditto.
Do.	25	ditto	30	„	7	ditto	ditto.
Do.	30	ditto	35	„	8	ditto	ditto.
Do.	35	ditto	40	„	9	ditto	ditto.
Do.	40	ditto	...	„	10	ditto	ditto.

Class 2nd, Bhurs or Pattamoondi Boats.

For a boat of not more than	15	tons	burthen,		4	men, including manjee.	
Above	15	tons and under	20	tons,	5	ditto	ditto.
Do.	20	ditto	30	„	6	ditto	ditto.
Do.	30	ditto	35	„	7	ditto	ditto.
Do.	35	ditto	...	„	8	ditto	ditto.
Pattiah (small boats)	3	to	6	„	3	ditto	ditto.

XV.—Any licensed cargo-boat found plying within the limits of the port of Dhamra with less than the prescribed scale of crew under Rule XIV, or with deficient ground-tackle and appliances, shall be liable to withdrawal of license until such deficiency be made good to the satisfaction of the Port Officer of Chandbally.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Third Publication.]

The 5th February 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 8.)

INDIA—WEST COAST—KATTYWAR.

Fixed Light at Goapnath Point, Gulf of Cambay.

Information has been received from the Executive Engineer, Bhaunagar State, that a light is now exhibited from a light-house recently erected on Goapnath point, at the entrance to the Gulf of Cambay.

The light is a fixed *white* light, elevated 68 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather through an arc of 180°, or between the bearings of S. S. W., through west, to N. N. E., from a distance of 6 miles.

The light-house—a buff-coloured limestone masonry tower, 32 feet high from base to vane—is situated on a hillock 240 yards inshore from Goapnath point.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric or by lenses of the 6th order.

Position: Latitude 21° 11′ 35″ N., longitude 72° 6′ 0″ E.

[*Bearings are Magnetic and from Seaward: Variation* 1° *Easterly in* 1879].

By Direction of the Government of India.

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr.* (*late I.N.*),
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 3rd February 1879.

This Notice affects the following British Admiralty Charts, Nos. 50, 51, 2736, 826, 748*b*; Sailing Directions "West Coast of Hindostan pilot;" page 177; Light List for 1879.

Indian Marine Survey Chart, No. 15; Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 361; Light List for 1879.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing directions to which it relates.

[Third Publication.]

The 7th February 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 9.)

THE MARKING OF WRECKS.

The Corporation of the Trinity House, London, has issued the following notice:—

"It being desirable, when light-vessels or other craft are anchored to mark the position of wrecks, that Mariners should be able to distinguish them, and to learn on which side of them they should go,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That with these objects, wreck-marking vessels will in future have their top-sides colored *green*, and will exhibit—

BY DAY—Three balls on a yard 20 feet above the sea; two placed *vertically* on the side on which navigating vessels may safely pass, and one on the other side.

BY NIGHT—Three *white* fixed lights will be shewn similarly arranged, but not the ordinary riding light.

Mariners will thus know, on sighting a wreck-marking craft, that she is so employed; and that they should pass on that side of her on which the two balls or two lights are shewn."

The above is published for general information.

By Direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr.* (*late I. N.*),
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 5th February 1879.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for constructing a post-office bungalow in the village of Kansat, pergunnah Sirsabad, zillah Maldah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, five cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the south by Samiruddin Chowdhury's waste land; on the north by a road to the ghât on the Ganges; on the east by a road leading to the zemindari kachari and by Sakir chowkeedar's house; and on the west by Samiruddin Chowdhury's arat house (godown), is required within the aforesaid village of Kansat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1248A.

The 19th February 1879.—Baboo Protap Chunder Mozoomdar, B.L., is appointed to act as First Moonsif of Jessore, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Nil Madhab Mookerjee, or until further orders.

The 21st February 1879.—Mr. O. T. Barrow, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Pooree, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

Baboo Saroda Prosad Sarkar, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Fenny River division of the Noakholly district, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

The 24th February 1879.—Baboo Ram Persad, Second Subordinate Judge of Patna, now on deputation to Tirhoot, is appointed to be Second Subordinate Judge of Tirhoot.

Hafiz Abdool Kurreem is appointed to be Second Subordinate Judge of Patna, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Subordinate Judge of Bhagulpore.

Baboo Jeebun Kristo Chatterjee is appointed to be Second Subordinate Judge of Mymensingh, but will act temporarily as Second Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye and Judge of the Court of Small Causes of Pubna.

Baboo Kali Prosunno Mookerjee is appointed to be a Subordinate Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of the Fourth Grade, and to be Second Subordinate Judge of Sarun.

The 25th February 1879.—Baboo Ambika Charan Ghose, Moonsif, Diamond Harbour, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, is allowed leave for three months, under Section 8, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him under the orders of the 26th November 1878.

The following gentlemen are appointed, under Section 8, Act IV of 1877, to be Presidency Magistrates for the Town of Calcutta:—

The Hon'ble A. B. Inglis
Mr. G. Yule.
„ J. Murdoch.
„ E. A. Thurburn.
„ G. F. Mewburn.
„ J. W. Furrell.
„ J. Martin.
„ D. J. Zemin.
Mr. E. Lindstedt.
„ J. R. Napier.
„ E. Hickie.
Baboo Sham Churn Laha.
„ Kali Nath Mitter.
„ Kali Prosunno Ghose.
„ Amirto Nath Mitter.
Haji Nur Mahomed.

Mr. W. H. Ryland, Judge of the Small Cause Court at Sealdah, is allowed leave for one month, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo.

Baboo Dwarka Nath Mitter, B.L., Moonsif of Sealdah, in the 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Sealdah, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. H. Ryland, or until further orders.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th February 1879.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 3, Act XIV of 1874 (the Scheduled Districts Act), the Lieutenant-Governor, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, hereby declares that Act VI of 1864 (Whipping Act) is in force in the mehals of Ungool and Bankee.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Sections 35 and 40 of Act XI of 1865, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. H. Ryper, Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, Sealdah, to be Registrar of that Court, and vests him with the power to try suits up to Rs. 20 in value arising within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 to the town of Revilgunge, in the district of Sarun.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th February 1879.—The following revised notification is published for general information, in supersession of the notification, dated 1st February 1879, published at page 116, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th idem.

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the district of Maldah be excluded from the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and be included in that of the District and Sessions Judge and the Subordinate Judge of Rajshahye, and that the Sessions Court do sit for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the District Magistracy of Maldah, at Maldah, which place has been approved of by the High Court.

2. Application will be made to the Government of India for sanction to the abolition of the office of Assistant and Joint Sessions Judge in the districts of Darjeeling and Julpigoree. The Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division do cease to exercise jurisdiction as Civil and Sessions Judge in those districts, and that the district of Darjeeling be included in the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judge of Dinagepore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge now exercised by the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner in the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Darjeeling as the place where the sittings of the Court of Session shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

3. The Lieutenant-Governor further directs that, saving always the provisions of Act XVI of 1869, the district of Julpigoree be included within the jurisdiction of the District and Sessions Judge and of the Subordinate Judges of Rungpore, and that the powers of a Subordinate Judge exercised by the Deputy ommissioner of the former district be withdrawn. He further, with the approval of the High Court, appoints Julpigoree as the place where the sittings of the Court of Sessions shall be held for the trial of Sessions cases arising in the district of that name.

4. These arrangements will take effect from the 1st March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd February 1879.—In continuation of Government notification dated the 19th July 1878, it is hereby notified, under the provisions of Section 15 of Act V of 1861, that in consequence of the continued existence of ill feeling in the undermentioned village and the probability that, if the police were withdrawn, a breach of the peace would occur, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the retention, for a further period of six months, from the 31st January 1879, of the reduced special police force of one head-constable and four constables, quartered in the village of Singkhali, in the Perozepore subdivision, in the district

of Backergunge. The cost of the force noted below will, as before, be assessed and levied from the inhabitants of the village in proportion to their respective means :—

		Rs.	A.	P.
One fourth grade head-constable		10	0	0
Four ditto constables at Rs. 6		24	0	0
Pensionary charges at 2 annas per rupee		4	4	0
Contingent charges at 10 per cent.		3	6	0
Dinghy hire at Rs. 8 per mensem		8	0	0
Total ...		49	10	0
Or for six months		297	12	0
Clothing allowance for six months		10	0	0
Total ...		307	12	0

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th February 1879.

No. 42—*O.—Leave of absence*—Mr. M. P. B. Dwell, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Superintending Engineer (temporary rank), Third Grade, North-Western Circle, is allowed furlough for twenty months, under Civil Leave Code, Chapter IV, Section 12.

2. Mr. Dwell is also allowed preparatory leave for one month, under the above Code, Chapter VI, Section 24.

The 24th February 1879.

No. 45.—Mr. L. R. Roberts, Superintending Engineer (temporary rank), Second Grade, assumed charge of the North-Western Circle on the 17th February 1879, after noon.

No. 46—*Appointment* —Mr. A. N. Stewart is permanently appointed as Collector of Tolls and Supervisor of the Calcutta Canals and Tolly's Nullah, under Sections 8 and 13 of Act V (B.L.C.) of 1864, with effect from the 1st March 1877.

No. 47, *Notification.*—The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No. 96 *of the* 18*th February* 1879.—Mr. W. B. Gwyther, Engineer Apprentice, Bengal Provincial Establishment, is promoted to Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, with effect from 1st April 1878.

No. 98 *of the* 20*th February* 1879.—The following changes are ordered in the Superior Accounts Establishment, with effect from 1st January 1879, *vice* Colonel A. Davidson, R.E., Examiner, First Class, First Grade, retired :—

Mr. F. R. Boyce, Examiner, First Class, Second Grade, to be Examiner, First Class, First Grade.

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LOCAL COMMUNICATIONS.

The 24th February 1879.

No. 48.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a road from "Batajore to Shloke," in zillah Backergunge, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 2½ miles in length by 70 feet in width, and passing through the villages of Batajore, Deopara, Dakhin Pachimpara, Lakhmankatti, Attakjogi-hati, and Shloke, in thana Gournadi, is required.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. CADELL, COL., R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

Dated 19*th February* 1879.

No. 63.—*Notification.*—In modification of the orders marginally noted, Mr. Kamil Cuny, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, is posted to the South-Western Circle.

No. 55, dated 12th February 1879.

Dated 20th February 1879.

No. 64.—*Posting.*—With reference to Notification No. 13, dated the 13th January 1879, Mr. A. C. C. Rogers, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Brahminee-Byturnee Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 3rd February 1879.

Dated 24th February 1879.

No. 65.—*Notification.*—Mr. G. A. G. Shawe, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, who reported his return from Madras Famine Relief Works on the afternoon of the 24th February 1879, is posted to the Sone Circle.

No. 66.—*Erratum.*—In Notification No. 60, dated 18th February 1879, for "16 months" read "15 months and 18 days."

H. C. LEVINGE,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. D., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

The 20th February 1879.

No. 12.—*Notifications.*—Notification No. 11 of the 11th February 1879, granting Mr. G. M. Drury, Probationary Traffic Superintendent, Northern Bengal State Railway, one month's privilege leave, is hereby cancelled at his own request.

No. 13.—Referring to Government of Bengal, General Department Notification No. 731A, of the 31st January 1879, Assistant Surgeon Baboo Umrito Lall Dass assumed medical charge of the Northern Bengal State Railway on the forenoon of the 10th instant.

J. G. LINDSAY, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Jt.-Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

No. 14.—With reference to notification No. 9, of the 20th January 1879, Mr. T. M. Vigors, Executive Engineer, First Grade, resumed duty as Superintendent of Works, Assam and Dacca Railway Surveys, on the forenoon of the 2nd idem.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Gya and Hazareebagh, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Gya to Daltongunge *viâ* Shergotty.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Mozufferpore, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Mozufferpore to Hajeepore and from Somastipore to Hajeepore.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1619, *dated* 24*th February* 1879.—Baboo Udoy Chand Dutt made over charge of the Furreedpore Jail to Dr. James Greene in the forenoon of the 15th February 1879.

S. S. LYNCH,
Dy. Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 19th February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of March next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৯ফেব্রুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই মার্চ সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের তৃতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত সময়ে উক্ত স্থানে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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HIGH COURT NOTICES.

HIGH COURT,—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated 19*th February* 1879.

Mr. W. R. Fink, Assistant Registrar, Original Side, has obtained one month's privilege leave under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code with effect from the 24th instant.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

CIVIL.

No. 7, *dated the* 10*th February* 1879.

The annexed forms of return showing the proceedings of the Civil Courts in insolvency are prescribed for use, and will be submitted by District Judges in future half-yearly with the quarterly returns for the 2nd and 4th quarters.

2. A return for the whole of the past year should also be prepared, and submitted with the other forms of annual statement.

Proceedings in Insolvency under Chapter XX, Act X of 1877, *in the district of* *during the half-year* 18

PART I.—SHOWING THE NUMBER AND RESULT OF APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 344.

NAME OF COURT.	Number of applications to be declared an insolvent dealt with during the year.				Number of applications granted under Section 351.		Number of applications refused.			Number of applications withdrawn or otherwise not prosecuted.	Disposed of by transfer	Number of applications pending at the end of year.	REMARKS.
	Pending from previous year.	Filed during this year.	Received by transfer.	TOTAL.	In which a Receiver was appointed.	In which insolvent was discharged without appointment of a Receiver under Section 351.	In which proceedings under Section 359 were not taken.	In which the Court passed sentence of imprisonment under Section 359.	In which applicant was sent to the Magistrate under Section 359.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
TOTAL ...													

PART II.—SHOWING THE NUMBER OF ESTATES IN THE HANDS OF RECEIVERS AND THE PROGRESS MADE IN WINDING UP.

NAME OF COURT.	Number of insolvents' estates in the hands of Receivers.				Amount of creditors' claims dealt with during the year.					Amount of insolvents' assets realized and outstanding.				REMARKS.
	Pending at the close of the previous year.	Placed in charge of a Receiver during the year.	Number of estates in regard to which proceedings were finally closed during the year.	Pending at the close of the year.	Unsatisfied and pending at the close of previous year.	Admitted.	Disallowed.	Satisfied.	Unsatisfied and pending at the close of the year.	Amount of realised assets in the hands of Receivers at the close of the previous year.	Gross amount realised during the year.	Total amount of disbursements.	Amount remaining in the hands of Receivers at the close of the year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
TOTAL ...														

SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICES.

UNDER section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Narail will, in addition to the ordinary sittings, sit again in that Court on the dates mentioned below:—

Friday, the 21st March 1879. | Saturday, the 22nd March 1879.

NARAIL SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 18th February 1879. JOHN WESTON, *Judge.*

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes at Kooshtea, Pubna, and Chooadangah will hold his sittings in the month of March 1879 as below, except Sundays and holidays:—

From 1st to 10th March 1879		
„ 18th to 22nd „ „		Kooshtea.
and on the 31st „ „		
From 11th to 17th „ „		Pubna.
„ 23rd to 30th „ „		Chooadangah.

BULLORAM MULLICK, *Offg. Judge.*

CHOOADANGH SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 21st February 1879.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Dacca and Munshigunge will sit in the former Court on the 7th March next.

AMRITA LAL CHATTERJI, *Judge, Small Cause Court.*

DACCA SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 21st February 1879.

TREASURY NOTICES.

MR. C. P. CASPERSZ, Assistant Collector, has been placed in charge of the Chittagong treasury, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. BEAMES, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, CHITTAGONG, the 17th February 1879

BABOO SRINATH BHUDDER, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Cuttack treasury, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

A. SMITH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ORISSA DIVISION, CUTTACK, the 20th February 1879.

DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO HURICHURN GHOSE has been placed in charge of the Chumparun Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissioner.*

PATNA COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, the 4th February 1879.

COVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. R. H. GREAVES has been placed in charge of the Gya Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

F. M. HALLIDAY, *Commissio*

PATNA COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICE.

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

The undermentioned Students have passed the Examination for Honors in Arts :—

ENGLISH.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

Narayan Das	...	Lahore College.
Ghosh, Saradaprasad	...	Presidency College.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

Chattopadhyay, Mohinimohan	...	Presidency College.
Mallik, Ramcharan	..	Ditto.

SANSKRIT.

SECOND DIVISION.

Nag, Kunjalal	...	Sanskrit College

HISTORY.

SECOND DIVISION.

Sukul, Kalisankar	..	Presidency College.

MATHEMATICS.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

Mitra, Surendranath	...	Presidency College.
Gupta, Asutosh	...	Ditto.
Ray, Saradaranjan	...	Ditto.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

Gargari, Haridas	...	Presidency College.
Bandyopadhyay, Haridas	...	Ditto.

PHILOSOPHY.

FIRST DIVISION.

Agasti, Suryyakumar	...	Presidency College.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

Ray, Chandranarayan	...	Hugli College.
Chhajjumal	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.

THIRD DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

Haragobinda Dayal	...	Muir Central College, Allahabad.
Sanyal, Abhyacharan	...	Ditto.
Maitra, Batukrishna	...	Ditto.
Dhar, Nagendranath	...	Hugli College.

The undermentioned Students have passed the Examination for the Degree of M. A. :-

In Alphabetical Order.

Bhaduri, Lalbihari	...	Free Church Institution.
Das, Ramsaran	...	Canning College, Lucknow.
Datta, Asminikumar	...	Krishnaghur College.
De, Brajendralal	...	Sanskrit College.
Dutt, William	...	Teacher.
Ghosh, Priyanath	...	St. Xavier's College.
Goswami, Kisorilal	...	Free Church Institution.
Mukhopadhyay, Bamapada	...	Teacher.
Pál, Tulsicharan	...	Free Church Institution.
Palit, Priyanath	...	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 21st February 1879.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY,
Registrar

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 129B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Tuesday, the 4th March 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 10th and 19th March 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Monday, the 10th March 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Wednesday, the 19th March 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 3rd April 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Thursday, 1st May „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	22,500	22,500	45,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th January 1879.

No. 288B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday the 3rd April 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th April 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 18th April 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 1st May	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ,,	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total		...	20,000	20,000	40,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th February 1879.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on the 15th February 1879.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	3,50,599	22,284	7,26,129	10,99,012
French Kurkutch	32,446	.....	.....	32,446
Italian ditto	19,666	.....	.....	19,666
Bombay ditto	93,736	.....	11,939	1,05,675
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ..	2,78,228	.....	24,897	3,03,125
Ceylon Kurkutch	38,186	.....	.....	38,186
Egyptian ditto	29,962	.....	.....	29,962
Total ...	8,42,823	22,284	7,62,965	16,28,072

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
J. S. ARMSTRONG, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 22nd February 1879.

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PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 19th February 1879.

No. 102.—The services of Mr. A. Porteous, of the Bengal Civil Service, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

The 20th February 1879.

No. 105.—Leave of absence on private affairs is granted to the Honorable G. C. Paul, B.A., C.I.E., Advocate-General for Bengal, for a period of six months with effect from the 17th March next, together with two months' extraordinary leave at the end of the six months' special leave.

He is also allowed subsidiary leave of absence for four days from the 13th to the 16th March next, both days inclusive.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 20th February 1879.

No. 73.—The Reverend C. G. Moore, Junior Chaplain of St. John's Church, Calcutta, is appointed to be Chaplain of Rangoon with effect from the 29th December last.

The following order, issued by the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, is republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATION.—MARINE SURVEYS.—CASUALTIES AND DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Calcutta, the 20th February 1879.

No. 11 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information:—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—CELEBES ISLAND—NORTH COAST.

Shoal Coral Ground in Strait of Banka.

The Netherlands Government has given notice of the existence of two coral shoals lying nearly in the fairway of Strait of Banka, north coast of Celebes island:

1. A shoal, on which the least water found was 3¾ fathoms, lying with the following bearings, *viz.*:—

Cape Coffin...	...	S. 56¾° E.
Likoepang flagstaff	...	S. 39¼ W.
North cape ..	...	N. 80¾ W.

2. A shoal, on which the shoalest depth obtained was 6¼ fathoms, situated 9 cables north-west of the above shoal, and lying with the following bearings, *viz.*:—

Cape Coffin ..	...	S. 54¼° E.
Likoepang flagstaff	...	S. 31¾ W.
North cape...	...	N. 85¼ W.

NOTE.—The south point of Nain island just open of North cape leads northward of this shoal ground.

[*The bearings are Magnetic. Variation* 1¾° *Easterly in 1879.*]

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I.N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

CALCUTTA,—Marine Survey Department;
The 20th February 1879.

By Order, &c.,
A. O. HUME,
Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following:—

BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts Nos. 943, 2575, and 930.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

NOTIFICATION.—POLITICAL.

Fort William, the 21st February 1879.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is republished for general information :—

No. 671*P.*—The following extract from the *London Gazette* dated 14th January 1879, is published for general information :—

Foreign Office, January 13, 1879.

The Government of France have given notice for the termination of the following Commercial Treaties with this Country :—

The Treaty of Commerce of the 23rd of January, 1860.

Additional Article of 25th of February 1860.

Second Additional Article of 27th of June, 1860.

First Supplementary Convention of 12th of October, 1860.

Second Supplementary Convention of 16th of November, 1860.

Treaty of Commerce and Navigation of 23rd of July, 1873.

Convention Supplementary to ditto of 24th of January 1874, and

Declaration relative to Expertise of 24th of January, 1874.

This Notice will take effect on the 1st of January, 1880.

No. 672*P.*—The following extract from the *London Gazette*, dated 10th January 1879, is published for general information :—

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 30th day of *December*, 1878.

PRESENT:

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by an Act passed in the 37th year of Her Majesty's reign, chapter 88, intituled "The Slave Trade Act, 1873," it was, amongst other things, provided that, where any Treaty in relation to the slave trade is made after the passing of that Act, by or on behalf of Her Majesty with any Foreign State, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that as from such date, not being earlier than the date of the Treaty as may be specified in the Order, such Treaty shall be deemed to be an existing Slave Trade Treaty within the meaning of the Act, and it was further provided that thereupon (as from the said date, or, if no date should be specified, as from the date of such Order) all the provisions of the Act should apply and be construed accordingly.

And whereas on the 4th day of August in the year 1877 a Treaty or Convention for the suppression of the Slave Trade was concluded between Her Majesty's Government and the Government of His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, in the following terms, that is to say :—

"The Government of Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Government of His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, being mutually animated by a sincere desire to co-operate for the extinction of the traffic in slaves, and having resolved to conclude a Convention for the purpose of attaining this object, the undersigned, duly authorized for this purpose, have agreed upon the following Articles :—

"ARTICLE I.

"The Government of His Highness the Khedive having already promulgated a law forbidding the trade in slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) within the countries under His Highness' authority, engages to prohibit absolutely from henceforward the importation of any slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) into any part of the territory of Egypt or her dependencies, or their transit through her territories whether by land or sea; and to punish severely, in the manner provided by existing Egyptian law, or in such manner as may hereafter be determined, any person who may be found engaged, directly or indirectly, in the traffic in slaves (negroes or Abyssinians). The Government of His Highness the Khedive further engages to prohibit absolutely any negroes or Abyssinians from leaving the territory of Egypt or her dependencies, unless it be proved indubitably that such negroes or Abyssinians are free or manumitted.

"It shall be stated in the certificates of manumission or passports which shall be delivered to them by the Egyptian Authorities before their departure that they may dispose of themselves without restriction or reserve.

"ARTICLE II.

"Any person who, either in Egypt or on the confines of Egypt and her dependencies towards the centre of Africa, may be found engaged in the traffic in slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) either directly or indirectly, shall, together with his accomplices, be considered by the Government of the Khedive as guilty of 'stealing with murder' ('vol avec meurtre'); if subject to Egyptian jurisdiction he shall be handed over for trial to a court-martial, if not he shall immediately be handed over for trial according to the laws of his country to the competent tribunals, with the depositions (procès verbaux) drawn up by the Egyptian superior authority of the place where the traffic has been proved, and all other documents or evidence ('eléments de conviction') handed over by the said authority and destined to serve as proofs at the trial of the traders so far as those laws may admit of such proof.

"All slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) found in the possession of a dealer in slaves shall be liberated and dealt with in conformity with the provisions of Article III, and of Annex (A) to the present Convention.

"ARTICLE III.

"Taking into consideration the impossibility of sending back to their homes slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) who may be captured from slave dealers and liberated, without exposing them to the risk of perishing from fatigue or want, or of falling again into slavery, the Egyptian Government will continue to take and apply in their favour such measures as they have already adopted, and which are hereinafter enumerated in Annex (A) to the present Convention.

"ARTICLE IV.

"The Egyptian Government will exert all the influence it may possess among the tribes of Central Africa, with the view of preventing the wars which are carried on for the purpose of procuring and selling slaves.

"It engages to pursue as murderers all persons who may be found engaged in the mutilation of or traffic in children, if such persons are amenable to Egyptian jurisdiction they will be brought before a court-martial; if not they will be handed over to the competent tribunals to be dealt with according as the law of their country directs,

together with the depositions (procés verbaux) and other documents or evidence ('eléments de conviction') as laid down in Article II.

"ARTICLE V.

"The Egyptian Government engages to publish a special Ordinance, the text of which shall be annexed to the present Convention, prohibiting altogether all traffic in slaves within Egyptian territories after a date to be specified in the Ordinance, and providing also for the punishment of persons guilty of violating the provisions of the Ordinance.

"ARTICLE VI.

"With the view to the more effectual suppression of the traffic in slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) in the Red Sea, the Egyptian Government agrees that British cruizers may visit, search, and, if necessary, detain, in order to hand over to the nearest or most convenient Egyptian authority for trial, any Egyptian vessel which may be found engaged in the traffic in slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) as well as any Egyptian vessel which may fairly be suspected of being intended for that traffic, or which may have been engaged in it on the voyage during which she has been met with.

"This right of visit and detention may be exercised in the Red Sea, in the Gulf of Aden, on the coast of Arabia, and on the East Coast of Africa, and in the maritime waters of Egypt and her dependencies.

"All slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) captured by a British cruizer on board an Egyptian vessel shall be at the disposal of the British Government, who undertakes to adopt efficient measures for securing to them their freedom.

"The vessel and her cargo as well as the crew shall be handed over for trial to the nearest or most convenient Egyptian authority.

"Nevertheless, in all cases where it may not be possible for the commander of the cruizer making the capture to forward the captured slaves to a British depot, or where from any other circumstances it may appear desirable and in the interest of the captured slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) that they should be handed over to the Egyptian authorities, the Egyptian Government engages, on an application being made to them by the commander of the British cruizer, or by an officer deputed by him for that purpose, to take over charge of the captured negroes or Abyssinians, and to secure to them their freedom with all the other privileges stipulated for on behalf of negrose or Abyssinians captured by the Egyptian authorities.

"The British Government, on its part, agrees that all vessels navigating under the British flag in the Red Sea, in the Gulf of Aden, along the coast of Arabia, and the East Coast of Africa, or in the inland waters of Egypt and her dependencies, which may be found engaged in the traffic in slaves (negroes or Abyssinians), may be visited, seized, and detained by the Egyptian authorities, but it is agreed that the vessel and its cargo shall, together with its crew, be handed over to the nearest British authority for trial.

"The captured slaves (negroes or Abyssinians) shall be released by the Egyptian Government, and shall remain at their disposal.

"If the competent tribunal should decide that the seizure, detention, or prosecution was unfounded, the Government of the cruizer will be liable to pay to the Government of the prize a compensation appropriate to the circumstances of the case.

"ARTICLE VII.

"The present Convention shall come into operation from the date of the signature hereof for Egypt proper as far as Assouan, and within three months from the date of signature for the Egyptian possessions in Upper Africa and on the shores of the Red Sea.

"In witness whereof the undersigned have signed the present Convention, and have affixed thereto their seals.

"Done at Alexandria this fourth day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.) "C. VIVIAN.
(L.S.) "CHERIFF.

"And whereas it is expedient that the said Treaty or Convention should be brought within the operation of 'The Slave Trade Act, 1873.'"

Now therefore Her Majesty by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf as aforesaid is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order and it is hereby ordered as follows:

The said Treaty or Convention hereinbefore recited shall from the said 4th day of August 1877, being the day of the date thereof, be deemed to have been and to be an existing Slave Trade Treaty within the meaning of "The Slave Trade Act, 1873."

And the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, the Right Honourable the Marquis of Salisbury, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

C. L. Peel.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information:—

SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

Fort William, the 21st February 1879.

No. 883.—Under the provisions of Sections 13 and 63 of the Post Office Act of 1866, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to prescribe the following revised rules respecting the contents of packets in "open covers" forwarded by inland post from one part of India to another. The terms "Book Packets" or "Pattern Packet" will be used to designate the packets posted under the revised rules.

PRESENT RULES RELATING TO THE CONTENTS OF PACKETS IN OPEN COVERS.

Contents of Packets.

Packets must not contain any communication having the character of an actual and personal correspondence, unless such communication be wholly printed, lithographed or papyrographed. But proof sheets marked as such on the outside under the signature of the sender (even though they bear manuscript corrections) are reckoned as being "wholly printed" within the meaning of this rule; and press manuscripts intended for publication are not reckoned as having the character of an actual and personal correspondence, provided that the packet has on the outside above the address the superscription "Press manuscript," and is addressed to the office of a newspaper.

REVISED RULES RELATING TO THE CONTENTS OF BOOK-PACKETS AND PATTERN-PACKETS IN OPEN COVERS.

Contents of Book-packets.

A Book-packet may contain any paper, parchment or card-board, with or without printing or writing; also any legitimate binding, mounting, covering or other ordinary appurtenances of books or maps: provided that there shall be no communication having the character of an actual and personal correspondence, unless such communication be wholly printed, lithographed or papyrographed. Proof sheets marked as such on the outside under the signature of the sender (even though they may bear manuscript corrections) shall be reckoned as being "wholly printed" within the meaning of this rule. Press manuscripts intended for publication shall not be reckoned as having the character of an actual and personal correspondence, provided that the packet has on the outside above the address, the superscription "Press manuscript" and is addressed to the office of a newspaper.

Contents of Pattern-packets.

A pattern-packet may contain only *bonâ fide trade patterns or samples of merchandise.* There must be no writing upon or in any packet except the address of the person for whom it is intended, the name and address of the sender, a trade mark or number, and the price of the articles.

No change is hereby made in the rules governing the mode of transmission, packing, size or prepayment of articles in open covers, or of the treatment of those not fulfilling the prescribed conditions.

These rules will have effect, in respect of articles posted on or after the 1st April 1879.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information;—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Fort William, the 21st February 1879.

No. 156.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave:—

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No. 157.—Lieutenant H. Pratt, Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps, is granted leave of absence to proceed to Europe, with effect from the 8th February to the 31st December 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Choitro, 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
173	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 2 14	2 6 4	4 13 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HIME, *Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Chait 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

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Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
56	2217	Patonda, pergunnah Mundleghat	3 3 12	25 1 8	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to sale at the Rajshahye Collectorate on the 26th of March 1879, corresponding with the 13th of Choitra 1285 (Bengali).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedules of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estates to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
89	1882	Hazarahati, in pergunnah Luskerpore	1 2 28	6 0 0	12 0 0
5	1601	Shahpore, in pergunnah Turpeh Boas	43 0 2	12 0 0	24 0 0
41	1593	Chuk Jolkisto, in pergunnah Sorabajoo	0 2 0	1 4 0	2 8 0

J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector.*

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Patna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 14th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Towji number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	REMARKS.
		Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.		
		Rs. A. P.		
20	Bhudsara, pergunnah Masondha.	1,314 5 6	Mussamut Barati Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Baboo Beer Narain Singh and others, malika.	Out of the sudder jumma Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 669-13-3 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishoon Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 644-9-3, on account of the shares of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kalas Puttu Narain Singh, Baboo Hari Narayan Singh, Baboo Mahinder Narayan Singh, Baboo Raghoobuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother, and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheeree Pershad Narayan Singh, minor, and Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Harukh Lall, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
22	Ditto ...	1,314 5 6	Ditto ...	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 750-5-4 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishur Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 564-0-2 on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kallas Puttee Narain Singh, Baboo Haree Narain Singh, Baboo Mohender Narain Singh, Baboo Baghubuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheshree Pershad Narain Singh, minor, Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor, Harakh Lall, Harakh Narain Singh, and Mussamut Jay Koer, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
229	Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, pergunnah Ayimabad.	1,185 5 7	Raghu Nath Sahay and others, malika.	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,185-5-7, Rs. 1,097-8-4 is deducted in respect of mouzahs Mosulluhpore, Sadekpore, Jogee, Sakutpore Lodee Heeranunpore, Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, Janarjunpore, Huzrutpore, Akharia, Hummotpore Deara, and Nesf (8 annas) Kalyanpore, on account of the shares of Baneo Persad Sahoo *alias* Madho Lall Saho, and others, applicants, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 87-13-3 in respect of 8 annas of Kalyanpore, appertaining to the lot of the aforesaid Nurunderpore, Kharoonia on account of the share of Raghu Nath Sahay, non-applicant, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.

PATNA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879. GEO. E. PORTER, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 12th day of January 1879.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	Amount of revenue due to Government.	REMARKS
		Rs. A. P.		Rs A. P.	
2747	Noawan, pergunnah Amartha.	1,277 0 0	Hanuman Parshad Singh, for self, and as guardian of Kamta Parshad Singh minor, Ragho Parshad Singh, Kallar Singh, Debi Singh, Degumba Singh and others.	13 0 0	The entire estate will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government.
5259	Mahammedpore fattah, pergunnah Emadpore	708 0 0	Waliun Nissa, Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadur, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Afzaladdin Ahmad Khan, Ahsaruddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihan Nissa and Jamalan Nissa, Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wojun Nissa.	61 5 10	With the exception of the share owned by Mussamut Waliun Nissa, &c., the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 177, the remaining 12 annas share of Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadoor, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihun Nissa and Jamalun Nissa minors; and Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wajihun Nissa, will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government. This share has been separated under Act XI of 1859.

MONGHYR, the 18th February 1879. C. F. MAGRATH, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

CLASS I.—PERMANENTLY-SETTLED ESTATES.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 64.—Nilam Anandi Manullah; recorded proprietors Asmatali and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,160-0-3. Share No. 1, of Dewan Ali Sadagar, recorded proprietor Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 580-0-1; share No. 2, of Ramjoy Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 64; and No. 3, of Asmat Ali, Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhury, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 516-0-2, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 401.—Kismut Bolaram Sarkar, Babait Taraf Sanaullah Khan; recorded proprietors Girish Chandra Rakit and Gurudas Rakhit; sudder jumma Rs. 1,003-11-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 656.—Taraf Chittra Sen Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Prasanna Kumar Waddadar and Mukta Keshi; sudder jumma Rs. 568-3-9. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 669.—Taraf Chhatranarayan Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimati Abhaya and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-10-4. Share No. 2, of Girish Chandra, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 642-7-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 813.—Kismut Durga Lockan, Krishna Charan Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, Chandra Kala, Ram Sunder Sen, Krishna Mohan Kerani, Gopal Dass, Guru Das Pal, and Ram Chandra, Babait Taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ram Sunder Sen and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 883-12-6. Share No. 3, of Kasi Chandra Waddadar, Rasik Chundra, Pran Hari, Kali Kumar and Prosanno Kumar Waddadar, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 62-3-9; share No. 5, of Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 205-2-2; and share No. 6, of Chandra Kanto Pal, Chandra Kala, Gurudas Pal, Nakuleshwer Pal, Bakrashwer Pal, Ruki Das Pal, Shulapani Pal, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 389 15-11, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1023.—Taraf Golam Rahat Khan; recorded proprietor Ramesh Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 4,138-2-4. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1100.—Taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ishan Chandra Kanungoe and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,232-3-2. Share of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Ram Sunder Sen, Ram Mohan Sen, Sasti Charan Datta, Krishna Chundra Gupta, Pitamber, Jagat Chandra, Sarat Chandra, Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 177-13-2, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1238.—Taraf Inos Aiyop; recorded proprietors Adhu Khan and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 2,272-7-6. Share No. 7, of Yassin Khan, Yar Ali Khan, Sarfaraz Khan, Anwar Khan, Mahammad Samil, Amir Ali, and Hamidullah, separated under Act XI of 1859, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 381-8-6, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1469.—Taraf Kumar Kuli; recorded proprietors Golam Gaus and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,015-13-0. Share No. 1, of Shekh Abdul Fattah, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-15-3; and share No. 2, of Golam Gaus, Golam Hydar, Jalfatnissa, Mahammad Mukim, Nazumannessa, Maimina, Ezaral Huq, Umed Ali, Soobrat-nessa, Jamiran, Ossimannessa, Mahassooma Begum, Farid Lalam and Syud Lalam, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 761-13-9, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1749.—Taraf Mahammad Ali and Rustum Ali; recorded proprietors Krishna Chandra Gupta and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,483-3-6. Share of Shekh Fazal Ali Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,612-6-8, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate for which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1868.—Kismat Mahammad Daem Nazir, Azmutullah Khan, Amirannessa, Babait Taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe; recorded proprietor Mobarek Ali; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 840-5-3. Share of Ramkanta, Mahammad Tossi, Mosson Ali, Pitamber Parial, Manager of Srimoti Ananda Moyi, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 506-6-10, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which the revenue have been paid up under separate accounts opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 1889.—Taraf Mahammad Shafi Nazir; recorded proprietors Badiar Rahoman and others; sudder jumma Rs. 558-7-3. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2432.—Kismat Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Guru Das, and Hara Das Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 3,353-14-6. Share of Pran Krishna, Gopi Mohan, Haradas Rai, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 2,590-13, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2554.—Taraf Ram Sunder Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Srimoti Annapurna and others; sudder jumma Rs. 849-6-6. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 2562.—Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Bhairab Chandra and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 918-15-7. Share No. 1, of Ram Sundar Sen, sudder jumma Rs 70-12-11; No. 10, of Pitamber Kanungoe, Gour Chandra Rai, Pran Huri Lalla, Prasonna Chandra, and Hari Har Bhattacharjya, sudder jumma Rs. 74-0-9; No. 12, of Ishan Chandra Kanungoe, Hemantaram De, Chaitanya Charan, and Pran Huri Lalla, sudder jumma Rs. 163-12; No. 85, of Ramdhon Barnik, sudder jumma Rs. 2-7-10, in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859, and the remaining share of Bhairab Charan, Chandi Charan, Kali Charan, Nossorullah Munshi, Raj Chandra, Ram Das, Pran Hari Lalla, Tripura Charan, Annada Charan Nityananda, Abdullah, Uzir Ali, *alias* Potori, Debi Charan, *alias* Debu Mahayan, Aukhil Chandra Chaudhuri, Hari Nath, Barnijan Bibi, Ram Kinker, Aukhil Chandra Sen, Ishan Chandra Choudhury, Srimati Shyama Sundari, Guru Das Rai, Ram Das Shikdar, Baisnab Charan, Mohesh, Parbbati Charan Bhattacharyya, Bhobani Das, Bidyalankar, Raj Chandra Sen, for himself and on part of minor Bangsi Mohan Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 145-5-9, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3039.—Taraf Shyam Raja; recorded proprietors Dhananjoy Raha and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 678-14-3. The share of Dhananjoy Raha, Gakul Chandra, Mahomed Raffi, Muráridhar Sarma, Ram Keshab, Ram Dulal Surma, Ram Kanta, Ram Mohan, Ram Charan Surma, Sharbba Chandra Chakravartti, Shadavan, Anyad Ali, Yar Ali, Jan Ali, Abdul Kader, Jaduram Surma, Ram Sunder Surma, Kailas Chandra, and Ram Kinker Surma, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 223-4-3, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3113.—Taraf Shermat Khan Choudhuri; recorded proprietors Agbar Ali Choudhury and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 527-6-6. The share of Agbar Ali Bhuniya, Dewan Bibi, Jinnat Ali Khan, and Ram Sunder Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 361-12-6, will be sold, excluding that portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

COMPROMISED MEHAL.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 3935.—Taraf Radha Madhav; recorded proprietors Balak Das and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 1,810-0-4. Share No. 1, of Srimati Pran Krishore, bearing sudder jumma Rs 141-0-10; share No. 2, of Srimati Pran Kishori, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 98-0-1; share No. 3, of Ram Sundar Sen, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 418-8-6; and share No. 4, of Srimati Rasheshwari Debya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 383-2-3, separated under Act XI of 1859, will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 13407.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Lalita Thakurani and Nayantara Chaudhuria; sudder jumma of the entire taluk Rs. 701-4-3. The share of Lalita Thakurani, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 150-10-10 10 kranto, will be sold, excluding the portion of the estate in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33534.—Taluk Thanda Bibi; recorded proprietor Thanda Bibi; sudder jumma Rs. 898-12-0. The entire estate will be sold.

For arrears of revenue.

No. 33872.—Kismat Pran Krishna Rai, Babait Taraf Jugal Kishore; recorded proprietors Annada Charan and Tripura Charan Rai; sudder jumma Rs. 1,613-10-5. The entire estate will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1879, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 3rd day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 25th day of September 1878.

MEHAL NAYABAD.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Zilwangza.

No. $\frac{14}{15}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; auction purchasers Nassarat Ali, Omed Ali Choudhury; sudder jumma Rs. 938. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Ramu, Mouza Patili.

No. $\frac{49}{499}$.—Taluk Gauri Sankar Baidyanath Kanungoe; recorded proprietors Ali Hossen and Abdul Hamid; sudder jumma Rs. 1,491-4-9. The entire taluk will be sold.

FOR ARREARS OF REVENUE.

Thana Chakaria, Mouza Paharchanda.

No. $\frac{151}{180}$.—Taluk Bibi Isprak; recorded proprietor Pran Kishna Sen; sudder jumma Rs. 985-2-0. The entire taluk will be sold.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 11th January 1879. C. W. BOLTON, *Covtd. Dy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Touji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2	Taraf Ajodhyaram, Fatehabad.	Chandi Charan and others.	723 13 0	434 0 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
7	Kismut Ambika, babait taraf Tilok Chandra Kanungoe.	Kailas Chandra Nandi and others.	745 10 0	559 3 1	Ditto.
39	Taraf Ali Roholiah ...	Kamalakanta Sen and others.	994 0 6	745 8 4	Ditto.
41	Taraf Abul Fazal ...	Abdul BariKhanand others	643 3 7	482 7 7	Ditto.
51	Taraf Aleyar Khan ...	Shahamat Ali and others.	1,606 0 9	608 0 5	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 2 of Asbar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 811-6-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
54	Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe.	Srimati Anandamoyi and others.	849 6 9	51 8 0	Separate accounts having been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 of Golok Chandra Rai Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 5-3-9, share No. 12 of Digambar Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 2-13-7, share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 52-14-5, and ijmali share of Braja Mohan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 35-10-10, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
55	Taraf Aziz Nassarat ...	Karam Ali	791 12 6	593 12 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
61	Taraf Assad Massaood Khan.	Shyama Charn Mukherjea and others.	5,224 0 6	1,966 2 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share of Kenaram Banerjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, and share of Shyama Charan Mukherjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
187	Kismat Anandamoyi, Jiban Krishna, Ram Kumar, Sarat Chandra, Kishori Mohan, babait taraf Jugal Kishor Chowdhry.	Ram Kumar and others ...	666 15 10	349 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
396	Taraf Baksha Ali	Neyamatullah and others	937 10 0	403 2 8	Ditto.
467	Taraf Braja Lal	Braja Lal and others ...	508 7 3	191 13 5	Ditto.
486	Taraf Barni Charan ...	Golam Ali and others ...	502 9 3	876 14 0	Ditto.
522	Kismut Bisheshwari, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Mrityumjai and others ...	1,228 13 4	460 3 11	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Mrityumjai and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,032-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
592	Taraf Bhola Khan ...	Muzaffer Ahmed and others.	506 13 8	254 1 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Abdullah, with a revenue of Rs. 247-6-5, and share No. 2 of Muzaffer Ahmed, with a revenue of Rs. 313-7-1, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
746	Taraf Sipi Dowlat	Shekh Abdullah Khan ...	2,930 1 3	791 8 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
764	Taraf Darpanarayan ...	Chandraprava and others	2,905 3 3	675 2 5	Ditto.
805	Taraf Dullavram Fatehabad	Nimai Charan Nandi and others.	819 0 0	614 4 0	Ditto.
813	Kismat Durga Lochan Krishna Mangal Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, babait taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe.	Durga Charan and others	883 12 6	26 10 8	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Durga Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 6-2-9, and share No. 3 of Kashi Chandra Waddadar and others, with a revenue of Rs. 62-3-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
943	Nilam Fakir Chand ...	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	646 14 0	485 2 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1024	Taraf Gobinda Anandi ...	Chhattranarayan and others.	1,061 13 10	6 9 5	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Chhattranarayan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 707-14-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1119	Taraf Hori Shona	Azimuddin and others ...	1,539 10 0	1,141 1 3	Entire estate will be sold.
1218	Kismat H. E. Marguard and Virginia Bruce, babait taraf Ishan Chandra Kanungoe.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	1,447 10 5	655 10 9	Ditto.
1238	Taraf Ines Aiop	Adhoo Khan and others ...	2,272 7 6	1,385 7 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Warish Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 2 of Mahomed Samil, with a revenue of Rs. 91-0-6, share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 51-7-5, share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-2, share No. 5 of Yasin Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-3, and ijmali share of Adhoo Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,265-7-6, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
1243	Taraf Imambaksh ...	Abdul Bari and others ...	697 5 4	523 0 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
1269	Taraf Jashmanta Sing ...	Fatteh Ali and others ...	1,386 10 2	1,039 15 8	Ditto.
1281	Taraf Jainarayan Kerani	Sharat Chandra and others	563 4 6	210 11 5	Ditto.
1285	Taraf Jorip Mahomed ...	Jan Bibi and others ...	784 3 1	588 2 3	Ditto.
1363	Taraf Jadu Madan ...	Ali Raja and others ...	1,227 14 9	423 14 9	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ahsanullah Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 571-14-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1513	Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	Anandamoyi and others ...	853 4 6	639 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1546	Taraf Karkan Roshan ...	Baisnab Charan Sen ...	616 7 7	462 3 9	Ditto.
1552	Taraf K. Fernandes ...	J. D. Barros	1,640 5 3	1,230 3 0	Ditto.
1671	Taraf Koza Hoashang ...	Karam Ali Mia	1,129 6 6	847 1 0	Ditto.
1686	Taraf Khan Bibi	Shochinando Kunda ...	783 12 8	254 1 7	Ditto.
1714	Nilam Lakhinarayan ...	Ram Dayal Chowdhry and others.	1,199 15 0	899 13 9	Ditto.
1747	Taraf Monohor Rai Chowdhry.	Ramjai De and others ...	2,491 10 0	1,139 7 3	Ditto.
1868	Kismat Mahomed Daem Nazir, Azmatullah, Amiranniesa, babait taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe.	Mobarek Ali and others ...	840 5 3	199 9 4	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Mobarek Ali, with a revenue of Rs. 266-1-10, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1884	Taraf Mahomed Sona Mir	Shekh Mahomed Hashmat Ali Chowdhry.	785 10 3	589 3 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1887	Taraf Mahomed Raja Mir	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	540 6 6	405 5 7	Ditto.
1894	Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam	Bhairab Chandra and others.	560 5 0	93 5 2	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Masah Bibi, auction-purchaser Shyam Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 135-8-0, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1900	Taraf Mahomed Monohar	Alfa Bibi and others ...	666 15 6	312 3 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
2099	Kismat Murari Dhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Srimati Annapurna and others.	1,230 3 1	665 3 4	Ditto.

Touji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2185	Taraf Mosson Hossen ...	Nil Kamal Chakravartti...	1,598 3 6	723 10 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2201	Kismat Nasiruddin Ahmad, babait taraf Hossen Wali.	Nasiruddin Ahmad ...	1,227 6 0	930 8 6	Ditto.
2368	Taraf Wag Abul Hossen...	Shekh Jaker Ali Chowdhry.	731 11 6	548 12 0	Ditto.
2389	Taraf Paran Darpanarayan.	Chandrakanta Pal and others.	601 6 0	271 6 0	Ditto.
2411	Kismat Pravaboti babait taraf Brajakishore Kanungoe.	Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassan Billah and others.	607 11 10	136 13 4	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share No. 3 of Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassan Billah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 13-13-3, share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 41-13-10, share No. 9 of Kailas Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 3-10-5, share No. 12 of Barkatullah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 11-9-7, share No. 13 of Tarakinkar Datta, with a revenue of Rs. 37-8-3, and ijmali share of Balanab Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 186-11-11, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2433	Taraf Poran Ballabh ...	Jaga Mohon and others ...	944 5 3	427 0 3	Separate accounts having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Renooka, with a revenue of Rs. 236-1-4, and ijmali share of Ram Das Chowdhry and others, with a revenue of Rs. 708-4-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2542	Taraf Raja Ambiya ...	Agbar Ali Chowdhry ...	608 12 0	456 9 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
2554	Taraf Ram Shunder Kanungoe.	Annapurna and others ...	840 6 6	124 14 0	Ditto.
2562	Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe.	Bhairab Charan and others.	918 15 7	74 5 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 2 of Durga Charan Das and others, with a revenue of Rs. 7-2-9, share No. 22 of Ishan Chandra Kastaziri, with a revenue of Rs. 1-0-11, share No. 27 of Hari Ha. Bhattacharjya, with a revenue of Rs. 5-15-6, share No. 31 of Chandrabadani, with a revenue of Rs. 93-15-9, share No. 34 of Srimati Bisheshwari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 19-8-9, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2565	Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe.	Ali Hossen and others ..	819 1 7	358 10 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, with a revenue of Rs. 70, share No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar, with a revenue of Rs. 358-7-9, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 199-3-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2566	Kismat Ram Dulal ...	Ali Hossen and others ...	823 4 10	192 13 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2, Krishna Kumar Rai, with a revenue of Rs. 156-15-0, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 107-0-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2588	Nilam Ram Mohan Imam Shorip.	Srimati Pran Kishori ...	540 6 6	1,325 9 10	The entire mehal will be sold.
2929	Taraf Shachi Roshan ...	Shekh Ladak Ali and others.	752 11 0	264 10 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ladak Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 83-5-3, share No. 2 of Keramat Ali Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 168-2-9, share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 83-5-4, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2933	Taraf Shachiram Kanungoe.	Aitton and others	826 14 3	180 8 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 7 of Jagat Chandra Sen, with a revenue of Rs. 7-7-0, and the shares which are under butwara under Regulation XIX of 1814 of Oloka and others, Gopal Das Sen and others, Jagat Chandra, Har Chandra and others, Nilkanta and others, Mahomod Hashirullah, Omola, and others, Tarakeshwari Nasemannessa and others, Ram Shebok Das, Amir Hossen, Krishna Mohan Guha, Srimati Purna Dassi, Srimati Narayani *alias* Bashi, and Ahsanullah, bearing revenue Rs. 392-13-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3039	Taraf Shyam Rajah ...	Dhononjai Raha and others.	673 14 3	382 10 10	Separate accounts having been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1837, the share No. 1 of Tarini Charan Raha and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 2 of Nobo Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 5 of Taranga Debya, with a revenue of Rs. 14-2-2, share No. 6 of Tufer Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 232-14-3, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3054	Taraf Shib Durga Sharan	Brindaban and others ...	2,942 8 9	1,749 12 8	The entire mehal will be sold.
3125	Taraf Srimantaram Kanungoe.	Abdullah Khan and others	1,787 12 0	182 9 11	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 646-13-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
3171	Taraf Teeta Teari ...	Shekh Karam Ali	1,505 10 3	682 2 11	The entire mehal will be sold.
3880	Taraf Abedullah, Shekh Mahomed Ossi, Shekh Mahomed Ali.	Asyamona Bibi and others	678 14 0	169 13 9	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned taluqs in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Mehal Nayabad.

Touji number.	Name of pergunnah and mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
169	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ukhiar Ghona, taluq Magon Das Chaudhuri, Indranarayan Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipria Monoroma.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	575 14 9	144 0 0	The entire taluq will be sold.
168	Thana Ramu, mouzah Bhomoria Ghona, taluq Kamalapuree.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	531 13 8	133 0 0	Ditto ditto.
167	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ichakhali, taluq Mobarak Ali.	Farsar Ali and others	508 1 6	127 0 0	Ditto ditto.
166	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Bheala Manikchar, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Magon Ali	757 10 0	189 0 0	Ditto ditto.
164	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Barabakia, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Shek Dewan Ali Chaudhuri.	687 9 8	172 0 0	Ditto ditto.
163	Thana Satkania, mouzah Chambol, taluq Srimati Tajonnissa Chowdhuria.	Furkunda Bukhta and others.	1,193 4 10	298 0 0	Ditto ditto.
162	Thana Teknaaf, mouzah Dakhin Nhillah, taluq Khoame Chowdry, Omari Chowdry, Lhatong Chowdry, Lhapo Chowdry, Lhapechoo Chowdry, Chaimrao Chowdry, babait taluq Fando.	Ishan Chandra Das ...	670 15 0 Road fund, 6 12 0 677 11 0	169 6 0	Ditto ditto.
161	Thana Town, mouzah Char Shabek Bakalia, taluq Ahamad Ali, Mahomed Issaf, Korban Ali, Arzgar Ali, Nur Bebi.	Ahamad Ali and others	686 4 0	170 15 9	Ditto ditto.
160	Thana Fattikcherry, mouzah Kanchannagar, taluq Srimati Ronoo Debya.	Dewan Ali Sowdagar	890 15 8	223 0 0	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Number in the rent roll.	Class.	Number of mehals and pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
36	Permanently settled estate.	Kassimpoor, pergunnah Ranihati.	Syed Abdool Hakim, present proprietors Srimutty Russuneesa Bibi, Srimutty Jabeda Bibi, Syed Abdool Hamid, *alias* Abda Mea, for himself and guardian, brother for Syed Amin Ahamed and Amson Mozid, *alias* Mamda Mea and Srimutty Allimun Neesa Bibi, minors. Moulovee Syud Mohomed Moosa, Srimutta Arfunnessa Bibi, Syed Noor Mohomed; Syed Attowar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syud Abdool Selam, Syed Abdool Futta, Srimutta Khobira Bibi, Srimutta Soeda Bibi; Syed Abdool Alli, Syed Rasid Hyder, Taharunnessa Bibi, Shurfunessa Bibi, Bissessuree Dabea, Abdool Jubber and Mohomed Ahea.	669 14 9	55 14 11	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
68	Ditto ...	Khurrumpur, pergona Shahabad.	Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mahomed Ahea Mahomed Moosha.	6,189 9 0	1,796 13 7	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
78	Ditto ...	Nesampoor, pergunnah Khundghose Somurshahi and Ranihatti.	Gopikristo Bose, Doorga Moni Dassi, Radhakrishto Bose, Nobin Krishto Bose, Sebait of idol Modon Mohun Deo, Promotho Nath Banerjee and Bhoobun Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Horinath Banerjee.	1,168 8 10	4 4 7	Ditto ditto.
93	Ditto ...	Korni, pergunnah Benodenagoro.	Kostoor Chand Baboo, Soudamini Dossi, Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian and step mother of minor Koolodanund Koberaj, and guardian mother of Soilojanund Kobeeraj and Girijanund Kobeeraj, Syed Mohamed Moosa, Nrisinghoprosad Ghosal, and Joge Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Opendra Chandra Ghosal, Syed Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of minors Syed Abdool Selam, Syud Abdool Futta, Soeda Bibi, Khobira Bibi, Dino Bundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Ahea.	1,399 7 6	18 12 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— *Sudder jumma.* Rs. A. P. Kostoor Chand Baboo ... 546 10 8 Soudamini Dossi ... ... 361 14 3½ Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian of minors Koolodа Nund, Soiloja Nund and Geriza Nund Kobeeraj ... 238 12 0
97	Ditto ...	ditto ...	Protapnarain Roy, Girish Chunder Roy, Janokey Nath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Arnopurna Dassi, guardian of Jotendro Chunder Roy, minor, Dinobundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Moosa, Mohamed Ahea, Syed Attawar Rohoman, for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi.	529 10 6	47 3 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— Greesh Chunder Roy and Janokinath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Manic Moni Dossi, guardians of minor Jotindro Chunder Roy 291 3 0
5178	Ditto ...	Chandootea, pergunnah Shahabad.	Syed Attwar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syed Abdool Salam, Mohomed Ahea, Syed Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mohamed Moosa.	908 9 1	84 11 11	

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 19th February 1879. H. TOBIN, *Covtd. Dy. Collr., for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mozufferpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, corresponding with 14th Chyte, 1286 Fusly, for arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Toujee No.	Name of Mehal.	Name of recorded proprietor.	Government revenue of the estate.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	909	Umwa Kullan, pergunnah Subra ...	Beebee Bachun, &c.	666 15 0	13 15 4	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 285-13-9, will be sold.
2	2153	Abool Hussonpur, pergunnah Bissara	Deegur Singh	834 3 2	1 4 0	Ditto, Rs. 5 ditto.
3	2153	Ditto ditto ...	Rasbehari Singh	834 3 2	3 3 6	Ditto, „ 97-15-9 ditto.
4	2257	Bishunpur Bulbhudur, ditto	Rajdhari Pershad	1,527 11 0	0 3 6	Ditto, „ 68-15-1 ditto.
5	2487	Powra Mudun Singh, pergunnah ditto	Kishun Pershad	513 13 7	3 11 8	Ditto, „ 352-1 ditto.
6	2541	Rughunathpur, pergunnah ditto ...	Kedarnath	2,145 4 3	20 13 9	Ditto, „ 869-11-11 ditto.
7	2706	Mujhowli, pergunnah ditto	Domi Khan	3,163 11 2	80 5 1	The whole estate will be sold.
8	3559	Chuk Narsen, pergunnah Hajeepur ...	Gunga Pershad	511 4 7	7 12 0	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 95-1-6, will be sold.
9	3638	Mumarpur, pergunnah ditto	Permesur Singh	782 0 3	0 2 0	
10	4541	Tengrahee, pergunnah Morwa Kullan	Poonut Lall	1,902 14 0	0 1 8	
11	5574	Bulra Krishna, pergunnah Bissara ...	Ram Doolaree Koer	613 3 4	0 4 3	The estate, with revenue of Rs. 204-13-6, will be sold.
12	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Kishun Pershad	613 3 4	1 11 6	Ditto, Rs. 6-13-6 ditto.
13	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Hurgopal Dass	613 3 4	13 6 1	Ditto, „ 91-13-9 ditto.
14	6851	Busuntpur Puttee, pergunnah Ruttee	Sham Narain Singh, &c. ...	534 6 11	7 13 8	
15	7456	Surmustpur, pergunnah Surosah ...	Gunga Bishun	640 0 0	5 8 1	Ditto, „ 435-8-4 ditto.
16	8817	Chupra Husonpur, pergunnah Turgam	Syud Mohomud Husan, &c. ...	1,105 1 5	9 1 0	

MOZUFFERPORE COLLECTORATE, the 17th February 1879. C. VOWELL, *Covtd. Dy. Collr., for Collr. on tour.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rajshahye will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th March 1879, corresponding with 4th Choitra, 1285 B.S., Monday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on 30th November 1878.

Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	The amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
185	Dehi Darosa and mouzah Berabari, pergunnah Mahammidpore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, Grish Chunder Dutt, Protima Soondari Dassee, and Mr. A. Gallois.	4,373 13 0 Police, 30 6 0	.....	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.	4,404 3 0		
		Special No. 1.—Grish Chundra Dutt, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 2.—Protima Soondari Dassee, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 3.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas	1,204 4 0 Police, 8 6 0		
			1,212 10 0		
			2,383 4 0		
		The remaining to be sold for arrears of revenue on account of the joint share of the following persons:— Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore.	2,007 1 0 Police, 13 14 0	476 6 0 Police, 2 4 0	
			2,020 15 0		
378	Kismut pergunnah Hoozrapore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore, Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and Mr. A. Gallois.	1,029 13 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.			
		Special No. 1.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas	611 3 0		
		The remaining to be sold on account of joint share of the following persons:— Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singh Roy, minor...	1,018 10 0	168 14 0	

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 13th February 1879. J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 10th Chyet 1286 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

CLASS II.—*Temporarily-settled Estates.*

No. 923.—Mehal Karmi, pergunnah Chowsa; sudder jumma Rs. 935; recorded proprietors Bukshi Ramyad Sinha, &c. The estate is a temporarily-settled one. Excepting the shares of other proprietors, with whom separate account has been opened under section 10 of Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, being 12 annas out of entire mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 701-4-0, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 94-15-0.

CLASS I.—*Permanently-settled Estates.*

No. 1529.—Mehal Karoundia, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,528-15-8; recorded proprietors Mussamut Saraswati Kunar, mother and guardian of Bhekh Narayan Sinha and Imam Bux Khan, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. With the exception of the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened, and from whom the revenue is realized separately under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 472-12-5½, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-10-8¼:—

			Shares.
			As.
Mouza Saitha,	pergunnah Chainpore...		16
			B. C. D.
,, Khaira,	ditto	ditto ...	133 5 11
			As.
,, Inchao,	ditto	ditto ...	16
,, Kekarha,	ditto	ditto ...	16
,, Pipri,	ditto	ditto ...	1 an. 4 p.
,, Baghi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Baghi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Pipra Ghat,	ditto	ditto ...	3
,, Pipra,	ditto	ditto ...	3
,, Karoundia,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Hemrajpore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Zamin Kasba Chainpore, pergunnah Chainpore		... ...	8

			Shares.
			As.
Mouza Pipri,	pergunnah Chainpore		8
,, Koraichouba,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Patti Chaitha,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Patti Ganesh,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Sirsi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Kashah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Mahbubpur,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Chandaila,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Rai Beldih,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Lahra Jairampore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Pounra,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Kushah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Chak Bhugwat,	ditto	ditto ...	8

No. 1688.—Mehal Rupan attached to mehal Muhertha, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,058-2-2; recorded proprietors Haliwant Sinha, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. Excepting the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 267-2-8 18 krant, will be put to auction for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 4-15-5¾:—

Mouzah Mahertha,	pergunnah Chainpore	...	...	2 kulam 16 annas.
,, Naraon,	,,	ditto	...	... 2 ,, 16 ,,
,, Chhapri	,,	ditto	...	... 2 ,, 16 ,,
,, Rupin	,,	ditto	...	... 1 anna 8 pie 5 krant.

SHAHABAD COLLECTORATE, the 4th February 1879. J. MOOKERJEE, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Durbhunga will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chait 1286, at 12 o'clock on Thursday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Towji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jummah of the whole mehal.	Sudder jummah of the share to be sold.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
1	48	Matiaour Mahabulpur, pergunnah Balagach.	Gunesh Lal, Dabi Pershad, Shital Pershad, Kishen Pershad, Bishun Prashad, Gopal Lal, Jhamuck Lal, and Ratun Kooer.	1,738 14 3	80 11 8	0 1 11
2	50	Bhograjpore and Ram Chunderpore Dasraha appertaining to mehal Ram Chunderpore, pergunnah Balagach.	Bhairo Sahay and Bujrung Sahay, 5*g.* share	1,765 6 0	17 6 8	2 2 6
3	55	Malkalipore Buzurg, pergunnah Balagach	Baboo Bikroo Singh, Baboo Bikoo Singh, Baboo Bhakatoo Singh, and Baboo Jitoo Singh.	3,457 5 4	69 5 0	11 6 8
4	1471	Kumar Gawan, pergunnah Jakhur.	Ishwar Deo, 14*g.* 2*d.* 8*r.* 3*pers.*	774 9 9	34 10 6	4 5 4
5	1523	Lahari pergunnah Jubdi ...	Mussamut Hunsmani Bahooaseen mother and guardian of Harkh Dhari Singh, minor, 8*a.* 11*g.* 1*kt.*	2,450 10 8	1,811 7 9	7 10 4
6	3097	Mooreyaro, pergunnah Saraisa	Dianut Hossein, Baijnath Khan, Man Khan, Juggur Math Khan, Ganesh Khan, Mahinder Khan, Dharun Khan, Zorawar Khan, Bankan Khan, Shamul Khan, Bunyad Khan, Mangal Khan, Faquir Khan, Bikaoo Khan, Bhoogra Khan, Chutter Dharee Khan, Kehee Khan, Ram Sahay Khan, Achumbhit Khan, Omrao Khan, Mussamut Madhooker Koer, herself and guardian, Shew Sahay Singh, Daokh Harun Singh, Deehoo Khan, Bhairo Khan, Shew Deyal Khan, Lall Behary Panday, Manoher Khan, Pahalwan Khan, Runjeet Khan, Sarwan Khan, Bhekhdhary Khan, Bahadoor Khan, Duljeet Khan, Rasbehary Khan, Pahulwan Khan, Runjeet Singh, Sheo Sahay Singh Pandey, Ram Ajadhia Prosad Pandey, Dowlut Khan, Shekhari Khan, Busti Khan, Ram Dekul Khan, Gauri Khan, Bunsi Khan, Nirghin Khan, son of Roopun Khan, Lachumon Khan, Rajbunsi Khan, Hunsraj Khan, Choolay Khan, Ram Damun Khan, Boohaye Khan, Naik Khan, Adhar Khan, Siromun Khan, Boodhu Ray, Domee Roy.	676 11 9	259 13 7	9 3 4
7	6742	Pasra Mahisary, pergunnah Saraisa.	Bharasi Singh, Dario Singh, Aghori Singh, Birjlal Singh, Mussamutt Shamrood Koer, Mussamut Hira Koer, Mussamut Ram Koer, Pur Deep Sahay himself and guardian of Madhoo Sahay minor, Aghori Roy, Sheikh Rahumut Ally, Darisa Singh, Hanooman Singh, Halkhori Singh, Aghori Singh, and Bhai Singh, son of Pur Deep Marain Singh.	780 13 10	197 12 4	9 5 7

DURBHUNGA COLLECTORATE, the 14th February 1879. HERBERT MOSLEY, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Maldah will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of March 1879, corresponding with 2nd Chaetro 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Class.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Balance due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1st Class	517	Mouzah Toke Bara Gird Syadpur, pergunnah Rokunpore.	Jadunath Baral and Trailakhya Nath Baral.	2,558 11 0	89 7 0	Half share of the entire estate belonging to Jadunath Baral will be sold for arrears of Government revenue due on the 13th January 1879. Trailakhya Nath Baral, the proprietor of the other half, had opened a separate account under Act XI of 1859 for his share, and has paid in the revenue due from him.

MALDAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 1st February 1879. R. PORCH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Deputy Collector's office at Ranaghat, district Nuddea, on the 28th day of February 1879, corresponding with the 17th Falgoon 1285 (B.S.) for meeting a public demand, viz. meeting the sum embezzled by the Manager, Court of Wards' estate, Putia, in the district of Rajshahye.

Class.	Number of towji.	Name of the mehal.	Name of the proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	337	Pergunnah Mamjoania	Annada Prosad Mukherji and others.	26,297 6 6 Police ... 245 1 5 Total ... 26,543 7 11	10,892 13 3½ and cost.	Of this estate only 1 anna 3½ gondas 7½ danti will be put up to sale.

CHUNDRA SEKHAR BANARJI, *Deputy Collector of Ranaghat.*

RANAGHAT DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 27th January 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estate in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of Government revenue on the estates Abad Taktabunia and Abad Chila, Nos. 4538 and 4540 respectively, in the Sundarbans portion of Backergunge district.

Class.	Towji number	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.		
1st class	1720	1 anna 1½ gandas 1 krant 5 tils share of pergunnah Chandradaip.	Bhagawn Chandra Roy and Anandamayi Chaudhurani, executor and executrix on behalf of Golak Nath Roy Chaudhurani, minor.	9,046 13 1½	For Taktabunia No. 4538. Rs. A. P. 5,761 12 0 For Chila No. 4540. Rs. A. P. 1,768 15 4 7,530 11 4	This entire share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 29th March 1879 for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
First class ...	1789	Five annas 6½ gandas share of Khaje Nur Taluq.	Wazedennessa Khatun and others	2,525 3 1½	432 7 2½	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	1914	Half anna share of Tappeh Haboli, Shilemabad.	Ishwar Chandra Roy and others.	1,959 3 11	45 9 11	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	1918	Twelve annas 10½ gandas 2 kants and 3 tils share of taluq Ram Deb Sen, Tippeh Haboli, Shilemabad.	Bhagawan Chandra Bhattacharjee and others.	1,401 3 3	151 10 3½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	2048	Char Kalmi Mahal	Emdat Ali Munshi and others.	1,846 10 8	302 8 0½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3432	Taluq Rudra Nariyan Das . .	Mathura Nath Mukhapadhya and others.	603 3 2½	103 0 0½ Due for kist 28th Sept. 1878. Rs. A. P. 1,049 12 10½ Due for kist 12th Jan. 1879. Rs. A. P. 1,747 14 4 2,797 11 2½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto	3842	Fourteen annas of 18½ gandas share rendered into 16 annas of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Govinda Mala Choudurani	4,463 5 4½	Rs. A. P. 1,249 14 1	The entire 14 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	3843	Thirteen gandas share of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Raj Coomar Roy	3,601 1 1½	154 11 0	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4532	Onat Taluq Hari Prasad Roy in Abad Pebpur pergunnah Ratnadi Kalikapu.	Syama Charan Samaddar, hissa 11 annas.	1,195 8 1	4,914 0 0	This 11 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4546	Padma *alias* Ramjanpur ...	Mir Majjam Hasen Chaudhuri and others.	4,914 0 0	Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 1,737 10 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 26 15 6	The proprietory right of the settlement holders Mir Majjan Hasen Choudhuri and others will be sold.
Ditto ...	5196	Kakra with Rampura ...	Abdul Chobun Miya and others, 6 annas shareholders.	Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 2,947 8 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 29 10 0		The 6 annas share will be sold.
				2,977 2 0	1,764 9 6	

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Moorshedabad will be put to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitro, 1285 B.S.

Serial number.	Class.	Number on towji.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
1	First class	9	Kismut Kasipore, pergunnah Kasipore.	Shama Charan Bhutto, Chunder Mukhi Dossa, Hasan Chunder Roy, Gunish Lall Roy, Shama Soondary Chowdhurani, Radha Charan Sen, Khatter Nath Banerja, Nitokali Debya, Brojo Ray Banerja, father and guardian of the minor Shatesh Chunder Banerja.	8,074 3 0	In this mehal the share of Gunesh Lall Roy, 4 annas 9 gundas 3 kag 1 til, will be sold, sudder jumma of which is Rs. 2,350-3-1.
2	Ditto ...	73	Dehi Gangada, pergunnah Gunkar.	Prankrishto Banorja, Bonowari Lall Mundul and Srish Chunder Mundul.	2,661 10 9	The whole mehal will be sold.
3	Ditto ...	456	Kismut Suktipore, pergunnah Plassy.	Hurry Mohun, Khetter Nath, Radha Krishto, Gopal Krishto Mookerja, Shakhimony Debya, Syud Atwar Rohamun, Syud Abdool Fattah, Khabira Bebee, Taliba Bebee, Fatuma Bebee, mother and guardian of Mohamed Moosa, Syud Mohamed Taha, Rohimunnessa Bebee, Syda Bebee, and Sridam Chunder Sen.	2,403 10 3	Of this mehal, excluding 5 annas 3 gundas 1 kora and 1 kranti of the mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 776-3-0, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Boida Nath Mookhapadhya, the remainder, 10 annas 16 gundas 2 coras and 2 kranti, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 1,627-7-3, in the name of Hurry Mohun Mookapadhuya and others, will be only sold.
4	Ditto ..	474	Kismut Mouzah Sha Hossenpore, pergunnah Kourprotap	Abdool Barkat, Fuzla Ahamed, Golam Asraf, Mohamed Kutub Chowdhuri, Chowdhuri Akramul Hak, Chowdhuri Esamul Hak, Nasirunnessa Bebee, herself and mother and guardian of Atahar Ally, Sadari Meha, Nutfunnessa Bebee, guardian of Syud Zinal Abdin, and Syud Nadir Ally.	584 4 4	The whole mehal will be sold.
5	Ditto ..	515	Taraf Ahogoon, pergunnah Shahajadpore.	Kali Doss Ghose, Krishtojibun Ghose, Rakhal Doss Ghose, Debendro Chundra Ghose, himself brother and guardian of Shoshebhuson Ghose, minor, Kylash Chunder Ghose, Krishto Kissore Ghose, and Rosomoi Debya.	884 13 0	In this mehal only 14 annas share, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 774-3-4, which is held in the name of Kristojibun Ghose and others, will be sold, and remaining portion 2 annas, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 110-9-8, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Kali Doss Ghose, will stand in Kali Doss Ghose's name.

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTORATE, BERHAMPORE, the February 1879. T. M. KIRKWOOD, *Covtd. Depy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Friday, the 28th day of March 1879, corresponding with Bengali 15th Choitree 1285, and with Amli 16th Choitree 1286, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Consecutive number.	Number of Register A.	Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	91	58	Angoah, in pergunnah Rajgurh.	Jogobundhoodas Gogendro Mohapatro, Dinobhundoo Chowdry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhyea, Umeshchurn Bundopadhyea, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Shreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Shreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendro Nath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhry, Mohendro Nath Paul, and Radhakristo Dass.		
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 52-5-1 As also, exclusive of the share of Radhakrishna Dass, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is ... ... Rs. 104-10-2	156 15 3	.....
				The remaining joint share of Jogobundhoodas Gojendro Mohapatra, Dinobundhoo Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhye, Umeshchurn Bundopadhye, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnarau Chuckerbutty, Sreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Sreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendronath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	575 8 2	8 3 11
2	230	1557	Kattapal, in pergunnah Khurgopore.	Kartieram Paul, Khottro Mohun Paul, Dwarikanath Paul and Koonjo Behary Roy.	1,030 0 0 Including Road Fund.	0 2 0
3	300	187	Balgobindopore, *alias* Gopalpore, in pergunnah Amerseo.	Modhoosoodun Sinah, Anundo Loll Roy, Gungaram Myti, Kooraram Roy, Sheebnaran Roy, Sreemutty Noteefon Beebee, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altab Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, and Chandoomoney.	603 9 9	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Noteefun Bibi, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altaf Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the Government revenue of which is Rs. 112-13-0; exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Singh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 47-0-3; and exclusive of the share of Chandmoneer, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, he land revenue of which is Rs. 75-10-10	235 8 1	.....
				The remaining joint share of Anundalall Roy and Gangaram Myti will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	307 12 11	90 9 8
				As also the remaimns share of Kooraram Roy and Sheebnaran Roy, which has a separate account, and which will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	60 4 9	0 1 6
4	400	259	Ghaseerambar, *alias* Kooldiha, in pergunnah Khandar.	Lokhinarandas Mohapatro, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komulkamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manikram Khatoos, Jorunjoy Mullick, Krishna Prosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Ballubram Khatoos, Ajodhyaram Khatoosh, Koralychurn Dutt, Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Dass, Manicram Khatoosh, Seetanath Ghosh and Romanath Ghosh, minors.	502 5 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Manicram Khatoosh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 83-2-7. As also, exclusive of the share of Sitanath Ghose and Ramanath Ghose, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is Rs. 32-8-8	115 11 3	
				The remaining joint share of Lakhinarandas Mohapatro, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komul Kamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manicram Khatoosa, Joumejoy Mullic, Krishnaprosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Bollub Khatoosh, Ajodhyaram Khatoosh, Koralychurn Dutt and Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Das, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	386 10 7	4 2 2
5	412	271	Barbansee, in pergunnah Khandar.	Lokhichurn Sutputty, Golok Chunder Dutt, Manicram Pal, Brojomohun Mohapattro, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Das, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapattro, Issuramoney Debya, Norahory Mabaric, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Goorooprosad Mabaric, Bhubun Chundro Bundopadhye, Gunganarain and Soroopnarain Myti, Matongini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti, Bholanath Myti, Khoyrat Ally, Sham Raoot, Ukhoynaran Janah, Sreemuttya Sarnomoney, Nobinchundro Nar, Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rambhamoney, Tilothomamoney, Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indranaran Meyeekap Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, Radhachurn Singh, Indronarain Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul.	19,156 13 1	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Dass, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapatro and Issuramoney Debya, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is	Rs. A. P. 3,254 5 8	
				Exclusive of the share of Norohury Maric, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is	380 14 8	
				Ditto ditto of the share of Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Guruposad Maharic, ditto ditto...	1,233 13 0	
				Ditto ditto of Bhubun Chandra Bondopadhye, ditto ditto	66 0 0	
				Ditto ditto of Gunganarain, Soroopnaran Myti, and Matongini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti and Bholanath Myti, ditto ditto ...	2,347 10 10	
				Ditto ditto of Khyrat Ally and Sham Raoot, ditto ditto	54 11 7	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Janah, ditto ditto	248 10 8	
				Ditto ditto of Sreemuttya Soorjomoney, ditto ditto	16 15 11	
				Ditto ditto of Nobinchundro Nag, ditto ditto	4,734 8 9	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rombamoney, Tilothomamoney, ditto ditto	164 4 7	
				Ditto ditto of Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indronaran Meyeekap, Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, ditto ditto	341 1 3	
				Ditto ditto of Radhachurn Sin ha, ditto ditto	426 10 11	
				Ditto ditto of Indronarau Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul, ditto ditto	441 12 11	
				The total of the revenues of the shares which will not be sold is	18,490 8 9	.....
				The remaining joint share of Brojomohun Mohapatro, Lokheechurn Satputty, Golokchunder Dutt, Manicram Paul, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	666 4 4	31 15 11
6	490	317	Baichagerish, *alias* Keshrombha in pergunnah Datonchour.	Chowdhry Jogabundhoo Das, Gozendromohapatro, Dinobundho Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetol Churn Pottaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn, Ramchurn, Ramachurn and Umachurn Bondopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Kashinath Dutt and Mohendronath Paul.	1,293 6 5	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 184-12-5.	184 12 5	.....
				The remaining joint share of Chowdery Jugobundhoo Das, Gujendro Mohapatro, Dinabundhoo Chowdery, Hurryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetolchurn Pottaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn Ramchurn, Ramachurn and Umachurn Bandopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Brojonath Dutt, and Kashinath Dutt will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,108 10 0	13 8 8
7	951	540	Deorah, in pergunnah Subung.	Bongsidhur Ponda, Modhoosoodun Bera, Ramchand Kur and Modhoosoodun Bera.	820 13 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramchand Kur, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 130-3-5 ... As also exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Mana which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 130-3-5	260 6 10	.....
				The remaining joint share of Bongshidhur Ponda and Modhoosoodun Bira will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	260 7 0	0 1 11
8	1330	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur.	Rajbullub Chowdhry, Reeshikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee, Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee, Golokemoney Chowdhray, Ukhoynaran Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee.	806 7 8	.....

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				Permanently-settled Estates—concluded.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur.	Exclusive of the share of Rajbullub Chowdhry, Rishikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoy Naran Myti, and Sreenibash Paharee which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 362-3-6 ...	537 10 6	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ukhoy Naran Myti, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 105-3-5		
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Myti, ditto ditto, „ 36-9-9		
				Ditto ditto of Sreenibash Paharee, ditto ditto, „ 33-9-10		
				The remaining share of Golokmoney Chowdhuranee, which will be sold for arrears of revenue	268 13 2	8 0 8
9	1703	938	Khelar, *alias* Bonnatna, in pergunnah Kismut Naraingurh.	Gungaharan Singh, Noranaran Singh, Haronaran Singh, Noroharee Maharee, Sreemutty Pearymoney Dossy, Sreemutty Adhurmoney Debya, Roxhoonathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, Sitanathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, and Sreemutty Issurymoney Debya.	3,430 8 7	240 11 2
10	1754	962	Khatropal, *alias* Chuck Bhoge, pergunnah Amersee.	Bhaubutchundro Mundle, Bharutchundro Mundle, and Choudhury Jonmejoy Mullick.	3,153 9 7	24 8 8
11	1777	969	Lalcoah, *alias* Bolbhudropore, pergunnah Amersee.	Shreenarain Bera	924 13 1	317 15 11
12	1860	1035	Moninathpore, pergunnah Protabbhan.	Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennessa Bibi, minoress, Bhagbutchunder Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Chundermohun Myti, Lal Mohun Bhunya, Neel Mohun Bhunya, Gopinath Bhooja, minor's father and guardian, Moocheeram Bhunya, and Bhogirath Prodhan.	687 5 8	4 8 7
				Temporarily-settled Estates.		
13	1969	203	Mongalpore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Choudhury Gopendronundon Dass Mohapatro, Anundolal Roy, and Kashinath Mitter Chowdhury.	2,009 7 0	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Kashinath Mitter Choudhury, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	525 15 8	.....
				The remaining joint share of Choudhury Gopendronundundas Mohapatro and Anundololl Roy, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,543 7 4	353 6 1
14	1971	205	Mookrampore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Anundololl Roy and Horoshalilol Bhokut	1,346 0 0	346 14 2
				Permanently-settled Estates.		
15	2047	1124	Nankar Bajapti, pergunnah Majnamutta.	Seebosoondary Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondori, heirs of Gungunaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Sorengee, Seetalprosad Roy, Rajiblochun Sutputty, Sreemutty Denomoyee Deby, mother of Lokheenaran Bondopadhye, and Ramnidhi Coondoo.	2,133 5 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramnidhi Coondoo, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 703 12-5.	703 12 5	.....
				The remaining joint share of Seebosoondary, Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondory, heirs of Gungunaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Soorongee, Sitalprosad Roy, Rajiblochun Sutpoty and Sreemutty Dinomoyee Deby, mother of Lokhinaran Bondopadhye, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,429 8 11	22 4 7
16	2143	1176	Palpara, pergunnah Amershi.	Sreemuttya Bhodro Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Roy, Josomunto Roy, Lokhinaran Roy, Huryneran Roy, Becharan Myti, Ahollya Deyee, mother of Boidonath Paul minor, Mothooramohun Roy, Moocheeram Saha, Jeetram Roy, Rotnomeyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy minor, and Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, Sectaram Dass, Sreemuttya Beechonmoney Deyee aunt of Koonurnaran Roy and others, minors, Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Roy, Gourmohun Gossami, Norosingnaran Myti, Taraprosad Roy and Guruprosad Myti.	815 4 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Sitaramdas, Sreemuttya Bechonmoney Dayee, aunt of Koonurnaran Roy, minor, Sreemuttya Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Rai Mothur and Gourmohun Gossami, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, Rs. 38-12-9	316 10 7	.....
				Ditto ditto of Norosingnarain Myti ditto ditto, Rs. 87-9-11 ...		
				Ditto ditto of Taraprosad Roy ditto ditto, „ 100-10-11 ..		
				Ditto ditto of Guruprosad Myti ditto ditto, „ 149-9-0 ...		
				The remaining joint share of Sreemuttya Bhodra Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Rya, Josomunto Roy, Lakhinaran Roy, Hurynarain Roy, Becharam Myti, Ahillya Deyee, mother of Boidanath Paul, minor Mothoormohun Roy, Moochiram Sahoo, Jitram Roy, Sreemuttya Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy, minor, Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	498 10 3	69 8 8
17	2434	1332	Rampore *alias* Rampore Sonepore, pergunnah Beerkool.	Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondapodhye, Ramchurn Bordopadhye, Annundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye minor, Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi, minoress, Chundichurn Sasmul.	5,175 11 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bondopadhye, and Sreemutiya Anundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 2,720-6-11	3,286 4 11	.....
				As also exclusive of the share of Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi minor, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 535-14-0		
				The remaining share of Chandichurn Sasmul which has a separate account, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,920 6 5	599 15 10
18	2353	1600	Agur, pergunnah Chundercona.	Nobokrishna Mookhopadhye, minor's attorney Joykrishna Mookhopadye, Rajkrishna Mukhopadhye, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, Shamanath Roy Choudhury, and Mr. Debrin, manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury and Sateendronath Roy Choudhury, minors, the heirs of the late Prannath Choudhury.	10,829 5 11	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mr. Debrin, Manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury, and Soteendronath Roy Choudhury, minors and heirs of late Prannath Roy Choudhury, which has a separate account, and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	721 15 4	.....
				The remaining joint share of Joykrishna Mookopadhye, attorney of Nabokrishna Mookopadhye minor, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, and Shamanath Roy Choudhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	10,107 6 7	269 4 9

The 21st February 1879. T. D. BEIGHTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collector, for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 26th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

No. 17.—Dehi Alfa, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietors Santiram Roy and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 8,670-5-3 and police Rs 96-3-7. The share of Santiram Roy and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,046-2-3 and police Rs. 44-14-8, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 13-8-11 on account of Government revenue. The share of Bama Sundary Burmania, mother and guardian of Keshtonath Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,624-3, police Rs. 51-4-11, for which separate accounts were open, will be exempted from sale.

No. 40.—Taraf Batyee, pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor Thakomoni Debia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 8,805-7-2 and police Rs. 110-13-5. The share of Shakhimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 8,302-0-8 and police Rs. 41-9-1, for which a separate account was opened in No. 40-41, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 591-5-3 on account of Government revenue.

No. 258.—Kismut pergunnah Jaypore (eight annas), pergunnah Jaypore; recorded proprietors Kassinath and Omanath Roy Chowdhuri and others; sudder jumma Rs. 7,406-8-7, and police Rs. 83-15. The share of Kassinath and Omath Roy Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,481-5-1, and police Rs. 16-12-6, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 424-9. The share of Jadabinda Nath Rai Chowdhuri and others, sudder jumma Rs. 5,925-3-6, and police Rs. 67-2-6, for which separate account was opened, will be exempted from sale.

No. 338.—Mouzah Maj Rudh, pergunnah Sajial, recorded proprietor Chota Rakhal Chandra Bundeopadhya; sudder jumma Rs. 2,951-6-3. The share of Chota Rakhal Chandra Bandeopadhya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-10-2, for which a separate account was opened in No. 338-4, will be sold for Rs. 71-3-10 on account of Government revenue.

No. 432.—Mouzah Raj Nagore, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietor Sukhemoni Dabia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 579-3-2 and police Rs. 6-9-3. The share of Shukimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 289-9-7, and police Rs. 3-4-6½, for which separate account was opened in No. 432-1, will be sold for Rs. 0-13-1 on account of arrears of revenue.

No. 3192.—Kismut Bhur Phuttayjungpore, pergunnah Bhur Phuttayjungpore; recorded proprietor Sital Chandra Ghose and others; sudder jumma Rs. 2,433-1-0. The share of Sital Chandra Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 985-4-3, will be sold for Rs. 512-13-8, and the share of Punchanun Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,169, for which separate account was opened in No. 3192-1, will also be sold for Rs. 563 on account of arrears of revenue. The share of other proprietors will be exempted from sale.

NUDDEA COLLECTORATE, the 20th February 1879. W. H. M. GUN, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rungpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Chaitro 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th January 1879.

First Class Permanently-settled Estate.

Class.	Number on touji.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Arrears for which to be sold.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	5	Mouja Karpura and others, Chukla Fatehpur.	Nobin Chundra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Chaudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri, himself and executor of Abdur Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chaudhuri minor, Enatullia, Fateh Mahamed Ataulla, Abdul Jalil Mea, Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing, Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor.	2,544 8 9	122 10 8	The joint share of Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing and Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor, of this estate, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 638-11-11, will be put up to sale; excluding the joint portion of Nobin Chandra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Choudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri himself and executor of Abdor Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chauduri minor, Enatullia, Fateh Mahamed and Abdul Jalil Meah, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 1,905-12-10 in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.
3	235	Mouja Dhulgari and others in Lut Hossinpur, share 6 annas, pergunnah Barobilu.	Khajeh Mahamed Ehia Chaudhuri.	1,070 15 0	42 11 8	Entire mehal.

RUNGPORE COLLECTORATE, the 21st February 1879. J. J. LIVESAY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Sarun will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that district, on Thursday, the 20th March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chayet, 1286 F. S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879, instead of the 12th January 1879, which was a Sunday.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Serial number.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Government revenue of the shares which will be sold for arrears of revenue.	Arrears of revenue due from the estate.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	314	Eksar, pergunnah Bal	Ram Persad Narain and others ...	812 11 0	817 13 6	28 12 11½
2	325	Umdha Phukooli, pergunnah Bal ...	Ram Govind Sahoo and others ...	1,040 0 0	1,040 0 0	183 9 5
3	414	Bharhopur Fatehpur, pergunnah Bal	Darup Narain Singh and others ...	1,954 13 6	1,720 4 3	4 1 11½
4	650	Kopa, pergunnah Bal	Rusuldad Khan and others	967 0 3	967 0 3	7 8 3
5	725	Mirzapur, pergunnah Bal	Ram Kuner and others	1,142 7 5½	472 14 5½	19 13 4½
6	815	Pojheya Tandwa, pergunnah Bal ..	Asanish Johan and others	693 5 4½	693 5 4½	0 15 8½
7	944	Tajpur, pergunnah Bal	Benarsi Lal, Binda Lall and others	1,331 6 5	286 2 2	34 14 2½
8	1367	Pachenkkhi Sarangpur, pergunnah Bara	Shin Sahai Singh, Mooktnath Persad and others	568 8 6½	568 8 6½	1 0 0
9	1421	Rampur Chand, pergunnah Bara ...	Jet Gir, Juba Lall, and others ...	671 6 10	581 6 10	4 15 9½
				Malkana.	Malkana.	
				560 9 2	470 9 2	
10	1438	Sadatpur, pergunnah Bara	Raghunandan Singh and Bissesar Singh	110 13 8	110 13 8	
11	1438	Ditto ditto	Jadunandun Singh and Mussamut Imirta Kuner	936 1 7	44 14 10	3 10 8
12	2081	Bakhraur, pergunnah Dungsi ...	Mussamut Moti Kuner	936 1 7	32 7 5	0 12 5
13	2380	Chhap Sudarson, pergunnah Goah ...	Rituburan Singh Kunja Roy, Shin Sahai Roy, Shin Dial Singh and others	1,623 0 6	283 10 10	7 13 6
14	2604	Mirzapur, pergunnah Goah	Rasa Narain, Gopal Sahai and others	821 5 4	235 3 8½	3 12 9
15	2604	Ditto ditto	Gudor Singh	1,706 10 8	563 10 10½	0 15 5
16	3086	Manopur, pergunnah Kasmar ...	Sudisht Narain Singh and others ...	1,706 10 8	937 15 9½	4 5 7½
17	3112	Nawdiha, ditto	Alekh Missor and others	715 11 9	119 1 7½	7 7 3
18	3120	Qasim Chak, ditto	Ram Anugrah Singh and others ...	1,565 14 8	813 8 4½	1 1 10
				546 10 0	273 5 4	3 11 4½

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 22nd February 1879. R. H. PAWSEY, *Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Feb. 15	15 Bars and three pieces Flat Iron, no mark ...	Order ...	S. S. Flamingo.
,, 10	25 Barrels, K C M	Ditto ...	Ship Vernon.
,, 15	3 Cases, A & N E	Achajee Noor Ellahi	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Case, A & E N	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	4 Casks, B in a diamond, bottom K G S ...	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Bale, 33 in a diamond, bottom M & H ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	25 Cases, N G D in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	8 Casks, P T & S	Paul Tambaci & Sons.	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Cask, T N, bottom R	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Grindstone, no mark	Ditto ...	S. S. Duke of Lancaster.
,, 15	125 Kegs, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	S. S. Inventor.
,, 15	13 Bales, B C M, bottom W & S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Case, E O K in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	2 Cases, F. G. J. M. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Cask, G D K in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Bundle Hoop Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Piece Sweedish Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	2 Bars Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	200 Cases, J P	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Sample Packet, addressed	Baboo Khetter Mohon Mitter, 27, Seetaram Ghose's Street, Tontonia, Calcutta.	Ditto.
,, 15	8 Cases, M L C	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 15	6 Cases, M in a triangle, top E P	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	3 Casks, S W M, bottom D...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	13 Rails, I S R, or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	3 Cases, 142 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Edinburgh.
,, 11	2 Casks, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	39 Kegs, B D in a diamond, bottom F M ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Bale, D E Y in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, G C P in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	55 Cases, H A in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	5 Kegs, M K, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, N S M G in a diamond, outside W C S K...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Bag, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Keg, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	6 Packages, P in a triangle, top H B, bottom S ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Cask, R R or addressed	W. Palmer, Esq., 63rd Regiment, Meean Meer, Punjab, care of Grindlay & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11	16 Packages, R D, bottom S	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Cask, R R or no mark or addressed	Chivas Brothers ...	Ditto.
,, 11	6 Packages, W in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, A S	Gillanders, Arbuthnot & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Sample Parcel, N B, bottom B	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Sample Parcel, F O in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Sample Case, addressed	Jennings, Esq., care of Captain Moffatt.	Ditto.
,, 11	7 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Bar Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Bundle Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1290 Bundles Hoop Iron, S. & Co.	Ditto ...	S. S. City of Cambridge.
,, 11			
,, 11	6 Rails, I S R	Ditto ...	S S. Hindostan.
,, 14	2 Cases, A R & A K	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	1 Bale, B in a diamond, bottom R S S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	7 Packages, C & H, top C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	50 Cases, D P, bottom C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	1 Case, 112 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 14	6 Cases, J. R. & Co. in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Feb. 14	2 Cases, L. & Co., with S below in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Order ...	S. S. Hindostan.
„ 14	2 Bales, L W. T. & Co., bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 14	1 Case, addressed	Monsieur W. Favre, Comptoir de Escompte de Paris, Calcutta.	Ditto.
„ 14	5 Cases, W B & S in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 14	1 Sample Parcel, addressed	F. R. S. Collier, Esq., care of King, Hamilton & Co.	Ditto.
„ 14	1 Case, T D D	Order ...	S. S. Almora.
„ 15	4 Cases, E I R	Ditto ...	Ship City of Lahore.

CALCUTTA, the 22nd February 1879. (826—1) W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the week ending 20th February 1879.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
February 14th, 1879	43 0 0	43 4 9	62 14 3	69 2 9	218 5 9	
„ 15th, „	67 2 0	61 15 6	70 10 9	74 9 6	274 5 9	
„ 16th, „	69 11 0	68 9 6	69 4 6	59 1 3	266 10 3	
„ 17th, „	59 3 6	58 6 3	78 14 6	66 0 3	262 8 6	
„ 18th, „	54 14 3	56 14 3	63 10 9	52 11 9	228 3 0	
„ 19th, „	58 9 9	61 12 0	69 10 0	83 0 3	270 0 0	
„ 20th, „	57 9 6	53 14 6	80 10 9	47 8 3	239 11 0	
Total ...	410 2 0	404 12 9	492 11 6	452 2 0	1,759 12 3	
Total of previous 6 weeks ..	2,578 0 3	2,495 8 3	3,693 4 6	3,152 11 0	11,919 8 0	
Grand Total ...	2,988 2 3	2,900 5 0	4,186 0 0	3,604 13 0	13,679 4 3	

CALCUTTA, the 22nd February 1879. (829—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th Feb. 1879.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund		20,25,095 0 0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs. 1,02,87,512 2 10	
Ditto at Branches ...	„ 1,19,35,884 9 8	2,21,73,396 12 6
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,55,70,570 7 6
Bank Post Bills, &c.		22,72,847 0 10
Sundries		6,07,306 13 9
Rupees ...		7,28,49,216 2 7

ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Government Securities		74,54,245 8 0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		56,89,637 8 4
Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		97,00,160 2 0
Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches		1,93,90,466 3 2
Balances with other Banks		6,28,979 0 6
Bullion		.....
Dead Stock		9,77,234 5 5
Stamps		7,186 14 0
Sundries		2,79,914 12 4
		4,41,27,824 5 9
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...	Rs. 94,89,448 10 5	
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ...	„ 1,92,31,943 2 5	2,87,21,391 12 10
Rupees ...		7,28,49,216 2 7

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 20th February* 1879. W. WESTLAND, *Offg Chief Accte. and Dy. Secy.* (822—1) R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Notice.

THE Stationery Store will be closed for the annual stock-taking from the 16th to the 31st March 1879, both days inclusive, *during which period no stationery can, under any circumstances, be issued.* The alteration in time herein announced is rendered necessary by Government requiring the submission of the annual report on the Stationery Department one month earlier than hitherto.

JOHN B. ROBERTS, *Superintendent.*

GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE, 4, CHURCH LANE, the 21st February 1879.

Notice.

WANTED an Acting Canoongo in the first grade; salary Rs. 50; for the sub-division of Serajgunge in Pubna, with prospect of being confirmed in the appointment. Preference will be given to a passed man in the Native Civil Service Examination.

Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received up to the 15th March next.

W. M. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*

PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 15th February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned documents, lying unclaimed in the Calcutta Registry Office since 1876, will be destroyed on the 1st March 1879, under Section 85 of the Indian Registration Act, 1877, unless their delivery is taken before that date.

No of this list.	Names of executing parties.	Names of parties claiming under the deed.	No. of register in which registered.	Date of presentation.	Nature of document.	Date of completion of registration.	REMARKS.
	BOOK I.	**1875.**					
1	Rev James Ross	R. W. Hilliard	84	12-1-75 ...	Lease, 3 years	30-1-75.	
2	Ram Chandra Ghosh	Lakhimani Bewah	799	28-3-75 ...	,, 7 ,, ..	14-4-75.	
3	Ditto ditto	Ditto	800	25-3-75 ...	,, 7 ,, .	14-4-75.	
4	Jogendra Chandra Chatterjee ...	Ambica Charan Bhatacharjie	1014	22-4-75 ...	Declaration of trust.	30-4-75.	
5	D. B Bromley	Simla Bank Corporation, Ld.	1739	12-7-75 ...	Mortgage ..	20-7-75.	
6	Nasiruddin	G. T. oucett	1841	22-7-75 ...	Lease, 3 years	31-7-75.	
7	Abdul Basid	Ditto	1842	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	31-7-75.	
8	Shaikh Miab Dhar	Ditto	1843	22-7 75 ...	Ditto ..	31-7-75.	
9	Shaikh Ainuddin	Ditto	1844	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	2 8-75.	
10	Shaikh Gholam Rahman	Ditto	1845	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	2 8-75.	
11	Mysanjan Khan	Ditto	1847	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	2-8 75.	
12	Shaikh Nujeebullah	Ditto	1848	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	2-8-75.	
13	Abdul Kahar	Ditto	1849	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	2-8-75.	
14	Shaikh Sheraj	Ditto	1850	22-7-75 ..	Ditto ...	10-9-75.	
15	Gholam Nabi Qazi	Ditto	1851	22-7-75 ...	Ditto ...	2 8-75.	
16	Oroonoprottas Ganguly and Arkaprakas Ganguly.	Zillar Rahman	1867	24-7-75 ...	Reconveyance	4-8-75.	
17	Uday Chand Sot	Haranath Thakur	1878	24-7-75 ...	Lease, 10 years	4-8-75.	
18	Beharylal Kowar	Nagendranath Ghosh and another.	2103	14-8-75 ...	,, 9 ,, ...	27-8-75.	
19	Revd C B. Lewis	Hugh Edward Mullony ...	2164	18-9-75 ...	,, 6 months	22-9-75.	
20	Maria Sneis	Ganga Churn Shaw ...	2520	1-10-75 ...	,, 3 years	2-11-75.	
21	Abhoy Churn Mookerjee	Sagor Chandra Sadkhan ..	2038	2-11-75 ...	,, 5 ,, ...	13-11-75 ...	Since delivered.
22	M B. Rochfort	C. P. Hill	2680	11-11-75 ..	,, 2 ,, ...	18-11-75.	
23	G T. Rebeiro and another ...	W Stekey	2812	29-11-75 ...	,, 3 ,, ...	6 12-75.	
24	Brajessuri Dasi	Bradjanath Bosak	2861	4-12-75 ...	Conveyance ..	11-12-75 ...	Ditto.
25	Octavius Steel	Bhabasundari Dasi	2950	11-12-75 ...	Lease, 3 years	4-1-76.	
	BOOK IV.						
26	Kader Begg	.... .	49	29-1-75 ...	Kabin .	4-2-75.	
27	Kaliprosono Ghosh	Durgaprasanna Ghosh... ...	78	17-2-75 ..	Security bond	26-2-75.	
28	H S. Cox	.....	80	18-2-75 ...	Trade mark ..	26-2-75 ...	Ditto.
29	Mirza Ismail	Rakman	113	2-3-75 ...	Kabin ..	4-3-75.	
30	Sirrafar Sookany	.....	188	5-4-75 ...	Ditto ...	9-4-75.	
31	Shaikh Mohamedjan	.....	242	5-5-75 ...	Ditto ...	15-5-75.	
32	Najib Khan	.....	309	25-6-75 ...	Trade mark ..	1-7-75.	
33	Najeeb Khan	.....	370	26-7-75 .	Ditto ...	2-8-75.	
34	Jehangir Khan	.....	420	23-8-75 ...	Kabin ...	27-8 75.	
35	Ganes Chunder Haldar	.....	872	30-10-75 ..	Trade mark ...	13-11-75.	
36	Henry S. Cox	.....	529	13-11-75 ...	Ditto ...	24-11-75 ...	Ditto.
37	George Campbell	H. J. Abbott	561	8-12-75 ...	Bond ...	21-12-75.	
	Deeds of which registration was refused during 1875.						
38	R. Rayneau	Rossessur Mokati	P. 154	1-10-74 ...	Perpetual lease	Refused. 16-2-75.	
39	Andrew Peter	Khetra Mohan Ghosh	P. 158	6-10-74 ..	Sale	16-2-75.	

The 18th February 1879.

P. GHOSH, *Registrar, Calcutta.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
398	O 30—16377 to ,, —16386	50 each	Inspector J. A. Fleming, Calcutta Police.
	O 26—19168 to ,, —19200	20 each	
	,, —24101 to ,, —24117	20 each	
	O 44—06741 to ,, —06747	10 each	
	,, —06749	10	
	,, —06751 to ,, —06781	10 each	
	,, —06783 to ,, —06789	10 each	
399	O 35—46601	100	Shib Nath Ghose.
	,, —42899	100	
	,, —42900	100	
400	O 35—10274	100	Haran Chunder Mitter.
	,, —10275	100	
	,, —10276	100	
401	O 29—71756	1,000	Shama Churn Lahuri.
	L 93—65862	50	

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
402	O 11—73355	10	Hara Kissore Choudoory.
	,, 17—85545	10	
	,, —85547	10	
403	O 34—76325	100	Kristo Doss Roy.
404	L 84—23938	100	Chirunjee Lall.
405	O 13—57693	10	Lieut. H. M. Mackenzie.
407	O 35—32308	100	Chamroo Bhagubut Ram Doss.
408	O 41—96207	10	Nairan Singh.
409	L 94—19435	100	Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta.
410	O 34—91945	100	Sheik Tinoor.
411	L 22—49229	5	Post-Master General, Madras.
	,, —49228	5	
413	O 27—15519	500	The District Superintendent of Police.
	L 93—76967	50	
	O 35—37041	100	
	,, —37944	100	
	,, —37945	100	
	,, —37946	100	
	,, —37947	100	
	O 30—13441	50	
	,, 26—10452	20	
414	O 30—13752	50	Bhurat Chunder Mahapatra.
415	L 93—88442	50	Kristo Dhone Mukerjee.
417	O 39—22297	10	Redoy Nauth Sircar.
418	L 54—16894	5	Post-Master of Calcutta.
419	L 93—77741	50	The Superintendent of Police.
420	O 25—27823	20	The Post-Master of Calcutta.
	D 10—27378	5	
421	L 54—39060	5	Rev. A. O. Hardy.
	,, —39061	5	
422	O 35—21691 ,, —34245	100	Inspector J. M'Callock.

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
423	L 93—45193	50	The Post-Master General, Bengal, and the Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore, Moorshedabad.
	„ 88103	50	
	L 66—95890	50	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

434	O 25—21646	20	K. M. Chatterjee.
435	O 18—75039	10	M. Barty.
436	L 3—24448	10	Mohendra Nath Chand.
438	„ 93—74538	50	Haru Mull.
439	„ 74—56305	10	Bajetollah Sircar.
440	O 22—99650	20	Pundit Kasi Nauth.
441	L 31—85772	5	Kasi Nauth Chand.
442	L 31—01406	5	Joggessur Seal.
443	O 42—60054	10	Brojo Gopal Mullick.
444	L 33—19799	10	Hajee Haroon Ismail.
	„ 39—56161	10	
445	„ 16—69792	5	Hara Nundo Sein.
447	A 64—99275	100	Radha Nund Tacoor.
448	O 19—49324	10	Kondorpo Nauth Bhattacharjee.
	„ 39—10828	10	
449	„ —78566	10	Groves, Wait & Co.
450	O 25—74906	20	P. Paulson.
451	L 72—43175	10	Somer Ahmed Khan.
452	O 10—63461	10	Krisna Dhone Bhattacharjee.
453	O 11—04505	10	Sarut Chunder Bose.
454	O 19—21522	10	C. Riemes.
455	„ 35—34976	100	Dino Nath Sircar.
456	L 93—67322	50	Raj Mohon Mookerjee.
457	O 42—60959	10	Sreenibash Ghose.
	„ 43—71014		
458	O 22—06984	20	Roma Nath Banerjee.
459	„ 11—74605	10	Jadu Money Mitter.
	L 54—20389	5	
460	„ 30—53890	5	Brojo Mohon Adyto.
461	O 12—02129	10	Lieut. A. Masters.
	„ 39—55478	10	
	„ 39—51673	10	
	„ 9—53126	10	
	„ 10—49795	10	
	O 40—13139	10	
462	„ 17—42674	10	E. D. Edwards.
463	„ 42—57130	10	Mohomed Taloolah.
464	„ 12—33628	10	Kareem Bux and Azizuddeen.
	„ —33171	10	
	„ —32203	10	
465	O 42—77846	10	B. Wince.
	„ 43—09427	10	
	„ —55490	10	
	„ —64946	10	
	„ 40—72526	10	Mrs. E. Tobin.
467	L 28—42813	5	P. B. Johnson.
	„ 31—66000	5	
	„ 40—02464	10	
468	O 8—47147	10	Dino Nath Ghose.
	O 13—56533	10	
469	O 39—88710	10	Warrisuddeen.
470	„ —78559	10	Messrs. Curestjee & Co.
471	L 31—42377	5	Deputy Post-Master General, Behar.
	O 22—01506	20	
	„ —01507	20	
	„ —01558	20	
	O 23—84233	20	
472	O 29—44068	1,000	Messrs. Carow & Co.
	„ —56478	1,000	
473	L 90—44257	20	Soojun Mull Hunmunt Ram.
474	„ 36—39629	20	Jeeta Nund Bidyasager.
475	O 72—03174	1,000	Ram Chunder Johormull.
	„ 29—98929	1,000	
476	O 35—26647	100	C. DeC. Richards.
477	O 33—05706	100	Syad Mohomed.
	O 21—59194	20	
478	„ 20—12496	20	Barranosee Chunder Ghose.
479	L 30—59406	5	Jogendro Nath Banerjee.
480	O 44—11004	10	Mrs. A. Brown.
481	„ 41—76611	10	Nani Lall Banerjee.
482	L 31—40949	5	Mossulluddeen Mollah.
483	„ 93—66528	50	Lt. H. M. Campbell.
	O 19—24080	10	
	„ 40—78227	10	
	„ 42—31846	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
484	L 27—70962	5	Chunder Coomar Chatterjee.
240	L 95—57890	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy.
	„ —57898		
M 253	L 9—73794	5	Akbar Moonshi.
	„ —73377		
254	O 42—02223	10	W. Richards, Serjeant.
	„ —02224		
256	L 30—69924	5	Gopaul Kristo Sein.
	„ —69928		
257	L 72—26046	10	Gopaul Kristo Mullick.
	„ —26049		
258	O 10—97396	10	Missoo Ram Mundle and Pauchoo Ram Mundle.
	„ 16—98405		
260	L 7—77271	20	The Agent, Oriental Bank Corporation.
	„ 12—35743		
261	L 26—13713	5	The Agent, Bank of Bengal, Allahabad.
	„ —13714		
263	O 18—78567	10	Giribore Ram.
	„ 78566		
265	L 39—73807	10	Doyal Chand Halder.
	„ 73806		
266	L 15—86835	5	Ramjee Doss Bunsee Lall.
	„ 86835		
267	O 22—69823	20	Manager, Horse Dawk Carriages, Moradabad.
	„ 69832		
268	L 89—59283	20	Ruttenessur Mullick.
	„ 59783		
270	O 3—19045	20	Messrs. Nittogopaul Dhur & Co.
	„ 19046	10	
	L 33—46308		
	„ 46307		
272	L 11—01999	5	Surjon Mull Hunumunt Ram.
	„ 01996		
	L 17—49550	5	
	„ 49548		
	L 22—54791	5	
	„ 54792		
	A 97—95132	10	
	A 96—33109		
273	L 89—04393	20	Aboobaker Ebrahim.
	L 90—82009		
	L 21—31898	5	
	„ 97209		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.
PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 18th February 1879.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Bar Flat Iron, no mark	... City of Hankow.
21	Bars Square Iron, no mark	... Lady Belhaven.
2	Rundlets, [C P B] H. S. K. & Co.	... Ditto.
8	Plates Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
12	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
14	Bars Square Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
10	Bars Round Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, [180] B. L. & Co.	... Dundee.
1	Cask, [617] W L 7	... Ditto.
2	Rundlets, [X]	... Star of Italy.
1	Case, [S A & N] 4458	... Berar.
1	Case, [G] 14204	... Almora.
28	Spades, no mark	... Ditto.
56	Bobbins, no mark	... Ditto.
3	Cases, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Bar Round Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Qr. Cask, S	... Statesman.
1	Parcel [R B] C	... Ditto.
17	Pieces Spelter, no mark	... Inventor.
28	Fire Bars, no mark	... City of Edinburgh.
1	Cask, I J C	... Ditto.
18	Spikes, no mark	... Ditto.
101	Fire Bars, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Bundle Hoop Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Case, [O. S. & Co.] 20 C	... Ditto.
2	Kegs, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, B C L	... Ditto.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
2	Pipes, no mark	... City of Manchester.
1	Parcel, [G] or G. Wyllie & Co.	Ditto.
1	Fire Bar, [B]	... Ditto.
1	Drum, P. C. M. & Co.	... Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	... Lady Belhaven.
1	Case, [P R] 158	... Meinam.
1	Chest, no mark	... Moray.
1	Parcel, S. B. Elias	... Ditto.
1	Parcel, A. M. Esabhoy	... Ditto.
12	Cakes Spelter, G J O	... St. Magnus.

N. B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 1st of March 1879.

7	Bars Iron, XX	... Lock Eck.
2	Cakes Spelter, B	... City of Hankow.
1	Cake Spelter, T	... Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, S M	... Ditto.

N. B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 1st of March 1879.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*
CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 15th February 1879.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

WANTED a temporary Surveyor and Leveller under the District Engineer of Furreedpore, on a salary of Rs. 60 per mensem including all allowances. Candidates are requested to apply, with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned before the 2nd proximo.

MONMOHUN GHOSH, *District Engineer in charge.*
FURREEDPORE, the 21st February 1879. (825—1)

Notice.

WANTED a District Engineer under the District Road Cess Committee of Furreedpore on a salary of Rs. 200 per month, rising, by annual increments of Rs. 20, up to a maximum of Rs. 300 per month, provided he continues to give satisfaction; but rising at once to the said maximum on his becoming vested with the powers of an Executive Engineer, together with travelling allowance at the rate of six annas per mile, and halting allowance at Rs. 3 per day, subject to future variation at the pleasure of the Committee, but so as not to be fixed at a less rate than actual reasonable expenses. Candidates are requested to submit their applications, with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned before the 3rd proximo.

J. ANDERSON,
(828—1) *Chairman, Dist. R. C. Comtee., Furreedpore.*

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 ,, ,, 2-12 ,,
23 ,, ,, 2-14 ,,
24 ,, ,, 3 ,,

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at ,, 2-4 ,,
Under 7 feet, at ,, 2 ,,

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

The Mothola Company, "Limited."

THE Fifth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 4, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March 1879, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report, declaring a dividend for season 1878, and for the consideration of such other business as may be brought forward.

JOHN ELLIOTT & Co., *Managing Agents.*
CALCUTTA, the 22nd February 1879. (824—2)

Soom Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Thursday, the 27th February next, at 4 o'clock P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Director's report, passing the accounts, declaring a final dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board,
WILLIAMSON, MAGOR AND Co., *Secretaries.*
CALCUTTA, the 24th January 1879. (780—5)

Majagram Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, Calcutta, on Monday, the 3rd March next, at 11 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Directors' report, passing the accounts for the year ending 31st December 1878, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board.
WILLIAMSON, MAGOR & Co., *Secretaries.*
CALCUTTA, the 22nd February 1879. (827—1)

Notice to Creditors.

IN the goods of EMMA EVANS KING, of Camberwell House, Camberwell, in the county of Survey, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgages Powers Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of such claim to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 4th day of April next, after the expiration of which the administrator of such estate will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of February 1879.
(816—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Notice to Creditors.

IN the goods of GEORGE OSBORNE, formerly of Goruckpore, but late of 35, Burnt Ash Hill Lee, in the county of Kent, England, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgages Powers Act notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of such claim to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the fourth day of April next, after the expiration of which the administrator of such estate will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of February 1879.
(817—3) ORR & HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

MONMOHUN DUTT, B.L., intends to apply to be enrolled as a Vakeel, Calcutta High Court. (814—4)

NOTICE.—The undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta. (812—4) KARUNA SINDHU MUKERJEE.

IT is hereby notified that the undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta. (810—4) HARI CHURN MITRA, M.A., B.L.

LOST.—Second-half of B. B. Note No. 9821, for Rs. 25. Person restoring the above to Bolye C. Sett, No. 70, Rutton Sircar's Garden Street, will be rewarded. (823—2)

TO be peremptorily sold pursuant to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction made in suit No. 168 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight [wherein Sreemutty Noyantara Dossee is plaintiff and Sreekissen Khettry is defendant] and dated the twenty-eighth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, by the Registrar of the said Court, in the Registrar's sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the first day of March next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, at noon, the following properties, that is to say:—

Lot No. 1.—All that three-storied house and premises situate, lying, and being No. 26, Burtollah Street, in the registration district of Calcutta, containing by estimation about thirteen cottahs of land and three buildings standing thereupon, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say—on the east by Ramkissen Serogee's house; on the south by Monohur Doss's house; on the west partly by the house of Runchore Doss, and partly by the house of Kissen Misser; and on the north by the public street called the Burtollah Street.

Lot No. 2.—All that three-storied house and premises and tenanted land situate, lying, and being Nos. 5 and 6, Kanoo Lal's Lane, in Burra Bazar, in the registration district of Calcutta, containing by estimation about ten cottahs ten chuttacks and nine feet of land, and butted and bounded in the manner following, that is to say—on the east by the house of Juggernauth Misser; on the south by the house of Ghasi Ram Johurry; on the west by Kanololl Baboo's house; and on the north by the house of Sham Lal and Dwarkanauth Baboos.

The conditions of sale and the abstract of title may be seen at the Registrar's Office, or at the Office of Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Doss, the plaintiff's Attorney, at No. 6, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, the 12th February 1879. (821—1)

TO be peremptorily sold under a decree of the High Court of Judicature, at Fort William in Bengal, in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, made in the suit No. 268 of 1878, and dated the 13th day of July 1878, wherein Sarkies Michael Shircore and another are plaintiffs and Thomas Owen is defendant, by the Registrar of the said Court, in his sale-room in the said Court-house, on Saturday, the 1st day of March, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the undermentioned property, that is to say—

1. All that upper-roomed brick-built messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation 15 cottahs, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying, and being formerly No. 4, but now No. 3, Zigzag Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows,—on the north by the said Zigzag Lane; on the south partly by the tenanted house of Moonshee Syed Muddeen Ahmed and partly by the house of Bibee Sarah; on the east by the premises lately No. 5, now No. 4, Zigzag Lane; and on the west by a drain, beside which is the house of Mr. A. M. DeSilva.

2. All that piece or parcel of land or ground containing by estimation 16 cottahs and 24 feet, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying, and being formerly No. 5, now No. 4, Zigzag Lane, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say—on the north partly by the tenanted house of Nilcomul Baboo and partly by the said Zigzag Lane; on the south partly by the tenanted house of Moonshee Syed Muddeen Ahmed and partly by the house of Bibee Sarah; on the east by the house of Mr. R. Reynolds; and on the west by the said premises lately No. 4, now No. 3, Zigzag Lane, aforesaid.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, or at the office of Mr. C. D. Linton, Attorney for the plaintiffs, 10, Old Post Office Street, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, CALCUTTA, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, the 1st day of February 1879. (800—1)

In the Court of the First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

EXECUTION CASE No. 124 OF 1878.

Bhupendra Narain Dutta and others, decreeholders, *vs.* Issenussury Dassee and another, judgment-debtors.

TO be sold, in the execution of the above decree, the right, title, and interest of the judgment-debtor in the undermentioned property, for arrears of rent, on the 3rd day of March 1879, at the public sale, for the realization of Rs. 1,845-1 17 gundahs due to the decreeholders, in the District Judge's Court, 24-Pergunnahs. Intending purchasers may know further particulars at the office of the First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

Lot No. 1.—The undivided sixteen-anna share in the Chok Duga Nagore, mouzah Shahazadapore, pergunnah Maidu, situated within lots Nos. 30, 32, 33, police and sub-registration district Joynagore, silla 24-Pergunnahs, held under the zemindars Gopal Doss Dutta and others, measuring by estimation 4500 beeghas, bearing an annual rent of Rs. 2,019, butted and bounded as follows:—

North.—The eastern bank of the Khatta khall.

East.—Khatta khall and the latter portion of the Kansaragunge.

South.—Tentoolberia khall and the main part of Gur Diwanee khall.

West.—An embankment running from the western part of the Khanear tank to the northern Khatta khall; another embankment from the southern part of the Khanear tank running across the Gur Diwanee khall to the south of it. The same embankment running first towards the east, then towards the south in a crooked line, meets the northern border of Radha Nath Ghose's Chuck (viz. Sreepultolly) up to the boundary line in the survey map.

BROJENDRO COOMAR SEAL,
First Subordinate Judge, 24-Pergunnahs.

ALIPORE, the 24th February 1879. (830—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of JOHN DUNCAN OGILVIE MITCHELL, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 11th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of SHAIKH HABO KHANSAMAH, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 10th day of February instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 17th day of February 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P. M.	26th Feb.	*Goa.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 „	28th „	*Pemba.*
Ceylon, Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, Shanghai and Yokohama.	6 „	1st Mar.	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo and Sandoway.	6 „	2nd „	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 „	3rd „	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 28th February 1879.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 27th February 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 24th February 1879.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Asansole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 „	5 „	
	8 „	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 „	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 „	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 „	7-45 „	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 „	5 „	7 „
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 „	3-30 „	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 „	5 „	7 „
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 „
Oolooberiah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Visagapatam	6 „	5 „	6-30 „
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are expected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Ballighatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Napit Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
Ballighatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-27	4-47	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-40	1-15	4-30	
* Allipore A.	8-45	1-15	4-40	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Novr. 1878.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 25th February 1879.

Allen, J.
Allen, Mrs.
Anderson, J.
Anger, F. W.
Armfield, J. W.
Ayre, Miss Annie.
B. B. Miss.
Baillee, J. R.
Bartlett, C. E.
Barron, E. J.
Blour, Esq. W.
Brsham, F. E.
Bright, S.
Brownlow, A.
Boulard, Madame.
Burridge, E. J.
Burleigh, J.
Campbell, A.
Carghill. Messrs. & Co.
Chamberlain, Esq., C.
Cox, Stirling.
Daly, Mrs.
Dougal, R. K.
Falvey, Esq., W. H.
Farrell, Edwin.
Figgs, A. W.
Fitzgerald, P. T.
Fox, C.
Fox, Miss S.
Groenway, Mr. M.
Harnish, J.
Hassel, Mrs.
Haynes, A. C.
Hill, J. G
Hughes, Mr. J. W.
Hodgkinson, C. B.
Jennings, H.
Johnson, Esq., James
Johnson, W. P.
Kelsa, Esq. A.
Konnedy, J.
Langston, F.
Logg, W.
Mariner, Esq.
Maxwell, J.
Maycock, Mrs. A.
Melcombee, Mrs.
Miller, J. B.
Monte, H. E.
Murray, W.
Naville, Esq. A.
Nickoll, Esq. A.
Oldham, Mrs.
Parker, J. L.
Patterson, Mr. W.
Paul, Allick.
Philipe, Esq.
Poulsenboy, G.
Punchard, Mrs. T.
Raman, Esq., J.
Renkes, Mrs.
Reming, Mrs. E. H.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 25th February 1879.

Richmond, F.
Robertson, Mrs. L.
Roe, Miss E.
Ross, E. A.
Saunders, W. M.
Save, Mrs.
Smith, W. J.
Solet, Mary Ann.
Steans, Mrs. H.
Thomas, Mrs. W.
Thompson, Mrs. C. L.
Walitte, Miss. S. A.
Webb, C. E. H.
Wood, D.
Wright, Mrs. W.
W. R. Y., Esq.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

A. B. C.
Addington, E.
Adels, E. J.
Anderson, A.
Bailey, F. A.
Beaver, P.
Beck, R.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blagdon, G.
Bottana, Peter.
Braham, Mrs. H.
Brener, W. J.
Bright, Samuel.
Burnett, G. B.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.
Byrne, Mrs. E. M.
Cameron, Mrs. Ewer
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Cummins, Mrs.
Davison, W.
Dumbol, T.
Eales, E. F.
Evans, G.
Feltwell, J. W.
Fryo, R. J.
Forbes, W. S. & Co.
Fraser, Mr. A.
Fry, H. W.
Furguson, D.
Gage, W. Quintin
Goddard, Edward.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Grief, Leib.
Gruiblander, Esphir
Guldediben, George
Hart, J.
Holmes, D. F.
Hellstrom, Miss
Hutchinson, Miss F.
Innes, T. E. D.
Jones, J. H.
Janney, L. R.
Johnson, Miss.
Kennedy, R.
Kerr, A.
Kirkton, C.
Lackerstein, Esq., N.
Lewis, Mr.
M. C., Mrs.
M. S. W.
Man, G. O.
Manuel, W.
Marshal, E. O.
Martin, Thomas
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Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following preliminary report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as amended by them, is, by order of the President, published for general information:—

1. THE members of the Select Committee appointed to report upon the Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent, and to amend the law relating to rent, submit the following preliminary report.

2. The Committee have considered the provisions of the Bill. They have taken it up without waiting for the criticisms and suggestions of the officers of Government and others who have been consulted, because they thought that it would eventually save time to clear the ground as far as possible, and endeavour to come to some understanding among themselves as to the principles and details of the measure. It might also, they held, save the time of mofussil officers to have before them at an early date an amended draft of the Bill for consideration.

3. The individual members of the Select Committee, in making this preliminary report, reserve to themselves the right to modify, change, or reject each and any portion of the draft Bill as now amended. There is still considerable difference of opinion in respect of many of its provisions, and one of the main objects of this report is to invite attention to the points of doubt, a final settlement as to which is not likely to be arrived at until all the mofussil reports have been received and duly considered.

4. Part II of the Bill, relating to the "summary procedure for realisation of arrears of rent," has been entirely re-cast, so as to provide clearly for the various steps to be taken under the special procedure contemplated. The

plaintiff has been required to make out a *primâ facie* case before the issue of summons in the form contemplated by the Bill, and the provisions of Act X of 1859, requiring that he should either appear in person or cause the attendance on his behalf of some one acquainted with the facts of the case, have been revived. The simple mode of verifying the plaint laid down in Act X has also been introduced. An amended form of summons to the defendant has been given in the schedule. By section 9 of the amended Bill, if the Court refuses to give the defendant leave to defend it must nevertheless take down his statement and record the reason for its refusal. By section 11 a defendant against whom a decree is given under section 10 may appeal on depositing the amount of the decree in the Appellate Court, or giving security, as the Court may direct. The decree-holder is not to be allowed to draw the amount of any deposit made, pending appeal. The majority of the Committee hold that it is sufficient for the landlord to have his rent practically secured to him without making over to him moneys he may have to refund. The Committee have provided that a landlord claiming arrears at enhanced rates may sue under this Bill for so much of his claim as represents the rent at the old rates, and get a decree for that portion of his demand at once, without prejudice to the continuation of his suit under the ordinary procedure in respect of the enhanced rates. On the whole, the summary procedure provided by this part has now been put upon a reasonable basis for detailed discussion, fair to both parties and suited, it may be hoped, to the class of suits that will have to be dealt with under it.

5. Some of the members of the Committee feel however, with reference to this whole question of a summary procedure for recovery of arrears of rent, that its practical success or failure will depend entirely upon the intelligence and impartiality with which it may be eventually worked by the Civil Courts. If they could feel sure that the aim of the Legislature would always be borne in view, and be worked up to by the Courts, Part II of the Bill would, they believe, do much to remedy the difficulties of which landlords now complain without pressing unduly upon tenants. At the same time it may, they think, be worked in such a way as to be unfair to either party.

6. The Committee as a body do not see their way at present to providing a summary procedure that shall be free of this danger. The only absolutely safe way of settling disputes about rent is to try out the issues between the parties in a regular suit. It is of course possible by legislation to raise a presumption of law in favour of either landlord or tenant as the case may be, and either party would probably be glad to secure such a weapon against the other. The Legislature can, however, hardly be expected to satisfy such a one-sided demand.

7. *Part III.*—The Committee have had much discussion with reference to the limitations under which occupancy tenures might be declared transferable so as to avoid the risk of money-lenders or hostile zemindars buying up such tenures in an estate either for purposes of speculation or annoyance. It is perhaps impossible absolutely to guard against such occurrences, which may indeed take place even under the present law, though it is believed they are by no means common in Bengal. In section 15, however, a definition is given of what should constitute a right of occupancy under this Bill, calculated, it is thought, to reduce the chances of this evil to a minimum, and the question of sub-letting has also been considered with reference to the same difficulty. So far as tenures are concerned, which owe their recognition only to Act X of 1859, it is suggested that there is no reason why the practice of sub-letting without the consent of the zemindar should not be absolutely forbidden, and why sub-letting without such consent should not involve forfeiture of occupancy rights. This, read with the definition of an occupancy ryot, should perhaps effectually prevent the sale of this class of tenures to persons who do not intend to cultivate them *bonâ fide*. Some of the members of the Committee would have preferred to see the same disability to sub-let extended to all transferable occupancy tenures. The practical effect of such an extension would however, in the opinion of others, have been to confiscate the rights of numerous cultivating tenure-holders of old standing, who now by the custom of the district both transfer and sub-let their lands without any reference to their zemindars. Section 20 has, therefore, been inserted to save such tenure-holders. There can be no doubt that

in tenures of old standing the right of sub-letting has always been exercised. It has been suggested that a holding for twelve years before the commencement of Act X of 1859 should raise a presumption of the existence of this right. But the Committee feel that they cannot deal effectively with this question of subletting until they have received and considered the reports of mofussil officers.

8. The provisions of section 7 of Bengal Act VIII of 1869 have not been re-enacted in the amended draft, as they refer to matter belonging more strictly to the law of contract. Some of the Committee also hold that the local law of rent should not specifically recognise the possibility of landlords and tenants contracting themselves out of their statutory rights.

9. The procedure for the registration of transfers has been made more complete and precise.

10. A section has been inserted declaring that all transferable under-tenures are hypothecated for the rent due thereupon, following the principles laid down in the Full Bench decision in XXI, Weekly Reporter, page 94.

11. In Part IV some members of the Committee wished to repeal sections 29 and 30, and some to make the award of damages compulsory in every case contemplated by the section. As a compromise the sections have been left as they are, except that under section 29, damages may be awarded whether claimed in the plaint or not. Sections 31 and 32 have received slight verbal amendments, and a clause has been added enabling a landlord to draw rent deposited in his name by a tenant without prejudice to the rights of either party in respect of the nature of the tenure or holding.

12. In Part V, section 33 has been amended so as to make the rent instalments quadrate better with the harvests of the Bengali year and the instalments of Government revenue, and at the same time the payments of interest have been equated, the proviso of the section as originally drafted being left out. It is proposed to apply the provisions of this section to *all* under-tenures.

13. Section 34 has been amended so as to provide for the grant of a mere counterfoil receipt for each payment made on account, while the specification of the yearly rental of the holding or tenure is reserved for an annual statement of account.

14 Generally, the Committee are inclined to the conclusion that in view of the great importance of the matters treated in this Bill, and of the amount of discussion that is likely to be raised in respect of them, the Government should not attempt to pass it through the Council too rapidly, or until full opportunity has been given for considering the detailed criticism of mofussil officers, and of non-official persons interested in land. The majority of the Committee would indeed prefer to see the measure postponed absolutely until next session, steps being taken meantime to prepare and circulate a complete draft of a revised Rent Law for Bengal, in which the provisions of the present Bill, and of the Bill for the settlement of lands on the application of landholders and ryots, might be incorporated, with such further amendments of Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869 as experience and the decisions of the Courts have shown to be really necessary. It is feared that many of the provisions of the Bill will be found eventually so intimately connected with other portions of the existing law, not ostensibly affected by it, that the majority of the Committee would prefer to see the whole subject of a revision of the rent law once for all fairly faced.

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The 22nd February 1879.

A Bill to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent and to amend the law relating to rent.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the more speedy realization of arrears of rent and to amend in other respects the law relating to rent in Bengal: It is enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act is divided into five Parts.

It may be extended by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* to any districts within the provinces for the time being subject to the said Lieutenant-Governor in which Act X of 1859 or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are, or may be, in force, and it shall take effect accordingly from the date which may be specified in such notification.

Extent and commencement.

2. Sections 6, 7, 20, and 21 of Act X of 1859; sections 2, 3, 4, and 5 of Bengal Act VI of 1862; and sections 6, 7, 21, 22, 44, 45, 46, and 47 of the the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, are hereby repealed.

Repeal of sections.

This repeal shall not affect any right of occupancy which has accrued before the commencement of this Act.

References in any Act to sections hereby repealed shall be read as if made to the corresponding section or sections of this Act.

Nothing contained in this Act applies to suits which have been instituted before the commencement thereof.

PART II.

SUMMARY PROCEDURE FOR REALIZATION OF ARREARS OF RENT.

3. From and after the commencement of this Act, all suits for arrears of rent brought within twelve months after such arrears become due may be instituted under the provisions of this Part.

What suits may be instituted under the Act.

4. The plaint shall be presented by the plaintiff, or by an authorized agent of the plaintiff who has personal knowledge of the facts of the case, or by an agent who shall be accompanied by a person who has such knowledge.

Who to present plaint.

It shall be subscribed and verified at the foot by the plaintiff or his agent in the manner following or to the like effect:—

"I, A.B., do declare that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief."

5. The plaint may, at the discretion of the Court, and at or before the first hearing, be rejected, returned for amendment within a time to be fixed by the Court, or amended then and there, upon such terms as to the payment of costs occasioned by the amendment as the Court thinks fit—

When plaint may be rejected or amended.

(*a*) if it is not presented in the manner hereinbefore required; or

(*b*) if it does not contain the particulars specified in section 48 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869.

6. The Court, after registering the plaint and before issuing summons thereupon, shall require the plaintiff, or his authorized agent, to produce such evidence, oral or documentary, as shall satisfy the Court—

Primâ facie evidence required.

(1) that rent at the same rate as that alleged to be due has been paid in respect of the tenure or holding for which it is claimed some time within the three years immediately preceding the period for which it is claimed, or that the defendant has agreed by a written engagement which is still in force to pay rent at the rate claimed, or that the plaintiff has obtained a decree from a competent Court declaring him entitled to rent at the rate claimed for the period in respect of which he sues; and

(2) that the plaintiff has a *primâ facie* case.

If the plaintiff or his authorized agent fail so to satisfy the Court, the Court shall refuse to issue a summons to the defendant.

In case of such refusal the plaint shall not be returned to the plaintiff, but he shall have the same right of suing under the ordinary procedure in rent suits for the amount claimed in the plaint as he would have had if he had not instituted a suit under this Act.

7. If the Court, after hearing such evidence, is satisfied as aforesaid, it shall forthwith issue a summons to the defendant, which shall be in the form contained in Schedule A of this Act, and the defendant shall not be permitted to defend the suit unless he obtains leave from the Court as hereinafter mentioned so to defend.

Issue of summons.

8. The Court shall, upon application within the period of fourteen days from the service of such summons, give leave to the defendant to defend the suit upon his paying into Court the sum mentioned in the summons, or upon his satisfying the Court that he has a defence; and the Court may, before granting such leave, prescribe such terms as to the framing and recording of issues, or otherwise as to it may seem fit, and may, in its discretion, where the sum mentioned in the summons is not paid into Court, require the defendant to give security for the said sum.

Leave to defend the suit.

9. If the Court refuses to give the defendant leave on his application to defend the suit, it shall receive and file the defendant's written statement of his case, or if there be no such written statement, shall record the nature of the defendant's oral statement, and the Court shall also distinctly record the grounds upon which it refuses to allow the defendant so to defend.

Court when to record defendant's statement and grounds of refusal of leave to defend.

10. If the defendant fail to appear within fourteen days from the service of the summons, and the Court is satisfied that such service has been duly made;

or if having appeared, the defendant fail to pay into Court the sum mentioned in the summons, or to satisfy the Court that he has a defence;

or if, after having obtained leave to defend the suit, the defendant fail to defend the same in pursuance of such leave:

When plaintiff entitled to decree.

the Court shall give the plaintiff a decree for any sum not exceeding the sum mentioned in the summons, together with interest on the same at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the date of decree and costs.

The decree shall carry interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum to the date of satisfaction.

Appeal by judgment-debtor.

11. No appeal shall lie from any decree given under section 10 on the part of any judgment-debtor, unless he deposit in the Appellate Court the amount specified in the decree, either in cash or in promissory notes of the Government of India, or give security for its payment, as the said Court may direct.

When court may set aside decree.

12. When a decree has been given under section 10, the Court may, under special circumstances, set aside the decree, and, if necessary, stay or set aside execution, and may give leave to the defendant to defend the suit if it shall seem reasonable to the Court so to do, and on such terms as the Court may think fit: provided that no application to set aside the decree shall be entertained unless presented within thirty days from the date of the execution of any process for enforcing the decree.

Suits for enhancement of rent.

13. In suits for arrears of rent at enhanced rates the plaintiff may proceed under this Part for so much of his claim as relates to rent at the rate previously in force; and as to the remainder of his claim he may, if he obtain a decree under this Part, continue the same suit under the ordinary procedure in suits for arrears of rent at enhanced rates.

Procedure in suits under this Part.

14. Except as provided in the preceding sections, the procedure in suits instituted under this Part shall be the same as the procedure in suits instituted under Act X of 1859, or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, as the case may be.

PART III.

RIGHT OF OCCUPANCY AND SUB-LEASES.

What creates a right of occupancy.

15. Every ryot who shall have held land and cultivated the same for a period of twelve years shall have a right of occupancy in the land so held and cultivated by him, whether it be held under pottah or not, so long as he pays the rent payable on account of the same.

Explanations.—1. A ryot shall not be held to cultivate within the meaning of this section unless he cultivates with his own hands,

or unless he cultivates through members of his family or by means of hired labour, and at the same time personally, or by the aid of some member of his family, supervises and directs such cultivation.

2. A ryot may pay his rent in kind, and may also remunerate his hired labourers by making over to them a portion of the gross produce. As doubts may therefore arise whether some of those who enjoy a portion of the gross produce are ryots or hired labourers, it is hereby declared that the person to whom the zemindar or lowest intermediate tenure-holder looks directly for payment, either in cash or in kind, on account of the use of the land, is the ryot within the meaning of this section.

Occupancy tenure heritable and transferable.

16. The holding of the father or other person from whom the ryot inherits shall be deemed to be the holding of the ryot within the meaning of the last preceding section, and the tenure of a ryot who has acquired a right of occupancy shall be heritable and transferable, provided that no transfer shall be valid unless the whole tenure is transferred, and that the transferee shall have the right of occupancy only so long as he continues to cultivate the lands in the manner described in the last preceding section.

Occupancy ryot not to sublet without consent of zemindar.

17. After the commencement of this Act no ryot having a right of occupancy shall, without the consent in writing of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom his rent is payable, sublet his holding or any portion thereof; and any such ryot subletting without such consent shall be deemed to have forfeited his right of occupancy in his entire holding.

Effect of subletting with consent.

18. If, after the commencement of this Act the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom the rent is payable consents to the subletting of a portion or the whole of the holding of a ryot having a right of occupancy, the sub-tenant, if he cultivates the lands in the manner described in section 15 of this Act, shall begin to acquire a right of occupancy in the lands sublet from the date of such subletting. The ryot who sublets the lands shall be deemed to have become the holder of an intermediate tenure, and shall cease to have a right of occupancy in the lands sublet, but he shall not be liable to be ejected by the zemindar or superior tenure-holder as aforesaid otherwise than for non-payment of arrears of rent, and in execution of a decree or order of Court; and the rent which he pays for the lands sublet shall not be liable to be enhanced above a sum which shall, in default of specific agreement to the contrary, in no case be less than ten per cent. below the fair and equitable rates payable for the same land by a ryot having a right of occupancy.

Saving of existing sub-leases.

19. Sub-leases for a year or for a term of years given before the commencement of this Act by any ryot having a right of occupancy shall hold good for such year or term but no longer.

Saving of persons entitled to sublet before Act X of 1859.

20. Nothing contained in the three last preceding sections shall be held to affect the rights of, or impose any disabilities upon, the holders of any cultivating tenures who were before the commencement of Act X of 1859 entitled to sublet their lands without the consent of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom their rent is payable.

No right of occupancy in zemindar's private lands.

21. No right of occupancy shall be acquired by any ryot in *khamar*, *nijjote*, or *seer* lands belonging to the proprietor of the estate or tenure which are held by him as such at the date of the commencement of this Act and let by him on lease for a term or year by year.

Transfers of occupancy tenures to be registered.

22. All ryots having rights of occupancy are required to register in the sherishta of the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom their rents are payable all transfers of their tenures by sale, gift, or otherwise, as well as all successions thereto and divisions among heirs in cases of inheritance, within three months of each such transfer, succession, or division, and every zemindar or superior tenure-holder as aforesaid is required to admit to registry and otherwise give effect to all transfers of whole tenures when made in good faith, and to all such successions and divisions by delivering to the applicant for registration within one month after his application a *hukumnama* or *amulnama* declaring the fact of the transfer, succession, or division having been admitted and registered.

Provided that no zemindar or other superior tenure-holder as aforesaid shall be required to admit to registry or give effect to any division or distribution of the rent payable on account of any such tenure, nor shall any such division or distribution of rent be valid and binding without the consent in writing of such zemindar or superior tenure-holders.

Failure to apply for registration or institute suit entails forfeiture of right of occupancy.

23. If any person who has acquired a right of occupancy by transfer, succession, or division as aforesaid, fails to apply for registration within three months, or to institute a suit against the person refusing registration within one year, from the date of such transfer, succession, or division, he shall forfeit his right of occupancy.

Registry of transfer made before the commencement of the Act.

24. All ryots claiming to have rights of occupancy in virtue of transfers made before the commencement of this Act are required to register the same within one year from the said commencement, and the provisions of section 22 of this Act shall apply to all such transfers.

Fees may be levied on transfers.

25. Fees at the rate of two per cent. on the annual rent of the interest transferred may be levied by the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder to whom the rent is payable on the registry under this Act of any transfer:

Provided that no fee shall be less than one rupee or more than one hundred rupees; and that if the zemindar or other superior tenure-holder as aforesaid fails to deliver the *hukumnama* or *amulnama* as provided in section 22 of this Act, any competent Court may, on a suit therefor being brought by the applicant for registration, direct delivery of the same free of all charges for fees or costs.

Transferable under-tenures hypothecated for rent due thereon.

26. The tenure of an occupancy ryot and all under-tenures which by the title-deeds or the custom of the country are transferable by sale shall be held to be hypothecated for the rent due thereupon, and may, notwithstanding any transfer, be sold in execution for arrears of rent due by the ryot or under-tenant, provided that the transfer has not been admitted to registry, or that sufficient cause for non-registration is not shown to the satisfaction of the Court.

Execution may issue on verbal application of decree-holder.

27. The Court may, when passing a decree for arrears of rent, on the oral application of the decree-holder, order immediate execution thereof either against the person, or the moveable property, or the right of occupancy of the judgment-debtor; but no ryot having a right of occupancy shall be ejected otherwise than by order of Court after the sale of his tenure in execution of decree.

Procedure in execution against occupancy tenure.

28. The provisions of sections 59 to 63 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, shall apply to the sale in execution of decree of the tenure of any ryot having a right of occupancy.

PART IV.

TENDER OF RENT AND DEPOSIT OF RENT WITH COLLECTOR.

The Court may in certain cases award to the plaintiff additional damages not exceeding 25 per cent.

29. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent, if it appears to the Court that the defendant has, without reasonable or probable cause, neglected or refused to pay the amount due by him, and that he has not, on or before the due date of payment of his quarterly rent instalments as fixed under section 33 of this Act tendered such amount to the plaintiff or his duly authorized agent, or in case of the refusal of the plaintiff or such agent to receive the amount tendered, has not deposited such amount with the Collector within ten days of the said quarterly day of payment, the Court may award to the plaintiff, in addition to the amount decreed for rent and costs, such damages, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the amount of rent decreed, as the Court may think fit, whether the same are claimed in the plaint or not. These damages, if awarded, as well as the amount of rent and costs decreed in the suit, shall carry interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum from the date of decree until payment hereof.

The Court may award compensation not exceeding 25 per cent. on the amount sued for to a defendant improperly sued.

30. In any suit hereafter to be brought for rent, if it appears to the Court that the plaintiff has instituted the suit against the defendant without reasonable or probable cause, or that the defendant had, within ten days of the due date of payment of his quarterly rent instalments as fixed under section 33 of this Act, duly deposited with the Collector, in the manner hereinafter mentioned, the full amount which the Court shall find to have been due to the plaintiff at the date of such quarterly day of payment, the Court may award to the defendant, by way of compensation, such sum, not exceeding twenty-five per centum on the whole amount claimed by the plaintiff, as the Court may think fit; and such sum, with interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum until payment thereof shall be recoverable from the plaintiff in like manner as sums ordered to be paid by decrees of such Court.

31. If any under-tenant or ryot shall at the mál cutcherry for the receipt of rents or other place where the rents of the land or other immoveable property held or cultivated by him are usually payable, tender payment of what he shall consider to be the full amount of rent due from him on account of any quarterly instalment of rent to the zemindar or other person in receipt of the rent of such land; and if the amount so tendered shall not be accepted, and a receipt in full shall not be forthwith granted, it shall be lawful for the under-tenant or ryot, without any suit having been instituted against him, to deposit within ten days from the said quarterly day of payment such amount with the Collector of the district to the credit of the zemindar or other person aforesaid:

Under-tenant or ryot may, after tender, &c., deposit with Collector, without any action being brought against him, what he admits to be due to his zemindar, &c.

Deposit with Collector to have effect of payment to zemindar or other person entitled.

And such deposit shall, so far as the under-tenant or ryot, and all persons claiming through or under him, are concerned, in all respects operate as, and have the full effect of a payment made by the under-tenant or ryot of the amount deposited to the credit of such zemindar or other person.

32. Such deposit shall be received by the Collector on the application of the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, made in writing, and on the under-tenant or ryot, or his agent, making a declaration in the form set forth in the Schedule (B) hereto annexed, or as nearly in that form as circumstances will admit, and the Collector shall give a receipt for the same under his seal.

Deposit to be received by Collector.

Within twelve days of his receiving the money so deposited the Collector shall issue a notice to the person to whose credit it has been deposited in the form set forth in the Schedule (C) hereto annexed; and such notice shall be served by the Collector without the payment of any fee, either upon the person to whom it is addressed, or upon his naib gomastah, or other agent; and in the absence of any such agent, it shall be served by sticking up a copy of the same in the Collector's court, and another copy upon the mál cutcherry for the receipt of rents, or other place where the rents are usually paid for the land in respect of which the money has been deposited.

Collector to issue notice within twelve days of receiving deposit

If the person to whom such notice is issued, or his duly authorized agent, shall appear, and apply that the money in deposit be paid to him, it shall be immediately made over to him.

Drawing out of deposit.

Such payment shall be made irrespective of any dispute between the parties as to the nature of the tenure or holding on account of which the deposit is made, and without prejudice to the rights of either party in respect of such tenure or holding.

PART V.

MISCELLANEOUS.

33. All rent of land payable by any ryot or under-tenant shall be deemed to be due on the dates specified below, that is to say—

What is an arrear of rent.

(1) When it has been stipulated that the rent shall be paid by specified monthly instalments, the amount of the instalments payable in Bysakh, Jeyt, or Asarh shall be due on the first day of Asarh; of those payable in Srabun, Bhadro, and Asin on the first day of Asin; of those payable in Kartik, Aghun, and Pous on the first day of Pous; and of those payable in Magh, Falgun, and Cheit on the first day of Cheit.

(2) Where no agreement has been made to pay by specified monthly instalments, the rent shall be deemed to be due in quarterly instalments on the first days of the months of Asarh, Asin, Pous, and Cheit; and the proportion of each instalment shall be fixed by the Collector after local enquiry with reference to the custom of the district, and shall be published by him by notices to be posted up at the court or office of the Judge, the Magistrate, and the Collector of the district;

at the court or office of every Moonsiff, Sub-divisional officer, and Sub-Registrar of Assurances in such district;

and at every police station in such district; and by proclamation to be made by beat of drum at the head-quarters of such district; and in every place in which a sub-divisional office is situated; and in such other places as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct.

All rent which shall be due as above, and shall remain unpaid by sunset on any of the said quarterly days of payment, shall be deemed to be an arrear of rent, and interest on the same, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, shall be awarded by any Court giving a decree for the principal amount of the arrear.

34. Every under-tenant or ryot who makes any payment on account of rent to the person to whom his rent is payable, or to any authorized agent of such person, shall be entitled to a receipt for each such payment, of which a counterfoil shall be retained by the person to whom the payment is made. And every under-tenant or ryot shall at the close of the agricultural year current in the district be entitled to receive from the person under whom he holds a statement of account, of which a counterfoil shall be retained by such person, shewing the yearly rent of the holding or tenure held by him, and all payments made on account of each such holding or tenure, and distinguishing payments made on account of arrears and on account of current rents.

What kind of receipt to be given to a ryot or under-tenant.

Every zemindar and superior tenure-holder to whom rent is payable shall keep forms of such receipts and statements of account and of their respective counterfoils bound together in books of not less than twenty-five receipts or statements each; and both the portions given to the under-tenants or ryots and the counterfoils shall bear the same series of consecutive numbers.

Neglect or refusal to give such a receipt or statement of account shall be deemed to be a withholding of a receipt within the meaning of section 10 of Act X of 1859, and section 11 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869.

Service of summons in suits for arrears of rent.

35. In all suits for arrears of rent the plaintiff shall direct some person to accompany the officer who serves the summons, and point out the defendant or the house in which he ordinarily resides. When the summons has been served, a statement of the service shall be endorsed on the summons and signed by such person and by the village chowkeedar, or, in places where a punchayet has been appointed under the Village Chowkeedaree Act, 1870, by some member of the punchayet; and the service shall not be deemed a good service unless the summons bears such endorsement signed as aforesaid.

Refusal to sign an endorsement as required by this section shall be deemed an offence within the meaning of section 173 of the Indian Penal Code.

Crops belonging to under-tenant liable to distraint.

36. Notwithstanding anything contained in Act X of 1859, or the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, all crops or products declared liable to distraint under those Acts shall be liable to distraint whether they belong to the person from whom the arrear of rent is due or to any under-tenant of such person, and no such under-tenant shall institute a suit to try the right to the possession of such crops or products, or to recover damages for the distress and sale of the same under sections 139 or 141 of Act X of 1859, or under sections 96 or 97 of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869; but such under-tenant may deduct the value of the crops and products belonging to him which have been so distrained from the rent due from him to such person as aforesaid, or may recover the same by suit from such person.

Collector to exercise powers of Court where Act X of 1859 applies.

37. The powers given in this Act to the Court shall be exercised by the Collector in districts where Act X of 1859 is, or may be, in force.

Act to be read as part of Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869.

38. This Act shall be read with, and taken as part of, Act X of 1859, where that Act is, or may be, in force, and of the Landlord and Tenant Procedure Act, 1869, where the last named Act is, or may be, in force.

SCHEDULE A.

(*Referred to in Section* 7.)

No. OF SUIT

Under Bengal Act *of* 1879.

In the Court of at

Plaintiff.

Defendant.

To

WHEREAS *(here enter plaintiff's name, description, and address)* has instituted a suit in this Court against you under the Act above mentioned, alleging that you hold as tenant under him the lands (or tenure) described below, and that Rs. are due to him as arrears of rent on the said lands (or tenure) as follows:—

	Rs.
Rent due—	
On account of the months of to B. S. inclusive ...	... .
Interest—	
Total ...	.....

You are hereby summoned to obtain leave from this Court within fourteen days from the service hereof to defend the suit, and within such time to cause an appearance to be entered for you. In default whereof the plaintiff will be entitled to obtain a decree for any amount not exceeding the sum of Rs. *(here state the sum claimed)*, and the sum of Rs. for costs.

Leave to defend may be obtained on your paying into Court the sum hereinbefore mentioned or on its being shown to the satisfaction of the Court that you have a good defence to the suit, but not otherwise.

Description of Lands or Tenure.

1. Nature of tenure or holding ...
2. Village and estate in which situated ... ...
3. Pergunnah, thana, or other local division within which situated ..
4. Boundaries, area, numbers of field, or such other particulars specified in the plaint as may serve to identify the lands or tenure...
5. Annual rent at which held Rs.

SCHEDULE B.

(*Referred to in Section* 32.)

I, A. B., &c., do solemnly declare that I did personally or by my agent on the day of make payment to E. F. at his mâl cutcherry (or at) the place where the rent of the lands at held or cultivated by me under or from the said E. F. of the sum of Rs. as and for the whole amount due from me in respect of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of both inclusive of the due on the 1st of ; I further declare that the said E. F. refused to accept the sum so tendered (or to give me a receipt in full forthwith for the same); and I do declare that to the best of my belief the sum so tendered, and which I now desire to deposit, is the full amount which I owe the said E. F. on account of the rent of the said lands from the month of to the month of both inclusive, and that I owe the said E. F. no further sum on account of the rent of the said lands.

SCHEDULE C.

(*Referred to in Section* 32.)

COURT OF THE COLLECTOR OF

Dated the day of 18

To E. F., &c.

With reference to the within declaration you are hereby informed that the sum of Rs. therein mentioned is now in deposit in this Collectorate, and that the above sum will be paid to you or to your duly authorized agent on application; and take notice that if you have any further claim or demand whatsoever to make against the said A. B. in respect of the rent of the said lands you must institute a suit in Court for the establishment of such claim or demand within six calendar months from this date, otherwise your claim will be for ever barred.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 22nd February 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in three weeks:—

A Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to jute warehouses and fire-brigades.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to jute warehouses and fire-brigades: It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as "the Jute Warehouse and Fire Brigade Act, 1879."

Extent.

With the exception of Part III and Section 28, it applies to Calcutta, and to such portions of the Suburbs thereof as are for the time being subject to the operation of Bengal Act II of 1866, and also to the Municipality of Howrah.

Part III and Section 28 apply only to Calcutta and the portions of the Suburbs aforesaid.

Commencement.

And it shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

Repeal of Acts.

2. Bengal Act II of 1872, Bengal Act II of 1875, and Bengal Act I of 1877, are hereby repealed.

But all licenses granted and bye-laws and appointments made under the said Acts shall be deemed to have been granted adn made respectly under this Act.

Definitions.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Jute" and "Cotton" mean respectively "Jute" and "Cotton" which have not been pressed or screwed as if for shipment.

"Jute."

"Cotton."

"Person."

"Person" includes a firm and a Hindu undivided family.

"Magistrate."

"Magistrate" includes a Justice of the Peace for Calcutta, and any person exercising all or any of the powers of a Magistrate.

"Jute warehouse."

"Jute Warehouse" means any warehouse, store, depôt, yard, godown, or other place used for the storing, keeping, pressing or depositing of jute or cotton, or other substance for the time being subject to the operation of this Act.

"The Commissioners."

"The Commissioners" means the Corporation of the town of Calcutta.

PART II.

JUTE WAREHOUSES.

Existing warehouses not to be used till licensed.

4. No jute warehouse shall be used for the storing, keeping, pressing, or depositing of jute or cotton, unless the owner or occupier thereof shall have previously obtained a license for such use.

Fee for license for jute warehouse.

5. From and after the commencement of this Act every license granted to a jute warehouse within the town of Calcutta under Bengal Act II of 1872 or Bengal Act II of 1875, shall be subject to the payment of an annual fee, to be fixed by the Local Government, after consulting the Commissioners at a special meeting, and to be paid in such instalments as the Commissioners may direct.

In fixing the amount of fee to be paid in respect of any jute warehouse, the Local Government shall have regard to the annual value thereof as it is for the time assessed, to the payment of municipal taxes, to the size and position of the jute warehouse, to the number and excellence of the pressing machines erected or proposed to be erected in such jute warehouse, and to the probable income derived from such jute warehouse by its owner or occupier.

The Local Government may from time to time, on the recommendation of the Commissioners at a special meeting, alter the amount of the fee to be paid in respect of any jute warehouse.

License for new jute warehouse.

6. Any person proposing to use any land for the purposes of a jute warehouse within the town of Calcutta shall send to the Commissioners a plan of such land and all the buildings thereon, prepared in such manner as the Commissioners may direct, and it shall be within the discretion of the Commissioners at a special meeting to grant or refuse a license to establish the same.

Every license for a jute warehouse, to be granted under this section, shall be subject to the following conditions, namely—

(1) That no loose jute, jute rejections or cuttings, or cotton shall be stored, or screwed, or pressed, save within a building constructed of such materials, and on such a plan as may be approved of by the Commissioners.

(2) That no loose jute, jute rejections or cuttings, or cotton shall be combed or dried except within an enclosure approved of by the Commissioners.

Provided that the top or roof of any building or of any hut shall not be used for such combing or drying.

(3) That space shall be reserved on land appertaining to the jute warehouse for the loading or unloading of carts.

(4) That no portion of the jute warehouse shall be used as a residence, and no artificial light (other than one duly and thoroughly protected), or lucifer matches shall be introduced therein, and no person shall smoke therein.

(5) That the jute warehouse shall at all times be open to the inspection of officers duly appointed by the Commissioners.

(6) That the engines and furnaces used in the jute warehouse shall be placed as may be considered necessary by the Commissioners.

(7) That an annual fee shall be imposed in respect thereof as provided by the last preceding section.

7. The Commissioners shall appoint suitable officers for the inspection of jute warehouses within the town of Calcutta; and it shall be lawful for any officer so appointed, and for any superintendent or inspector of police within the said town, to enter at any time into any jute warehouse, where jute or cotton may be kept, and to inspect the same.

Appointment of inspecting officers.

8. On a change in the occupation of any jute warehouse, the person entering into occupation of the same shall, within two weeks of his so entering into occupation, give notice in writing to the Commissioners of such change of occupation, and shall thereupon pay to the Commissioners a fee of two rupees; and his name shall accordingly be entered in such license as the occupier in the place of the name of the person going out of occupation.

On change of occupation in warehouse, occupier to give notice.

If any jute warehouse is let out in portions, the person so letting it out and entitled to the rent shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be the occupier.

9. It shall be in the discretion of the Commissioners at a special meeting to cancel or to suspend for such time as they shall think fit the license of any jute warehouse in respect of which any one or more of the conditions under which such license is held shall appear to them to have been broken, or in respect of which the provisions of the last preceding section have been broken.

Cancelment of suspension of license.

10. The provisions of the five last preceding sections shall apply to any jute warehouse situated or used, or any land proposed to be used as a jute warehouse out of the town of Calcutta and within the limits of the operation of this Act, save that the powers and duties conferred and imposed on the Commissioners, or on the Commissioners at a special meeting, shall be exercised and discharged by the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting within whose jurisdiction such warehouse or land is situated.

Municipal Commissioners to have same power as the Calcutta Commissioners.

PENALTIES.

11. Any person who, without a license under this Act, uses any jute warehouse for keeping or depositing jute or cotton, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees for each day during which he may use or continue to use such jute warehouse as aforesaid.

Penalty for not taking out license.

12. Any person who without a license uses any jute warehouse for keeping or depositing jute or cotton established after the commencement of this Act, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees, and to a further penalty not exceeding fifty rupees for every day during which such jute warehouse is used for keeping or depositing jute or cotton without a license.

Penalty for establishing warehouse without license.

13. Any person who uses a jute warehouse for the keeping or depositing of jute or cotton after the Commissioners or Municipal Commissioners shall have refused or cancelled a license in respect thereof, or during the time for which such license shall have been suspended, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding five hundred rupees, and to a further penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees for every day during which any such jute warehouse may be so used as aforesaid.

Penalty for using warehouse after refusal of license.

14. Whenever any of the conditions under which a license is held in respect of any jute warehouse have been broken in such jute warehouse, the person whose name appears on the license as the occupier of such jute warehouse shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees in respect of any one condition so broken.

Penalty on occupier in case of breach of conditions of license.

15. Any person who breaks any of the conditions under which a license is held in respect of any jute warehouse shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees for any one such offence, and in default thereof, to imprisonment not exceeding one month.

Penalty on any person in case of breach of conditions of license.

16. If on a change in the occupation of any jute warehouse, the person entering into occupation fail to give the notice required by section 8 of this Act, such person shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding one hundred rupees.

Penalty for omitting to give notice on change of occupation.

PART III.

FIRE-BRIGADE.

17. It shall be the duty of the Commissioners to organize and maintain an efficient fire-brigade for the town and suburbs of Calcutta.

Organization of fire-brigade.

The Commissioners shall have power to appoint and remove any members or officers of the fire-brigade; and they shall furnish the fire-brigade with all such steam or other fire-engines, horses, oxen, accoutrements, tools, and implements, as may be necessary for the complete equipment of the force, or conducive to the efficient performance of their duties.

18. The Commissioners at a special meeting may frame bye laws in respect of the following subjects:—

Power to frame bye-laws.

(1.) Giving of gratuities to persons who have given notice of fires.

(2.) Awarding gratuities by way of a gross sum or annual payment to be from time to time awarded to any member of the fire-brigade or other person specially deserving of reward.

(3.) For the training, discipline, and good conduct of the members of the force, not being members of the Calcutta and Suburban Police Force.

(4.) For the speedy attendance of such members with engines and all necessary implements on the occasion of any alarm of fire.

(5.) Imposing and summarily realizing a fine not exceeding one week's wages from any member of the brigade who may infringe these bye-laws.

(6.) And, generally, for the maintenance of the fire-brigade in a due state of efficiency.

Powers of fire-brigade in cases of fire.

19. On the occasion of a fire, the chief or other officer in charge of the fire-brigade on the spot may

(*a*) remove, or may order any member of the brigade to remove, any persons whose presence shall interfere with the due operation of the brigade;

(*b*) by himself or by his men break into or through, or pull down, any premises for the purpose of putting an end to the fire, doing as little damage as possible;

(*c*) cause the mains and pipes of any district to be shut off, so as to give greater pressure of water in the place where the fire has occurred;

(*d*) call on the officer in charge of the Port Commissioners' fire-engine to render such assistance as may be possible in the case of any fire occurring near the river bank;

(*e*) and, generally, take such measures as may appear necessary for the preservation of life and property.

The chief officer on the spot in charge of the brigade may verbally nominate and depute one or more officers of the brigade to act at a distance, and such officer or officers shall have for the time being the like powers as the chief officer himself possesses under this section.

Police officers to render assistance.

Police officers of all grades shall be authorized to aid the fire-brigade in the execution of its duties. They may close any street in or near which a fire is burning, and they may, of their own motion or on the request of the chief or other officer of the fire-brigade, remove any persons who interfere by their presence with the operations of the fire-brigade.

Damage done to be deemed damage by fire.

Any damage done by the fire-brigade in the due execution of their duties shall be deemed to be damage by fire within the meaning of any policy of insurance of property in Calcutta or the suburbs against fire.

But nothing in this section shall exempt any officer of the police or of the fire-brigade from liability to damages on account of any acts done by him without reasonable cause.

Inquiry into origin of fire.

20. In the case of any fire occurring in Calcutta or the suburbs, the chief officer of the fire-brigade shall ascertain the facts as to the origin and cause of such fire, and shall make a report thereon to the Magistrate having jurisdiction in the place in which such fire shall have occurred, and the said Magistrate, in any case where he may see fit, shall summon witnesses and take evidence in order to the further ascertainment of such facts.

Licenses and Penalties.

License for using fire-works.

21. No person shall let off rockets or send up fire-balloons without a license from the Commissioner of Police, for which license a fee of ten rupees shall be payable.

License for sale or manufacture thereof.

22. No person shall sell or manufacture fire-works without a license from the Commissioner of Police, for which a yearly fee of ten rupees shall be payable in advance.

Penalty for using without license.

23. Whoever shall let off rockets or send up fire-balloons without a license as aforesaid, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees for any one such offence.

Penalty for selling, &c

24. Whoever shall sell or manufacture fire-works without a license as aforesaid, shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a penalty not exceeding fifty rupees.

Power to withdraw license.

25. The Commissioner of Police may at his discretion, and after thirty days' notice, withdraw or suspend any license granted by him under this Act.

Liability of householders.

26. In the event of any rockets being let off, or fire-balloons sent up, within the precincts of any private premises or compound without the express permission in writing of the Commissioner of Police, the occupier or owner, or person under whose immediate control the said premises or compound is, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, unless he can prove who the person having committed the offence is, and that the offence was committed without his knowledge.

PART IV.

Expenses and Funds.

Application of fund.

27. The Commissioners and Municipal Commissioners respectively shall apply the monies derived from the fees and penalties levied under this Act within their respective jurisdictions in payment of all expenses incurred by them respectively in or about the inspection and superintendence of jute warehouses, and the granting of licenses in respect thereof. In the case of Calcutta and the suburbs, the balance of such monies after payment of the said expenses shall be paid to the credit of an account in the books of the Commissioners, to be called the fire-brigade account, and shall be applied by the Commissioners for the benefit of the town of Calcutta and the suburbs thereof in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct;

and in the case of the Municipality of Howrah, the balance of such monies after payment of the said expenses shall be paid to the credit of the Municipal Commissioners of Howrah, and shall be applied by them for the purposes of a fire-brigade, or for such other purposes for the benefit of the Municipality of Howrah as the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may direct.

Proportions of contribution towards payment of expenses of fire-brigade.

28. The cost of all establishments and plant hired or purchased, and of all other charges under Part III of this Act, shall be paid from the fire-brigade fund. The full amount of such charges over and above the monies which may accrue to the fire-brigade fund under section 27 of this Act, shall be contributed by the Commissioners and by the Suburban Commissioners in the following proportions, namely,—by the Commissioners, seven-tenths;

by the Suburban Commissioners, three-tenths. At the end of each quarter of a year, the Commissioners shall certify to the Suburban Commissioners the total cost of the fire-brigade for such year, the money which may have accrued under section 27 of this Act, and the precise sum which must be paid by each body charged with the cost of the Calcutta fire-brigade under this Act. On the receipt of such certificate, the Suburban Commissioners shall pay the sum certified against them by the Commissioners: provided that in no case shall the three-tenths payable by the Suburban Commissioners in any year after the first year of the establishment of the fire-brigade exceed the sum of ten thousand rupees.

PART V.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Lieutenant-Governor may declare the warehousing of any other substance to be subject to Act.

29. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may, on the recommendation of the Commissioners passed by resolution, declare that any other fibre or any commodity which is stored or deposited in warehouses besides jute or cotton, shall be warehoused, and kept subject to the provisions of Part II of this Act. When such declaration shall have been made in the *Calcutta Gazette*, this Act shall be read as if the name or names of the said fibre or commodity had been printed in addition to the words "jute" or "cotton" in the several sections of Part II, wherein the said words "jute" or "cotton" may occur.

Submission of reports.

30. The Commissioners and Municipal Commissioners respectively shall make a report to the Lieutenant-Governor once a year, at such time as the Lieutenant-Governor shall direct, showing how the provisions of this Act have been carried out, and specifying the jute warehouses in respect of which licenses have been granted. Such report shall be forthwith published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Power to arrest.

31. Any person committing any offence in respect of which a penalty is provided by section 15 or section 26 of this Act may, if his name and address be unknown, be arrested by any officer to be by the Commissioners or the Municipal Commissioners within their respective jurisdictions thereunto appointed, and by such officer or any person by him thereunto authorized, or by any officer of police, forthwith conveyed before some Magistrate having jurisdiction in the place in which such offence shall have been committed, or shall be taken to the nearest police station within the said jurisdiction in order that such person may be detained until he can be brought before a Magistrate, or until he shall enter into recognizance with or without sureties for his appearance before a Magistrate.

Offenders to be brought to trial.

32. Whenever such person shall be taken to a police station, the officer in charge of such station shall, as soon as conveniently may be, cause him to be conveyed before some Magistrate having jurisdiction in the matter.

Summary jurisdiction.

33. Whenever any person shall be charged with the commission of any offence under this Act before a Magistrate, such Magistrate may forthwith hear and summarily determine the charge of such offence.

Form of license.

34. Every license granted under Part II of this Act shall, as far as possible, be in the form in the schedule to this Act annexed.

Saving of places of manufacture or retail trade.

35. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to apply to places wherein small quantities of jute, not exceeding four maunds at any one time, are deposited for the purpose of any manufacture or retail trade.

SCHEDULE.

(*See Section* 34.)

License under Bengal Act of 1879.

No. *of* 187

THE Corporation of the Town of Calcutta hereby grant unto this License under Bengal Act of 1879 to store and press jute in premises No. Calcutta, subject to the conditions noted on the back; and they hereby acknowledge to have received the sum of Rs. being the License Fee due by the said from to 187 in respect of the aforesaid premises at the rate of Rs. per annum.

Name of owner_____

Name of occupier_____

_____

_____

Secretary to the Corporation of the Town of Calcutta.

The *day of*

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

IT has been found desirable to reduce the fees which are now leviable on licenses for jute warehouses. But as the law prescribes a minimum fee, it is necessary to resort to further legislation to effect this object. The present Bill empowers the Local Government to fix a scale of fees for jute warehouses after consultation with the municipal authorities. It has also been decided to repeal the clauses in the Jute Warehouse and Fire-brigade Act which authorize the levy of contributions from Insurance Companies for the expenses of the fire-brigade in Calcutta and the Suburbs, as these sums, although paid in the first place by the companies, are afterwards recovered by them from the insurers, on whom the taxation really falls. These clauses are accordingly omitted from the Bill. It is also intended to bring places used for the storing of mineral oils under the operation of the Act. As these amendments will considerably alter the existing law, it has been found convenient to consolidate it into one Act.

J. O'KINEALY.

The 21st December 1878.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
Legislative Department.

THE following report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as amended by them, is, by order of the President, published for general information :—

We, the undersigned members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to whom the Bill to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards within the provinces subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal was referred, have the honor to make the following report.

Anonymous paper on the Court of Wards' Bill.
Notes by H L Dampier, Esq , and H L Harrison, Esq.
Memorandum by H. L Dampier, Esq , Member of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st May 1878
From Collector of Dinagepore, No 185W., dated 3rd June 1878.
" Acting Collector of Balasore, No 321, dated 6th June 1878.
" Officiating Collector of Hooghly, No 451, dated 8th June 1878.
" " " of Maldah, No 109, dated 11th June 1878.
" C llector of Pooree, No. 130, dated 13th June 1878
" Officiating Collector of Rajshahye, No. 634W , dated 18th June 1878.
" " " of Noakholly, No 143W., dated 16th June 1878.
" " " of Monghyr, No 202W , dated 25th June 1878.
Note by the Hon'ble Mr Buckland, dated 13th June 1878.
From Officiating Commissioner of Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division, dated 22nd June 1878.
" Commissioner of the Bhagulpore Division, No 251W, dated the 3rd July 1878.
" Officiating Collector of Gya, No 589, dated 3rd July 1878.
" " Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division, No 432W., dated 8th July 1878
" " Collector of Moorshedabad, No. 230, dated 10th July 1878.
" " " of Tipperah, No 206, dated 12th July 1878.
" Collector of Bogra, No. 163, dated 12th July 1878.
" Commissioner of Patna, No 1159W, dated 12th July 1878.
" Officiating Commissioner of the Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Division, No. 499, dated 22nd July 1878.
" " Collector of Beerbhoom, No. 219W, dated 18th July 1878.
" " " of Pubna, No. 661, dated 1st August 1878
" " " of Rungpore, No. 8850, dated 3rd August 1878.
" Collector of Burdwan, No. 89W, dated 8th August 1878.
" Officiating Collector of Furreedpore, No 115W, dated 6th August 1878.
" " Commissioner of Orissa, No. 1078, dated 6th August 1878
Remarks by the Covenanted Deputy Collector of Howrah, dated 15th August 1878
From Officiating Commissioner of Chittagong Division, No 322G.C., dated 19th August 1878
" " Collector of Chittagong, No. 701G., dated 29th August 1878.
Note by the Hon'ble Syed Ameer Hossein Khan, Bahadoor, dated 14th September 1878.
From Officiating Commissioner of Burdwan, No 48, dated 25th September 1878.
" " " of the Presidency Division, No. 1W, dated 11th October 1878.
Remarks by the Officiating Collector of Shahabad.
From Officiating Collector of Dacca, No. 851, dated 16th October 1878.
Note by the Hon'ble C. T Buckland, dated 21st October 1878.
Remarks by the Collector of Bhagulpore.
Abstract of opinions received from District Officers, with remarks thereon by the Member in charge.
Memorial of the Rajshahye Association, dated 25th November 1878.

We have considered the communications noted in the margin.

The principal alteration which we have made in the Bill is that the Board of Revenue, and not the Commissioner of the Division, is to be the Court of Wards. Up to the year 1870, when the present Court of Wards' Act passed into law, the Board of Revenue discharged the functions of the Court of Wards, but the Court of Wards' Act, 1870, constituted each Commissioner a Court of Wards for his division, leaving a controlling power to the Board of Revenue. This example was not followed when the revenue laws of the North-Western Provinces were consolidated in 1873. There the Board of Revenue is still the Court of Wards, exercising its powers through the Commissioners and Collectors. We have decided, after mature consideration, to revert to the old system as maintained in the North-Western Provinces Land Revenue Act of 1873. The experience of the last nine years has shown that the innovation of 1870 has been a change more in form than in substance. The Board of Revenue still remains the central controlling authority for the superintendence of wards' estates, the body which really performs the duties of a general Court of Wards for Bengal. We do not, however, wish to give the Board a larger control than it has hitherto possessed, or to weaken the proper responsibility and influence of the local authorities by over centralization. To obviate any such result we have provided that the Court of Wards may exercise all powers conferred on it through the Commissioners and Collectors, and that it may, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, delegate any of its powers to the same authorities.

The Bill as referred to us contained 104 sections. Many of its provisions were unnecessarily prolix, not a few were couched in involved and ambiguous language, while others dealt with executive matters which are obviously better provided for by rules The new constitution of the Court of Wards has also rendered superfluous the distinctions between the authority of the Commissioners and Collectors, which were a constant source of confusion in the old law. We have been able, without omitting any material provision, to compress the Bill into 66 sections The arrangement of subjects remains much the same, but the Bill has been recast into a more simple and intelligible form.

We now proceed to notice the changes in detail *seriatim*.

PART I.—PRELIMINARY.

We have altered the definition of "estate" and have added definitions of "minor" and "ward."

PART II.—CONSTITUTION AND GENERAL POWERS OF THE COURT OF WARDS.

We have given to the Court a power to lease lands in putnee, the need of which has been often felt, but we have limited this power by making it necessary to obtain the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor in each instance.

We have added to this Part, which deals with the constitution and general powers of the Court, several provisions which naturally belong to it, but which were scattered through the Bill. Parts VIII and IX of that Bill, which provide for the education of minor wards and the debts of estates, fall within this category.

PART III.—DISQUALIFIED PROPRIETORS AND THEIR ESTATES.

We have deemed it advisable to omit from the list of disqualified proprietors those who are "declared by the Court on their own application to be disqualified from managing their estates"

We have provided that the Court may take charge of any minor member of a ward's family who has an immediate or reversionary interest in the ward's estate, and who has no guardian appointed by will or by the Civil Court.

We have repealed sections 12, 14, and 15 of Act XL of 1858, which contained rules for the guidance of the Civil Courts when dealing with minors whose estates are subject to the jurisdiction of the Court of Wards, and we have substituted a new procedure, under which the Civil Court may direct the Court of Wards (not the Collector) to take charge of an estate; if the Court of Wards consents to take charge, the estate is to be managed according to the provisions of the Court of Wards' Act. In the case of an estate which has ceased to be under the Court of Wards although some of the proprietors are still disqualified, we have empowered the Civil Court to direct the Court of Wards (not the Collector) to take charge of the estate. We think it convenient that the law on these points should be embodied in the Court of Wards' Act, and the new procedure seems to us better adapted to meet the objects of the repealed sections.

Section 10 of the Bill as referred to us provided that a person who acquired an estate while subject to disqualification was not necessarily to become a ward of Court unless certain conditions were fulfilled, but gave the Board of Revenue a discretionary power to take charge of the estate although the conditions were not fulfilled. We have omitted this section, as it is covered by the general power conferred on the Court of assuming or declining the management of the estate of any disqualified proprietor.

We have provided that when an arrear of revenue accrues in the estate of a minor who is not under the superintendence of the Court, the Collector may attach the estate and collect the rents and arrears of rent.

PART IV.—ASCERTAINMENT OF DISQUALIFICATION.

We have omitted Part IV of the old Bill which defined the powers of Collectors when an estate is in different districts or different divisions. This is clearly a subject for rules.

We have altered the sections which dealt with the powers of Collectors when ascertaining whether a proprietor is disqualified. Instead of the detailed provisions prescribing an inquiry by the Collector into the competency of females and the age of minors, we provide that the Collector is to report from time to time to the Court what proprietors are disqualified, whereupon the Court will decide whether the estate is to be taken charge of. But the Court or the local Government may put the provisions of the Act in force without any report from the Collector. We have empowered the Collector to order by proclamation that no rents due to the estate shall be paid until it is decided whether the Court is to take charge. If the estate is not eventually brought under the superintendence of the Court, all provisional expenses incurred by the Collector for the security of the estate and the moveable property of the owner are to be recovered from the estate.

PART V.—PROCEDURE AFTER ASCERTAINMENT OF DISQUALIFICATION.

We have increased the powers of Collectors when taking charge of an estate on behalf of the Court by allowing them to compel the attendance of all persons in the employ of the late proprietor or of the ward, to enforce the delivery of accounts, papers, and moveable property, and to require holders of tenures to produce their titles.

PART VI.—MANAGERS AND GUARDIANS.

We have inserted two sections taken from the North-Western Provinces Land Revenue Act of 1873, which describe the general powers and general duties of a manager.

We have provided that when a manager gives a bond for the due performance of his duties under the Act, the penalty shall be recoverable as a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868.

We have omitted the clause which provided that managers and guardians should be public accountants under Act XII of 1850. This is unnecessary, as they are already liable to give security.

We have amended the sections which provide for the expenditure of the income of the estate. After payment of the ward's allowance and charges of management, and discharge of Government revenue and other public demands, the surplus is to be applied as the Court may direct—

in liquidation of debts;

in payment of the religious, charitable, and other allowances which were previously paid, and such allowances and donations befitting the position of the ward's family as the Court may approve,

in the improvement of the lands of the ward or otherwise for the benefit of the ward or his property.

All the sections in this Part which regulate the accounts of managers and guardians have been struck out. The Court is authorized to make rules prescribing the periods at which, and the mode in which, these accounts shall be submitted.

The custody of securities and papers has also been relegated to the rules.

The powers of the Court with regard to appointing managers and guardians and their establishments have been transferred to Part II.

The above are the principal changes made in this Part, which has been reduced to about one-third of its old compass. Generally speaking it may be said that, with the exceptions noted above, the old law has been retained, but in a much clearer and more compendious form.

PART VII.—SUITS.

We have allowed a manager to authorize a plaint to be filed to save a suit from being barred by limitation.

We have restored the wording of the present law as regards submission to arbitration and compromise.

PART VIII.—PENALTIES.

This is a new Part, in which all the penalties have been brought together. The powers of the Collector are increased by authorizing him to fine persons who disobey his orders when he is taking steps for the preservation of the property before the proprietor becomes a ward of Court, or when he is taking possession of the estate after the proprietor has been declared a ward. A new clause is also added rendering disobedience to the lawful orders of the Court punishable on conviction before a Magistrate, in the case of managers and guardians, with a fine of Rs. 1,000, in the case of other persons, with a fine of Rs. 500.

PART IX.—MISCELLANEOUS.

The sections relating to the procedure to be followed when a proprietor ceases to be a ward of Court have been struck out, and a clause has been inserted empowering the Court to make rules for the purpose.

The two schedules which contained the forms of agreements to be executed by managers and guardians have been omitted as unnecessary. The amended Bill provides that managers and guardians shall give such security as the Court thinks fit.

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The 25th February 1879.

I SIGN this report with those reservations.

With reference to the power of sale given to the Court by section 8, I am of opinion that the sanction of the local Government should be necessary for the permanent alienation of a property or any part of it in charge of the Court, as in the case of permanent leases.

Also in the case of females with life interests, the surplus, instead of being invested as mentioned in section 45, should, in my opinion, be made over to them.

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A Bill to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards within the provinces under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards within the provinces under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:— Preamble.

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be called the Court of Wards' Act, 1879. Short title.

It shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General. Commencement.

2. Bengal Act IV of 1870 (the Court of Wards' Act) shall be repealed. Repeal of Court of Wards' Act, 1870.

This repeal shall not affect the validity or invalidity of anything done or suffered, or any right, title, obligation, or liability accrued before the commencement of this Act.

And all rules prescribed, orders or appointments made, and agreements executed under the said Act, shall (so far as they are consistent with this Act) be deemed to be respectively prescribed, made, and executed under this Act.

And all suits and proceedings now pending, which may have been commenced under the said Act, shall be deemed to be commenced under this Act.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context— Interpretation.

"Collector" includes any officer in charge of the revenue jurisdiction of a district. "Collector."

"The Court" means the Court of Wards. "Court."

"Disqualified proprietors" means persons who by the provisions of this Act are subject to the jurisdiction of the Court of Wards. "Disqualified proprietors."

"Estate" means all lands which are borne on the revenue-roll of a Collector as liable for the pay-

ment of one and the same demand of land revenue.

"Minor" means a person who has not completed his age of twenty-one years.

"Minor."

"Section" means a section of this Act.

"Section."

"Ward" means a person under the superintendence of the Court of Wards.

"Ward."

PART II.

CONSTITUTION AND GENERAL POWERS OF THE COURT OF WARDS.

Board of Revenue to be Court of Wards.

4. The Board of Revenue shall be the Court of Wards.

Jurisdiction of Court of Wards.

5. The Court of Wards shall have the superintendence and management of the persons and property of all proprietors of estates who are disqualified for the management of their own lands, or who are put under the charge of the Collector by order of the Civil Court under the provisions of any Act for the time being in force.

Exercise of powers conferred on Court through others.

6. The Court may exercise all powers conferred on it by this Act through the Commissioners of the divisions and the Collectors of the districts in which any part of the property of its wards may be situated, or through any other person whom it may appoint for such purpose.

All the powers of the Court shall be exercised subject to the control of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

Delegation of powers.

The Court may, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, from time to time delegate any of its powers to such Commissioners or Collectors or person as aforesaid, and may at any time with the like consent revoke such delegation.

Power to Court to assume and decline superintendence.

7. The Court may in its discretion refrain from assuming, and at any time, notwithstanding any previous order to the contrary, assume the superintendence of the person or property of any disqualified proprietor, and may at any time release any person or property from its superintendence:

Proviso as to person or property placed under superintendence.

Provided that such person or property has not been placed under the Court by any competent authority whose order is necessary for his or its release.

The Court may also, after a disqualified proprietor has been released from its superintendence, make him again a ward of Court.

Power to manage estates.

8. The Court shall have power to give such leases or farms of the whole or parts of the property under its charge, and to mortgage or sell any part of such property, and to do all such other acts as it may judge to be most for the benefit of the property, and the advantage of the disqualified proprietors:

Provided that no estate or part of an estate coming under the charge of the Court shall be leased in putnee or other permanent undertenure without the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.

When Court may order property to be formed into a separate estate.

9. If any property ordered to be sold or mortgaged by the Court is part of an estate of which the ward is the sole proprietor,

or if it is a share of an estate separated under Act XI of 1859, or section 70 of Bengal Act VII of 1876,

and if it appears to the Court that it will be to the interest of a ward, or of the Government, that such part or share be formed into a separate estate prior to such sale or mortgage being effected,

the Court may direct the Collector to partition it off into a separate estate, and such partition shall be conducted in accordance with the law for the time being in force for the partition of estates.

Procedure when succession to property disputed.

10. If on the death of any ward the succession to his property or any part thereof is in dispute, the Court may either make over such property or part thereof to any person claiming such property, or continue the charge and management of the same under the provisions of this Act, until the right to possession of the claimant has been determined by the Collector under section 55 of Bengal Act VII of 1876, or until the dispute has been determined by a competent Court.

Appointment, removal, and control of managers and guardians.

11. The Court may appoint managers of the property of disqualified proprietors and guardians for the care of their persons, and may remove and control such managers and guardians.

Appointments of guardians made by will shall not be valid unless and until confirmed by the Court.

Establishment of managers and guardians.

The Court may fix such establishments of officers and servants to act under managers or guardians as to it may seem fit.

Custody, education, and residence of minor wards.

12. The Court may make such orders as to it may seem fit as to the custody, education, and residence of minor wards and the minor members of a ward's family who have no guardian appointed by will or by the Civil Court.

Allowance for ward.

13. The Court shall allow for the support of each ward, and of his family, such monthly sum as it thinks fit with regard to the rank and circumstances of the parties.

PART III.

DISQUALIFIED PROPRIETORS AND THEIR ESTATES.

Disqualified proprietors.

14. Proprietors (other than proprietors residing within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the High Court) shall be held disqualified to manage their own lands when they are—

(*a*) females deemed by the Court incompetent to manage their own estates;

(*b*) minors;

(*c*) lunatics;

(*d*) idiots;

(*e*) persons otherwise rendered incapable by physical defects or infirmities from managing their own estates.

Provided that the Court shall not take charge of an estate in which more persons than one have a joint undivided interest unless all such persons are disqualified.

15. The Court may take charge of any minor member of a ward's family who has an immediate or reversionary interest in the ward's estate, and who has no guardian appointed by will or by the Civil Court.

Court may take charge of minor member of ward's family.

16. Sections 12, 14, and 15 of Act XL of 1858 are hereby repealed; and in case of any application to a Civil Court under the said Act, if the estate of the minor consists, in whole or in part, of land or any interest in land, the Civil Court may apply to the Court of Wards to take charge of the estate; and if the Court of Wards consents to take charge of the estate, it shall be managed according to the provisions of this Act.

Procedure under Act XL of 1858.

17. Whenever one or more of the proprietors of an estate, which has come under the superintendence of the Court on account of the disqualification of all the proprietors, ceases to be disqualified, and the estate, in consequence, ceases to be subject to the superintendence of the Court notwithstanding the continued disqualification of one or more of the proprietors, the Civil Court which would have jurisdiction under Act XL of 1858 may, on the application of the Court of Wards, direct the Court of Wards to take charge of the persons and property of the still disqualified proprietors during the continuance of their disqualification, or for so long as such Civil Court may order. In such case the Court of Wards shall deal with the persons and property of such disqualified proprietors in accordance with the provisions of this Act. And in case any of the proprietors who have ceased to be disqualified so consent, the management of the shares of such proprietors may be assumed by the Court of Wards, and carried out under the provisions of this Act so long as the share of any of the disqualified proprietors remains under the charge of the Court of Wards.

Procedure when estate is no longer under Court because some proprietors have ceased to be disqualified.

18. All estates shall, whilst they are under the superintendence of the Court, be exempt from sale for arrears of revenue:

Estates under superintendence of Court exempt from sale.

Provided that all arrears of revenue shall be the first charge upon the proceeds of such estates sold for any other cause while under such superintendence.

19. If a share in any joint undivided estate or tenure comes under the superintendence of the Court, it shall not be liable to sale for recovery of arrears of revenue or for other demands similarly recoverable, until after the end of the year in which such arrears accrued.

Sale of share for arrears of revenue.

If the share has been separated under section 10 or 11 of Act XI of 1859, the protection given to estates under section 18 of this Act will be extended to such share, subject to the provisions of sections 13 and 14 of the said Act XI of 1859, and of section 70 of Bengal Act VII of 1876.

20. No estate, the sole property of a person under the age of twenty-one, or of two or more such persons, and descended to him or them by the regular course of inheritance, or by virtue of the will of, or some settlement made by, some deceased owner thereof, shall, until such person or some one or more of such persons shall have completed his age of twenty-one years, be sold for arrears of revenue accruing subsequently to his or their succession to the same;

Estate belonging to person under the age of twenty-one not to be sold for arrears of revenue.

and all arrears of revenue shall be the first charge upon the proceeds of such estate if the estate is sold for any other cause while such proprietor is disqualified.

The Collector may on an arrear so accruing attach the estate and collect the rents and all arrears of rent due to the estate, managing it either directly or by farming it for a period not exceeding ten years, nor extending beyond the time when such person or one of such persons shall have completed his age of twenty-one years.

21. The exemption from sale for arrears of revenue given by section 20 shall only apply to cases where due notice has been given to the Collector, and acknowledged by him before the sale, of the fact that the estate is the sole property of a person under the age of twenty-one years, or the property of two or more such persons.

When exemption from sale for arrears of revenue applies.

22. When an estate has been farmed under the provisions of section 20, the proceeds of such farm shall be paid to the Collector; and the Collector, after the deduction of the amount of the claims of the Government for revenue, shall, with the sanction of the Court, either pay the proceeds to the person authorized to receive them for the proprietor, or shall dispose of it in any of the modes mentioned in section 44.

Application of proceeds of farmed estate.

23. Proprietors whose property is under the charge of the Court shall not be competent to create, without the sanction of the Court, any charge upon, or interest in, such property or any part thereof.

Disabilities of proprietors.

PART IV.

ASCERTAINMENT OF DISQUALIFICATION.

24. The Collector of the district shall ascertain and report to the Court from time to time what proprietors may come within the description of disqualified proprietors under section 14;

Collector to report what proprietors are disqualified.

and the Court shall, on receipt of the report of the Collector, make such order consistent with this Act as may seem to it expedient.

25. Nothing in section 24 shall prevent the Court or the Local Government from putting the provisions of this Act in force without any report from the Collector.

Power to enforce provisions of Act without report.

26. Whenever any Collector receives information that any proprietor of an estate within his district has died, and that the heirs of such proprietor are disqualified, such Collector may take such steps and make such orders for the safety and preservation of the moveable property of such deceased proprietor, and of the deeds, documents, or papers relating to any portion of the property of such proprietor as to the Collector may seem fit.

Proceedings on death of a proprietor whose heirs are disqualified.

The Collector may also by proclamation order that no rents due to the estate shall be paid until it is decided whether the Court is to take charge of the estate.

If the estate is not afterwards brought under the charge of the Court, all expenses incurred by the Collector under this section shall be recoverable from the estate as a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, or any similar law for the time being in force.

Production of minor proprietor and order for his temporary custody.

27. The Collector may direct that any person whom he has reason to believe has the unlawful custody, or is unlawfully in possession, of the person of any minor heir of such deceased proprietor shall produce him before the Collector on a day fixed by him, and may make such order for the temporary custody and protection of such minor as to him may seem fit.

If the minor is a female, she shall not be brought into the presence of the Collector, but the Collector may take such steps for her identification as he may think fit.

Inquiry in case of lunatics, &c.

28. If a proprietor who does not reside within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the High Court is reported by the Collector to be disqualified on the ground of idiocy or lunacy, the Court shall order the Collector making such report to apply, in pursuance of the provisions of Act XXXV of 1858, to the Civil Court of the district within the jurisdiction of which such proprietor may reside.

Proceedings in case of proprietor found lunatic by High Court.

29. If a proprietor is found by any High Court of Judicature, under the provisions of Act XXXIV of 1858, to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing his affairs, the Court may (subject to the powers of the High Court under the said Act XXXIV of 1858) take charge of the estate and lands of such proprietor situated beyond the local limits of the jurisdiction of such High Court, and deal with the same, subject to the provisions of this Act.

Proceedings in case of proprietor found lunatic by Civil Court.

30. If a proprietor resident beyond the provinces for the time being subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal is declared by a Civil Court of competent jurisdiction, under the provisions of Act XXXV of 1858, to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing his own affairs, the Court of Wards may take charge of the estate and lands of such proprietor situated within the said provinces, and deal with the same, subject to the provisions of this Act.

Procedure if cases mentioned in sections 29 and 30 occur.

31. In any such case as is mentioned in sections 29 and 30, no further proceedings shall be taken under section 28, nor shall the Court appoint a guardian of the person of the said proprietor;

and the surplus income of the property so taken charge of by the Court, after providing for the discharge of the Government revenue and the expenses of management, shall be disposed of from time to time in such manner as the said High Court or Civil Court shall direct, and not otherwise.

Civil Court to make inquiry regarding disqualification on ground of physical defect or infirmity.

32. If a proprietor who does not reside within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the High Court is reported by the Collector to be disqualified on the ground of some physical defect or infirmity other than unsoundness of mind, the Court shall order the Collector making such report to apply to the Civil Court within whose jurisdiction such person may be residing; and upon such Collector so applying, such Civil Court shall institute an inquiry for the purpose of ascertaining whether such person is or is not subject to such defect or infirmity.

Proceedings in case of physical defect or infirmity when proprietor in jurisdiction of High Court.

33. If a proprietor resident within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, or resident beyond the provinces for the time being subject to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, shall be reported by the Collector to be disqualified by reason of some physical defect or infirmity other than unsoundness of mind, the Court shall order the Collector making such report to apply to the Civil Court of the 24-Pergunnahs, or to such other Civil Court as the Lieutenant-Governor, on application made to him by the Collector in that behalf, may determine.

Such Civil Court shall thereupon inquire into and determine the question as to the alleged disqualification.

Powers of Civil Court when inquiry is instituted under section 32 or section 33.

34. When any inquiry is instituted by a Civil Court under section 32 or section 33, such Court shall, for the purposes of making such inquiry, have the powers conferred, and proceed in the manner prescribed, by Act XXXV of 1858 with respect to the inquiries directed to be made by the said Act.

The Civil Court shall transmit to the Court of Wards a copy of the order made on each such inquiry, and the Court of Wards shall thereupon, in case the proprietor has been found by the Civil Court to be disqualified, treat such proprietor as subject to its superintendence.

PART V.

PROCEDURE AFTER ASCERTAINMENT OF DISQUALIFICATION.

Order declaring estate under charge of Court.

35. Whenever it has been determined to take an estate under the charge of the Court, the Court shall make an order declaring the fact and directing the Collector to take charge of the proprietor and of his property, and such proprietor shall be held to be a ward of the Court from the date of such order;

and the Collector of every district within which there may be any property of the ward shall, as soon as conveniently may be, take possession of such property, and the Court shall be held to be in charge of such property from the time when possession shall have been so taken.

Collector to take possession of moveable property.

36. Immediately on an order being made under the provisions of section 35, the Collector, or some person authorized by him in that behalf, shall take possession of all accounts, papers, and moveable property of the ward, and place under proper custody such portion thereof as he may think necessary.

And the Collector, or some person authorized by him in that behalf, may, in case he has reason to believe that any such account, paper, or property is in any room, box, or receptacle, within any house or any land in the actual possession

of the ward, break open the same for the purpose of searching for such account, paper, or property.

Additional powers of Collector.

37. The Collector may also order all persons who were in the employ of the deceased proprietor at the time of his death, or all persons in the employ of the proprietor who has been declared a ward of Court, to attend before him,

and may order any person to deliver up any accounts, papers, or moveable property belonging to the ward or to the estate which the Collector has reason to believe are in such person's possession,

and may order all holders of tenures and undertenures in the estate to produce their titles to such tenures and undertenures.

PART VI.

MANAGERS AND GUARDIANS.

Powers of manager.

38. The manager appointed by the Court shall have power to collect the rents of the land entrusted to him, as well as all other money due to the disqualified proprietor, and to grant receipts therefor;

and he may, subject to the control of the Court, grant or renew such leases and farms, not being for a longer period than five years, as may be necessary for the good management of the property.

General duty of manager.

39. The manager shall manage the property committed to him diligently and faithfully for the benefit of the proprietor, and shall in every respect act to the best of his judgment for the proprietor's interest as if the property were his own.

Specific duties of manager.

40. Every manager appointed by the Court shall—

(*a*) have the care of so much of the property of the ward as the Court may direct;

(*b*) give such security as the Court thinks fit, duly to account for what he shall receive in respect of the rents and profits of the property for which he is appointed;

(*c*) continue liable to account to the Court, after he has ceased to be manager, for his receipts and disbursements during the period of his management;

(*d*) pass his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court directs;

(*e*) pay the balance due from him thereon;

(*f*) apply for the sanction of the Court to any act which may involve the property in expense not previously sanctioned by such Court;

(*g*) be entitled to such allowance, to be paid out of the estate, as the Court thinks fit for his care and pains in the execution of his duties;

(*h*) be responsible for any loss occasioned to the property by his wilful default or gross negligence.

Recovery of security given by manager.

41. When a manager or guardian gives a bond for the due performance of his duties under this Act, the sum mentioned in the bond shall, in case of breach of the condition of the bond, be recoverable as a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, or any similar law for the time being in force.

Court may order guardian or manager to make over property.

42. The Court may order any past or present manager or guardian, or past or present officer subordinate to a manager or guardian, to deliver up his accounts or any property of the ward which may be in his possession within such time as may be fixed by the Court.

Application of moneys received by manager.

43. All moneys received by the manager shall be applied as the Court may direct according to the circumstances of the estate—

in payment of the allowance fixed for the support and education of the ward and his family, and of all charges of management and supervision;

in or towards the discharge of the instalments of Government revenue and of all cesses and other public demands from time to time due in respect of such estate.

Application of surplus.

44. Whenever upon the accounts there is a *bonâ fide* surplus shewn after making the payments mentioned in section 43, such surplus shall be applied as the Court may direct according to the circumstances of the estate—

in liquidation of the debts affecting the estate;

in payment of such religious, charitable, and other allowances as were paid out of the proceeds of the estate before it came under the superintendence of the Court, and such allowances and donations befitting the position of the ward's family as the Court may authorize to be paid;

in the improvement of the lands of the ward, or otherwise for the benefit of the ward or his property;

Provided that the amount expended on such improvement shall not exceed ten per centum of the said surplus, unless, in the opinion of the Court and the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, it is desirable, for the protection of the estate, or in the interest of the ward or his estate, to expend an amount exceeding such percentage.

Power to invest surplus.

45. Whenever the Court shall think it unnecessary or unadvisable to appropriate any surplus receipts to the improvement of the lands of the ward, or for the benefit of the ward or his property, the same shall be applied in the purchase of other landed property, or invested at interest in—

the security of promissory notes, debentures, stock, and other securities of the Government of India, or of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland;

bonds, debentures, and annuities charged by the Imperial Parliament on the revenues of India;

stock or debentures of or shares in railway or other companies, the interest whereon shall have been guaranteed by the Secretary of State for India in Council;

debentures or other securities for money paid by or on behalf of any municipal body under the authority of any Act of a legislature established in British India;

or such other securities, stocks, or shares, guaranteed by the Government of India or the Government of Bengal as to the Court shall seem fit.

General duty of guardian.

46. A guardian is charged with the custody of the ward, and must look to his support, health, and education.

Specific duties of guardian.

47. Every guardian appointed by the Court shall—

(*a*) give such security as the Court thinks fit for the due performance of his duty;

(*b*) pass his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court directs;

(*c*) pay the balance due from him thereon;

(*d*) continue liable to account to the Court, after he has ceased to be guardian, for his receipts and disbursements during the period of his guardianship;

(*e*) apply for the sanction of the Court to any act which may involve expense not previously sanctioned by the Court;

(*f*) be entitled to such allowance to be paid out of the estate as the Court thinks fit for his care and pains in the execution of his duties.

No person to be guardian who can succeed to ward.

48. No person who would be the next legal heir of a ward, or would otherwise be immediately interested in outliving such ward, shall be appointed to be his guardian;

but nothing in this section shall apply to the mother of a ward, or to a testamentary guardian.

Guardian of female ward.

49. If the ward is a female, a female of the same religion shall, except in the case of a testamentary guardian, be appointed guardian, preference being given to female relatives if any such be eligible.

But no guardian shall ordinarily be appointed or continued for a female ward if she has an adult husband, or if the Court empowers her to receive and disburse the allowance fixed for her maintenance.

PART VII.

SUITS.

Manager to be next friend or guardian in suits by or against ward.

50. In every suit brought by or against any ward in any Court other than the High Court, he shall be therein described as a ward of Court; and if he has a manager of his estate or estates as hereinbefore provided, such manager shall in such suit be named as next friend or guardian for the suit, and shall in such suit represent such ward, and no other person shall be ordered to sue as next friend or be named as guardian for the suit by any Civil Court in which such suit may be pending.

Court may substitute another person to be next friend or guardian for the suit.

51. The Court may by an order nominate or substitute any other person to be next friend or guardian for any such suit; and upon receiving a copy of any such order of substitution, the Civil Court in which such suit is pending shall substitute the name of the next friend or guardian for the suit so appointed for the name of the manager of the ward's property.

If the ward has no manager, the Collector of the district in which the greater portion of the ward's property is situated shall be named as next friend or guardian for the suit of such ward.

Payment of costs of manager.

52. If in any suit instituted by or against a ward, any Civil Court other than a High Court shall decree any costs against the next friend or guardian of the ward, the Court of Wards shall cause such costs to be paid out of any property of the ward which for the time being may be in its hands.

Process against wards to be served through Court.

53. Every process which may be issued out of any Civil Court other than the High Court against any ward, shall be served, through the Collector, upon the next friend or guardian for the suit of such ward.

Suits not to be brought on behalf of wards unless authorized by the Court.

54. No suit shall be brought on behalf of any ward unless the same be authorized by some order of the Court:

provided that a manager may authorize a plaint to be filed in order to prevent a suit from being barred by the law of limitation, but such suit shall not be afterwards proceeded with except under the sanction of the Court:

provided also that suits for arrears of rent may be brought on behalf of a ward if authorized by an order of the manager in whose charge the estate may be.

Nothing contained in this section shall apply to any suit instituted or pending in the High Court.

Power to compromise claims.

55. The Court may submit to arbitration, or otherwise compromise, any claim which may be made by, or on behalf of, or against any ward, and every such submission to arbitration or compromise shall have the same force and effect as if the ward were not subject to any disqualification, and had personally entered into such submission or compromise.

PART VIII.

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For disobeying certain orders of the Collector.

56. Any person who refuses to comply with an order of the Collector under the first clause of section 26, under section 27, or under section 37, shall be liable, by order of the Collector, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

For disobeying orders under section 43.

57. Any person who refuses to comply with an order made under section 42 may be punished, by order of the Court, with simple imprisonment and attachment of his property until the order is complied with.

For disobeying order of Court.

58. Any person who disobeys any other lawful order of the Court shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and if he is a manager or guardian appointed by the Court, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees.

59. Any person who removes a ward from his residence without the leave of the Court shall be liable, by order of the Court, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees, or to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to six months, or to both.

On guardian removing ward without leave of Court.

PART IX.

MISCELLANEOUS.

60. No adoption by any ward, and no written or verbal permission to adopt given by any ward, shall be valid without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, obtained either previously or subsequently to such adoption, or to the giving of such permission, on application made to him through the Court.

Adoption by ward invalid without consent of Lieutenant-Governor.

61. Farmers and others holding tenures in estates in charge of the Collector (whether such tenures were created before the estate came under the charge of the Court or by the Collector after the estate came under such charge) shall be subject to the same rules, regulations, and Acts as are applicable to other persons holding similar tenures and interests under Collectors of the land revenue; but when the farm is held from the manager, these rules, regulations, and Acts, shall not apply.

Tenures of wards' estates under Collector.

62. All arrears of rent due to the Collector from farmers and others holding tenures in estates subject to the superintendence of the Court, which accrued before the estate became subject to such superintendence, shall be recoverable as demands under Bengal Act VII of 1868, or any similar law for the time being in force.

Recovery of arrears due from farmers, &c.

The last preceding clause does not apply to arrears of rent enhanced after issue of notice under section 13 of Act X of 1859, or under section 14 of Bengal Act VIII of 1869, but of which the enhancement has not been confirmed by any competent Court.

63. If a proprietor is declared disqualified and is afterwards restored, or if the estate of any disqualified proprietor legally devolves on, or comes into the possession of, any person not disqualified for the management of it,

such proprietor or his heir or successor may sue any persons professing to have acted under the authority of the Court, for any acts done by them respectively whilst the estate was under the charge of the Court in contravention of this or any other Act that may be hereafter enacted regarding disqualified proprietors and their estates, or in contravention of any order issued by the Court, or for any breach of trust.

Power to sue person professing to have acted under the authority of the Court

64. The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may order that the cost of superintendence and of the audit of accounts of all estates under the charge of the Court shall be defrayed from a general contribution to be levied from such estates in such proportion as the Court may from time to time direct.

Cost of superintendence of wards' estates.

65. An appeal shall lie from every order of a Collector under this Act to the Commissioner of the Division, and from every order of a Commissioner under this Act to the Court

Appeals.

Every appeal to a Commissioner shall be presented within thirty days of the date of the order appealed against.

Every appeal to the Court shall be presented within sixty days of the date of the order appealed against.

66. The Court may, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, make rules consistent with this Act for—

Power to Court to make rules.

(*a*) defining the powers of Collectors and Commissioners respectively when the estate of a ward is situated in two or more districts or in two or more divisions;

(*b*) prescribing what reports shall be made from time to time by Collectors and Commissioners on the condition of the ward and his property;

(*c*) prescribing the periods at which and the mode in which accounts shall be submitted by managers and guardians respectively;

(*d*) regulating the custody of securities and title deeds belonging to the estate or property of a ward;

(*e*) regulating the procedure in appeals from orders of Collectors and Commissioners respectively under this Act.

(*f*) prescribing the procedure to be observed when an estate ceases to be under the superintendence of the Court;

(*g*) and generally for the better fulfilment of the purposes of this Act.

The Court may, from time to time, with the like sanction, alter, add to, or repeal, such rules.

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Legislative Dept.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1879.

PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following further Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 19th of February, 1879 :—

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to define and amend the law relating to Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange and Cheques was referred, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin, and have the honour to present this further Report.

From Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Mysore, No. 3193—4 J, dated 26th July, 1878.
„ Acting Under Secretary to Government of Bombay, No. 4405, dated 30th July, 1878.
„ Assistant Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 3012—147, dated 31st July, 1878.
„ Officiating Chief Commissioner, Ajmer and Merwára, No. 500, dated 5th August, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Under Secretary to Government of Bengal, No. 1745, dated 13th August, 1878.
„ Acting Under Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 4792, dated 17th August, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Mysore, No. 3765—6, dated 15th August, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 626 A, dated 24th August, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Junior Secretary to Chief Commissioner, British Burma, No. 1440—51, dated 28th September, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Under Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 6570, dated 15th November, 1878, and enclosure.
Note by Sir Richard Garth, Chief Justice, High Court, Calcutta, dated 21st November, 1878.
Remarks on the above note by A. Phillips, Esq., dated 30th November, 1878.
From Secretary to Government, Panjáb, No. 4404, dated 23rd December, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Government of Bengal, No. 260—24 M, dated 1st February, 1879, and enclosures.
„ Government of Bombay, No. 838, dated 6th February, 1879, and enclosures.

2. We have carefully considered the arguments urged on the one side by the learned Chief Justice of Bengal and the Bank of Bengal for the immediate application of the measure in its entirety to hundís, and, on the other side, by the Government of the Panjáb for the total exclusion of hundís from any part of the measure. We have come to the conclusion that the Bill should in this respect be left substantially as it stands. Admitting with the Chief Justice that one main principle of Indian codification is to reconcile and assimilate, as far as possible, the Native and European law on each subject, we would point out that this principle must be applied so as to produce as little friction as possible, and we feel assured that any sudden abolition of the numerous local usages (there is no general custom) as to hundís, uncertain and undefined as they often are, would cause much and justifiable dissatisfaction among Native bankers and merchants in certain parts of the country. But we believe that the effect of the Bill, if passed with a saving of the local usages in question, will be, not as the Chief Justice fears, to stereotype and perpetuate these usages, but to induce the Native mercantile community gradually to discard them for the corresponding rules contained in the Bill. The desirable uniformity of mercantile usage will thus be brought about without any risk of causing hardship to Native bankers and merchants. How long this change will take, it is of course impossible to prophesy. But the Bank of Bengal has supplied evidence that the Native usages as to negotiable paper have of recent years been greatly changing, and that the tendency is to assimilate them more and more to the European custom.

3. We do not share the apprehension of the Bank of Bengal that the recognition of Native usages would result in large withdrawal of European capital from operations in Native bills. For in this respect the Bill simply states the law as it stands. Such usages are now and have always been recognized by our Courts in all parts of India:* but the Bank itself admits

* See, for example, 1 Suth. W. R. 75: 2 *ibid.* 214: 6 *ibid.* 301: 2 Hyde 259: 3 Beng. A. C. 198: 7 Beng. 275, 289, 431, 687: 9 Beng. Appendix I: 2 Sevestre 621, n.: N. W. P. 1868, p. 268: Perry 296: 6 Bomb. O. C. J. 24: 7 Bomb. O. C. J. 137, 140: 12 Bomb. 113.

that, for upwards of seventy years, its business in hundís has invariably been conducted according to the same laws and usages as apply to European bills, and that, with one exception (the alleged duty of the holder of a dishonoured hundí to exhaust the acceptor before having recourse to the drawer or endorser) Natives have made no difficulty about conforming to the Bank's requirements. It is, we understand, the practice of the Bank and, probably, of other large European purchasers of hundís to notify that they will not be bound by any local usage which contravenes the English law as to bills of exchange. Though the Bill should pass in its present form, this practice will remain legal and unaffected. It operates of course to bind only the seller to waive a defence which he might otherwise have made. But the other parties to the hundí are practically precluded from setting up any such usage by the knowledge that if they did so their credit would be destroyed by refusal of the Bank to buy hundís on which their names appear.

4. To exclude totally (as the Panjáb Government propose) hundís from any part of the Bill would be to render the proposed legislation to a great extent inoperative, and would probably result in withdrawal of the Bill. Considering the fact that the carrying on of the internal trade of India is becoming more and more dependent on English capital, and that the use in the Mufassal of bills in the English form is therefore largely increasing, we think that such withdrawal would be highly inexpedient. We are supported in this opinion by the fact that the Local Governments of Bengal, Bombay, the North-Western Provinces and Ajmer have all reported in favour of the Bill; that the Chambers of Commerce at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay, the Bank of Bombay, and the Calcutta Trades Association, have done the same; and that the Directors of the Bank of Bengal bear testimony as to the ability with which it was framed by Mr. Phillips.

5. Turning now to the details of the Bill, we have, in the first place, expressly saved the provisions of the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1871, section 21, which prohibits the issue of private bills or notes payable to bearer on demand.

6. We have struck out from section 16 the words "the whole or any part of," as they might have been taken to imply that there may be a special indorsement expressly directing payment of part of the amount mentioned in the instrument.

7. Section 21 was taken from the Law Commissioners' draft, and deals with a promissory note signed by two persons, and shewing that one of them subscribes only to an alternative liability. We think it very doubtful whether such an informal instrument is a promissory note at all, and for this and other reasons we have omitted the section.

8. We have also omitted section 33, as the matter appears to us to be sufficiently provided for by the Indian Contract Act; for the same reason we have omitted the first half of section 43.

9. We have omitted, as unlikely to be practically useful, sections 55 and 56, which provide for the delivery without indorsement, but with intent to transfer title, of bills payable to the order of a specified person or to a specified person or order.

10. We have omitted section 59, as the matter is sufficiently covered by the preceding section.

11. We do not think that the Bill should deal with collateral agreements, and have therefore struck out section 66.

12. We have amended the section (73, now 67) as to the drawee's term for deliberation. It now provides that the holder may allow the drawee twenty-four hours (exclusive of public holidays) to consider whether he will accept the Bill.

13. We think that, in order to charge the drawer of a cheque, the holder should only be bound to present it at the bank on which it is drawn before the relation between the drawer and the banker has been altered to the prejudice of the drawer. We have altered section 82 accordingly.

14. We have omitted from section 97 the explanation relating to material alterations.

15. We have made some changes in wording and arrangement.

16. The Bill No. III and the second report of the Select Committee have been published in English in all the local Gazettes except those for Assam and Rájputána. Publication of the Bill and report in the vernacular has been reported only by the Governments of Madras, Bengal and the North-Western Provinces and Oudh and the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces.

17. With the exception of our Hon'ble Colleague Mr. Morgan, we think that the Bill might now be passed as amended. Mr. Morgan would omit the clause saving local usages as to hundís. In other respects he approves of the Bill. We recommend that its further consideration be stayed until the new Law Commission has reported thereon. Meanwhile, we think the Bill, as now amended, should be published with this report in the *Gazette of India*.

WHITLEY STOKES.
G. C. PAUL.
G. H. P. EVANS.
F. R. COCKERELL.

CALCUTTA,
The 19th February, 1879.

Although I think that this Bill is, on the whole, a very good one, I cannot approve of the recognition which it accords to local usages relating to hundís. From a careful consideration of the papers which have been received with reference to the Bill, and from my own experience as regards the existing practice regarding hundís, I do not believe that there are any usages which call for special recognition at the hands of the legislature, and I think that the proposed recognition may put an arm into the hands of those who are dishonestly disposed, which they do not at present possess.

E. C. MORGAN.

No. IV.

THE NEGOTIABLE INSTRUMENTS BILL, 1879.

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SCHEDULE.

No. IV.

A Bill to define and amend the law relating to Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange and Cheques.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to define and amend the law relating to Promissory Notes, Bills of Exchange and Cheques; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.
PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Negotiable Instruments Act, 1879:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India; but nothing herein contained affects any local usage relating to

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any instrument in an oriental language or affects the Indian Paper Currency Act, 1871, section twenty-one:

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the first day of January, 1880.

Repeal of enactments.

2. On and from that day the enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column thereof.

Interpretation clause.

3. In this Act—

"Banker."

"Banker" includes also persons or a corporation or company acting as bankers, and

"Notary Public."

"Notary Public" includes also any officer appointed by the Governor General in Council to perform the functions of a Notary Public under this Act.

CHAPTER II.

OF NOTES, BILLS AND CHEQUES.

"Promissory Note."

4. A promissory note is an instrument in writing (not being a bank note or a currency note) containing an unconditional undertaking, signed by the maker, to pay a certain sum of money only to, or to the order of, a certain person, or to the bearer of the instrument.

Illustrations.

A signs instruments in the following terms :—

(*a*) "I promise to pay B or order Rs. 500."

(*b*) "I acknowledge myself to be indebted to B in Rs. 1,000 to be paid on demand, for value received."

(*c*) "Mr. B, I O U Rs. 1,000."

(*d*) "I promise to pay B Rs. 500 and all other sums which shall be due to him."

(*e*) "I promise to pay B Rs. 500, first deducting thereout any money which he may owe me."

(*f*) "I promise to pay B Rs. 500 seven days after my marriage with C."

(*g*) "I promise to pay B Rs. 500 on D's death, provided D leaves me enough to pay that sum."

(*h*) "I promise to pay B Rs 500 and to deliver to him my black horse on 1st January next."

The instruments respectively marked (*a*), and (*b*) are promissory notes. The instruments respectively marked (*c*), (*d*), (*e*), (*f*), (*g*) and (*h*) are not promissory notes.

"Bill of exchange."

5. A bill of exchange is an instrument in writing containing an unconditional order, signed by the maker, directing a certain person to pay a certain sum of money only to, or to the order of, a certain person or to the bearer of the instrument.

"Cheque."

6. A cheque is a bill of exchange drawn on a specified banker and not expressed to be payable otherwise than on demand.

"Drawer." "Drawee."

7. The maker of a bill of exchange or cheque is called the "drawer;" the person thereby directed to pay is called the "drawee."

"Drawee in case of need."

When the bill gives the name of any person in addition to the drawee to be resorted to in case of need, such person is called a "drawee in case of need."

"Acceptor."

After the drawee of a bill has signed his assent upon the bill, or if there are more parts thereof than one, upon one of such parts, and delivered the same, or given notice of such signing to the holder or to some person on his behalf, he is called the "acceptor."

"Acceptor for honour."

When acceptance is refused and the bill is protested for non-acceptance, and any person accepts it *supra protest* for honour of the drawer or of any one of the indorsers, such person is called an "acceptor for honour."

"Payee."

The person named in the instrument, to whom or to whose order the money is by the instrument directed to be paid, is called the "payee."

"Holder."

8. The "holder" of a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque means any person entitled in his own name to the possession thereof and to receive or recover the amount due thereon from the parties thereto.

Where the note, bill or cheque is lost or destroyed, its holder is the person so entitled at the time of such loss or destruction.

"Holder in due course."

9. "Holder in due course" means any person who became the possessor of a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque if payable to bearer, or the payee or indorsee thereof, if payable to, or to the order of, a payee, for consideration before the amount mentioned in it became payable, and without having sufficient cause to believe that any defect existed in the title of the person from whom he derived his title.

"Payment in due course."

10. "Payment in due course" means payment in accordance with the apparent tenor of the instrument in good faith and without negligence to any person in possession thereof under circumstances which do not afford a reasonable ground for believing that he is not entitled to receive payment of the amount therein mentioned.

Inland instrument.

11. A promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque drawn or made in British India, and made payable in, or drawn upon any person resident in, British India shall be deemed to be an inland instrument.

Foreign instrument.

12. Any such instrument not so drawn, made or made payable shall be deemed to be a foreign instrument.

Negotiable instrument.

13. A "negotiable instrument" means a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque expressed to be payable to a specified person or his order, or to the order of a specified person, or to the bearer thereof, or to a specified person or the bearer thereof.

Negotiation.

14. When a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque is transferred to any person, so as to constitute that person the holder thereof, the instrument is said to be negotiated.

Indorsement.

15. When the maker or holder of a negotiable instrument signs the same, otherwise than as such maker, for the purpose of negotiation, on the back or face thereof or on a slip of paper annexed thereto, or so signs for the same purpose a stamped paper intended to be completed as a negotiable instrument, he is said to indorse the same, and is called the "indorser."

Indorsement "in blank" and "in full."

16. If the indorser signs his name only, the indorsement is said to be "in blank," and if he adds a direction to pay the amount mentioned in the instrument to, or to the order of, a specified person, the indorsement is said to be "in full;" and the person so specified is called the "indorsee" of the instrument.

"Indorsee."

Ambiguous instruments.

17. Where an instrument may be construed either as a promissory note or bill of exchange, the holder may at his election treat it as either, and the instrument shall be thenceforward treated accordingly.

Where amount is stated differently in figures and words.

18. If the amount undertaken or ordered to be paid is stated differently in figures and in words, the amount stated in words shall be the amount undertaken or ordered to be paid.

Instruments payable on demand.

19. A promissory note or bill of exchange, in which no time for payment is specified, and a cheque are payable on demand.

Blank stamped instruments.

20. Where a stamped paper, which is intended to be completed as a negotiable instrument, is signed and delivered by a competent person as maker, drawer, acceptor or indorser, the holder thereof may complete the same by filling up any blanks therein, and the person so signing shall be liable upon such instrument, in the capacity in which he signed the same, for any amount which may be specified therein not exceeding the amount covered by the stamp thereon: provided that as between the person delivering and the person receiving the instrument nothing in excess of the amount intended by them to be paid shall be recovered.

Illustration.

A stamped paper intended to be completed as a negotiable instrument is made payable to " or order:" the holder of such instrument may fill up the blank with his own name, or that of any other person.

"At sight." "On presentment." "After sight."

21. In a promissory note or bill of exchange the expressions "at sight" and "on presentment" mean on demand. The expression "after sight" means, in a promissory note, after presentment for sight, and in a bill of exchange, after acceptance or protest for non-acceptance.

"Maturity."

22. The maturity of a promissory note or bill of exchange is the date at which it falls due.

Days of grace.

Every promissory note or bill of exchange which is not expressed to be payable on demand, at sight, or on presentment, is at maturity on the third day after the day on which it is expressed to be payable.

Calculating maturity of bill or note payable so many months after date or sight.

23. In calculating the date at which a promissory note or bill of exchange, made payable a stated number of months after date or after sight, or after a certain event, is at maturity, the period stated shall be held to terminate on the day of the month which corresponds with the day on which the instrument is dated, or presented for acceptance or sight or protested for non-acceptance, or the event happens, or, where the instrument is a bill of exchange made payable a stated number of months after sight and has been accepted for honour, with the day on which it was so accepted. If the month in which the period would terminate has no corresponding day, the period shall be held to terminate on the last day of such month.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A negotiable instrument dated 29th January 1878 is made payable at one month after date. The instrument is at maturity on the third day after the 28th February 1878.

(*b*) A negotiable instrument dated 30th August 1878 is made payable three months after date. The instrument is at maturity on the 3rd December 1878.

(*c*) A promissory note or bill of exchange, dated 31st August 1878, is made payable three months after date. The instrument is at maturity on the 3rd December 1878.

Calculating maturity of bill or note payable so many days after date or sight.

24. In calculating the date at which a promissory note or bill of exchange, made payable a certain number of days after date or after sight or after a certain event, is at maturity, the day of the date, or of presentment for acceptance or sight, or of protest for non-acceptance, or on which the event happens, shall be excluded.

When day of maturity is a holiday.

25. When the day on which a promissory note or bill of exchange is at maturity is a public holiday, the instrument shall be deemed to be due on the next preceding business day.

Explanation.—The expression "public holiday" includes Sundays: New-Year's day, Christmas day: if either of such days falls on a Sunday, the next following Monday: Good-Friday; and any other day declared by the Local Government, by notification in the official Gazette, to be a public holiday.

Presumptions as to negotiable instruments;

26. Until the contrary is proved, the following presumptions shall be made:—

of consideration;

(*a*) that every negotiable instrument was made or drawn for consideration, and that every such instrument, when it has been accepted, indorsed, negotiated or transferred, was accepted, indorsed, negotiated or transferred for consideration:

as to date;

(*b*) that every negotiable instrument bearing a date was made or drawn on such date:

as to time of acceptance;

(*c*) that every accepted bill of exchange was accepted within a reasonable time after its date and before its maturity:

as to time of transfer;

(*d*) that every transfer of a negotiable instrument was made before its maturity:

as to order of endorsements;

(*e*) that the endorsements appearing upon a negotiable instrument were made in the order in which they appear thereon:

as to stamp;

(*f*) that a lost promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque was duly stamped:

that holder is a holder in due course.

(*g*) that the holder of a negotiable instrument is a holder in due course: provided that where the instrument has been obtained from its lawful owner, or from any person in lawful custody thereof, by means of an offence or fraud, or has been obtained from the maker or acceptor thereof by means of an offence or fraud, or for unlawful consideration, the burthen of proving that the holder is a holder in due course lies upon him.

CHAPTER III.

PARTIES TO NOTES, BILLS AND CHEQUES.

Capacity to make, &c., promissory notes, &c.

27. Every person capable of contracting, according to the law to which he is subject, may bind himself and be bound by the making, drawing, acceptance, indorsement, delivery and negotiation of a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque.

Minor.

A minor may draw, indorse, deliver and negotiate such instruments so as to bind all parties except himself.

Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to empower a corporation to make, indorse or accept such instruments except in cases in which, under

the law for the time being in force, they are so empowered.

Agency.

28. Every person capable of binding himself or of being bound, as mentioned in section 27, may so bind himself or be bound by a duly authorized agent acting in his name.

A general authority to transact business and to receive and discharge debts does not confer upon an agent the power of accepting or indorsing bills of exchange so as to bind his principal.

An authority to draw bills of exchange does not of itself import an authority to indorse.

Liability of agent signing.

29. An agent who signs his name to a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque, without indicating thereon that he signs as agent, or that he does not intend thereby to incur personal responsibility, is liable personally on the instrument, except to those who induced him to sign upon the belief that the principal only would be held liable.

Liability of legal representative signing.

30. A legal representative of a deceased person who signs his name to a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque, is liable personally thereon unless he expressly limits his liability to the extent of the assets received by him as such.

Acceptance by several drawees not partners.

31. Where there are several drawees of a bill of exchange who are not partners, each of them can accept it for himself, but none of them can accept it for another without his authority.

Liability of drawer.

32. The drawer of a bill of exchange or cheque is bound, in case of dishonour by the drawee or acceptor thereof, to compensate the holder for any loss or damage caused thereby, provided due notice of dishonour has been given to, or received by, the drawer as hereinafter provided.

Liability of drawee of cheque.

33. The drawee of a cheque having sufficient funds of the drawer in his hands properly applicable to the payment of such cheque, must pay the cheque when duly required so to do, and, in default of such payment, must compensate the drawer for any loss or damage caused by such default.

Liability of maker of note and acceptor of bill.

34. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, the maker of a promissory note and the acceptor before maturity of a bill of exchange, are bound to pay the amount thereof at maturity according to the apparent tenor of the note or acceptance respectively, and the acceptor of a bill of exchange at or after maturity is bound to pay the amount thereof to the holder on demand.

In default of such payment as aforesaid, such maker or acceptor is bound to compensate any party to the note or bill for any loss or damage sustained by him, and caused by such default.

The provisions of this section are subject to those of sections 27, 29, 48, 49, 50, 62, 68, 72, 73 and 86.

Only drawee can be acceptor except in need or for honour.

35. No person except the drawee of a bill of exchange, or all or some of several joint drawees, or a person named therein as a drawee in case of need, or an acceptor for honour, can bind himself by an acceptance.

Liability of indorser.

36. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, whoever indorses and delivers a negotiable instrument before maturity, without, in such indorsement, expressly excluding or making conditional his own liability, is bound thereby to every subsequent holder, in case of dishonour by the drawee, acceptor or maker, to compensate such holder for any loss or damage caused to him by such dishonour, provided due notice of dishonour has been given to, or received by, such indorser as hereinafter provided.

Every indorser after dishonour is liable as upon an instrument payable on demand.

The provisions of this section are subject to those of sections 27, 29, 48, 49, 50, 59, 60, 62, 65, 66, 68, 72, 76, 86, 87, 88, 90, 91 and 101, clause (*a*).

Liability of prior parties to holder in due course.

37. Every prior party to a negotiable instrument is liable thereon to a holder in due course until the instrument is duly satisfied.

Maker, drawer and acceptor principals.

38. The maker of a promissory note or cheque, the drawer of a bill of exchange until acceptance, and the acceptor are, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, respectively liable thereon as principal debtors, and the other parties thereto are liable thereon as sureties for the maker, drawer or acceptor, as the case may be.

Prior party a principal in respect of each subsequent party.

39. As between the parties so liable as sureties, each prior party is, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, also liable thereon as a principal debtor in respect of each subsequent party.

Illustration.

A draws a bill payable to his own order on B, who accepts. A afterwards indorses the bill to C, C to D, and D to E. As between E and B, B is the principal debtor, and A, C and D are his sureties. As between E and A, A is the principal debtor, and C and D are his sureties. As between E and C, C is the principal debtor and D is his surety.

Suretyship.

40. When the holder of an accepted bill of exchange enters into any contract with the acceptor which under section 134 or 135 of the Indian Contract Act, 1872, would discharge the other parties, the holder may expressly reserve his right to charge the other parties, and in such case they are not discharged.

Discharge of indorser's liability.

41. Where the holder of a negotiable instrument, without the consent of the indorser, destroys or impairs the indorser's remedy against a prior party, the indorser is discharged from liability to the holder to the same extent as if the instrument had been paid at maturity.

Illustration.

A is the holder of a bill of exchange made payable to the order of B, which contains the following indorsements in blank :—

First indorsement, "B."

Second indorsement, "Peter Williams."

Third indorsement, "Wright and Co."

Fourth indorsement, "John Rozario."

This bill A puts in suit against John Rozario and strikes out, without John Rozario's consent, the indorsements by Peter Williams and Wright and Co. A is not entitled to recover anything from John Rozario.

Estoppel against denying original validity of instrument.

42. No maker of a promissory note, and no drawer of a bill of exchange or cheque, and no acceptor of a bill of exchange for the honour of the drawer shall, in a suit thereon by a holder in due course, be permitted to deny the validity of the instrument as originally made or drawn.

Estoppel against denying capacity of payee to indorse.

43. No maker of a promissory note and no acceptor of a bill of exchange payable to, or to the order of, a specified person shall, in a suit thereon by a holder in due course, be permitted to deny the payee's capacity, at the date of the note or bill, to indorse the same.

Estoppel against denying signature or capacity of prior party.

44. No indorser of a negotiable instrument shall, in a suit thereon by a subsequent holder, be permitted to deny the signature or capacity to contract of any prior party to the instrument.

Acceptor bound, although indorsement forged.

45. An acceptor of a bill of exchange already indorsed is not relieved from liability by reason that such indorsement is forged, if he knew or had reason to believe the indorsement to be forged when he accepted the bill.

Acceptance of bill drawn in fictitious name.

46. An acceptor of a bill of exchange drawn in a fictitious name and payable to the drawer's order is not, by reason that such name is fictitious, relieved from liability to any holder in due course claiming under an indorsement by the same hand as the drawer's signature, and purporting to be made by the drawer.

Party receiving consideration liable to subsequent parties.

47. If at any time there has been consideration between any parties to a negotiable instrument for the making, drawing, acceptance, indorsement, negotiation or transfer thereof, the party receiving such consideration is, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, liable upon the instrument to all subsequent parties thereto, and every subsequent holder is, as against him, a holder for consideration.

The provisions of this section are subject to those of sections 27, 49, 50, 59, 65, 66, 68, 72, 73, 76, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90 and 91.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A indorses a bill of exchange to B, at the request of C, for C's account with B. B is a holder of the bill for consideration, and if he indorses it as a present to D, D is a holder for consideration as against A.

(*b*) A, the holder of a negotiable instrument, indorses it in full to B, in the belief that B has done something which he has not done. B, for consideration proceeding from C, indorses the instrument in blank to C, and C indorses it to D. D strikes out C's indorsement. D is a holder of the instrument for consideration as against B.

Party not liable to one from whom no consideration moved.

48. When there was no consideration for the making, drawing, acceptance or indorsement of a negotiable instrument, or when the consideration has wholly failed, the maker, drawer, acceptor or indorser is not liable thereon to the party in whose favour the instrument was so made, drawn, accepted or indorsed, or to any party claiming through him, unless consideration was given by the claimant or by some party through whom he derives title. But the maker, drawer, acceptor or indorser is liable to compensate any subsequent party who, being liable on such instrument, pays the amount due thereon.

Partial absence or failure of money-consideration.

49. When the consideration for which a person signed a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque consisted of money, and was originally absent in part or has subsequently failed in part, the sum which a holder standing in immediate relation with such signer is entitled to receive from him is proportionally reduced.

Explanation.—The drawer of a bill of exchange stands in immediate relation with the acceptor. The maker of a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque, stands in immediate relation with the payee, and the indorser with his indorsee. Other signers may by agreement stand in immediate relation with a holder.

Illustration.

A draws a bill on B for Rs. 500 payable to the order of A. B accepts the bill, but subsequently dishonours it by non-payment. A sues B on the bill. B proves that it was accepted for value as to Rs. 400, and as an accommodation to the plaintiff as to the residue. A can only recover Rs. 400.

Partial failure of consideration not consisting of money.

50. Where a part of the consideration for which a person signed a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque, though not consisting of money, is ascertainable in money without collateral enquiry, and there has been a failure of that part, the sum which a holder standing in immediate relation with such signer is entitled to receive from him is proportionally reduced.

CHAPTER IV.

OF NEGOTIATION.

Negotiation by delivery.

51. Subject to the provisions of section 62, a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque payable to bearer is negotiable by delivery thereof.

Exception.—A promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque delivered on condition that it is not to take effect except in a certain event is not negotiable (except in the hands of a holder for value without notice of the condition) unless such event happens.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A, the holder of a negotiable instrument payable to bearer, delivers it to B's agent to keep for B. The instrument has been negotiated.

(*b*) A, the holder of a negotiable instrument payable to bearer which is in the hands of A's banker, who is at the time the banker of B, directs the banker to transfer the instrument to B's credit in the banker's account with B. The banker does so, and accordingly now possesses the instrument as B's agent. The instrument has been negotiated, and B has become the holder of it.

Negotiation by indorsement.

52. Subject to the provisions of section 62, a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque payable to the order of a specified person, or to a specified person or order, is negotiable by the holder by indorsement and delivery thereof.

Conversion of indorsement in blank into indorsement in full.

53. The holder of a negotiable instrument indorsed in blank may, without signing his own name, by writing above the indorser's signature a direction to pay to any other person as indorsee, convert the indorsement in blank into an indorsement in full; and the holder does not thereby incur the responsibility of an indorser.

Effect of indorsement.

54. The indorsement of a negotiable instrument followed by delivery transfers to the indorsee the property therein with the right of further negotiation; but the indorsement may, by express words, restrict or exclude such right, or may merely constitute the indorsee an agent to indorse the instrument, or to receive its contents for the indorser, or for some other specified person.

Illustrations.

• B signs the following indorsements on different negotiable instruments payable to bearer:—

(*a*) "Pay the contents to C only."

(*b*) "Pay C for my use."

(*c*) "Pay C or order for the account of B."

(*d*) "The within must be credited to C."

• These indorsements exclude the right of further negotiation by C.

(*e*) "Pay C."

(*f*) "Pay C value in account with the Oriental Bank."

(*g*) "Pay the contents to C, being part of the consideration in a certain deed of assignment executed by C to the indorser and others."

These indorsements do not exclude the right of further negotiation by C.

Who may negotiate.

55. Every sole maker, drawer, payee or indorsee, or all of several joint makers, drawers, payees or indorsees, of a negotiable instrument may, if the negotiability of such instrument has not been restricted or excluded, as mentioned in section 54, indorse and negotiate the same.

Explanation.—Nothing in this section enables a maker or drawer to indorse or negotiate an instrument, unless he is in lawful possession or is holder thereof; or enables a payee or indorsee to indorse or negotiate an instrument, unless he is holder thereof.

Illustration.

A bill is drawn payable to A or order. A indorses it to B, the indorsement not containing the words "or order" or any equivalent words. B may negotiate the instrument.

Indorser who excludes his own liability or makes it conditional.

56. The indorser of a negotiable instrument may, by express words in the indorsement, exclude his own liability thereon, or make such liability or the right of the indorsee to receive the amount due thereon, depend upon the happening of a specified event, although such event may never happen.

Where an indorser so excludes his liability and afterwards becomes the holder of the instrument, all intermediate indorsers are liable to him.

Illustrations.

(*a.*) The indorser of a negotiable instrument signs his name, adding the words—

"Without recourse."

Upon this indorsement he incurs no liability.

(*b.*) A is the payee and holder of a negotiable instrument. Excluding personal liability by an endorsement "without recourse," he transfers the instrument to B, and B indorses it to C, who indorses it to A. A is not only reinstated in his former rights, but has the rights of an indorsee against B and C.

Holder deriving title from holder in due course.

57. A holder of a negotiable instrument who derives title from a holder in due course has the rights thereon of that holder in due course.

Instrument indorsed in blank.

58. Subject to the provisions of sections 121 and 122, a negotiable instrument indorsed in blank is payable to the bearer thereof even although originally payable to order.

Conversion of indorsement in blank into indorsement in full.

59. If a negotiable instrument after having been indorsed in blank is indorsed in full, the amount of it cannot be claimed from the indorser in full, except by the person to whom it has been indorsed in full, or by one who derives title through such person.

Indorsement for part of sum due.

60. No writing on a negotiable instrument is valid for the purpose of negotiation if such writing purports to transfer only a part of the amount of the instrument.

Legal representative cannot by delivery only negotiate instrument indorsed by deceased.

61. The legal representative of a deceased person cannot negotiate by delivery only a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque payable to order and indorsed by the deceased but not delivered.

Instrument obtained by unlawful means or for unlawful consideration.

62. When a negotiable instrument has been lost, or has been obtained from any maker, acceptor or holder thereof by means of an offence or fraud, or for an unlawful consideration, no possessor or indorsee who claims through the person who found or so obtained the instrument is entitled to receive the amount due thereon from such maker, acceptor or holder, or from any party prior to such holder, unless such possessor or indorsee is, or some person through whom he claims was, a holder thereof in due course.

Instrument acquired after dishonour or when overdue.

63. The holder of a negotiable instrument, who has acquired it after dishonour, whether by non-acceptance or non-payment, with notice thereof, or after maturity, has only, as against the other parties, the rights thereon of his transferor:

Accommodation note or bill.

Provided that any person who, in good faith and for consideration, becomes the holder, after maturity, of a promissory note or bill of exchange made, drawn or accepted without consideration for the purpose of enabling some party thereto to raise money thereon, may recover the amount of the note or bill from any prior party.

Illustration.

The acceptor of a bill of exchange, when he accepted it deposited with the drawer certain goods as a collateral security for the payment of the bill, with power to the drawer to sell the goods and apply the proceeds in discharge of the bill if it were not paid at maturity. The bill not having been paid at maturity, the drawer sold the goods and retained the proceeds, but indorsed the bill to A. A's title is subject to the same objection as the drawer's title.

Instrument negotiable till payment or satisfaction.

64. A negotiable instrument may be negotiated (except by the maker, drawee or acceptor after maturity) until payment or satisfaction thereof by the maker, drawee or acceptor at or after maturity, but not after such payment or satisfaction.

CHAPTER V.

OF PRESENTMENT.

Presentment for acceptance.

65. A bill of exchange payable after sight must, if no time or place is specified therein for presentment, be presented to the drawee thereof for acceptance, if he can, after reasonable search, be found, by a person entitled to demand acceptance, within a reasonable time after it is drawn, and in business hours on a business day. In default of such presentment, no party thereto is liable thereon to the person making such default.

If the drawee cannot, after reasonable search be found, the bill is dishonoured.

If the bill is directed to the drawee at a particular place, it must be presented at that place; and if at the due date for presentment he cannot, after reasonable search, be found there, the bill is dishonoured.

Presentment of promissory note for sight.

66. A promissory note, payable at a certain period after sight, must be presented to the maker thereof for sight, by a person entitled to demand payment, within a reasonable time after it is made and in business hours on a business day. In default of such presentment no party thereto is liable thereon to the person making such default.

Drawee's time for deliberation.

67. The holder may allow the drawee of a bill of exchange presented to him for acceptance twenty-four hours (exclusive of public holidays) to consider whether he will accept it.

Presentment for payment.

68. Promissory notes, bills of exchange and cheques must be presented for payment to the maker, acceptor or drawee thereof respectively, by or on behalf of the holder as hereinafter provided. In default of such presentment, the other parties thereto are not liable thereon to such holder.

Exception.—Where a promissory note is payable on demand and is not payable at a specified place, no presentment is necessary in order to charge the maker thereof.

Hours for presentment.

69. Presentment for payment must be made during the usual hours of business, and, if at a banker's, within banking hours.

Presentment for payment of instrument payable after date or sight.

70. A promissory note or bill of exchange, made payable at a specified period after date or sight thereof, must be presented for payment at maturity.

Presentment for payment of promissory note payable by instalments.

71. A promissory note payable by instalments must be presented for payment on the third day after the date fixed for payment of each instalment; and non-payment on such presentment has the same effect as non-payment of a note at maturity.

Presentment for payment of instrument payable at specified place and not elsewhere.

72. A promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque made, drawn or accepted payable at a specified place and not elsewhere must, in order to charge any party thereto, be presented for payment at that place.

Instrument payable at specified place

73. A promissory note or bill of exchange made, drawn or accepted payable at a specified place must, in order to charge the maker or drawer thereof, be presented for payment at that place.

Presentment where no exclusive place specified.

74. A promissory note or bill of exchange, not made payable as mentioned in sections 72 and 73, must be presented for payment at one of the places specified (if any), or at the place of business (if any), or at the usual residence, of the maker, drawee or acceptor thereof, as the case may be.

Presentment when maker, &c., has no known place of business or residence.

75. If the maker, drawee or acceptor of a negotiable instrument has no known place of business or fixed residence, and no place is specified in the instrument for presentment for acceptance or payment, such presentment may be made to him in person wherever he can be found.

Presentment of cheque to charge drawer.

76. A cheque must, in order to charge the drawer, be presented at the bank upon which it is drawn before the relation between the drawer and his banker has been altered to the prejudice of the drawer.

Presentment of cheque to charge any other person.

77. A cheque must, in order to charge any person except the drawer, be presented within a reasonable time after delivery thereof by such person.

Presentment of instrument payable on demand.

78. Subject to the provisions of section 33, a negotiable instrument payable on demand must be presented for payment within a reasonable time after it is received by the holder.

Presentment by or to agent, representative of deceased, or assignee of insolvent.

79. Presentment for acceptance or payment may be made to the duly authorized agent of the drawee, maker or acceptor, as the case may be, or where the drawee, maker or acceptor has died, to his legal representative, or where he has been declared an insolvent, to his assignee.

When presentment unnecessary.

80. No presentment for payment is necessary, and the instrument is dishonoured at the due date for presentment, in any of the following cases:—

(*a*) if the maker, drawee or acceptor intentionally prevents the presentment of the instrument,

or, if the instrument being payable at his place of business, he closes such place on a business day during the usual business-hours, or

if the instrument being payable at some other specified place, neither he nor any person authorized to pay it attends at such place during the usual business hours, or

if the instrument not being payable at any specified place, he cannot after due search be found;

(*b*) as against any party if, after maturity, with knowledge that the instrument has not been presented—

he makes a part payment on account of the amount due on the instrument,

or promises to pay the amount due thereon in whole or in part,

or otherwise waives his right to take advantage of any default in presentment for payment;

(*c*) as against the drawer, if the drawer could not suffer damage from the want of such presentment.

Liability of banker for negligently dealing with bill presented for payment.

81. When a bill of exchange, accepted payable at a specified bank, has been duly presented there for payment and dishonoured, if the banker so negligently or improperly keeps, deals with or delivers back such bill as to cause loss to the holder, he must compensate the holder for such loss.

CHAPTER VI.

OF PAYMENT AND INTEREST.

To whom payment should be made.

82. Subject to the provisions of section 86, clause (*c*), payment of the amount due on a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque must, in order to discharge the maker or acceptor, be made to the holder of the instrument.

Interest when rate specified.

83. When interest at a specified rate is expressly made payable on a promissory note or bill of exchange, interest shall be calculated at the rate specified, on the amount and from the date of the instrument, until tender or realization of the amount due thereon, or until such date after the institution of a suit to recover such amount as the Court directs.

Interest when no rate specified.

84. When no rate of interest is specified in the instrument, interest on the amount thereof shall, except in cases provided for by the Code of Civil Procedure, section 532, be calculated at the rate of six per centum per annum, from the date at which the same ought to have been paid by the party charged, until tender or realization of the amount due thereon or until such date after the institution of a suit to recover such amount as the Court directs.

Explanation.—When the party charged is the indorser of an instrument dishonoured by non-payment, he is liable to pay interest only from the time that he receives notice of the dishonour.

Delivery of instrument on payment, or indemnity in case of loss.

85. Any person liable to pay, and called upon by the holder thereof to pay, the amount due on a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque is before payment entitled to have it shown, and is on payment entitled to have it delivered up, to him, or, if the instrument is lost or cannot be produced, to be indemnified against any further claim thereon against him.

CHAPTER VII.

OF DISCHARGE FROM LIABILITY ON NOTES, BILLS AND CHEQUES.

Discharge from liability,

86. The maker, acceptor or indorser respectively of a negotiable instrument is discharged from liability thereon—

by cancellation,

(*a*) to a holder thereof who cancels such acceptor's or indorser's name with intent to discharge him, and to all parties claiming under such holder.

by release,

(*b*) to a holder thereof who otherwise discharges such maker, acceptor or indorser, and to all parties deriving title under such holder after notice of such discharge;

by payment.

(*c*) to all parties thereto, if the instrument is payable to bearer, or has been indorsed in blank, and such maker, acceptor or indorser makes payment in due course of the amount due thereon.

Discharge by allowing drawee more than twenty-four hours to accept.

87. If the holder of a bill of exchange allows the drawee more than twenty-four hours to consider whether he will accept the same, all previous parties not consenting to such allowance are thereby discharged from liability to such holder.

When cheque not duly presented and drawer damaged thereby.

88. When the holder of a cheque fails to present it for payment, and the drawer thereof sustains loss or damage from such failure, he is discharged from liability to the holder.

Cheque payable to order.

89. Where a cheque payable to order, purports to be indorsed by or on behalf of the payee, the drawee is discharged by payment in due course.

Parties not consenting discharged by conditional or limited acceptance.

90. If the holder of a bill of exchange acquiesces in a conditional acceptance, or one limited to part of the sum mentioned in the bill, or which substitutes a different place or time for payment, or which, where the drawers are not partners is not signed by all the drawees, all previous parties whose consent is not obtained to such acceptance are discharged as against the holder and those claiming under him.

Effect of material alteration.

91. Save as provided in sections 20, 53, 90 and 120, any material alteration of a negotiable instrument renders the same void as against any one who is a party thereto at the time of making such alteration and does not consent thereto, unless it was made in order to carry out the common intention of the original parties;

Alteration by endorsee.

and any such alteration if made by an indorsee, discharges his indorser from all liability to him in respect of the consideration thereof.

The provisions of this section are subject to those of sections 20, 53, 90 and 120.

Acceptor or indorser bound notwithstanding previous alteration.

92. An acceptor or indorser of a negotiable instrument is bound by his acceptance or indorsement notwithstanding any previous alteration of the instrument.

Payment of instrument on which alteration is not apparent.

93. Where a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque has been materially altered, but does not appear to have been so altered,

or where a cheque is presented for payment which does not at the time of presentation appear to be crossed or to have had a crossing which has been obliterated,

payment thereof by a person or banker liable to pay and paying the same according to the apparent tenor thereof at the time of payment and otherwise in due course, shall discharge such person or banker from all liability thereon, and such payment shall not be questioned by reason of the instrument having been altered, or the cheque crossed.

CHAPTER VIII.

OF NOTICE OF DISHONOUR.

Dishonour by non-acceptance.

94. A bill of exchange is said to be dishonoured by non-acceptance when the drawee, or one of several drawees not being partners, makes default in acceptance upon being duly required to accept the bill.

Where the drawee is incompetent to contract the bill may be treated as dishonoured.

Dishonour by non-payment.

95. A promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque is said to be dishonoured by non-payment when the maker of the note, acceptor of the bill, or drawee of the cheque makes default in payment upon being duly required to pay the same.

By and to whom notice should be given.

96. When a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque is dishonoured by non-acceptance or non-payment, the holder thereof, or some party thereto who remains liable thereon, must give notice that the instrument has been so dishonoured to all other parties whom the holder seeks to make severally liable thereon, and to some one of several parties whom he seeks to make jointly liable thereon.

Nothing in this section renders it necessary to give notice to the maker of the dishonoured promissory note, or the drawee or acceptor of the dishonoured bill of exchange or cheque.

Mode in which notice may be given.

97. Notice of dishonour may be given to a duly authorised agent of the person to whom it is required to be given, or, where he has died, to his legal representative, or, where he has been declared an insolvent, to his assignee; may be oral or written; may, if written, be sent by post; and may be in any form; but it must inform the party to whom it is given, either in express terms or by reasonable intendment, that the instrument has been dishonoured, and in what way, and that he will be held liable thereon; and it must be given within a reasonable time after dishonour, at the place of business, or (in case such party has no place of business) at the residence of the party for whom it is intended.

If the notice is sent by post and miscarries, such miscarriage does not render the notice invalid.

Party receiving must transmit notice of dishonour.

98. Any party receiving notice of dishonour must, in order to render any prior party liable to himself, transmit it to such party within a reasonable time, unless such party otherwise receives due notice as provided by section 96.

Agent for presentment.

99. When the instrument is deposited with an agent for presentment, the agent is entitled to the same time to give notice to his principal as if he were the holder giving notice of dishonour, and the principal is entitled to a further like period to give notice of dishonour.

When party to whom notice given is dead.

100. When the party to whom notice of dishonour is despatched is dead, but the party despatching the notice is ignorant of his death, the notice is sufficient.

When notice of dishonour is unnecessary.

101. No notice of dishonour is necessary—

(*a*) when it is dispensed with by the party entitled thereto;

(*b*) in order to charge the drawer, when he has countermanded payment;

(*c*) when the party charged could not suffer damage for want of notice;

(*d*) when the party entitled to notice cannot after due search be found; or the party bound to give notice is, for any other reason, unable without any fault of his own to give it;

(*e*) to charge the drawers, when the acceptor is also a drawer;

(*f*) in the case of a promissory note which is not negotiable;

(*g*) when the party entitled to notice, knowing the facts, promises unconditionally to pay the amount due on the instrument.

CHAPTER IX.

OF NOTING AND PROTEST.

Noting.

102. When a promissory note or bill of exchange has been dishonoured by non-acceptance or non-payment, the holder may cause such dishonour to be noted by a notary public upon the instrument, or upon a paper attached thereto, or partly upon each.

Such note must be made within a reasonable time after dishonour, and must specify the date of dishonour, the reason, if any, assigned for such dishonour, or, if the instrument has not been expressly dishonoured, the reason why the holder treats it as dishonoured, and the notary's charges.

Protest.

103. When a promissory note or bill of exchange has been dishonoured by non-acceptance or non-payment, the holder may, within a reasonable time, cause such dishonour to be noted and certified by a notary public. Such certificate is called a protest, and in a suit upon the instrument, on proof of the protest, the Court shall presume the fact of dishonour, unless and until such fact is disproved.

Protest for better security.

When the acceptor of a bill of exchange has become insolvent, or his credit has been publicly impeached, before the maturity of the bill, the holder may, within a reasonable time, cause a notary public to demand better security of the acceptor, and on its being refused may, within a reasonable time, cause such facts to be noted and certified as aforesaid. Such certificate is called a protest for better security.

Contents of protest.

104. A protest under section 103 must contain—

(*a*) either the instrument itself, or a literal transcript of the instrument and of everything written or printed thereupon;

(*b*) the name of the person for whom and against whom the instrument has been protested,

(*c*) a statement that payment or acceptance, or better security, as the case may be, has been demanded of such person by the notary public; the terms of his answer, if any, or a statement that he gave no answer, or that he could not be found;

(*d*) when the note or bill has been dishonoured, the place and time of dishonour, and when better security has been refused, the place and time of refusal;

(*e*) the subscription of the notary public making the protest;

(*f*) in the event of an acceptance for honour or of a payment for honour, the name of the person by whom, of the person for whom, and the manner in which, such acceptance or payment was offered and effected.

Notice of protest.

105. When a promissory note or bill of exchange is required by law to be protested, notice of such protest must be given instead of notice of dishonour, in the same manner and subject to the same conditions; but the notice may be given by the notary public who makes the protest.

Protest for non-payment after dishonour by non-acceptance.

106. All bills of exchange drawn payable at some other place than the place mentioned as the residence of the drawee, and which are dishonoured by non-acceptance, may, without further presentment to the drawee, be protested for non-payment, in the place specified for payment, unless paid before or at maturity.

CHAPTER X.

OF REASONABLE TIME.

Reasonable time.

107. In determining what is a reasonable time for presentment for acceptance or payment, for giving notice of dishonour and for noting, regard shall be had to the nature of the instrument and the usual course of dealing with respect to similar instruments; and in calculating such time, public holidays shall be excluded.

Reasonable time for presentment.

108. Presentment is made within a reasonable time, within the meaning of sections 65, 77 and 78, if it is made on the business day next after that on which the holder received the instrument referred to, or when there is no more delay than is occasioned by the residence of the parties to the instrument in different places.

Illustration.

A draws on B, resident at Calcutta, a bill of exchange in favour of C payable at sight, and sends it to C at Benares. C, the day after he receives it, indorses it to D, and despatches it to D at Calcutta. D, the day after he receives the bill, presents it for payment. The delay which has taken place in presenting the bill is not unreasonable.

Reasonable time of giving notice of dishonour.

109. If the holder and the party to whom notice of dishonour is given carry on business or live (as the case may be) in different places, such notice is given within a reasonable time if it is despatched by the next post or on the day next after the day of dishonour.

If the said parties carry on business or live in the same place, such notice is given within a reasonable time if it is despatched in time to reach its destination on the day next after the day of dishonour.

Reasonable time for transmitting such notice.

110. A party receiving notice of dishonour, who seeks to enforce his right against a prior party, transmits the notice within a reasonable time if he transmits it within the same time after its receipt as he would have had to give notice if he had been the holder.

CHAPTER XI.

OF ACCEPTANCE AND PAYMENT FOR HONOUR.

Acceptance for honour.

111. When a bill of exchange has been noted or protested for non-acceptance or for better security, any person may, with the consent of the holder, by writing on the bill, accept the same for the honour of any party thereto.

Acceptance not specifying for whose honour it is made.

112. Where the acceptance does not express for whose honour it is made, it shall be deemed to be made for the honour of the drawer.

Liability of acceptor for honour.

113. An acceptor for honour binds himself to all parties subsequent to the party for whose honour he accepts to pay the amount of the bill if the drawee do not; and such party and all prior parties are liable in their respective capacities to compensate the acceptor for honour for all loss or damage sustained by him in consequence of such acceptance.

But an acceptor for honour is not liable to the holder of the bill unless it is presented, or (in case the address given by such acceptor on the bill is a place other than the place where the bill is made payable) forwarded for presentment, not later than the day next after the day of its maturity.

When acceptor for honour may be charged.

114. An acceptor for honour cannot be charged unless the bill has at its maturity been presented to the drawee for payment and has been dishonoured by him, and noted or protested for such dishonour.

Payment for honour.

115. When a bill of exchange has been noted or protested for non-payment, any person may pay the same for the honour of any party liable to pay the same, provided that the person so paying has previously declared before a notary public the party for whose honour he pays, and that such declaration has been recorded by such notary public.

Right of payer for honour.

116. Any person so paying is entitled to all the rights, in respect of the bill, of the holder at the time of such payment, and may recover from the party for whose honour he pays all sums so paid, with interest thereon and with all expenses properly incurred in making such payment.

CHAPTER XII.

OF COMPENSATION.

Rules as to compensation.

117. The compensation payable in case of dishonour of a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque, by any party liable to the holder or any indorsee, shall (except in cases provided for by the Code of Civil Procedure, section 532) be determined by the following rules :—

(*a*) The holder is entitled to the amount due upon the instrument, together with the expenses properly incurred in presenting, noting and protesting it ;

(*b*) When the person charged resides at a place different from that at which the instrument was payable, the holder is entitled to receive such sum at the current rate of exchange between the two places ;

(*c*) An indorser who, being liable, has paid the amount due on the same is entitled to the amount so paid with interest at six per centum per annum from the date of payment until tender or realization thereof, together with all expenses caused by the dishonour and payment ;

(*d*) When the person charged and such indorser reside at different places, the indorser is entitled to receive such sum at the current rate of exchange between the two places ;

(*e*) The party entitled to compensation may draw a bill upon the party liable to compensate him, payable at sight or on demand, for the amount due to him together with all expenses properly incurred by him. Such bill must be accompanied by the instrument dishonoured and the protest thereof (if any). If such bill is dishonoured, the party dishonouring the same is liable to make compensation thereof in the same manner as in the case of the original bill.

CHAPTER XIII.

OF CROSSED CHEQUES.

Cheque crossed generally.

118. Where a cheque bears across its face an addition of the words "and company" or any abbreviation thereof, between two parallel transverse lines, or of two parallel transverse lines simply, either with or without the words "not negotiable," that addition shall be deemed a crossing, and the cheque shall be deemed to be crossed generally.

Cheque crossed specially.

119. Where a cheque bears across its face an addition of the name of a banker, either with or without the words "not negotiable," that addition shall be deemed a crossing, and the cheque shall be deemed to be crossed specially, and to be crossed to that banker.

Crossing after issue.

120. Where a cheque is uncrossed, the holder may cross it generally or specially.

Where a cheque is crossed generally, the holder may cross it specially.

Where a cheque is crossedgenerally or specially, the holder may add the words "not negotiable."

Where a cheque is crossed specially, the banker to whom it is crossed may again cross it specially to another banker, his agent, for collection.

Payment of cheque crossed generally.

121. Where a cheque is crossed generally, the banker on whom it is drawn shall not pay it otherwise than to a banker.

Payment of cheque crossed specially.

Where a cheque is crossed specially, the banker on whom it is drawn shall not pay it otherwise than to the banker to whom it is crossed, or his agent for collection.

Payment of cheque crossed specially more than once.

122. Where a cheque is crossed specially to more than one banker, except when crossed to an agent for the purpose of collection, the banker on whom it is drawn shall refuse payment thereof.

Payment in due course of crossed cheque.

123. Where the banker on whom a crossed cheque is drawn has paid the same in due course, the banker paying the cheque, and (in case such cheque has come to the hands of the payee) the drawer thereof, shall respectively be entitled to the same rights, and be placed in the same position in all respects, as they would respectively be entitled to and placed in if the amount of the cheque had been paid to and received by the true owner thereof.

Payment of crossed cheque out of due course.

124. Any banker paying a cheque crossed generally otherwise than to a banker, or a cheque crossed specially otherwise than to the banker to whom the same is crossed, or his agent for collection, being a banker, shall be liable to the true owner of the cheque for any loss he may sustain owing to the cheque having been so paid.

Cheque bearing "not negotiable."

125. A person taking a cheque crossed generally or specially, bearing in either case the words "not negotiable," shall not have, and shall not be capable of giving, a better title to the cheque than that which the person from whom he took it had.

But a banker who has in good faith and without negligence received payment from a customer of a cheque crossed generally or specially to himself shall not, in case the title to the cheque proves defective, incur any liability to the true owner of the cheque by reason only of having received such payment.

CHAPTER XIV.

OF FOREIGN BILLS.

Set of bills.

126. Foreign bills of exchange may be drawn in parts, each part being numbered and containing a provision that it shall continue payable only so long as

the others remain unpaid. All the parts together make a set; but the whole set constitutes only one bill, and is extinguished when one of the parts, if a separate bill, would be extinguished.

Exception.—When a person accepts or indorses different parts of the bill in favour of different persons, he is liable on each part as if it were a separate bill.

Holder of first acquired part entitled to all.

127. As between holders in due course of different parts of the same set, he who first acquired title to his part is entitled to the other parts and the money represented by the bill.

Drawee in case of need.

128. Where a drawee in case of need is named in a foreign bill of exchange, the bill is not dishonoured until dishonoured by such drawee.

Protest of foreign bills.

129. Foreign bills of exchange must be protested for dishonour when such protest is required by the law of the place where they are drawn.

CHAPTER XV.

OF INTERNATIONAL LAW.

Law governing liability of maker, acceptor or indorser of foreign instrument.

130. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, the liability of the maker or drawer of a foreign promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque is regulated in all essential matters by the law of the place where he made the instrument, and the respective liabilities of the acceptor and indorser by the law of the place where the instrument is made payable.

Illustrations.

A bill of exchange was drawn by A in California, where the rate of interest is 25 per cent., and accepted by B, payable in Washington, where the rate of interest is 6 per cent. The bill is endorsed in British India, and is dishonoured. An action on the bill is brought against B in British India. He is liable to pay interest at the rate of 6 per cent. only; but if A is charged as drawer, A is liable to pay interest at the rate of 25 per cent.

Law of place of payment governs dishonour.

131. Where a promissory note, bill of exchange or cheque is made payable in a different place from that in which it is made or indorsed, the law of the place where it is made payable determines what constitutes dishonour and what notice of dishonour is sufficient.

Illustration.

A bill of exchange drawn and indorsed in British India, but accepted payable in France, is dishonoured. The indorsee causes it to be protested for such dishonour, and give notice thereof in accordance with the law of France, though not in accordance with the rules herein contained in respect of bills which are not foreign. The notice is sufficient.

Instrument made, &c., out of British India, but in accordance with its law.

132. If a negotiable instrument is made, drawn, accepted or indorsed out of British India, but in accordance with the law of British India, the circumstance that any agreement evidenced by such instrument is invalid according to the law of the country wherein it was entered into, does not invalidate any subsequent acceptance or endorsement made thereon in British India.

Presumption as to foreign law.

133. The law of any foreign country regarding promissory notes, bills of exchange and cheques shall be presumed to be the same as that of British India, unless and until the contrary is proved.

SCHEDULE.

(*a*) STATUTES.

Year and chapter.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
9 Wm. III. c. 17	An Act for the better payment of inland Bills of Exchange.	The whole.
3 & 4 Anne, c. 8.	An Act for giving like remedy upon promissory notes as is now used upon Bills of Exchange, and for the better payment of Inland Bills of Exchange.	The whole.

(*b*) ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

No. and year.	Title.	Extent of repeal.
VI of 1840 ...	An Act for the amendment of the law concerning the negotiation of Bills of Exchange.	The whole.
V of 1866 ...	An Act to amend in certain respects the Commercial Law of British India.	Sections 11, 12 and 13.
XV of 1874 ...	The Laws Local Extent Act, 1874.	The first schedule, so far as relates to Act VI of 1840 and Act V of 1866, sections 11, 12 and 13

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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 22nd February 1879.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding*,
The Hon'ble G. C. PAUL, *Advocate-General*,
The Hon'ble C. T. BUCKLAND,
The Hon'ble A. MACKENZIE,
The Hon'ble J. O'KINEALY,
The Hon'ble MR. AMEER ALI.
The Hon'ble MOULVI AMEER HOSSEIN,
The Hon'ble RAJAH PRAMATHA NATHA ROY, BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble BABOO MOHINI MOHUN ROY,
The Hon'ble A. B. INGLIS,
and
The Hon'ble BABOO KRISTODAS PAL, RAI BAHADOOR, C.I.E.

JUTE WAREHOUSES AND FIRE-BRIGADES.

THE HON'BLE MR. O'KINEALY moved that the Bill to consolidate and amend the law relating to jute warehouses and fire-brigades be read in Council.

The motion was agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Ameer Ali, the Hon'ble Mr. Inglis, the Hon'ble Kristodas Pal, and the mover, with instructions to report thereon in three weeks.

EXTENSION OF POOREE LODGING-HOUSE ACT, 1871.

THE HON'BLE MR. O'KINEALY moved that the report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend and extend the Pooree Lodging-house Act, 1871, be taken into consideration in order to the settlement of the clauses of the Bill, and that the clauses of the Bill be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee.

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the HON'BLE MR. O'KINEALY the Bill was then passed.

PASSENGER BOATS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

THE HON'BLE MR. MACKENZIE moved that the report of the Select Committee on the Bill to place passenger boats plying within the Port of Calcutta under the control of the Conservator of the Port be taken into consideration in order to the settlement of the clauses of the Bill, and that the clauses of the Bill be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee. The object of the Bill, he said, had been fully stated on a former occasion, and the slight changes which had been made in the Bill had been explained in the report of the Committee.

The motion was agreed to.

On the motion of the HON'BLE MR. MACKENZIE the Bill was then passed.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday the 8th March.

LIBERALITY OF THE MAHARAJAH OF MOHURBHUNJ.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT—EDUCATION.

Calcutta, the 24th February 1879.

RESOLUTION.

READ—

The under-mentioned papers regarding the offer of Rs. (20,000) twenty thousand by Maharajah Krishna Chunder Bhunge Deo, of Mohurbhunj, for the encouragement of education in Orissa, in commemoration of the services rendered to the Orissa Division by Mr. T. E. Ravenshaw, the late Commissioner:—

Letter from the Maharajah of Mohurbhunj, dated the 23rd August 1878 ... ...
Letter from the Officiating Commissioner of the Orissa Division to the address of the Private Secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor, dated 27th October 1878 ... ...
Letter from the Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, to the address of the Private Secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor, dated 17th November 1878 ... ...
Endorsement from Private Secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor, No. 1315, dated 28th November 1878 ... ...
Letter from Government of Bengal to Director of Public Instruction, No. 4200, dated 5th December 1878 ... ...
} Proceedings (Education), December 1878, Nos. 10-14.

Endorsement from Director of Public Instruction, No. 757, dated 6th February 1879, and enclosures.

IN August last the Maharajah of Mohurbhunj wrote to the Lieutenant-Governor expressing his desire to mark, by the expenditure of Rs. 20,000 upon some good work, his appreciation of the services rendered to the division of Orissa by the late Commissioner, Mr. Ravenshaw. The Maharajah suggested that the money might be advantageously devoted to the encouragement of female education; but at the same time expressed his readiness to acquiesce in any scheme which the Lieutenant-Governor might consider to be better suited to the present wants of the division.

2. The Lieutenant-Governor, after consulting the present Commissioner and the Director of Public Instruction, was of opinion that the time had not yet arrived for the successful introduction into the Orissa Division of any general scheme of female education, and thought it would be preferable if the

money could be applied to helping to secure the permanent establishment of the Cuttack College, an object in which Mr. Ravenshaw has always taken a lively interest.

3. This view has been fully accepted by the Maharajah, who now requests that his donation of Rs. 20,000 may be invested for the permanent establishment of the Cuttack College, begging further that the College may in future be designated the "Ravenshaw College, Cuttack," in commemoration of Mr. Ravenshaw's long and good service in Orissa, and that this fact be engraved on a marble slab to be placed in the hall of the College, and separately paid for by the Maharajah.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor accepts with pleasure the very liberal gift of the Maharajah, and desires that the thanks of Government may be conveyed to him through the Commissioner of Orissa. The donation will be invested in Government Promissory Notes in the names of the Accountant-General and the Financial Secretary to this Government, and the proceeds be disbursed through the Director of Public Instruction for the benefit of the Cuttack College, which will henceforward be designated the "Ravenshaw College, Cuttack."

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for communication to the Maharajah of Mohurbhunj through the Commissioner of the Orissa Division, who should at the same time be requested to convey the thanks of Government to the Maharajah.

Ordered also that a copy of the Resolution be forwarded to the Accountant-General, Bengal, for information and needful action in reference to paragraph 4.

Ordered further that this Resolution be published in the next issue of the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

DISTRICT ROAD FUND.

No. 209*A*.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, in the Public Works Department (*Local—Accounts*), *under date the* 18*th February* 1879.

READ—

Memorandum from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts in Bengal, No. 76D, dated the 10th February 1879, submitting an abstract of the receipts and expenditure of the several District Road Committees for the quarter ending 30th September 1878.

RESOLUTION.—The Lieutenant-Governor directs that the accounts of the receipts and expenditure of the District Road Fund for the fourth quarter of the cess year 1877-78 be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and circulated to the officers concerned.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution, together with a copy of the abstract of receipts and expenditure, be published in the Supplement to the *Calcutta Gazette*.

Ordered that a copy of this Resolution, and of the abstract referred to, be forwarded to the Financial Department of this Government for information. Also that copies of each be forwarded to all Commissioners of Divisions, to all Superintending Engineers of Public Works Circles in Bengal, to the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Branch, to the Accountant-General, Bengal, and to the Examiner of Public Works Accounts in Bengal, for information.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,

A. CADELL, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, in the P. W. Dept.

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Abstract of Receipts and Expenditure of the several Distri

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acca ...	1,01,908 1 8	14,878 2 3	.....	201 2 0	.....	15,079 4 3	52 15 4	.....	.....	.....
urreedpore ...	83,956 10 11	12,930 5 11	.....	52 8 0	.....	12,982 13 11	.....	.....	.....	.....
ackergunge ...	1,20,727 0 7	23,184 8 10	.....	.....	4 5 6	23,188 14 4	157 2 0	.....	467 0 0	.....
ymensingh ...	18,086 15 7	35,310 12 4	.....	696 12 0	.....	36,007 8 4	19 3 3	.....	.....	.....
ipperah ...	45,318 8 1	21,904 8 1	.....	53 4 0	10 15 0	21,968 11 1	2,515 15 5	.....	.....	...
hittagong ...	—53,349 11 1	32,230 0 6	.....	130 4 2	.....	32,360 4 8	20 11 2	.....	60 0 0	1,748 4
oakholly ...	20,622 10 9	14,964 5 7	.....	331 6 0	.....	15,295 11 7	313 14 9	.....	80 8 0	... .
atna ...	59,352 1 1	12,939 1 9	.....	175 9 4	.....	13,114 11 1	165 18 9	.....	.....	... ..
ya ...	1,33,484 15 6	22,064 3 4	45 14 0	—1,876 3 10	1,048 4 10	21,282 2 4	63 6 0	—1,501 12 6	.....	.....
hahabad ...	65,093 8 7	29,014 8 2	20 12 4	3 0 0	.....	29,038 4 6	.....	.....	.....	.....
ozufferpore ...	1,38,920 11 7	27,337 11 5	.....	108 2 3	.....	27,445 13 8	9 7 6	.....	450 0 0	.....
urbhunga ...	89,138 7 5	18,829 8 4	.....	260 5 4	35 14 0	19,125 11 8	91 7 2	.....	.....	.....
arun ...	37,628 6 2	50,020 8 3	.....	173 6 6	253 12 0	50,447 10 2	9 12 0	131 5 8	1,092 0 7	... ..
humparun ...	77,523 10 4	28,245 0 4	.....	.....	.....	28,245 0 4	13 12 9	.....	22 0 0	.....
onghyr ...	67,745 0 4	21,713 8 8	.....	464 3 0	.....	22,177 11 8	1 3 0	1,195 0 0	.....	.....
hagulpore ...	74,749 10 1	24,800 12 4	.....	.....	.....	24,800 12 4	26 3 0	.....	572 1 8	... ..
urneah ...	82,856 7 2	16,025 11 8	.....	312 12 0	.....	16,338 7 8	2 11 0	.....	10 0 0	. ..
aldah ...	42,928 6 4	8,351 5 9	.....	64 5 0	1 0 0	8,416 10 9	.....	.....	23 3 6	.....
uttack ...	31,886 1 2	2,577 12 11	.....	195 4 0	.....	2,773 0 11	.....	.....	839 12 0	.....
ooree ...	3,268 1 9	3,511 13 11	.....	.....	.....	3,511 13 11	.....	.....	.....	.....
alasore ...	10,699 3 7	3,452 9 7	.....	3 12 0	.....	3,456 5 7	.....	.....	.....	.....
azaribagh ...	26,879 8 4	11,453 14 10	550 5 6	128 13 0	17 9 5	12,150 10 9	.....	.....	.....	.....
ohardugga ...	8,476 8 8	10,543 6 6	.....	312 15 9	.....	10,856 6 3	.....	.....	.....	.....
anbhoom ...	13,032 11 4	5,611 13 0	40 7 9	223 13 0	.....	5,876 4 9	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	20,66,075 8 4	7,40,102 7 10	4,681 8 1	12,216 6 5	1,569 13 10	7,58,570 4 2	3,837 15 1	4,729 9 2	1,631 9 9	2,648 4
hittagong Hill Tracts ...	17,978 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
nthal Pergunnahs	1,11,591 15 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 6 0	.....	.....	...
ingbhoom ...	15,926 1 7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.
Total ...	1,45,496 9 5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 6 0	.....	.....	.....
ND TOTAL ...	22,11,572 1 9	7,40,102 7 10	4,681 8 1	12,216 6 5	1,569 13 10	7,58,570 4 2	3,839 5 1	4,729 9 2	1631 9 9	2,648 4

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NOTE.—Of the total expenditure on works and repairs, or Rs. 11,12,406-13-5, the pro

Tolls. Total.	Grants-in-aid from Provincial Reserve Fund.	Sales of Produce and Stores.	Fines and Refunds.	Miscellaneous.	Total Receipts.	Total, including Balance.	Outly.	Balance on 30th September 1878.
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
.....	.....	2,414 1 5	50 0 0	56 9 6	29,605 6 8	87,490 4 5	42,264 8 9	45,225 11 8
366 0 0	.....	4 1 0	.....	173 6 0	6,077 15 11	23,988 1 1	9,567 12 6	14,420 4 7
.....	.....	.....	.....	137 8 0	9,427 3 11	54,790 5 4	31,828 12 3	22,961 9 1
386 0 0	.....	5 0 0	.....	1,368 13 3	46,180 6 2	1,51,631 10 8	75,710 10 1	75,921 0 7
2,933 0 0	.....	369 0 0	.....	2,874 13 6	24,240 10 10	84,913 3 6	46,239 1 8	38,674 1 10
1,631 0 0	.....	377 5 0	.....	1,124 3 9	31,186 5 0	95,912 5 0	83,105 8 5	12,806 12 7
—1,988 0 0	.....	22 13 8	7 0 0	966 12 3	16,039 9 3	37,690 3 3	46,692 9 9	—9,002 6 6
.....	.....	3 8 0	1 0 0	163 3 0	30,955 11 7	38,340 11 6	26,483 11 3	11,857 0 3
37 0 0	.....	10 4 6	7 0 6	62 13 0	13,966 8 6	39,056 11 10	20,702 10 2	18,354 1 8
.....	.....	26 11 9	.....	51 4 0	23,321 12 5	1,09,590 1 7	64,719 2 7	44,870 15 0
455 0 0	.....	.....	10 4 0	8 2 0	13,080 4 1	1,25,201 13 11	29,709 3 0	95,492 10 11
.....	.....	9 10 0	26 4 0	15 7 6	32,419 7 10	97,979 14 1	57,412 14 0	40,567 0 1
.....	.....	.....	.....	447 15 9	10,775 2 3	48,182 7 11	16,421 12 7	31,760 11 4
.....	.....	15 1 0	0 8 0	216 5 8	12,273 0 3	41,657 3 8	14,533 8 4	27,123 11 4
.....	.....	.....	.....	545 9 5	5,831 15 1	9,402 1 6	6,151 5 7	3,250 11 11
.....	.....	103 0 0	—100 0 0	—14,246 13 3	—1,209 1 5	23,986 15 6	4,991 0 3	18,995 15 3
.....	.....	14 2 0	.....	268 1 0	15,414 6 7	1,17,322 8 3	24,232 2 8	93,090 5 7
.....	.....	101 5 0	3 0 0	530 13 6	13,618 0 5	97,574 11 4	28,417 2 8	69,157 8 8
467 0 0	.....	.....	.....	211 4 6	24,024 4 10	1,44,751 5 5	19,976 7 9	1,24,774 13 8
.....	.....	.....	.....	720 9 6	36,747 5 1	54,894 4 8	45,795 9 9	9,038 10 11
.....	.....	35 13 9	.....	133 11 3	24,654 3 6	69,972 11 7	29,665 5 2	40,307 6 5
1,808 4 0	.....	.....	.....	1,613 2 8	35,802 6 6	—17,547 4 7	18,302 10 6	—35,849 15 1
80 8 0	.....	.....	.....	—20 12 4	15,669 6 0	36,292 0 9	18,636 4 9	17,655 12 0
.....	.....	4 10 0	.....	850 10 0	14,135 12 10	78,487 13 11	23,173 11 6	50,314 2 5
—1,501 12 6	.....	1 9 0	.....	1,877 11 0	21,722 15 10	1,55,207 15 4	34,004 10 3	1,21,203 5 1
.....	.....	7 5 0	.....	163 12 0	29,209 5 6	94,302 14 1	75,179 5 10	19,123 8 3
450 0 0	.....	.....	11 12 0	693 7 6	28,610 8 8	1,67,531 4 3	77,535 7 5	89,995 12 10
.....	.....	.....	.....	557 6 0	19,774 8 10	1,08,913 0 3	34,118 1 5	74,794 14 10
1,223 6 3	.....	40 5 0	659 12 0	2,001 11 0	54,382 9 0	92,010 15 2	61,396 4 2	30,614 11 0
22 0 0	.....	.....	.....	45 5 9	28,326 2 10	1,05,849 13 2	2,303 0 10	1,03,546 12 4
1,195 0 0	.....	375 9 0	.....	345 8 3	24,094 15 11	91,840 0 3	22,077 1 11	69,762 14 4
572 1 8	.....	.....	.....	424 12 0	25,823 13 0	1,00,573 7 1	31,217 9 0	69,355 14 1
10 0 0	.....	262 7 6	40 0 0	20 8 0	16,674 2 2	99,530 9 4	42,608 7 2	56,922 2 2
23 3 6	.....	52 6 6	0 14 0	0 13 0	8,493 15 9	51,422 6 1	11,032 6 2	40,389 15 11
839 12 0	.....	61 14 6	.....	1,291 0 1	4,965 11 6	36,351 12 8	22,567 2 10	13,784 9 10
.....	.....	14 11 0	.....	4 8 0	3,531 0 11	6,799 2 8	4,274 2 4	2,525 0 4
.....	.....	.....	.....	17 12 0	3,474 1 7	14,173 5 2	7,284 14 0	6,888 7 2
.....	.....	.....	.....	67 14 0	12,218 8 9	39,098 1 1	16,266 9 3	22,831 7 10
.....	.....	.....	.....	4 9 0	10,860 15 3	19,337 7 11	20,209 9 1	—872 1 2
.....	.....	.....	.....	217 11 1	6,093 12 10	19,126 8 2	15,109 4 7	4,017 3 7
9,009 6 11	.....	4,332 9 8	717 6 6	6,027 14 1	7,82,495 8 5	28,48,571 0 9	12,61,917 10 2	15,86,653 6 7
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,978 8 0	4,459 3 9	13,519 4 3
.....	.....	5 0 0	.....	73 8 0	79 14 0	1,11,671 13 10	79,388 15 8	32,282 14 2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,926 1 7	3,261 14 6	12,664 3 1
.....	.....	5 0 0	.....	73 8 0	79 14 0	1,45,576 7 5	87,110 1 11	58,466 5
9,009 6 11	.....	4,337 9 8	717 6 6	6,101 6 1	7,82,575 6 5	29,94,147 8 2	13,49,027 12 1	16,45,119 12 1

On collection of Revenue and Committees' control.			Original Works.				Repairs.		
Establishment.	Contingencies.	Total.	Roads and Bridges.	River and Canal Works.	Ferries (arrears).	Total.	Roads and Bridges.	River and Canal Works.	Ferries (arrears).
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1,823 15 3	171 2 3	1,995 1 6	3,005 12 0	.....	.....	3,005 12 0	34,176 4 9	.....	.....
487 1 6	48 1 0	535 2 6	3,378 12 6	.....	.....	3,378 12 6	3,539 8 6	.....	.....
393 10 9	5 0 0	338 10 9	1,403 8 6	.....	.....	1,403 8 6	27,239 0 6	.....	.....
2,378 12 3	108 2 9	2,486 15 0	28,163 12 10	.....	.....	28,163 12 10	38,171 12 3	.....	.....
2,033 11 8	159 13 6	2,193 8 9	17,097 15 0	.....	.....	17,097 15 0	20,702 12 8	843 1 3	.....
2,223 10 6	329 10 8	2,553 5 2	1,526 0 10	.....	.....	1,526 0 10	73,026 14 5	.....	.....
915 13 11	286 4 0	1,202 1 11	6,188 5 5	.....	.....	6,188 5 5	35,026 11 0	.....	—78 13 0
1,353 15 0	993 2 1	2,347 1 1	5,941 2 6	.....	.....	5,941 2 6	12,576 13 6	.....	.....
1,194 10 2	328 5 7	1,522 5 9	1,480 2 8	.....	.....	1,480 2 8	14,862 6 10	.....	.....
855 15 0	254 4 8	1,110 3 8	71,034 14 0	.....	.....	71,034 14 0	—20,102 1 4	.....	.....
1,217 7 3	227 7 8	1,444 14 6	8,126 11 9	.....	.....	8,126 11 9	15,581 5 9	.....	.....
1,331 3 1	308 10 0	1,639 13 1	34,706 13 10	.....	.....	34,706 13 10	14,341 1 7	.....	.....
1,518 8 5	139 10 9	1,658 3 2	6,033 7 7	200 4 0	.....	6,238 11 7	7,042 10 9	.....	.....
1,320 15 0	392 15 5	1,713 14 5	7,219 9 11	.....	.....	7,219 9 11	2,719 7 0	.....	.....
413 0 0	102 9 7	515 9 7	1,449 10 5	.....	.....	1,449 10 5	4,186 1 7	.....	.....
537 13 5	234 7 1	772 4 6	596 11 9	.....	.....	596 11 9	1,658 4 6	.....	.....
878 11 11	41 2 0	919 13 11	11,068 11 6	.....	.....	11,068 11 6	7,027 14 3	82 5 9	.....
866 9 4	121 13 6	988 6 10	1,198 11 3	189 4 0	.....	1,387 15 3	23,098 6 1	.....	.....
1,550 9 6	1,019 10 6	2,570 4 0	6,520 1 6	572 5 4	.....	7,092 6 10	4,941 11 2	.....	.....
1,760 15 6	68 6 9	1,829 6 3	32,956 13 0	.....	.....	32,956 13 0	5,509 11 0	400 0 0	.....
1,659 2 11	219 2 6	1,878 5 5	8,473 10 7	47 1 4	.....	8,520 11 11	14,415 6 7	86 0 0	.....
4,148 7 2	631 1 2	4,779 8 4	693 2 10	.....	.....	693 2 10	11,838 1 10	.....	.....
1,614 4 5	761 5 0	2,375 9 5	5,929 1 3	979 14 3	.....	6,908 15 6	7,297 12 3	.....	.....
1,276 5 8	166 3 1	1,442 8 9	8,885 3 7	.....	.....	8,885 3 7	10,225 15 2	.....	.....
2,345 14 3	312 2 2	2,658 0 5	9,251 13 3	.....	.....	9,251 13 3	17,574 15 4	.....	.....
1,658 14 9	260 5 7	1,919 4 4	39,795 11 1	.....	.....	39,795 11 1	25,401 3 4	.....	.....
1,622 12 3	123 1 3	1,745 13 6	42,523 13 2	.....	.....	42,523 13 2	22,503 1 9	.....	.....
1,327 10 8	270 15 0	1,598 9 8	32 8 6	.....	.....	32 8 6	26,749 4 5	.....	.....
1,374 14 11	68 1 10	1,443 0 9	25,827 0 3	.....	.....	25,827 0 3	17,794 9 1	.....	.....
616 0 0	18 9 8	634 9 8	1,670 6 10	489 13 3	.....	2,160 4 1	—3,201 9 11	.....	.....
1,485 3 5	201 6 6	1,686 9 11	9,179 5 2	.....	.....	9,179 5 2	5,545 8 10	.....	.....
1,231 12 9	532 13 8	1,764 10 5	6,497 6 7	.....	.....	6,497 6 7	17,234 14 2	.....	.....
793 0 4	65 5 3	858 5 7	22,490 8 9	.....	.....	22,490 8 9	15,183 9 2	.....	.....
767 11 5	135 11 6	903 6 11	2,922 13 0	.....	.....	2,922 13 0	5,391 3 0	.....	.....
978 5 3	325 13 1	1,304 2 4	6,131 1 10	2,300 0 0	.....	8,431 1 10	11,123 7 2	.....	.....
616 2 2	44 15 5	661 1 7	556 7 6	1,000 0 0	.....	1,556 7 6	755 9 3	.....	.....
590 6 2	433 1 8	1,023 7 10	525 6 0	1,000 0 0	.....	1,525 6 0	3,918 0 5	.....	.....
480 15 9	97 12 3	578 12 0	1,333 7 9	.....	.....	1,333 7 9	12,301 5 10	.....	.....
734 9 0	84 12 0	819 5 0	7,222 8 3	.....	.....	7,222 8 3	10,669 3 10	.....	.....
386 4 9	131 10 2	517 14 11	6,114 8 8	.....	.....	6,114 8 8	6,295 15 0	.....	.....
50,705 5 0	10,225 0 1	60,930 5 1	4,55,653 13 7	6,778 10 2	.....	4,62,432 7 9	5,64,344 5 8	1,411 7 0	—78 13 0
.....	.....	.....	3,031 5 3	.....	.....	3,031 5 3	1,067 1 0	.....	.....
260 0 0	109 12 0	369 12 0	74,801 7 5	.....	.....	74,801 7 5	2,662 12 3	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	1,090 0 0	.....	.....	1,090 0 0	1,644 12 6	.....	.....
260 0 0	109 12 0	369 12 0	78,922 12 8	.....	.....	78,922 12 8	5,374 9 9	.....	.....
50,965 5 0	10,334 12 1	61,300 1 1	5,34,576 10 3	6,778 10 2	.....	5,41,355 4 5	5,69,718 15 0	1,411 7 0	—78 13 0

ROAD FUND.

(Road) Committees for the 4th Quarter of the cess year 1877-78,

September 1878.

DITURE.

Total.	Total Original Works and Repairs.	Establishment.			Tools and Plant.	Refunds.		Total.	Remarks.
		Public Works charges.	Other charges.	Total.		Contribution towards Famine Relief Works.	Other Charges.		
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
34,176 4 9	37,182 0 9	.....	2,695 0 3	2,695 0 3	392 6 3	.....	.....	42,264 8 9	
3,549 8 6	7,418 5 0	.....	774 12 0	774 12 0	839 9 0	.....	.....	9,567 12 6	
27,289 0 6	28,642 9 0	.....	2,847 8 6	2,847 8 6	.....	.....	.....	31,828 12 3	
38,171 12 3	66,335 9 1	.....	6,570 6 0	6,570 6 0	317 12 0	.....	.....	75,710 10 1	
21,635 13 11	38,643 12 11	.....	5,340 0 0	5,340 0 0	61 12 0	.....	.....	46,239 1 8	
73,926 14 5	74,552 15 3	.....	5,867 14 0	5,867 14 0	131 6 0	.....	.....	83,105 8 5	
34,747 14 0	41,136 3 5	.....	4,272 4 5	4,272 4 5	82 0 0	.....	.....	46,692 9 9	
12,376 13 6	18,518 0 0	.....	5,625 13 8	5,625 13 8	—7 3 6	.....	.....	26,483 11 3	
14,862 6 10	16,342 9 6	.....	2,832 9 8	2,832 9 8	5 1 3	.....	.....	20,702 10 2	
—29,102 1 4	50,932 12 8	.....	11,844 2 3	11,844 2 3	832 0 0	.....	.....	64,719 2 7	
15,581 5 9	23,708 1 6	.....	4,418 6 0	4,418 6 0	137 13 0	.....	.....	29,709 3 0	
34,341 1 7	40,047 15 5	.....	6,069 4 3	6,069 4 3	655 13 3	.....	.....	57,412 14 0	
7,042 10 9	13,276 6 4	.....	1,237 13 5	1,237 13 5	249 5 8	.....	.....	16,421 12 7	
2,719 7 0	9,939 0 11	.....	2,870 0 6	2,870 0 6	10 8 6	.....	.....	14,533 8 4	
4,186 1 7	5,635 12 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,151 5 7	
1,658 4 6	2,255 0 3	.....	1,710 14 9	1,710 14 9	252 12 9	.....	.....	4,991 0 3	
7,110 4 0	18,178 15 6	.....	4,681 4 9	4,681 4 9	452 0 6	.....	.....	24,232 2 8	
23,098 6 1	24,486 5 4	.....	2,942 2 6	2,942 2 6	0 4 0	.....	.....	28,417 2 8	
4,941 11 2	12,034 2 0	.....	4,776 1 6	4,776 1 6	596 0 3	.....	.....	19,976 7 9	
5,909 11 0	38,866 8 0	.....	4,999 12 0	4,999 12 0	99 15 6	.....	.....	45,795 9 9	
14,501 6 7	23,022 2 6	.....	4,620 4 9	4,620 4 9	144 8 6	.....	.....	29,665 5 2	
11,838 1 10	12,531 4 8	.....	991 13 6	991 13 6	.....	.....	.....	18,302 10 6	
7,297 12 3	14,206 11 9	.....	2,023 5 7	2,023 5 7	30 10 0	.....	.....	18,636 4 9	
10,225 15 2	19,111 2 9	.....	2,547 12 0	2,547 12 0	72 4 0	.....	.....	23,173 11 6	
17,574 15 4	26,826 12 7	.....	4,247 11 3	4,247 11 3	272 2 0	.....	.....	34,004 10 3	
25,401 3 4	65,196 14 5	.....	6,423 3 6	6,423 3 6	1,639 15 7	.....	.....	75,179 5 10	
22,503 1 9	65,026 14 11	.....	8,232 10 10	8,232 10 10	2,530 0 2	.....	.....	77,535 7 5	
26,749 4 5	26,781 12 11	.....	5,579 10 6	5,579 10 6	158 0 4	.....	.....	34,118 1 5	
17,794 9 1	43,621 9 4	.....	6,226 8 9	6,226 8 9	105 1 4	10,000 0 0	.....	61,396 4 2	
—3,201 9 11	—1,041 5 10	.....	2,709 13 0	2,709 13 0	.....	.....	.....	2,303 0 10	
5,545 8 10	14,724 14 0	.....	5,657 0 0	5,657 0 0	8 10 0	.....	.....	22,077 1 11	
17,234 14 2	23,732 4 9	.....	5,309 15 4	5,309 15 4	410 10 6	.....	.....	31,217 9 0	
15,183 9 2	37,674 1 11	.....	4,030 14 8	4,030 14 8	45 1 0	.....	.....	42,603 7 2	
5,391 3 0	8,314 0 0	.....	1,706 5 3	1,706 5 3	108 10 0	.....	.....	11,032 6 2	
11,123 7 2	19,554 9 0	.....	1,675 0 0	1,675 0 0	33 7 6	.....	.....	22,567 2 10	
755 9 3	2,312 0 9	.....	1,301 0 0	1,301 0 0	.....	.....	.....	4,274 2 4	
3,918 0 5	5,443 6 5	.....	690 0 0	690 0 0	127 15 9	.....	.....	7,234 14 0	
12,301 5 10	13,634 18 7	.....	1,688 1 2	1,688 1 2	364 14 6	.....	.....	16,266 9 3	
10,669 3 10	17,891 12 1	.....	1,498 8 0	1,498 8 0	.....	.....	.....	20,209 9 1	
6,295 15 0	12,410 7 8	.....	2,130 14 0	2,130 14 0	50 0 0	.....	.....	15,109 4 7	
5,65,676 15 3	10,26,109 7 0	.....	1,51,666 10 6	1,51,666 10 6	11,211 8 7	10,000 0 0	.....	12,61,917 10 2	
1,067 1 0	4,098 6 3	.....	183 5 0	183 5 0	177 8 6	.....	.....	4,459 3 9	
2,662 12 3	77,464 3 8	.....	1,555 0 0	1,555 0 0	.....	.....	.....	79,388 15 8	
1,644 12 6	2,734 12 6	.....	458 7 0	458 7 0	68 11 0	.....	.....	3,261 14 6	
5,374 9 9	84,297 6 5	.....	2,196 12 0	2,196 12 0	246 3 6	.....	.....	87,110 1 11	
5,71,051 9 0	11,12,406 18 5	.....	1,53,863 6 6	1,53,863 6 6	11,457 7 1	10,000 0 0	.....	13,49,027 12 1	

incurred through the Public Works Department was Rs. 6,131-10-7.

F. R. BOYCE,

Examiner of P. W. Accounts, Bengal.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 33rd February 1879.

No	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL		
	Western Districts.		
	BURDWAN DIVN.		
1	Burdwan. Feb. 22 '79	1·16	Weather—cool. The recent rain has done good to wheat, barley and cotton, but has done some harm to the other *rubbee* crops.
	Culna ...	1·24	
	Cutwa ...	2 30	
	Bood-Bood ...	2 09	
	Raneegunge ...	2 47	
	Jehanabad ...	1·13	
2	Bankoora, „ 22 „	0·92	Weather—getting warmer daily. Cloudy throughout the week, with clear sky at intervals. Hailstones and thunderstorm in thana Gungajulghati. The rain has done much good to the crops. Sugarcane is being cut and pressed.
3	Beerbhoom. „ 23 „	0 80	Weather—cloudy and growing warm The cold-weather crops have been benefited by the rain.
4	Midnapore, „ 22 „	2 63	Weather—somewhat cooler. The recent heavy fall of rain has lowered the temperature. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
5	Hooghly. „ 22 „	0 36	Weather—getting warmer. The winter crops are good; almost all have been cut. Fever and cholera still prevail in many parts of the district. Small-pox has made its appearance in Ooterparah.
	Howrah. „ 24 „	1 35	Weather—rapidly growing warmer. The state and prospects of the crops are satisfactory.
	Mohesrakha ...	0·06	
	Central Districts.		
	PRESIDENCY DIVN.		
6	24-Pergunnahs, Feb. 22 '79	0 38	Weather—warmer, with occasional clouds. The state and prospects of the crops are good, but the prices of food-grains continue high. Public health in general is good. Small-pox continues at Barrackpore, and is also reported in the Suburbs.
7	Nuddea, „ 22 „	1·56	Weather—cloudy and rather warm. The heavy rain on the night of the 15th was generally beneficial. The winter harvest is nearly over. Prices are still high. Public health has improved slightly.
	Kooshtea ...	1·21	
	Meherpore ...	3·35	
	Chooadanga ..	3·20	
	Ranaghat ...	1 25	
	Bongong ...	1·04	
8	Jessore, „ 22 „	0·32	Weather—seasonable. No rain has been reported from the south and south-east of the district. Where there has been rain good has been done, but more is wanted. The winter crops promise to be pretty fair. Public health is good.
9	Moorshedabad, „ 22 „	1·84	The heavy rain of the 15th and 16th was general throughout the district. It has done much good to the *rubbee* crops. The price of rice is said to be falling slightly.
	RAJSHAHYE AND COOCH BEHAR DIVN.		
10	Dinagepore, „ 21 „	0·26	There was a slight shown of rain. Weather cool. The reaping of the *rubbee* crops is not yet completed. Prices vary from 14 to 18 seers the rupee.
11	Rajshahye. „ 22 „	1 41	There was moderate rain throughout the district during the week. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops have been much improved by the late rain. Lands in some parts of the district are still being prepared for *boro dhan*, the transplanting of which has been elsewhere completed. Public health is good.
12	Rungpore. „ 21 „	0 55	Weather—getting warmer. The state and prospects of the crops on the ground are good. There is some small-pox in Bagdogra and cholera in Kurigram. In other respects the public health is good.
	Bagdogra ...	0·35	
	Kurigram ..	0 26	
13	Bogra. „ 22 „	0·63	Weather—seasonable; getting warmer. There were good showers in the early part of the week, which have greatly benefited the crops. *Kherachi* and potatoes are being gathered in. Public health is good.
14	Pubna. „ 22 „	1·21	Weather—warmer than the previous week. The prospects of all the crops have been much improved by the rain, and the price of rice has fallen at Serajgunge. Public health is good.
15	Darjeeling, „ 21 „	0·25	Atmosphere getting warmer. The ground is being prepared for *bhadoi* rice sowings. The recent rain has been beneficial.
16	Julpigoree, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—unusually hot for the time of year. Clouds are gathering and no doubt rain will soon fall. A very fair average mustard crop is being harvested. Other crops are doing well.
	Cooch Behar, „ 20 „	0·28	Weather—getting warmer every day. Slight rain on the 16th. Mustard is being gathered. Tobacco continues to promise well. Lands are being cultivated for *bitri*. Public health is good.
	Dinhatta ...	0·68	
	Meckligunge ...	0·74	

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)		
	Eastern Districts.		
	Dacca Divn		
17	Dacca, Feb. 22 '79	0·15	Weather—seasonable. The crops are all looking well.
18	Furreedpore, „ 23 „	0·14	Weather—getting hotter. Rain is much wanted for the crops in Madaripore, Mukundpore, and Bhushna specially. The winter cereals are doing well in Furreedpore, Ainpore and Bhanga. Report from Goalundo not received.
19	Backergunge, „ 20 „	Nil	The days are hot, but the nights and mornings are cool. The prospects of the crops are good, but rain is badly wanted in many places. Prices continue unchanged without any tendency to a fall General health is good.
20	Mymensingh, „ 21 „	0·71	Weather—very perceptibly warmer, notwithstanding some showers of rain. The state and prospects of the crops are generally satisfactory.
21	Tipperah, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—fair; temperature rising. The gathering of the cold-weather crops still continues. Rain is wanted in the south for ploughing operations.
	Chittagong Divn		
22	Chittagong, „ 20 „	A few drops.	Weather—fair and seasonable. The prospects of the spring harvest are good.
23	Noakholly, „ 20 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the cold weather crops are favourable. A shower of rain would do good at this time. Ploughing for the *aus* crop in some places has commenced.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts Feb. 18 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The gathering of mustard is nearly over. The hill people are busily engaged in cutting jooma.
	Hill Tipperah „ 19 „	0·37	Weather—getting warmer day by day. There was rain on the 16th and 17th. The prospects of chillies and sugarcane are good. The reaping of mustard in the low lands is at an end. In some parts of the district the sowing of *aus* paddy has been commenced.
	BEHAR		
	Patna Divn.		
25	Patna, Feb 22 '79	0·40	Weather—seasonable. The prospects of the crops continue good.
26	Gya, „ 22 „	0·22	Weather—seasonable. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 85·2°. The state of the *rubbee* crops is fair. The prices of food-grains are stationary Cases of small-pox are not so frequent. The health of the plough-cattle is good.
	Nowada ...	0·05	
	Aurungabad ...	0·12	
27	Shahabad, „ 22 „	0·73	A good shower of rain fell in the afternoon of the 15th. Weather clear since the 16th. On the whole the rain of the 15th has done good to the *rubbee* crops. Small-pox is prevalent.
28	Durbhunga. „ 22 „	0·47	Weather—fair and seasonable. The late rains have benefited to a certain extent wheat, barley, and some other crops, but have on the other hand done some injury to the *rahur*, peas and tobacco crops. Prices are stationary.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 22 „	0·43	Weather—mild, with west wind. The *rubbee* crops have been much improved by the recent fall of rain, and there is now every prospect of a fair harvest.
	Hajeepore ...	0·44	
30	Sarun, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy at the beginning, but fair towards the end of the week. It is now getting warm. West wind is prevailing. There has been slight rain in most parts of the district. The crops are generally doing well. Mustard and peas are being harvested. The sub-Deputy Opium Agent of Sewan reports that not only is the opium crop very short, but blight has set in as it did last year. The prices of food-grains are stationary. Public health is good, but small-pox is on the increase.
31	Chumparun, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops. More rain is required.
	Bhagulpore Division		
32	Monghyr, „ 22 „	0·57	Weather—cold for the first two days with rain, but now becoming hotter every day. A severe though local hailstorm on the 16th damaged the crops near the Monghyr town. The damage is, however, trifling. Elsewhere everything looks well and a bumper *rubbee* crop may be expected.
	Begusorai ...	0·28	
33	Bhagulpore, „ 22 „	0·35	Weather—occasionally cloudy and getting warm in the Sudder sub-division. The prospects of the *rubbee* crops are good. Some damage has been done to the peas and linseed by caterpillars. Prices are ruling high. General health is good.
34	Purneah „ 22 „	0·51	Weather—fair and rather warm. The rain has done much good. Prospects are favourable. General health is good.
	Arrareah ..	0·34	
35	Maldah, „ 22 „	0·15	Weather—fair; occasionally cloudy. The *rubbee* crops are thriving Prices of rice, &c., are slightly lower. Public health is generally improving.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 22 „	0·76	Weather—still uncertain. There are indications of rain. In the south of the district there is hardly anything on the ground now. The winter crops have been good. The *rubbee* in the north has been helped by the rain.
	Deoghur ...	0·10	
	Godda ...	0·32	
	Rajmehal ...	0·75	

No.	District and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack Feb. 22 '79	Nil	Weather—getting warm, but fine and seasonable. The *sarad* crop is still being reaped in some places. The *dalua* crop is progressing well. Public health is on the whole good.
Orissa Divn. 38	Pooree, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The *sarad* rice is still being harvested. *Dalua* rice is progressing well. Common rice sells at 11½ to 21 seers for the rupee. A few cases of cholera have been reported.
Orissa Divn. 39	Balasore, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—warm and dry. The rice harvest has been finished; the average outturn is estimated at 11½ annas. Malarial fever is much less prevalent.
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40	Hazareebagh, Feb. 21 '79	0·67	Weather—stormy and cloudy; cooler. The hail during the week has damaged the *mohwa* crop. The *rubbee* crops are well advanced. The fall of rain has been beneficial to the backward crops.
41	Lohardugga	.....	Return not received.
42	Singbhoom	.....	Return not received.
43	Manbhoom, Feb. 22 „	0·96	Weather—somewhat unseasonable. The state of the *mohwa* crop on which the people largely depend for at least a couple of months is doubtful. The weather is threatening, and if heavy rain falls, the crop will be seriously injured.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE UNDERMENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1879.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																		
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	A 10 4	12 0	11 12	19 0	18 8	25 0	13 12	13 8	13 14	14 12	14 8	14 2	...	...	...
2	Bankoora	B 10 8	10 4	13 4	14 0	14 0	22 0	14 8	15 0	15 0	16 12	17 8	17 8	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom	C 10 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	20 0	10 6	10 8	12 0	13 8	13 8	13 8	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	10 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	D 10 4	10 0	12 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	11 8	11 8	13 0	...	...	...
	Howrah	10 8	11 0	13 8	...	...	...	9 4	10 0	11 0	11 4	11 0	14 0	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
	Calcutta	10 10½	10 11	12 4	13 8	13 5	16 0	5 12	5 11	7 0	11 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	E ...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 8	...	10 8	10 8	12 0	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	F 11 7	11 7	12 5	...	...	30 8	10 0	10 0	11 7	11 7	11 0	12 5	...	...	...
8	Jessore	G 11 4	11 12	11 8	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	11 8	13 0	12 0	14 8	...	...	...
9	Moorshedabad	H 11 8	12 0	14 8	...	...	25 0	11 12	11 4	{10 0 to 13 0}	13 8	12 8	{13 8 to 15 0}	...	...	...
10	Dinagepore	I 8 6	9 5	12 0	17 0	16 12	11 8	12 0	12 0	16 12	14 6	14 6	19 0	...	...	...
11	Rajshahye	J 13 8	{12 0 to 13 8}	15 0	12 0	12 0	37 8	9 14	{10 14 to 11 4}	{9 0 to 14 0}	13 2	{13 2 to 13 14}	{15 0 to 16 0}	...	...	...
12	Rungpore	K 9 0	9 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 4½	11 4	12 12	13 8	13 8	22 8	...	...	...
13	Bogra	10 10	12 0	9 12	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 8	12 12	19 2	...	...	...
14	Pubna	L 13 8	13 8	13 4	...	...	...	7 8	8 0	8 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...
15	Darjeeling	M 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	11 0	...	...	...
16	Julpigoree	N 8 0	8 8	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 0	12 8	12 0	16 0	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.															
17	Dacca	O 9 11	9 8	12 4	...	...	...	11 4	10 0	12 4	12 4	12 4	15 8	...	...	...
18	Furreedpore	P 12 8	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	...	6 0	6 0	8 0	11 8	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
19	Backergunge	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
20	Mymensingh	R 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 12	11 8	13 8	13 8	13 8	15 0	...	...	...

A In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11 to 13 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice 10½ to 12½ seers, common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram 9 to 11½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 15 to 18 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 34 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10½ to 12½ seers, best rice 12½ to 15 seers, common rice 13½ to 17½ seers, and gram 9 to 11 seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10½ to 11 seers, best rice 7 to 10 seers, common rice 11½ to 13 seers, and gram 8 to 11 seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 10½ seers, best rice 6½ to 6¾ seers, common rice 10 to 13 seers, and gram 9½ to 10½ seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11½ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 18 seers, best rice 6½ to 10½ seers, common rice 11$\frac{5}{16}$ to 12½ seers, and gram 10 to 12½ seers.

G In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 12½ seers, common rice 11½ to 14½ seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

H In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 11 seers, best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 13½ to 14½ seers, and gram 8½ to 10 seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th February 1879.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	31 0	31 0	32 0	10 4	10 8	13 4	360 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	9 8	9 8	16 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	14 8 to 15 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Hooghly.
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																		Central Districts.
17 8	16 0	12 0	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	10 8	10 10½	10 5	16 0	64 0	64 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	6 12	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 4	8 4	8 4	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	10 0	13 0 to 18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	8 0	8 8	Pubna.
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	8 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	Darjeeling.
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																		Eastern Districts.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Backergunge.
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I In Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 12 seers, best rice 12 seers, and common rice 15 seers.
J In Nattore the prices are—Wheat 18 seers, best rice 8¾ seers, common rice 12 seers, and gram 6 seers.
K In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 21 seers, best rice 10½ to 12 seers, common rice 10 to 14$\frac{1}{16}$ seers, and gram (at Bagdogra) 8 seers.
L In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 11½ seers, best rice 8 seers, common rice 10½ seers, and gram 8 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 5 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, lesser millets (at Kurseong) 10 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Kurseong) 13 seers, and gram 6 to 6½ seers.
N In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 6 to 8 seers, best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 10¾ to 16 seers, and gram 5 to 6½ seers.
O In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 9 to 11$\frac{7}{16}$ seers, common rice 11½ to 13 seers, and gram 9½ to 16 seers.
P In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 11 to 13½ seers, and gram 8 to 13 seers.
Q In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 11 to 12½ seers, common rice 12 to 13$\frac{1}{16}$ seers, and gram 5 to 12 seers.
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	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
21	Chittagong	S 8 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	8 0	13 5½	13 0	12 0	...	...	...
22	Noakholly	T ...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	9 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...
23	Tipperah	9 0	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	12 8	13 4	13 4	15 0	...	...	...
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	10 0	13 5	13 5	11 6	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	7 5	7 5	8 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	14 0	15 0	14 5	17 0	...	...	...
	BEHAR.															
25	Patna	12 0	13 0	15 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	9 8	10 0	13 0	17 8	15 0	...	...	...
26	Gya	U 13 0	13 0	15 0	17 0	16 8	21 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 8	14 8	13 8	...	...	...
27	Shahabad	V 12 4 to 13 0	12 4 to 13 4	13 0 to 14 0	16 0 to 17 0	16 0 to 17 0	18 8	12 8 to 13 0	12 0 to 13 0	11 0 to 12 0	14 0 to 15 0	14 0 to 14 8	13 0	...	...	...
28	Durbhunga	W 12 0	12 0	14 4	18 0	20 0	22 0	11 0	10 0	11 8	14 4	14 4	14 4	...	...	...
29	Muzufferpore	X 12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...
30	Sarun	11 8	11 8	12 0	16 4	16 4	18 8	7 4	7 4	7 12	14 0	14 0	11 12	...	...	...
31	Chumparun	Y 11 0	11 0	14 0	...	...	21 0	8 0	7 0	9 0	14 0	15 0	12 0	...	...	...
32	Mongbyr	11 10	10 10	14 7	19 9	14 7	18 9	9 4	9 4	8 4	13 6	13 6	12 6	...	...	...
33	Bhagulpore	Z 10 11	10 11	13 4	12 10	12 10	20 3	12 0	12 10	11 6	14 8	15 2	13 14	...	...	...
34	Purneah	Z1 11 0 to 13 0	12 0 to 14 0	14 0 to 18 0	...	...	...	14 8	14 0	14 0 to 15 0	16 0 to 18 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...
35	Maldah	12 0	12 0	14 4	...	...	32 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	18 8	...	...	...
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Z2 8 8	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.															
37	Cuttack	13 2	13 2	8 2	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	9 3	15 12*	17 1	13 2	...	...	...
38	Pooree	Z3 10 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	9 3	9 3	9 3	17 1	17 1	14 7	...	...	...
39	Balasore	10 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*															
40	Hazareebagh	Z4 11 8	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 8	15 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...
41	Lohardugga	Z5 8 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...
42	Singbhoom	8 0	8 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	10 0	10 0	11 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	18 8	18 8	17 0	...	...	...

* In the interior the price of common rice varies from 18¾ to 23¾ seers per rupee.

S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 11½ to 12 seers and common rice 13 to 14 seers.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 9 to 16 seers and common rice 12 to 18 seers.

U In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 14½ seers, barley (at Jehanabad) 17½ seers, best rice (at Jehanabad) 9 seers, common rice 14 to 16 seers, and gram 8½ to 10½ seers.

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12½ to 14 seers, barley 15 to 19 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 14 to 14½ seers, bulrush millet 18 seers, great millet 22 to 28 seers, lesser millets 22 seers, maize or Indian-corn 21 to 23 seers, and gram 10 to 11 seers.

W In Madhubani the prices are—Wheat 14 seers, barley 25 seers, best rice 17 seers, common rice 18 seers, murwa 30 seers, and maize or Indian-corn 35 seers.

X In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 16 seers, barley 16 to 19 seers, best rice 13 to 20 seers, common rice 15 to 22 seers lesser millets 25 to 35 seers, maize or Indian-corn 30 to 37½ seers, and gram 10 to 15 seers.

Y In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 13 seers, barley 12½ to 18 seers, best rice 8 to 11 seers, common rice 13½ to 15 seers, lesser millets 28 to 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn 26 to 32½ seers, and gram 8½ to 9 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 25th February 1879.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th February* 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Chenna.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts—(Contd.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 8	7 4	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	6 8	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 12	12 8	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 10	6 10	6 6	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	29 0	19 0	10 8	13 0	18 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 8	20 8	16 8	9 8	9 8	17 8	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Gya.
24 0	25 8	17 0	...	...	...	23 8	24 0	17 8	9 8 to 10 0	9 8 to 10 0	17 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Shahabad.
...	...	...	22 0	24 0	20 12	28 0	31 0	19 8	9 0	10 0	15 4	120 0	120 0	187 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	27 0	27 0	19 0	9 0	10 0	15 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Muzufferpore.
25 0	26 8	16 8	20 0	21 4	18 0	25 0	26 4	16 8	10 0	9 8	16 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 8	8 4	8 0	Sarun.
...	...	...	..	...	...	28 0	30 0	18 0	8 8	8 0	17 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 0	Chumparun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	26 2	15 7	10 5	11 5	16 8	147 0	147 0	126 0	8 9	8 4	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 8	28 0	18 15	10 11	10 6	17 11	126 4	101 0	151 9	8 8	8 8	8 3	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	8 0	9 0 to 10 0	14 0 to 16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 8	8 0	6 0	Purneah
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	20 0	8 0	8 0	17 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	8 8	8 8	9 0	Maldah.
...	..	...	...	...	...	24 0	25 0	16 0	8 8	8 12	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Perghs.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	...	17 1	..	17 1	...	...	...	15 12	16 6	18 6	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	15 12	100 0	100 0	105 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	Pooree.
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	7 12	13 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	7 0	7 0	8 7	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
...	.	...	22 0	22 8	...	20 0	21 8	...	9 0	8 0	16 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	...	24 0	28 0	30 0	18 0	20 0	...	8 0	10 0	14 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	9 8	9 0	15 0	130 0	130 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Manbhoom.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11½ to 15 seers, barley (at Banka) 18 seers, best rice 16 to 17 seers common rice 18 seers, lesser millets (at Muddehpoora) 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Banka) 20 seers, and gram (at Banka) 10 seers.

Z1 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 14½ seers, best rice 14½ to 17 seers, common rice 16 to 22 seers, and gram 8 seers.

Z2 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 13 seers, best rice 14 to 17 seers, common rice 17 to 19 seers, and maize or Indian-corn 22 to 25 seers.

Z3 In Khoorda the prices are—Best rice 15⅝ seers, common rice 18⅝ seers, and gram 14$\frac{7}{16}$ seers.

Z4 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, barley 16 seers, common rice 14½ to 18½ seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 23 seers, and gram 10 seers.

Z5 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10½ to 11½ seers, barley (at Daltongunge) 13½ seers, best rice 11½ to 17 seers, common rice 13½ to 19 seers, mohwa (at Daltongunge) 15½ seers, murwa 20½ to 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 16·88 seers, and gram 9½ to 11 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R.A.P	R.A P	R.A.P.
1	Calcutta ..	3 12 9	3 12 6	3 4 0	2 15 0	2 15 6	2 8 0	6 15 0	6 15 9	5 8 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	5 0 0	6 0 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	2 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 11 0	4 2 0	3 3 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 14 0	3 3 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 10 0	2 15 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 10 0	5 0 0	2 11 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ..	3 5 3	3 1 3	2 10 9	2 3 6	2 0 0	2 0 0	4 0 0	4 3 6	4 0 0	3 1 3	2 5 6	2 10 9	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 15 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 13 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 10 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ..	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 12 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 2 0	2 5 0	2 2 0	2 13 0	...	...	...

CALCUTTA,
The 25th February 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th February* 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 4 0	2 7 9	3 5 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 13 9	2 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 6 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 7 0	3 2 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	4 2 0	4 5 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	3 15 0	2 15 0	0 13 0	0 14 6	0 9 0	4 3 0	4 4 0	4 4 3	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 9	1 6 0	1 14 3	3 12 6	3 1 3	2 3 6	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	0 5 4	0 5 4	0 5 6	5 0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poorea.
...	...	...	2 4 0	...	2 4 0	...	...	...	2 5 0	2 1 0	2 0 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 8 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 9th to 15th Feb. 1879	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	Nil	15th Feb.	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	0·28	0·28	ditto	
		Hetampore	ditto	0 45	0 45	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	Not recd	ditto	8th Feb.	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	0·32	0·32	15th Feb.	
		Serampore	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	ditto	0 32	0·32	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Baraset	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barrackpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	0·15	0 15	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	0·13	0 13	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	0 59	0 59	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	0 40	4 40	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	0.10	0 10	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	0.41	0·41	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	0 85	0 85	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	0 27	0·32	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	0 46	0·56	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	0·35	0·05	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	0 91	1·23	ditto	
		Chanchal	ditto	0 45	0 51	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	ditto	0 02	0 02	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	0 16	0·16	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	0·50	0 50	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	0 28	0 28	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	0 55	0 55	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	0 08	0 08	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	0 40	0 40	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	0 03	0 03	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	0·84	0 84	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	ditto	0 16	0 16	ditto	
		Seraigunge	ditto	0 47	0 47	ditto	
	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	0 15	0 15	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	0 15	0·15	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	0·39	0·39	ditto	
		Boda	Not recd	2 05	2 05	ditto ...	Not received, 2nd to 8th Feb.
		Buxa	ditto	0·54	0 76	ditto ..	Ditto ditto
		Titalya	ditto	0 96	0 96	ditto ...	Ditto ditto
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	Nil	0 30	0 30	ditto	
		Dinhatta ...	ditto	0 36	0·36	ditto ...	From 2nd February
		Mathabhanga	ditto	0 34	0 34	ditto .	Ditto ditto
		Mickligunge	ditto	0 44	0 44	ditto ..	Ditto ditto

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 9th to 15th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	0·58	0·58	15th Feb.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	ditto	0 60	0·60	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	0·60	0·60	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	1·17	1·17	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	0·68	0·68	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	0·02	0·02	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patooakhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	0·12	0·12	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	0·51	0·51	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	0·02	0·02	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	0 21	0·21	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	ditto	0·05	0·18	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	Nil	0·36	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Fenny	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	0·13	0·13	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	1·10	1·10	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	Ni	0·23	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	ditto	1·08	ditto	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Agurtolla	ditto	1·39	1·50	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	1·25	1·25	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	0·35	0·35	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	0·81	0·81	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	1·29	1·29	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	ditto	0·09	0·09	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	0·12	0·12	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	0·29	0·29	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	1·15	1·15	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	0·77	0·85	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	0 28	0·28	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	2·30	2·30	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	ditto	1·03	1·03	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	1·37	1·37	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	0·49	0·49	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	ditto	1·33	1·33	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	1·25	1·25	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	1·09	1·09	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	0·78	0·78	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	0·31	0·31	ditto ...	
		Gopalgunge	ditto	0·11	0·11	ditto ...	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	ditto	Not recd.	Nil.	8th Feb.	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Begoosserai	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	0.02	0·02	15th Feb.	
		Soopool	ditto	1·05	1·05	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	0·80	0·80	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	0·18	0·18	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	0·50	0·50	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purheah	ditto	0·43	0·43	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	1·00	1·00	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	1·17	1·17	ditto	
	Southal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	0·23	0·23	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	0·40	0·65	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	0·55	0·55	ditto	
		Jamtara	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Godda	Not recd.	0·38	0·38	ditto ...	Not received, 2nd to 8th Feb.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 2nd to 8th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 9th to 15th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack	Nil	Nil	Nil	15th Feb.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	ditto	0·42	0·42	ditto	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	ditto	0·62	0 62	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	0·09	0·09	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	0·35	0·35	ditto	
		Mowdie Hills	ditto	Not recd.	Nil	8th Feb.	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	ditto	Nil	ditto	15th Feb.	
		Palamow	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Manbheom ...	Purulia	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	ditto	0·44	0·44	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	0·17	Not recd.	1·77	8th Feb.	
		Golaghat	0·10	ditto	0·62	ditto	
		Jorhat	0·30	ditto	1·50	ditto	
	Burmah ...	Akyab	Nil	Nil	Nil	15th Feb.	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	ditto	ditto	0·20	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	0·07	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 22nd February 1879.

John Eliot,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 16th to 22nd February 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Akyab.	Feb. 16th	10	30·007	30·029	75·0	65·2	64	S S E	9·5	...	PC, PK	a
		16	29·915	29·937	74·7	69·5	76	E by S	7·7	0·21	CS	a
	17th	10	30·007	30·029	74·0	67·1	68	E	2·8	...	CK	a
		16	29·900	29·922	80·7	70·0	57	W N W	3·7	...	CS, C	a
	18th	10	30·060	30·088	75·2	68·7	71	E by N	6·5	...	.....	b
		16	29·964	29·986	81·1	69·0	52	N E	6·3	...	CS	a
	19th	10	30·032	30·054	74·1	64·0	55	N E by N	2·3	...	C	a
		16	29·900	29·922	80·2	65·2	41	N	8·3	...	C	a
	20th	10	29·947	29·969	76·0	66·6	59	W N W	4·5	...	C	a
		16	29·826	29·848	82·0	66·9	42	N W by W	4·8	...	CK, CS	a
	21st	10	29·922	29·944	78·0	64·5	45	E N E	3·5	...	C	a
		16	29·825	29·847	84·5	66·0	33	N N E	5·7	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	29·904	29·926	78·0	69·0	61	N E	3·8	...	.....	b
		16	29·773	29·794	85·0	67·0	35	N W	5·7	...	C	a
Saugor Island.	Feb. 16th	10	30·023	30·029	80	74·5	76	S E	9	...	.....	b, a
		16	29·911	29·917	81·5	74·5	71	S S E	12	...	.....	b, a
	17th	10	30·005	30·011	79	74	78	N N W	5	...	.....	b, a
		16	29·907	29·913	82	73	63	S	8	...	.....	b, a
	18th	10	30·060	30·066	80	71·5	64	N E	5	...	.....	b
		16	29·957	29·963	83	72	57	N W	8	...	.....	b, a
	19th	10	30·037	30·043	80	67	48	N N E	7	...	.....	b, a
		16	29·891	29·897	83·5	69·0	45	N N E	8	...	.....	b, a
	20th	10	29·951	29·957	78	71·5	72	N W	3	...	.....	b, a
		16	29·839	29·845	82	72·5	61	W S W	12	...	.....	b, a
	21st	10	29·963	29·969	79·5	73	72	N W	7	...	.....	b, a
		16	29·827	29·833	86	74·5	65	W S W	8	...	.....	b, a
	22nd	10	29·908	29·914	82	76	75	W	8	...	.....	b, a
		16	29·781	29·787	85	76	64	S W	4	...	.....	b, a
Cuttagong.	Feb. 16th	10	29·939	30·033	76	63·5	47	N N W	7	...	.....	
	17th	10	29·905	29·999	77	67	57	N E	8	...	.....	b, a
	18th	10	29·959	30·053	76	67·5	62	N N W	7	...	.....	
	19th	10	29·911	30·005	76·5	67	59	N E	4	...	.....	
	20th	10	29·854	29·948	77	67	57	N N E	5	...	.....	b, a
	21st	10	29·859	29·953	77·5	68	59	Calm	5	...	.....	
	22nd	10	29·807	29·900	80	67	48	N	5	...	.....	
Akyab.	Feb. 16th	10	29·997	30·019	81	66	42	N E	8	...	.....	b, a
	17th	10	29·968	29·990	79·5	69	57	E N E	2	...	.....	b
	18th	10	29·972	29·994	84·5	73	56	E	2	...	.....	b
	19th	10	29·953	29·975	83	68	43	N	4	...	.....	b
	20th	10	29·918	29·940	75	67	64	E N E	4	...	.....	b, a
	21st	10	29·911	29·933	79	68	54	N	2	...	.....	b, a
	22nd	10	29·871	29·893	78·5	69	60	E	8	...	.....	b, a
False Point.	Feb. 16th	10	30·008	30·023	83	73·5	62	S	7	...	.....	b, a
	17th	10	30·004	30·019	80	71	62	S S W	6	...	.....	b, a
	18th	10	30·050	30·065	81·5	72·0	61	N E	6	...	.....	b, a
	19th	10	30·032	30·047	81·5	72	61	E N E	8	...	.....	b, a
	20th	10	29·956	29·971	81	72·5	65	S E	5	...	.....	b, a
	21st	10	29·969	29·984	78·5	73·0	76	N W	3	...	.....	
	22nd	10	29·902	29·917	81·5	72·5	63	Calm	4	...	.....	b
Vizagapatam.	Feb. 16th	10	29·992	30·024	79·5	71	64	W N W	2	...	.....	b, a
	17th	10	29·994	30·026	79·5	71	64	S S W	2	...	.....	b, a
	18th	10	30·022	30·054	80	71·5	64	S	1	...	.....	b, a
	19th	10	30·015	30·047	79	71	66	E	2	...	.....	b, a
	20th	10	29·957	29·989	79	70·5	64	S W	1	...	.....	b, a
	21st	10	29·956	29·988	80	70	58	S	1	...	.....	b, a
	22nd	10	29·904	29·936	80	71	62	S E	1	...	.....	b, a
Colombo.	Feb. 16th	10	29·913	29·954	83	77	75	N N E	6	...	.....	b, a
	17th	10	29·882	29·923	83·5	77	73	N	5	...	.....	b, a
	18th	10	29·865	29·906	82	75	71	N	8	...	.....	b, a
	19th	10	29·891	29·932	84	75	64	N E	9	...	.....	b, a
	20th	10	29·862	29·903	84	77·5	74	E S E	8	..	.....	b, a
	21st	10	29·866	29·907	84·5	77	70	N N W	5	...	.....	b
	22nd	10	29·856	29·897	83	74·5	65	W S W	8	...	.....	b, a

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 22nd February 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Abstract of Observations as received in the Office of the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal during the month of January 1879.

N. B.—The Barometric data are reduced for temperatures and not for height above sea-level.

STATIONS.	Height above sea-level.	BAROMETER. Mean of				RADIATION THERMOMETER. Solar.				Gross.				TEMPERATURE OF AIR.				Mean of		Highest max.			Lowest min.			VAPOUR TENSION.		Mean of		HUMIDITY.		Mean of		RAIN-FALL.	
		Mean.	10 hours.	16 hours.	Range.	Mean.	Above max. in shade.	Max. 1 Day.	Max. O	Mean.	Below min. in shade.	Min. Day.	Min. O	Mean of max.	Mean daily range.	Mean of min.	Mean.	10 hours.	16 hours.	Day.	O	Absolute range.	Day.	O	Mean.	From minima.	10 hours.	16 hours.	Mean.	From minimum.	10 hours.	16 hours.	In inches.	Number of days.
Seebsaugor ...	333	29·717	29·780	29·640	·140	125·7	53·1	9th	136·1	47·3	4·1	1st	40·6	72·6	21·2	51·4	60·8	59·4	69·8	21st	76·1	29·6	24th	46·5	...	·376	·468	·483	...	93	92	67	1·60	5
Goalpara ...	386	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74·5	18·7	55·8	64·2	62·5	72·4	22nd	77·6	26·5	24th	51·1	...	·384	·427	·405	...	85	75	51	Nil	...
Darjeeling ...	6912	23·426	23·467	23·396	·071	108·3	57·1	14th	124·5	31·0	6·5	28th	28·9	51·2	13·7	37·5	43·1	44·6	47·5	15 & 16th	56·3	23·8	25th	32·5	...	·183	·228	·247	...	81	77	75	Nil	...
Purneah ...	125	29·891	29·958	29·830	·138	...	...	...	...	39·5	9·3	25th	33·2	78·4	29·6	48·8	63·4	66·0	75·4	17th	80·8	37·8	26th	43·0	...	·314	·384	·353	...	90	60	40	Nil	...
Durbhunga ...	166·32	·863	·927	·799	·128	120·6	55·3	12th	136·2	...	...	...	...	74·3	23·1	51·2	57·0	57·8	62·8	31st	77·4	33·2	25th	44·2	...	·218	·478	·498	...	55	99	87	Nil	...
Patna ...	179	·857	·927	·796	·131	138·6	63·6	16th	145·0	43·9	4·1	26th	36·1	75·1	27·1	48·0	62·1	65·0	74·3	31st	81·4	40·8	27th	40·6	...	·287	·364	·391	...	85	58	46	Nil	...
Gya ...	375	·857	·732	·605	·117	125·6	47·3	31st	131·9	40·4	10·0	27th	34·0	78·2	27·8	50·4	65·9	72·4	75·9	16 & 31st	83·8	39·7	26th	44·1	...	·281	·287	·275	...	76	36	31	Nil	...
Hazareebagh ...	2010	27·970	28·023	27·926	·097	132·8	57·3	3rd	140·4	42·2	7·9	21st	32·0	75·5	25·4	50·1	62·8	63·2	73·6	10 & 16th	79·6	37·3	25th	43·5	...	·230	·235	·204	...	62	34	24	Nil	...
Berhampore ...	66·45	29·961	30·030	29·896	·134	133·2	54·6	16th	142·7	51·1	2·2	26th	42·6	78·6	25·3	53·3	65·3	68·8	76·7	31st	84·1	39·0	26th	45·1	...	·368	·412	·362	...	89	58	40	Nil	...
Burdwan ...	99·09	·916	29·993	·863	·130	141·7	61·7	31st	147·7	40·6	14·0	25th	28·9	80·0	25·4	54·6	67·3	70·7	79·6	31st	85·6	39·4	25th	46·2	...	·383	·447	·474	...	89	59	47	Nil	...
Jessore ...	33·3	·976	30·044	·929	·115	...	...	...	...	41·5	10·6	26th	30·8	79·2	27·1	52·1	66·1	73·4	76·0	31st	83·5	40·6	25th	42·9	...	·354	·420	·382	...	90	51	43	Nil	...
Dacca ...	35	·978	·045	·919	·126	145·7	66·0	25th	152·8	41·9	13·6	24th	31·3	79·7	24·2	55·5	67·8	71·4	77·0	31st	83·7	35·9	26th	47·8	...	·401	·484	·401	...	90	63	43	Nil	...
Silchar ...	87·4	·938	·005	·871	·134	135·1	57·5	4th	145·5	44·2	10·0	24th	36·3	77·6	23·4	54·2	65·0	65·8	76·5	20th	81·7	34·2	24th	47·5	...	·398	·511	·471	...	93	80	52	Nil	...
Chittagong ...	90	·927	29·981	·875	·106	130·4	51·6	20th	136·3	53·5	2·2	27th	42·9	78·8	23·1	55·7	67·7	69·6	76·8	13th	83·2	35·5	26th	47·7	...	·424	·509	·491	...	94	70	53	0·13	1
Dentagiri ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	74·6	20·0	54·6	63·8	65·6	73·0	15th	78·8	31·7	27th	47·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·22	1
Alipore ...	21·38	30·003	30·081	·952	·129	133·8	56·3	31st	141·8	45·0	9·9	25th	35·0	77·5	23·6	54·9	65·0	69·1	77·0	31st	83·1	35·6	24th	47·5	·432	·418	441	·366	69	96	62	39	Nil	...
Saugor Island	6	·016	·082	·965	·117	136·7	...	23rd	157·2	49·2	9·3	25th	40·3	...	...	58·5	69·4	72·4	77·0	.....	...	...	24th	52·6	·526	·434	·536	·518	74	87	67	56	Nil	...
Cuttack ...	80	29·942	·009	·876	·133	139·8	54·2	30th	144·6	44·9	13·0	1st	36·9	85·6	27·7	57·9	71·3	73·9	83·1	30th	91·6	39·1	26th	52·5	...	·462	·417	·360	...	95	50	31	Nil	...
False Point ...	15·3	30·024	·083	·966	·117	143·2	63·6	21st	158·1	43·0	16·1	26th	34·8	79·6	20·5	59·1	67·5	73·5	76·0	30th	85·4	32·7	23rd	52·7	...	·456	·528	·504	...	91	64	56	Nil	...
Vizagapatam ...	31	29·969	·057	·933	·124	109·0	29·9	4th	119·0	55·8	14·8	1st	51·2	79·1	8·5	70·6	75·2	75·9	78·3	23rd	81·5	16·5	1st	65·0	·540	·321	·518	·540	62	43	58	56	Nil	...
Akyab ...	20·44	·974	·032	·922	·110	137·3	54·7	4th, 5th & 21st	143·5	52·1	7·9	29th	40·2	82·6	22·6	60·0	70·9	74·0	77·6	21st	87·6	37·3	27th	50·3	...	·495	·572	·577	...	94	66	61	Nil	...
Port Blair ...	61·16	·888	29·940	·837	·103	144·6	57·7	23rd	155·6	72·1	4·5	31st	64·7	86·8	10·2	76·6	80·2	82·5	83·8	23rd	89·8	19·9	31st	60·9	...	·910	·847	·837	...	99	76	73	2·49	6

CALCUTTA (ALIPORE).

Mean barometric pressure of 26 years ...	30·018	Mean temperature of 26 years	67·6	Mean humidity of 26 years	71	Mean rainfall of 51 years	0·47
Ditto ditto of 1879 ...	30·003	Ditto ditto of 1879	65·0	Ditto ditto of 1879	69	Actual fall in 1879	Nil.
Defect in 1879	·015	Defect in 1879	2·6	Defect in 1879	2	Defect in 1879	0·47

CALCUTTA,
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Mean Pressures and Temperatures of the preceding Table reduced to sea-level, with Anemometric Results and Cloud Observations.

Stations.	Mean barometric pressure reduced to sea-level.	Mean temperature reduced to sea-level.	Wind.											Mean clouds.
			North.	North-east.	East.	South-east.	South.	South-west.	West.	North-west.	Calm.	Percentage and resultant.	Mean velocity daily.	
Seebsaugor	30·069	61·5	6	18	12	...	4	1	...	1	20	44 N 58° E	18·3	5·18
Goalpara	.....	65·1	1	3	18	7	...	...	2	..	31	37 S 85° E	65·6	2·47
Darjeeling	.....	...	1	...	...	...	6	7	4	3	41	22 S 55° W	12·4	6·01
Purneah	30·024	63·7	...	6	4	4	...	3	41	2	1	55 N 89° W	29·0	0·50
Durbhunga	·042	57·4	1	3	4	1	...	14	29	10	...	63 S 89° W	42·1	0·59
Patna	·047	62·5	2	4	1	1	1	13	25	12	3	62 N 86° W	26·0	0·68
Gya	·054	66·7	3	1	...	...	1	...	17	11	29	42 N 66° W	31·1	0·48
Hazareebagh	·053	67·3	3	3	...	4	1	4	19	28	...	66 N 64° W	122·6	0·65
Berhampore	·021	65·4	16	...	4	1	2	8	17	14	...	53 N 58° W	44·4	0·81
Burdwan	·021	67·5	18	2	...	1	2	3	9	24	3	66 N 39o W	37·4	0·84
Jessore	·011	66·2	28	...	...	...	1	3	7	23	...	78 N 32° W	13·9	0·81
Dacca	·015	67·9	6	2	...	...	3	3	5	15	28	34 N 52° W	42·0	1·37
Silchar	·031	65·2	2	5	15	9	11	6	3	1	10	37 S 48° E	27·1	3·27
Chittagong	·023	68·0	14	9	...	...	...	10	12	4	12	37 N 44° W	96·7	1·15
Demagiri	.....	...	7	1	1	6	5	9	6	16	11	29 N 79° W	...	0·13
Alipore	·025	65·0	41	15	...	2	...	13	27	24	2	57 N 35° W	70·6	0·39
Saugor Island ...	·022	69·4	33	21	3	1	20	17	6	20	3	26 N 25° W	121·2	0·85
Cuttack	·026	71·5	10	11	3	2	4	3	6	2	21	19 N 13° E	32·0	0·42
False Point	·040	67·5	6	14	12	6	6	4	1	3	10	34 N 76° E	109·8	1·81
Vizagapatam ...	·021	75·3	3	6	9	63	29	4	6	4	...	65 S 85° E	25·4	1·20
Akyab	29·996	70·9	16	11	3	1	1	3	16	9	...	49 N 26° W	56·4	2·97
Port Blair	·951	80·3	14	25	15	8	...	...	...	...	...	75 N 56° E	212·9	4·98

NOTE.

Barometric Pressure.—The pressures in column 2 of the above table for all stations below 500 feet are reduced from those given in column 3 of the table on the previous page, by adding the weight of a column of air of the temperatures given in column 18. For stations above 500 feet elevation the reduction is made by Captain Allan Cunningham's table, "Prof. Papers on Indian Engineering, No. CXIII." The temperatures at the sea-level are taken from column 3 of the above table.

Temperature.—The temperatures in column 3 are reduced from those in column 18 on the preceding page, by adding 1° Fahrenheit for every 450 feet.

Wind Resultant.—The resultant wind direction and its comparative predominance are calculated from the whole number of wind observations recorded during the month. The relative predominance in the direction of the resultant is given as a percentage of the whole number of observations. The direction is computed in the usual way by Lambert's formula.

Cloud.—This column gives the average proportion of clouded sky, a cloudless sky being indicated by *o*, and one completely overcast by 1*o*.

The above, being all comparable, afford the data for constructing a meteorological chart for the month, which will show the isobaric and isothermal lines and the resultant wind directions, which last may be represented by arrows of varying length, proportioned to the prevalence of the wind. To these may be added the rainfall from the previous tables.

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Calcutta,
The 22nd February 1879.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 16th to 22nd February 1879.

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature. Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Hygrometry. Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.	Rain.	Weather.
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
Feb.	16th	135·1	29·943	70·0	80·2	14·2	66·0	66·2	0·592	63·8	80	Till 6 A.M. E S E through W, N and E, till 2-30 P.M. S S W through S E and S, till midnight S by E through W, N and E.	185	0·21	Cloudy *o*, *t*, *p*, *lr*.
„	17th	139·7	·940	71·6	81·4	17·5	63·9	67·0	·603	64·3	78	Till 9 A.M. S S E, till noon N E through E, till 5-30 P.M. W N W through S, S and W, till midnight N E by E through N W and N	85	Nil	Day chiefly cloudy, night clear, *w*.
„	18th	140·4	·906	72·4	81·8	15·7	66·1	67·1	·595	63·9	75	Chiefly N E by E and N E by N.	120	„	Chiefly clear.
„	19th	140·5	·948	69·7	81·2	20·5	60·6	68·2	·493	58·6	68	Till 10 A.M. N E by E, till midnight chiefly N by E	102	„	Chiefly cloudy, *w*.
„	20th	141·0	·877	71·2	83·2	23·1	60·1	65·1	·541	61·2	71	Till 5 A.M. N by E, till 10-30 A.M., W N W through N and N W, till noon N E by N through N W and N, till midnight chiefly W N W.	78	„	Day chiefly cloudy, night clear, *w*.
„	21st	142·0	·888	72·6	85·0	21·0	64·0	64·5	·502	59·1	63	Till 5 A.M. W N W, till 10-30 A.M. S E by S through N N E and N, till 10-15 P.M., chiefly N by E through E and N E, till midnight W N W through N and N W.	90	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	22nd	147·8	·821	74·2	85·5	20·9	64·6	66·9	·564	62·4	67	Till 7-30 A.M. W N W, till noon chiefly N E through N W and N, till 9-15 P.M. N W through N, till midnight W.	99	„	Chiefly clear, *f*, and *w*.

				Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	...	...	29 916
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office			...	29·948
				⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	...	...	71·7
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office			...	74·0
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days		...	...	25·4
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	...	...	85·5
				%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	...	...	72
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office			...	66
				Inches.
The total fall of rain from 16th to 22nd February 1879		...	...	0·21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	...		...	0·25
The total fall from 1st January to 22nd February 1879	...		...	0 21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	...		...	1·29

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o, overcast; *t*, thunder; *p*, passing temporary shower, *lr*, lightning reflection, *w*, dew; *f*, foggy.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 24th February 1879.

HENRY F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 44.—*The 19th February* 1879.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagiruthee, and Brahmapootra during the month of January 1879.

Date.		Mirzapore.		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahebgunge.		Rampore Bauleah.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
	Miles.					90.		177.	87.	237.	110.	351.	94.	471.	90.	591.	120.			70.			
	Distance.					From Benares		From Benares	From Buxar	From Benares	From Dinapore	From Benares	From Monghyr	From Benares	From Sahebgunge ...	From Benares	From Rampore Bauleah ...			From Berhampore ...			
		Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1st		·83	209·67	1·80	195·00	1·16	168·16	7·95	141·95	·99	100·95	·79	68·79	2·50	44·56	4·75	13·69	2·52	34·92	2·92	11·71	·30	149·06
2nd		·92	209·58	1·85	194·95	1·16	168·16	7·90	141·90	·96	100·93	·75	68·75	2·43	44·43	4·68	13·60	2·50	34·90	2·79	11·58	·20	148·96
3rd		1·08	209·43	1·85	194·95	1·18	168·16	7·90	141·90	·96	100·89	·66	68·66	2·33	44·33	4·58	13·53	2·43	34·83	2·75	11·54	·20	148·96
4th		1·08	209·42	1·85	194·95	1·25	168·07	7·85	141·85	1·00	100·85	·58	68·58	2·25	44·25	4·50	13·44	2·44	34·84	2·66	11·45	·10	148·86
5th		1·08	209·42	1·85	194·95	1·25	168·07	7·75	141·75	1·08	100·77	·54	68·54	2·16	44·16	4·42	13·36	2·39	34·79	2·63	11·41	·00	148·76
6th		1·08	209·42	1·85	194·95	1·25	168·07	7·70	141·70	1·12	100·73	·50	68·54	2·12	44·13	4·33	13·27	2·35	34·75	2·62	11·41	below ·10	148·66
7th		1·08	209·42	1·85	194·95	1·33	167·99	7·65	141·65	1·16	100·69	·42	68·42	2·27	44·27	4·25	13·19	2·33	34·73	2·58	11·37	·10	148·66
8th		1·33	209·17	1·85	194·95	1·33	167·99	7·60	141·60	1·25	100·60	·42	68·42	2·00	44·00	4·33	13·27	2·40	34·80	2·58	11·37	·20	148·56
9th		1·50	209·09	1·85	194·95	1·42	167·90	7·60	141·60	1·30	100·55	·37	68·37	1·96	43·96	4·33	13·27	2·30	34·70	2·66	11·45	·20	148·36
10th		1·58	209·02	1·85	194·95	1·42	167·90	7·60	141·60	1·37	100·48	·33	68·37	1·92	43·92	4·43	13·36	2·27	34·67	2·70	11·49	·30	148·46
11th		1·58	209·02	1·85	194·95	1·50	167·82	7·55	141·55	1·42	100·43	·33	68·37	1·84	43·84	4·43	13·36	2·25	34·65	2·66	11·45	·30	148·46
12th		1·58	209·02	1·85	194·95	1·50	167·82	7·55	141·55	1·30	100·35	·25	68·25	1·75	43·75	4·43	13·36	2·30	34·70	2·62	11·41	·30	148·46
13th		1·58	209·02	1·85	194·95	1·50	167·82	7·55	141·55	1·52	100·33	·20	68·20	1·66	43·66	4·43	13·36	2·28	34·68	2·58	11·37	·40	148·36
14th		1·58	209·02	1·85	194·95	1·50	167·82	7·50	141·50	1·56	100·29	·16	68·16	1·66	43·66	4·33	13·27	2·29	34·69	2·58	11·37	·40	148·36
15th		1·58	209·02	1·85	194·95	1·50	167·82	7·50	141·50	1·58	100·27	·16	68·16	1·62	43·62	4·33	13·27	2·29	34·69	2·58	11·37	·40	148·36
16th		1·66	208·94	1·89	194·91	1·50	167·83	7·45	141·45	1·62	100·23	·14	68·14	1·62	43·62	4·33	13·27	2·30	34·70	2·62	11·41	·30	148·46
17th		1·66	208·94	1·84	194·96	1·58	167·74	7·45	141·45	1·64	100·21	·12	68·12	1·58	43·58	3·92	12·86	2·10	34·50	2·25	11·04	·50	148·26
18th		1·66	208·84	1·86	194·94	1·58	167·74	7·45	141·45	1·66	100·19	·06	68·06	1·58	43·58	3·75	12·69	2·06	34·46	2·25	11·04	·50	148·26
19th		1·66	208·84	1·79	195·01	1·58	167·74	7·45	141·45	1·70	100·15	·00	68·00	1·58	43·58	3·58	12·52	2·02	34·42	2·16	10·95	·60	148·16
20th		1·75	208·75	1·83	194·97	1·66	167·66	7·45	141·45	1·70	100·15	below ·04	67·96	1·50	43·50	3·50	12·44	2·00	34·40	2·04	10·88	·60	148·16
21st		1·75	208·75	1·86	194·94	1·66	167·66	7·40	141·40	1·80	100·05	·04	67·96	1·42	43·42	3·50	12·44	1·98	34·38	2·16	10·95	·60	148·16
22nd		1·75	208·75	1·89	194·91	1·75	167·57	7·35	141·35	1·84	100·01	·08	67·92	1·33	43·33	3·66	12·60	1·98	34·38	2·16	10·95	·80	148·16
23rd		1·75	208·75	1·92	194·88	1·75	167·57	7·30	141·30	1·86	99·99	·08	67·92	1·25	43·25	3·75	12·69	1·96	34·36	2·25	11·04	·70	148·06
24th		1·92	208·58	1·92	194·88	1·75	167·57	7·30	141·30	1·98	99·97	·08	67·92	1·16	43·16	3·75	12·69	1·90	34·30	2·33	11·12	·80	147·96
25th		1·92	208·58	1·99	194·94	1·84	167·48	7·20	141·20	2·02	99·83	·12	67·88	1·06	43·06	3·66	12·60	1·86	34·26	2·16	10·95	·80	147·96
26th		1·92	208·58	1·97	194·96	1·84	167·48	7·15	141·15	2·02	99·83	·16	67·84	1·04	43·04	3·66	12·60	1·82	34·22	2·04	10·83	·90	147·86
27th		2·00	208·50	2·00	194·80	1·84	167·48	7·05	141·05	2·04	99·81	·20	67·80	1·00	43·00	3·66	12·60	1·80	34·20	1·94	10·73	1·00	147·76
28th		2·00	208·50	2·03	194·78	1·92	167·40	7·00	141·00	2·04	99·81	·20	67·80	·92	42·92	3·58	12·52	1·80	34·20	1·80	10·59	1·00	147·76
29th		2·00	208·50	2·05	194·73	1·92	167·40	7·00	141·00	2·08	99·77	·20	67·80	·92	42·92	3·50	12·44	1·75	34·15	1·80	10·49	1·20	147·56
30th		2·08	208·42	2·04	194·76	1·92	167·40	7·00	141·00	2·16	99·69	·25	67·75	·88	42·88	3·42	12·36	1·72	34·12	1·70	10·45	1·20	147·56
31st		2·08	208·42	2·07	194·73	2·00	167·32	6·95	140·95	2·20	99·65	·33	67·67	·84	42·84	3·25	12·19	1·70	34·10	1·66	10·45		

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Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Tirhoot State Railway for the month of January 1879.

INCREASES.

Coal ... ... Mds. 11,121

This increase is steady, and is due to the season for burning bricks.

Hides and horns ... ... ,, 7,301

This increase is due to local collection and good demand in the outside markets.

Piece-goods ... ... ,, 6,548

This steady increase in this staple is a favorable feature in the traffic of this railway.

Railway materials ... ... Mds. 3,083

Dependent on railway works under construction.

Seeds, Indigo ... ... ,, 4,515

This is the commencement of the season, and is satisfactory.

Sugar ... ... ,, 1,704

The increase of this staple is steady.

Tobacco ... ... ,, 1,207

Early despatches.

Miscellaneous goods ... ... ,, 9,116

This increase is permanent and satisfactory.

DECREASES.

Indigo ... ... ,, 4,846

The outturn of indigo during 1878 was considerably less than in the previous year.

Iron ... ... Mds. 2,891

This traffic is guided by local requirements.

Food-grains ... ... ,, 10,064

New rice harvest is just over, and the traffic in this staple will soon improve.

Seeds, oil ... Mds. 6,795
Salt ... ,, 1,958
Saltpetre ... ,, 3,458

} Due for the most part to the general depression of the markets.

SOMASTIPORE, *the* 10*th February* 1879.

W. M. JOHNSTON, *Assistant Traffic Supdt*,
Tirhoot State Railway.

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.

Statement shewing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of January 1879 *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1878.

STAPLES.	1878.		1879.		1878.	1879.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	Total.	Total.		
Coal	3,162	.....	13,783	500	3,162	14,283	11,121	.....
Food-grains	10,644	56,252	6,801	50,031	66,896	56,832	... ..	10,064
Hides and horns	500	3,160	.....	10,961	3,660	10,961	7,301	... ..
Indigo	.....	10,120	.....	5,274	10,120	5,274	.....	4,846
Iron	4,205	210	1,049	475	4,415	1,524	.....	2,891
Piece-goods	5,658	27	12,200	33	5,685	12,233	6,548	.....
Railway material	540	.....	776	2,847	540	3,623	3,083	.....
Seeds, Indigo	2,262	6,057	12,779	55	8,319	12,834	4,515	.....
Seeds, oil	86	27,117	64	20,344	27,203	20,408	.....	6,795
Salt	14,283	.....	12,219	106	14,283	12,325	.....	1,958
Saltpetre	3,458	18,205	66	18,117	21,663	18,185	.....	3,458
Sugar	53	185	25	1,917	238	1,942	1,704	.....
Tobacco	735	4,087	.....	6,029	4,822	6,029	1,207	.....
Miscellaneous goods	7,039	7,418	10,898	12,675	14,457	23,573	9,116	.....
	52,695	1,32,838	70,662	1,29,364	1,85,443	2,00,026	44,595	30,012
						1,85,443	30,012	
Increase ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,583	14,583	.....

Report on the Fluctuations in traffic on the Northern Bengal State Railway for the month of January 1879.

GENERAL REMARKS.

ALTHOUGH, as will be seen on reference to the comparative statement at foot, there has been a large falling off during the month in one or two staples, notably in jute, gunny, and tea, the total weight lifted for the period under review shews an increase over December's traffic of 6,126 maunds.

INCREASES.

Food-grain ... ... Mds. 15,983

The crops are nearly all in, and business, which for a time has been almost entirely suspended in the staples carried under this head, except for local consumption, is now reviving.

The paddy crop is everywhere reported a bumper one; but until there is a greater margin than at present exists between the prices demanded by growers on the spot and the Calcutta market, no great movement towards the port can be expected.

Railway materials ... ... Mds. 8,365

The machinery for the Saidpur Workshops continues to go forward in large quantities, and several batches of material for the Darjeeling Tramway and for the extension beyond Rungpore have been despatched during the month.

Salt ... ... Mds. 172

The reason given for the increased weight carried under this head in my last month's report applies here We may, I think, look forward to a steady traffic in this staple until the rains open up water communications again to our stations.

Seeds ... ... Mds. 315

The movement in this staple has as usual been almost entirely local.

Tobacco ... ... Mds. 117

No transaction in the Calcutta market in this article is reported during the month. The small increase is due to a demand for home consumption.

All other goods ... ... Mds. 7,479

The traffic carried under this head has been particularly brisk during the month, 18,614 maunds being carried, against 12,000 maunds last month.

There was also a slight increase in the downwards miscelleneous consignments, the figures standing at 3,941 maunds, against 3,075 maunds in December.

DECREASES.

Ale ... ... Mds. 18

This is a mere trade fluctuation. There was no commissariat beer despatched during the month.

Cotton ... ... Mds. 6

The movement in this staple has up to the present time been unworthy of consideration.

Ginger ... ... Mds. 41

This article in the dry state is still being sent forward for shipment. The demand, however, is not brisk, and the slight falling off noticed is the result.

Gunny-bags ... ... Mds. 2,364

The market for gunnies of all descriptions was very dull at the beginning of the month, and although there was no decided decline in prices, sales were with difficulty effected. This was especially the case with hand-made gunnies, and for a time despatches almost ceased.

Hides ... ... Mds. 1,167

The demand for hides has been active during the month and prices have been fully maintained, yet the quantity despatched has, as is shewn, considerably fallen off. This traffic, as I have in previous reports observed, does not appear to be influenced by the ordinary rules of trade.

Jute ... ... Mds. 12,074

This large falling off is due entirely to a sudden decline of 2 annas per maund in the Calcutta market. In dealing with this decrease, however, it must be borne in mind that the traffic in this staple last month was exceptionally heavy There was a sudden jump from 18,432 maunds in November to 40,112 maunds in December, and although the result of the present month's working shews a falling off of 12,074 maunds, the total weight lifted, 28,833 maunds, would, had it not been for the exceptional traffic of December, have been considered satisfactory.

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 348

The large despatches under this head since the cessation of the rains has resulted in the bazars becoming over-stacked.

Sugar ... ... Mds. 135

This results from a falling off in the demand for supplying the local bazars owing to the holders standing out for better prices.

Tea ... ... Mds. 10,152

As anticipated in my last report, we have now come to the end of the tea season.

Statement shewing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the Northern Bengal State Railway during the month of January 1879.

STAPLES.	DECEMBER 1878.		JANUARY 1879.		Total for December.	Total for January.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.				
Ale	18	8	4	4	26	8	.....	18
Cotton	10	.....	.....	13	10	13	.....	6
Food-grain	770	4,917	2,228	19,447	5,687	21,670	15,983	...
Ginger	.....	962	.....	921	962	921	.....	41
Gunny-bags	144	12,357	425	9,712	12,501	10,137	.....	2,364
Hides	.....	1,455	.....	288	1,455	288	.....	1,167
Jute	.....	40,112	.....	28,038	40,112	28,038	.....	12,074
Piece-goods	680	989	350	171	869	521	.....	348
Railway materials	27,892	941	32,168	5,030	28,833	37,198	8,365	... ...
Salt	294	16	342	140	310	483	172	.....
Seeds	514	306	678	457	820	1,135	315	...
Sugar	274	37	168	8	311	176	.....	135
Tea	.....	11,576	.....	1,424	11,576	1,424	.....	10,152
Tobacco	5	1,703	61	1,761	1,708	1,825	117	.....
All other goods	12,001	3,075	18,614	3,941	15,076	22,555	7,479	... ...
Total ...	42,511	77,754	55,036	71,355	1,20,265	1,26,391	6,126	... ...

G M. DRURY, *Traffic Superintendent.*

TRAFFIC SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, SAIDPUR, the 17th February 1879

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th February 1879 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week ..	146,781	2,03,826 10 3	18,638 3 9	17,03,661 0	5,80,023 9 9	53,168 16 7	7,83,349 4 0	46,720	113,399½	160,119½
Or per mile of railway	..	158 14 1	14 11 3	..	453 3 8	41 10 11	612 1 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	844,837	12,26,586 1 0	113,437 1 1	89,20,544 0	31,34,050 2 0	287,370 8 7	43,61,536 3 0	263,724	566,971½	830,695½
Total for 7 weeks ...	991,618	14,29,911 11 3	131,075 4 10	1,06,24,205 0	37,14,073 11 9	340,539 5 2	51,44,885 7 0	310,444	680,371½	990,815½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	149,194	2,06,457 7 3	18,925 5 4	16,03,031 0	5,56,073 0 9	50,973 7 3	7,62,530 8 0	46,644	114,696	161,340
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ..	.....	161 5 3	14 15 9	.....	434 8 3	39 16 8	595 13 6	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	906,355	12,98,890 0 10	118,606 11 9	99,24,074 0	37,48,108 9 11	343,576 12 5	50,41,998 10 9	314,928	732,007	1,046,935

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th February 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	6,557	19,075 2 0	1,748 11 1	2,86,665 30	70,669 1 0	6,479 16 7	89,764 3 0	5,227	20,944	26,071
Or per mile of railway	.....	85 4 1	7 16 4	.	315 14 10	28 19 2	401 2 11	... ..	.....	.....
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	47,261	1,53,237 3 9	14,046 14 11	17,66,533 10	4,56,047 0 0	41,804 6 2	6,09,284 3 9	28,826½	134,548½	163,374½
Total for 7 weeks ...	53,818	1,72,312 5 9	15,795 6 0	20,53,249 0	5,26,716 1 0	48,284 2 9	6,99,048 6 9	34,053½	146,39.½	179,445½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,944½	26,390 1 3	2,419 1 9	1,42,917 20	41,155 4 0	3,772 11 4	67,545 5 3	5,338	10,836	16,371
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ..	.....	117 15 1	10 16 3	.....	183 15 0	16 17 2	301 14 1	.....	... ..	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	55,774	1,58,486 2 6	14,527 17 11	10,80,574 10	3,05,067 7 0	28,047 0 4	4,64,483 9 6	34,853	72,350	107,203

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th February 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic			Total receipts.
	Number of passengers	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	39,893½	55,120 1 0	5,052 13 5	1,68,650 0	35,981 14 6	3,234 3 6	8,286 16 11
Or per mile of railway	251	347 3 5	31 16 7	1,138 16	323 4 0	20 7 5	52 4 0
For previous 6 weeks of half-year	222,861	1,82,568 11 6	16,735 9 5	9,30,803 16	1,71,238 5 10	15,696 16 11	32,432 6 4
Total for 7 weeks ..	262,774½	2,37,688 12 6	21,788 2 10	11,18,963 16	2,06,220 4 4	18,931 0 5	40,719 3 3
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	42,178	38,804 8 6	3,557 1 8	2,61,100 21	48,721 0 7	4,466 1 11	8,023 3 7
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	266	244 7 0	22 3 2	1,644 29	306 14 6	28 2 8	50 10 10
Total to corresponding date of previous year	257,600½	1,95,656 15 2	17,935 4 5	16,68,573 11	3,40,797 6 4	31,239 15 5	49,174 19 8

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 52.

Latest return received	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1878.	Total decrease in 1878
			Last 9 days of December 1877.	Last 10 days of December 1878	To 31st December 1877.	To 31st December 1878.		
		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Last 10 days of December 1878.	Northern Bengal	219	2,285 0 0	55,653 0 0	40,330 0 0	9,44,179 0 0	9,03,349 0 0	.....
11th January 1879	Tirhoot	82	10,228 0 0	13,170 0 0	2,06,823 0 0	4,44,594 0 0	1,47,771 0 0	.....
25th " "	Calcutta and South-Eastern ..	28	2,850 0 0	3,195 0 0	1,15,896 0 0	1,25,280 0 0	9,384 0 0	.....
11th " "	Nalhati	27½	2,279 0 0	2,631 0 0	87,454 0 0	90,103 0 0	2,649 0 0	.....
	Total ...	356½	17,642 0 0	74,649 0 0	5,41,003 0 0	16,04,156 0 0	10,63,153 0 0	.....

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1879.	Total decrease in 1879.
			First 5 days of January 1878.	First 4 days of January 1879.	To 5th Jan. 1878.	To 4th Jan. 1879.		
1879.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
First 4 days of Jan.	Northern Bengal	219	1,473 0 0	5,225 0 0	1,473 0 0	5,225 0 0	3,752 0 0	.....
18th January	Tirhoot	82	3,243 0 0	2,494 0 0	3,243 0 0	2,494 0 0	.....	749 0 0
8th February ..	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	1,425 0 0	1,515 0 0	1,425 0 0	1,515 0 0	90 0 0	.....
11th January ...	Nalhati	27¼	3,270 0 0(*a*)	2,555 0 0(*b*)	3,270 0 0(*a*)	2,555 0 0(*b*)	.....	725 0 0
	Total ...	356¼	9,411 0 0	11,789 0 0	9,411 0 0	11,789 0 0	3,842 0 0	1,464 0 0

(*a*) This is for the first 12 days of January 1878.
(*b*) This is for the first 11 days of January 1879.

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1130A.

GENERAL.—*The 26th February* 1879.—Mr. H. Gillon, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nattore, is posted temporarily to the Sudder Station of the district of Rajshahye.

The 27th February 1879.—Mr. G. J. B. T. Dalton, Deputy Commissioner, Cooch Behar, is appointed to be a Deputy Commissioner of the Second Grade, *vice* Major T. H. Lewin, resigned.

Mr. A. W. B. Power, Deputy Commissioner, Lohardugga, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Deputy Commissioners.

Captain E. G. Lillingston, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Julpigoree, is appointed to be a Deputy Commissioner of the Third Grade, *vice* Mr. G. J. B. T. Dalton.

Mr. R. M. Waller, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Bankoora, is appointed to be a Deputy Commissioner of the Fourth Grade, *vice* Captain E. G. Lillingston, and is posted to Darjeeling. Mr. Waller will act, until further orders, in the Third Grade of Deputy Commissioners.

The 28th February 1879.—In supersession of the orders of the 12th instant, Mr. E. H. Whinfield is allowed subsidiary leave from the 4th to the 28th instant, preparatory to retirement from the Bengal Civil Service.

Mr. J. Anderson, Magistrate and Collector, Furreedpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Bankoora, *vice* Mr. R. M. Waller.

Mr. J. E. B. Jeffery, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Furreedpore, *vice* Mr. J. Anderson.

The 1st March 1879.—Baboo Runga Lall Banerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Howrah.

The 3rd March 1879.—Mr. C. F. Manson, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jamtara, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is allowed subsidiary leave for ten days, under Section 10, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 25th instant.

The orders of the 11th ultimo, appointing Baboo Rajendra Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, to have charge of the Aurungabad division of that district, are cancelled.

Mr. E. Stewart, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, is appointed to have charge of the Aurungabad division of that district.

Baboo Nilmony Coowar, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, was in charge of the Raneegunge division of the Burdwan district on the 13th and 14th February 1879.

Mr. G. Toynbee, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Patna, is allowed leave for two months and nineteen days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st May next.

Mr. A. Forbes, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Shahabad, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector, Patna, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. G. Toynbee, or until further orders.

Baboo Koylash Chunder Ghose, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Orissa, is allowed furlough for one year, under Section 7, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 16th April next.

The 4th March 1879.—Mr. E. A. Bradbury, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the First Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. J. E. B. Jeffery.

Mr. W. Fiddian, Officiating Commissioner, Soonderbuns, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors, *vice* Mr. J. F. Bradbury.

Mr. G. K. Lyon, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dinagepore, is transferred to Bogra.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pubna, is transferred to Bogra.

Baboo Nobin Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Madaripore, Furreedpore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870, for the purpose of acquiring land for the site of the Mulfutgunge post-office.

Mr. W. H. Grimley, Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, is allowed furlough for eight months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 23rd April next, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it, together with subsidiary leave for ten days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Moulvi Bazlal Karim, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bankoora, is transferred to Manbhoom

Baboo Obhoy Chunder Das, Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Dacca, is promoted temporarily to the Third Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Rakhal Das Haldar.

Mr. R. H. Renny, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Manbhoom, is promoted temporarily to the Fourth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Obhoy Chunder Das.

Mr. Renny will continue to act as an Assistant Commissioner of the Third Grade until further orders.

Mr. W. N. Campbell, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Hazaribagh, is promoted temporarily to the Fifth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. R. H. Renny.

Mr. Campbell will continue to act as an Assistant Commissioner of the Third Grade until further orders.

Baboo Mohamund Gupta, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is confirmed in the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Moulvi Ikram Russool.

Baboo Denonath Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed under the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, of this Government, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Baboo Mohanund Gupta.

Baboo Janokey Nath Mozoomdar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Maldah, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Moulvi Mahomed Abdool Kadir.

Baboo Probath Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rungpore, is promoted temporarily to the Sixth Grade of the Subordinate Executive Service, *vice* Mr. W. N. Campbell.

The services of Baboo Medni Prosad Sing, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, of this Government. Baboo Medni Prosad Sing is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act III (B.C). of 1876 in the districts of Patna and Gya.

This cancels the orders of the 11th ultimo, appointing Baboo Ramkrishna Turkalunkar to be a Special Deputy Collector for employment under the Irrigation Branch.

Mr. H. Cox, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Mozufferpore, is appointed to have charge of the Nowada division of the Gya district.

POLICE.—*The 1st March* 1879.—Mr. G. R. K. Meares, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Sarun, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District Superintendent of Police, Backergunge.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 4th February* 1879.—The Rev. E. K. Blumhardt, Missionary, Church Missionary Society, officiated as Chaplain of St. Thomas' Church, Calcutta, from the 17th September to 28th October 1878, inclusive.

EDUCATION.—*The 14th February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Nizamut School Committee :—

Nawab Nazir Siddee Darab Ali Khan.
Baboo Rutton Lall Ghose, Sub-Divisional Officer of City Moorshedabad.

The 26th February 1879.—Baboo Peary Mohun Guho is appointed to be Secretary to the District School Committee of Jessore, *vice* Baboo Jagadbundhu Bhuddra resigned.

The 3rd March 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Hazaribagh District School Committee :—

Baboo Kunja Behari Pal. | The Rev. M. Lamert.
Baboo Profullah Churn Banerjee.

The 4th March 1879.—Mr. S. F. Downing, B.A., Professor, Presidency College, is appointed to act in the Second Class of the Bengal Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. W. Garrett, or until further orders.

Pundit Mohesh Chunder Nyayaratna, Officiating Principal, Sanskrit College, is appointed to act in the Third Class of the Bengal Educational Service, *vice* Mr. S. F. Downing.

OPIUM.—*The 4th March* 1879.—Mr. A. F. Mackenzie, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Benares, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th instant.

MEDICAL.—*The 15th February* 1879.—The orders of the 26th December last, appointing Assistant Surgeon Kristo Churn Bose to have charge of the Seetamurhee Dispensary, Mozufferpore, are cancelled.

The 24th February 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Raneegunge, in Burdwan :—

Baboo Dukhinessur Malia, of Searsole.
„ Siba Prosunno Sen, Sub-Deputy Collector.

The 25th February 1879.—Baboo Prosunno Coomar Ghose, Moonsif, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Magoorah, in Jessore.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Cashier, Court of Wards' Office, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Goberdanga, in the 24-Pergunnahs.

The 25th February 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Chuckdiggee, in the district of Burdwan :—

Baboo Chuckon Lall Roy, Zemindar.
„ Hurrish Chunder Roy, Manager, Baboo Jogendra Nath Roy's Estate.
„ Jogendro Nath Roy, Zemindar.
„ Kanti Chunder Mullick, Head Master, Chuckdiggee School.
„ Sharoda Proshad Roy, Head Clerk, Manager's Office.
„ Shoshee Bhusun Roy, Zemindar.
„ Woomesh Chunder Mitter, Manager, Chuckdiggee Estate.

The 27th February 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Mony Lall Dutt, in charge of the Sukea's Street Dispensary, is allowed furlough for one year, under Section 7, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st proximo.

The 4th March 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Poorna Chunder Banerjee is appointed to have charge of the Emambarah Hospital at Hooghly with effect from the afternoon of the 15th ultimo.

PORT TRUST.—*The 28th February* 1879.—Mr. T. H. Wordie is re-appointed to be a Commissioner for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta, under Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 18th February* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Midnapore Municipality :—

Baboo Bhoobaneshar Mitter, Medical Practitioner, *vice* Moulvi Khoyrut Ali.
„ Brojo Lal Dass, Mooktear, *vice* Baboo Kristo Lal Mozoomdar.
Mr. F. Graves, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, *vice* Mr. J. B. Birch.
„ G. J. R. Leeson, District Engineer, *vice* Mr. T. Beatty.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Goberdanga Municipality, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, *vice* Baboo Khetter Mohun Dutt.

The 20th February 1879.—Mr. D. W. Burnett is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Berhampore Municipality, in the district of Moorshedabad.

Baboo Soorjya Kumar Pandit, District Engineer, is appointed to be an *ex-officio* Commissioner of the Berhampore Municipality.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the English Bazar Municipality, in the district of Maldah :—

Syed Abdul Hossain.
Baboo Kristo Chunder Das.
„ Lal Behari Lahuri.
Baboo Madhu Sudun Das.
Syed Mahomed Moniruddin.
Baboo Puddo Lochun Saha.

The 24th February 1879.—The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be Commissioners of the Rampore-Beauleah Municipality :—

Baboo Jadob Chandra Sircar, Pleader.
„ Mohendro Nath Bose, Deputy Magistrate.
„ Shama Charan Mozoomdar, Pleader.

The 26th February 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the re-election by the Commissioners of the Burrisal Municipality of Mr. E. S. Brown to be their Vice-Chairman.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be Commissioners of the Burrisal Municipality :—

Moulvi Mahomed Fazil. | Mr. W. L. Owen.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Burrisal Municipality :—

Baboo Gobindo Prosad Dass.
Mr. A. W. Mackie, Offg. Joint-Magistrate, Backergunge.
Moulvi Mahomed Wazil.

The 3rd March 1879.—Mr. Francis McAlpin is re-appointed to be a Municipal Commissioner of the Town of Calcutta.

ROAD CESS.—*The 26th February* 1879.—Mr. M. E. MacNaghton, an Indigo-Planter, is appointed to be a member of the Meherpore Branch Road Cess Committee, in the district of Nuddea.

The 4th March 1879.—Mr. N. Kenny is appointed to be Vice-Chairman of the Raneegunge Branch Road Cess Committee, in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Mr. E. N. Grace, resigned.

The following Notification is republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 64.—*The 17th February* 1879.—The Notification, No. 37, dated the 29th January 1879, transferring Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S., Supernumerary Assistant-Commissioner, Third Grade, Sylhet, to the district of Cachar, and placing him in charge of the sub-division of Háilákándi, is cancelled.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 3rd March 1879.—In continuation of the notification dated the 21st January last, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 22nd idem, Baboo Denobundhoo Sen, late an Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, passed in Hindustanee by the Higher Standard at the Departmental Examinations held in November last.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 4th March 1879.—With the sanction of the Government of India, the following rule is substituted for Rule 6 of the revised rules for encouraging the study of Oriental languages among graded European officers of the Bengal Educational Service.

Examinations will be held quarterly on the first Monday in January, April, July, and October of each year, before the Board of Examiners at Calcutta. Officers desirous of attending examinations should apply to this office, through the Director of Public Instruction, at least three months before the date of the examination.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the head-quarters of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division will be removed from Howrah to Chinsurah from 10th March 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 26th February 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that, in exercise of the power conferred upon him by Section 34, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to vest in the Commissioners of the Mozufferpore Municipality, with effect from the 1st April 1879, the Charitable Dispensary lying within the limits of that municipality, the said dispensary not being private property nor the property of a religious institution or society.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 314, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the bye-laws stated at foot of this notification, which were made by the Commissioners of the Bogra Municipality at a meeting convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given; and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 315 of the same Act, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the penalties for any breach of the said bye-laws which have been declared by the Commissioners.

BYE-LAWS FOR THE BOGRA MUNICIPALITY.

For Regulating the Mode of Collecting Taxes.

1. Every collecting officer shall be provided with a certificate of his authority bearing the seal of the Municipality and signature of the Chairman, and at the time of demanding payment shall be bound to shew his certificate if required.

2. Any collecting officer taking money in payment of any demand shall give a receipt for it.

For Regulating the Disposal of Offensive Matter, Rubbish, and Dead Bodies of Animals.

3. Every person within whose premises any animal may die shall, within four hours after its death, or if death occurs at night, within two hours after daylight, either remove at his own expense the carcass to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the reception of such carcass or report its death to the Town Overseer, and in such latter case shall pay to the said Overseer the expense of removing the carcass at such rate as the Commissioners may determine; and in cases where the said person is not the owner of the animal, and the owner is known, the owner shall alone be responsible for the payment of such expense, and such expense shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For the Regulation and Management of Privies.

4. On receipt of a notice from the Municipal Commissioners, every owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in which any noxious privy is situated shall fill up, close, or otherwise alter the construction of the said privy as may be directed in the notice; and if the orders contained in the notice be not carried out within 15 days, the Commissioners may fill up, close, or otherwise alter the said privy, and any expense incurred in so doing shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

5. No owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in which any privy may be situated shall allow night-soil or filth of any kind to flow or be discharged from such privy into any public drain, water-course, river or tank.

The penalty for infringement, after due notice, shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

6. No person shall throw, deposit, or discharge night-soil, sewage, or the contents of any drain, privy, or cesspool into any river, tank, khal, or receptacle of water, or dispose of the above-mentioned offensive matters in any other way than as the Municipal Commissioners may from time to time direct.

The penalty for infringement, after due notice, shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

General Bye-laws.

7. No person shall obstruct passengers by buying or selling in the public road, or by keeping any cattle or conveyance of any kind standing longer than requisite on any public road, so as to cause inconvenience to the public.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 25, and for continued infringement, after due notice, a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

8. Any proprietor or occupier of land who refuses or neglects to cut the boughs of the trees growing on such land and overhanging any public road so as to damage the road or interfere with the drainage, or to cut down jungle growing in such land, after being required to do so in writing by the Commissioners, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 25, and for continued infringement, after due notice, to a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

9. Whoever stops any public water-course or drain so as to obstruct the free passage of water shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 25, and for continued infringement, after due notice, to a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

10. Whoever refuses or neglects to keep clean and inoffensive any private tank, privy, drain, or any excavation, after being required to do so in writing by the Commissioners, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 25, and for continued infringement, after due notice, to a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

11. Whoever erects or keeps any privy or urinal within six yards of the public road shall be liable to a fine not exceeding Rs. 25, and for continued infringement, after due notice, to a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

12. No person shall construct or place over any public drain any bridge, platform, building, or structure of any kind, except by, and with the written permission of, the Commissioners, and in such manner as they shall direct.

13. If any house, wall, or other erection, or any part thereof, fall upon any public highway or into any public drain, the owner of such house, wall, or erection shall remove it within the time prescribed by the ommissioners in a written notice.

14. No person shall steep in any river, tank or ditch within the municipal limits any bamboos, jute, hemp, or other vegetable substance likely to render the water in which the substance is steeped offensive or noxious to the neighbourhood.

15. No person shall be allowed to tether any elephant within twenty yards of any public road.

16. No one shall carry a corpse through any public road unless it be totally concealed from public view.

17. No person shall keep any pig otherwise than in an enclosed place.

18. The penalty for infringement of any of the bye-laws numbered 12 to 17 shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, and for continued infringement, after due notice, a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the last clause of Section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and subject to the proviso therein contained, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares (in continuation of the notification of the 7th December 1878, published at page 1298 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem,) the tract described in the schedule hereto annexed to be a "protected forest":—

24-PERGUNNAHS DISTRICT.

NAME OF FOREST—LOT No. 165.

Description of Boundaries.

On the north—By the Eshamuttee River, or Khuddumtullee.
On the east—By the Eshamuttee River, or Khuddumtullee, then by the Allooah Khal, and then by the Aburee Khal.
On the south—By the Moor Gang Khal.
On the west—By the lands of Ramzannuggur, Bhyrnonuggur, and Soonderberia.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the last clause of Section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and subject to the proviso therein contained, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the tract described in the schedule hereto annexed to be a "protected forest":—

JESSORE DISTRICT.

Pergunnah or other Sub-Division.

Sub-Division, Khulna. | Thana, Paik Gatcha.

NAME OF FOREST.

That portion of the Sunderbuns lying in the district of Jessore which consists of lot No. 216, the ungranted portion of lot No. 224 and lot No. 225, according to Lieutenant Hodge's Survey Map of 1831.

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES.

Northern boundary.—An irregular line starting from the northern extremity of the Sunderbuns boundary, immediately west of lot No. 216, and proceeding eastward along the Ghoskhali Khal until it reaches the Sipsah River; then north-eastward along the Dhaki River until it meets the south boundary of the granted portion of lot No. 224; then eastward along the south boundary of the granted portion of lot No. 224, until it meets the Bhudder River; then southward along the Bhudder River until it meets the Churna Khal; then north-eastward along the Churna Khal until it meets the Parsah River.

Eastern boundary.—The Parsah River.

Southern boundary.—The northern boundary of the reserved forest tract in the Jessore portion of the Sunderbuns

Western boundary.—The Sunderbuns boundary line on the west side of lot No. 216, as shown in Lieutenant Hodge's Survey Map of 1831.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the tracts in the 24-Pergunnahs and Jessore Sunderbuns declared to be "protected forests" under the notification of the 7th December 1878 published at page 1298 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem) and the two foregoing notifications of the 24th February 1879, have been removed from the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of the Sunderbuns and placed in charge of the Conservator of Forests in Bengal.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th February 1879.—At the instance of the Government of Fort St. George the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following notification.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Kistna Collector's Office, Masulipatam, 31st January 1879.

It is hereby notified, under Section V of "The Indian Treasure Trove Act (VI of 1878)," that on or about the 4th September 1877, a copper vessel containing gold and silver jewels valued in all at Rs. 70-14, as detailed below, was found buried in the puttah land of Patti Peda Latchereddi of Kambhampad, in the Palnad Taluq of the Kistna district.

2. All persons claiming the treasure, or any part thereof, are required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Kistna at his office on the 12th June 1879, in order to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the said Act.

Description of Articles.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
8 Ingots of gold	24	12	0
2 Female ear ornaments	7	14	0
4 Gold wires	26	4	0
2 Small ear ornaments	5	0	0
1 Gold ring	4	4	0
1 Gold bead	0	14	0
2 Silver bangles	1	14	0
2 Pieces of a broken copper vessel	...		
Total ...	70	14	0

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 6 of Act VIII of 1878 that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioner of the Dacca division to be "Chief Customs Officer" in the port of Naraingunge, in the district of Dacca

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of Act VIII of 1878 the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that Naraingunge, in the district of Dacca shall be a port for the carrying on of coasting trade with customs ports, and for no other purpose.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th February 1879.—Plans and estimates, the latter amounting to Rs. 14,500, for the construction of a landing stage at Schalch's Wharf, in place of the jetty erected there, having been submitted by the Port Commissioners with their Vice Chairman's letter No. 3122, dated the 9th January 1879, and approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 25th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Kishnaghur Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for constructing a latrine in division No. 4, in the town of Kishnaghur, pergunnah Ukhra, zillah Nuddea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a plot of land measuring, more or less, 7 cottahs 12 chittacks is required within the aforesaid town of Kishnaghur. It is bounded on the north by jumma land of Hurrinath Haldar; east by jumma land of Gatiram Ghose; south by jumma land of Jadub Sirkar and jumma land of Pitumber Bhattacharjee; and west by the High Street.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 4th March 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Patna Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for widening the Chowhutta Lane, in the town of Patna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two strips of land lying on the east and west of the said lane, measuring 3*c.* 15*d.* 15¼*dh.*, more or less, local measurement, is required within the said town of Patna, pergunnah Azimabad, in the district of Patna.

The plan of the above plots of land may be inspected in the Patna Municipal Office between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M any day, Sundays and authorized holidays excepted.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that and is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for constructing a post-office bungalow in the village of Kansat, pergunnah Sirsabad, zillah Maldah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, five cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the south by Samiruddin Chowdhury's waste land; on the north by a road to the ghât on the Ganges; on the east by a road leading to the zemindari kachari and by Sakir chowkeedar's house; and on the west by Samiruddin Chowdhury's arat house (godown), is required within the aforesaid village of Kansat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1431A.

The 15th February 1879.—Moonshi Alimuddin is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Bagdogra Bench, in the district of Rungpore, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 17th February 1879.—Mr. W. F. Meres, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is authorized, under Section 27 of the Criminal Procedure Code, Act X of 1872, to make over cases to the Subordinate Magistrates and the Bench of the district during the absence, on tour, of the District Magistrate.

The 22nd February 1879.—Baboo Bonomally Singh, Manager of the Dhenkenal Tributary State, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

The 28th February 1879.—Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee, Second Moonsif of Alipore, in the 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Moonsif of Sealdah, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Dwarka Nath Mitter, or until further orders.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee will continue to exercise at Sealdah the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the value of Rs. 50.

The 4th March 1879.—Baboo Brojomohun Dutt, Officiating Judge of the Courts of Small Causes, Kishnaghur, Meherpore, and Ranaghat, is promoted to the First Grade of Sub-Judges and Small Cause Court Judges, *vice* Mr. C. A. Kelly.

Baboo Kalidas Dutt, Second Sub-Judge of Tipperah, is promoted to the Second Grade of Sub-Judges and Small Cause Court Judges, *vice* Baboo Brojomohun Dutt.

Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Sen, First Sub-Judge of Backergunge, on leave, is promoted to the Third Grade of Sub-Judges and Small Cause Court Judges, *vice* Baboo Kalidas Dutt.

Baboo Kedar Nath Mozoomdar, Officiating Second Sub-Judge of Mymensingh, is appointed to be a Sub-Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of the Fourth Grade, *vice* Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Sen.

Baboo Kedar Nath Mozoomdar is appointed to be a Sub-Judge of Patna, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Second Sub-Judge of Mymensingh.

Baboo Bolac Chand is appointed to be Judge of the Courts of Small Causes of Bhagulpore and Monghyr and to be a Sub-Judge of Bhagulpore.

Hafiz Abdool Kurreem is appointed to be a Sub-Judge of Bhagulpore.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 1st March* 1879.—Baboo Sadanund, Moonsif of Hazaribagh, in the district of Chota Nagpore, has been allowed leave of absence for two months, under Note 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 11th April 1879, or such date on which he may avail himself of it.

The 3rd March 1879.—Baboo Nilmoney Dass, Moonsif of Maldah, late in zillah Dinagepore, but now in the district of Rajshahye, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Section 3, Supplement F of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him on the 8th January 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The 21st February 1879.—The following notification of the Government of India Home Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.

No. 30.—*Dated Fort William, the 13th February* 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 25 of Act XXII of 1864, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exclude the thana of Barranagore, lately called Areadah, from the operation of the rules and regulations made under Clause 7, Section 19 of the said Act, which were extended to that thana by Home Department Notification No. 22, dated the 19th February 1877.

The Act will remain in force in thana Dum-Dum, which is bounded as follows :—

North—Thana Barrackpore.	*East*—Thanas Baraset and Bhangour.
South—Thana Bhangour.	*West*—Thana Barranagore.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by Section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act VI of 1871, the Lieutenant-Governor vests Baboo Romanath Sil, a Moonsif of Satkhira, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which he shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of the Satkhira Moonsifee jurisdiction.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th February 1879.—The following list of Members of the Board of Management f the Reformatory School established at Alipore for the reception and industrial training of juvenile offenders is published for general information :—

Hon'ble H. T Prinsep	*President.*
Surgeon-Major R. Harvey	*Vice-Presidents.*
Doctor S. S. Lynch	*Vice-Presidents.*
Nawab Ameer Ali	*Members.*
Mr. Ameer Ali	*Members.*
„ J. G. Charles	*Members.*
Maharajah Narendra Krishna	*Members.*
Mr. J. Lambert	*Members.*
Surgeon A. S. Lethbridge	*Members.*
Moulvie Abdool Luteef, Khan Bahadoor	*Members.*
Surgeon-Major S. C. Mackenzie	*Members.*
Hon'ble Kristo Das Pal, Rai Bahadoor, C.I.E.	*Members.*
Surgeon-Major A. J. Payne	*Members.*
Mr. W. M. Souttar	*Members.*

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under the provisions of Section 15 of Act V of 1861, that the villages of Deotula, Bhygoorah, Karaitallah, Koichoichora, Talleshur, Sonbaria, Jaffurkhally, Amtallee, and Bamna, in the Perozepore sub-division, in the district of Backergunge, being still in a very disturbed and dangerous state owing to the existence of disputes regarding the possession of lands and collection of rents, and owing to the animosity between the rival parties, the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned, from the 15th February 1879, the employment for a further period of six months of a special police force consisting of 1 sub-inspector, 4 head-constables, and 50 constables, to be quartered at the said villages for the purpose of keeping the peace between the members of the family of the Bamna Chowdries and their rivals, respecting the estate known as Jooar Ramna Bamna.

The cost of the police force noted below will be assessed and levied from the inhabitants of the villages in proportion to their respective means—

			Rs.	A.	P.
1	1 Sub-inspector, at Rs 50		50	0	0
1	—				
	1 Head-constable, at Rs. 25		25	0	0
	1 Ditto, „ 20		20	0	0
	1 Ditto, „ 15		15	0	0
	1 Ditto, „ 10		10	0	0
4	—				
	20 Constables, at Rs. 9		180	0	0
	30 Ditto, „ 8		240	0	0
50	—				
	Total ...		540	0	0
	Pensionary charges, at 2 annas per rupee		67	8	0
	Contingencies, at 10 per cent.		54	0	0
	1 Sub-inspector's boat-hire, at Rs. 20		20	0	0
	Total ...		681	8	0
	Total for six months ...		4,089	0	0
	Clothing allowance of 54 men, Rs. 4 each... ...		108	0	0
	Repairs to barracks, &c.		100	0	0
	Grand total ...		4,297	0	0

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Sub-Registry Office at Gopalgunge, in the district of Sarun, be closed during the suspension of that sub-division, or until further orders, the thanas Baragaon and Barauli, with pergunnah Murhul, at present forming the registration sub-district of Gopalgunge, reverting to the sub-district of Sewan. This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th February 1879.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 3, Act XIV of 1874 (the Scheduled Districts Act), the Lieutenant-Governor, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, hereby declares that Act VI of 1864 (Whipping Act) is in force in the mehals of Ungool and Bankee.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Sections 35 and 40 of Act XI of 1865, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. H. Ryper, Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, Sealdah, to be Registrar of that Court, and vests him with the power to try suits up to Rs. 20 in value arising within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 13th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 to the town of Revilgunge, in the district of Sarun.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

(COMMUNICATIONS).

The 27th February 1879.

No 49.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the improvement of water communication in Eastern Bengal, by making a channel in the village of Keepaitnagar, pergunnah Shilimabad, zillah Backergunge, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land about 1,400 feet in length and 470 feet in breadth, measuring, more or less, 46 beeghas of standard measurement, extending opposite the junction of the Rupshaha River with the Dhansiddhi River in a nearly north-east direction to the Gujalia River, and between the inhabited parts of Keepaitnagar and the village of Diacool on the north and south respectively, is required within the aforesaid village of Keepaitnagar:

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 3rd March 1879.

No. 50.—*Notification.*—Mr. W. Smith, Superintending Engineer, First Grade, assumed charge of the Northern Circle on the 3rd February 1879, before noon.

No. 51.—Mr. H. J. Handley, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Darjeeling Division on the 3rd February 1879, before noon.

No. 52.—Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, joined the Dacca Division on the 17th February 1879, before noon, on return from the privilege leave granted to him,* the unexpired portion of which is cancelled.

* Bengal Government Public Works Department Notification No. of the

A. CADELL, *Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 28th February 1879.

No 67 —NOTIFICATIONS.—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Mr. C. Taylor, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is to be considered as having been attached to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division from the date of his return from Madras Famine Relief Works to that of joining the office of the Government of India, Public Works Department.

No. 20, dated 20th January 1879.
„ 58, dated 17th February 1879.

The 3rd March 1879.

No. 68.—With reference to the orders marginally noted, with the sanction of the Government of India, Mr. H. C. Levinge is hereby gazetted to have been on special duty at the Presidency from the 5th to the 22nd January 1879, both days inclusive; and Major J. M. McNeile, R.E., as in charge of the Sone Circle for the above period, with the rank of Superintending Engineer, Third Grade (temporary rank), he having received charge of that circle on the afternoon of the 4th idem.

Nos. 35 and 37, dated 24th January 1879.

No. 69.—LEAVE.—Mr. E. A. Parsick, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Northern Drainage and Embankment Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 14, of the 13th January 1879, from the afternoon of the 6th January 1879, and returned to duty on the forenoon of 22nd February 1879.

The 3rd March 1879.

No. 70.—DECLARATIONS.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a protection embankment at Arwal, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring about 4,000 feet long and averaging from 20 to 105 feet wide, and containing 4 acres, more or less, is required within the villages of Wassilpore, Seepah, and Mukdoompore, pergunnah Arwal, zillah Gya.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

No. 71.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for a bund outside of outlet in 81st mile of the Patna Branch Canal, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a strip of land measuring about 680 feet long and 257 feet wide, and containing 2 acres 3 roods and 35 poles, more or less, is required within the village of Nasrigunge Seekanderpore, pergunnah Phoolwary, zillah Patna.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. B. HORN,
for Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrign. Branch.

RAILWAY.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Gya and Hazareebagh, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Gya to Daltongunge *viâ* Shergotty.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Mozufferpore, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Mozufferpore to Hajeepore and from Somastipore to Hajeepore.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

Circular Order issued by Authority of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

CIVIL.

No. 8, dated the 17th February 1879.

The annexed form of Annual Statement, showing the number of compulsory sales of immoveable property not conducted by the agency of the Collector, is circulated to District Judges for adoption in place of that prescribed by Circular Memo. No. 18, dated 10th November 1873.

2. The returns for the current and future financial years should be submitted in the new form.

Annual Statement showing the number of tenures sold by order of the Civil Courts in the district of in the financial year 18 .

Nature of tenure sold.	Number of tenure sold entire.	Number of tenure a share in which only was sold.	Remarks.
ESTATES PAYING REVENUE TO GOVERNMENT—			
(*a*) paying more than Rs. 5,000			
(*b*) „ „ 1,000 and not more than Rs. 5,000			
(*c*) „ „ 200 „ „ 1,000			
(*d*) paying not more than Rs. 200			
ESTATES NOT PAYING REVENUE TO GOVERNMENT—			
(*a*) whose area is 1,000 acres and upwards			
(*b*) „ „ 500 to 1,000 acres			
(*c*) „ „ 100 to 500 „			
(*d*) „ „ less than 100 „			
INTERMEDIATE TENURES—			
(*a*) Putnee talooks of all grades, mocureree tenures, and other tenures in perpetuity			
(*b*) Intermediate tenures for terms of years			
RYOTS' HOLDINGS—			
(*a*) Holdings at fixed rates			
(*b*) Occupancy rights not at fixed rates			
(*c*) Other holdings			
TOTAL			

NOTIFICATION.

The annexed rules, framed by the High Court under Section 287, Act X of 1877 (the Code of Civil Procedure), are published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th February 1879. J. CRAWFURD, *Registrar.*

Rules framed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, under Section 287, Act X of 1877.

Under Section 287, Act X of 1877, the Court are pleased to direct that when an application is made to any Civil Court for the attachment of any estate, or share of an estate, borne on the revenue-roll of any district, the annual amount of revenue for which the whole estate is liable shall be stated, in addition to the particulars required by Section 238 of the Act to be specified in the authenticated extract from the register of the Collector's office.

2. Where the application is for the attachment of any revenue-free lands, or of any share in such lands, then, in addition to the particulars required by Section 237 of the Act, the area of the whole revenue-free tenure shall be stated in the application, in case this information has been recorded in the Collector's register.

RICHARD GARTH.	J. SEWELL WHITE.
LOUIS S. JACKSON.	R. C. MITTER.
CHARLES PONTIFEX.	W. F. MCDONELL.
W. AINSLIE.	H. T. PRINSEP.
E. G. BIRCH.	A. WILSON.
G. G. MORRIS.	L. P. DELVES BROUGHTON.

FORT WILLIAM, the 28th February 1879.

NOTIFICATION.

THE following Rule, framed by the High Court, under 24 and 25 Victoria, Chapter 104, Section 15, amending the rules for observance by judicial officers in the receipt and payment of money, having been sanctioned by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, is published for general information.

By order of the High Court,

FORT WILLIAM, *the 28th February* 1879. J. CRAWFURD, *Registrar.*

The following addition shall be made to Rule 13:—

"Payment orders issued for payment from the local treasury are not to be cashed more "than ten days after the date they bear, unless the order is first presented to the Court "issuing it, and re-enfaced with a new payment order which again will have validity for "ten days."

RICHARD GARTH.	J. SEWELL WHITE.
LOUIS S. JACKSON.	ROMESH CHUNDER MITTER.
CHARLES PONTIFEX.	W. F. MCDONELL.
W. AINSLIE.	H. T. PRINSEP.
E. G. BIRCH.	A. WILSON.
G. G. MORRIS.	L. P. DELVES BROUGHTON.

FORT WILLIAM, *the 28th February* 1879.

Sheriff's Office, the 19th February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of March next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৯ফেব্রুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই মার্চ সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের তৃতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত সময়ে উক্ত স্থানে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO BHAGOBAN CHUNDER BOSE has been placed in charge of the Nuddea treasury from the 18th instant, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

R. L. MANGLES, *Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 24th February 1879.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR MR. G. COLLINS has been placed in charge of the Lohardugga Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

J. F. K. HEWITT, *Offg. Commr. of Chota Nagpore.*

MR. H. T. MAQUIRE, Assistant Collector, has been placed in charge of the Beerbhoom Treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

T. E. RAVENSHAW, *Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVISION, the 1st March 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Gilchrist Scholarships.

No. 19, dated India Office, London, the 31st December 1878.

From—The Secretary of State for India,
To—His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council.

MY LORD,—I forward herewith, for the information of your Excellency in Council, and for such circulation as you may deem necessary, copy of a letter* received from the Secretary to the Gilchrist Trustees, which transmitted the papers for the scholarship examinations to be held next month at Calcutta, and at the same time announces certain changes decided upon by the Trustees with respect to the languages to be brought up by candidates, and the duration of the tenure of the scholarships, which changes are to commence about a twelve-month hence.

* 4th December 1878, with printed enclosure.

2. The papers for the scholarship examinations of next month were forwarded to your Government by the mail of the 6th instant *vid* Brindisi.

Dated London, the 4th December 1878.

From—WILLIAM B. CARPENTER, ESQ.,
To—SIR LOUIS MALLET, C.B., &c., &c., &c.

I HAVE the honor of forwarding to you, on the part of the Gilchrist Trustees, the papers for the scholarship examinations to be held next month in the three Presidential Capitals of India.

(Sent *vid* Brindisi, 6th December 1878.)

At the same time, I am to inform you that as the Senate of the University of London have now admitted Sanskrit and Arabic as alternative subjects with Greek and German for their matriculation examination, the Trustees have decided that this shall henceforth be the examination by which the *Indian* scholarships shall be awarded, as it has been from the beginning in the case of the *Colonial* scholarships.

I shall accordingly cause to be forwarded to you early in December 1879 the papers for the *University matriculation examination*, of the regulations for which I herewith enclose three copies. It is in almost every respect identical with that hitherto conducted, except that *two* languages (*one* of which may be either Sanskrit *or* Arabic) must be brought up in *addition to Latin*. I believe that candidates will have no difficulty in obtaining instruction in French, though it is not, I believe, taught in the Presidency Colleges.

As those who pass this examination will be prepared, if they obtain the scholarship and come to England, at once to enter upon the course of study for a degree in one of the Faculties of the University, instead of requiring twelve or eighteen months for qualifying themselves to pass the matriculation examination, the Trustees have determined to shorten the tenure of the Indian scholarships from *five* to *four* years (they will still be held for a year longer than the Colonial scholarships, which are limited to three years), and the Trustees will be prepared to give favourable consideration to the case of any Indian scholar who, having taken his Bachelor's Degree with honors, is desirous of obtaining an additional year for the purpose of proceeding to the Degree of Master or Doctor. They have already granted this privilege in two cases.

I have to request that you will make these changes known in the three Presidencies.

No. $\frac{2}{50-51}$.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Home Department (Education), under date Fort William, the 25th February 1879.

READ the following correspondence connected with the scheme of the Gilchrist Trustees for awarding two Indian scholarships of £100 each:—

1. Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, to the Government of India, No. 18 of 1866, dated 30th November, and enclosure.
2. Letters to Governments of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, Nos. 411 to 413, dated 15th January 1867.
3. Letter from Bengal, No 635, dated 6th February 1867.
4. Letters to Madras and Bombay, Nos. 1754 and 1755, dated 20th February 1867.
5. Letter from Bombay No. 8, dated 15th February 1867, and enclosure.
6. Letter from Bombay, No. 23, dated 30th March 1867, and enclosure.
7. Letter from Madras 121, dated 26th April 1867, and enclosure.

} Education Proceedings, May 1867, Nos. 17 to 22.

8. Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, to the Government of India, No. 3, dated 25th April 1867, and enclosures and endorsements thereon to Bengal, Madras, and Bombay Nos 945 to 947, dated 3rd May 1867.
9. Despatch from the Government of India, to Her Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 5, dated 31st May 1867.
10. Letter from Bombay No 40, dated 25th June 1867, and enclosure.
11. Letter from Bengal, No. 3241, dated 25th July 1867, and enclosure.
12. Letter from Madras, No. 273, dated 26th August 1867, and enclosures.

} Education Proceedings, September 1867, Nos. 31 to 35.

13. Despatch from the Government of India, to Her Majesty's Secretary of State, No. 12, dated 19th September 1867.
14. Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, to the Government of Bombay, No. 8 of 1867, dated 16th December, and enclosure.
15. Resolution of the Government of India, Home Department, Nos. 91 to 97, dated 11th February 1868.
16. Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State, to the Government of India, No. 1, dated 18th January 1877.
17. Despatch from ditto to ditto, No. 19, dated 31st December 1878, and enclosures.

RESOLUTION.

IN 1867 the Secretary of State communicated to the Government of India the scheme of the Gilchrist Educational Trustees for awarding two scholarships, each of the value of £100 a year and tenable for five years, to candidates born in India, who should be selected by competitive examination. The Trustees reserved to themselves the power of altering the conditions of the scholarships, or of withdrawing them altogether: provided that no change should affect the interests of existing scholarship-holders, or should be introduced without twelve months' notice.

2. The scheme as originally promulgated has since been modified in two points:

(i.) The competition, originally confined to persons of whose parents one at least belonged to one of the Native races, was extended so as to admit "all persons born in India, except those of pure European descent."*

(ii.) Shortly after the publication of the scheme in India, the Secretary of State, in accordance with a request from the Trustees, agreed to grant the sum of £100 for passage to each of the successful candidates proceeding to England, and to allow the same amount for a return passage to India to such of them as might forfeit their scholarships by failing to pass the prescribed University examinations, or from any other cause.

* Enclosure of Secretary of State's despatch to the Government of Bombay, No. 8, dated 16th December 1867.

It was subsequently represented to the Trustees that under this arrangement a concession was made to unsuccessful scholars which was not, as a rule, granted to successful scholars; and it was suggested to them that as the passages of all scholars to England and the return passages of unsuccessful scholars were provided from the Indian revenues, it might be proper that successful scholars should receive their return passage to India from the funds of the Trust. On this, the Trustees consented to assign a sum not exceeding £50 for the return passage of each successful scholar whose passage should not have been otherwise provided for, and the Secretary of State decided to reduce the allowance made to unsuccessful scholars for their return passage from £100 to £50 †

† Secretary of State's despatch to the Government of India, No 1, dated 18th January 1877.

3. The Secretary of State now forwards‡ a letter from the Gilchrist Educational Trustees announcing important changes in—

‡ Secretary of State's despatch No. 19, dated 31st December 1878.

(i) the subjects in which candidates are examined, and
(ii) the term for which the scholarships are tenable.

Hitherto the subjects in which candidates have been examined have been Latin, the English Language and History, Arithmetic and Algebra, Geometry, Natural Philosophy, and Chemistry. In every respect, except as regards languages, the course for the Gilchrist Scholarships has been substantially the same, in point of character and difficulty, as the course laid down for matriculation at the London University. But as certain additional languages are required by the latter course, successful candidates, on their arrival in England, have found themselves compelled to study for twelve or eighteen months before passing the matriculation examination.

4. The Senate of the London University have recently admitted Sanskrit or Arabic as alternative subjects with Greek, French, and German for their matriculation examination, and the matriculation course now stands as follows:—

Candidates shall not be approved by the Examiners unless they have shewn a competent knowledge in each of the following subjects according to the details specified under the several heads:—

(1) Latin;
(2) Any two* of the following languages: Greek, French, German, and either Sanskrit or Arabic;
(3) The English Language, English History, and Modern Geography;
(4) Mathematics;
(5) Natural Philosophy;
(6) Chemistry.

The following are the particulars of the foregoing subjects of examination:—

LANGUAGES.

LATIN.

One Latin subject to be selected by the Senate one year and a half previously from the works of the under-mentioned authors:†

Virgil—One book of the Georgics, and one Book of the Æneid.
Horace—Two Books of the Odes.
Sallust—The Conspiracy of Catiline, or the War with Jugurtha.
Cæsar—Two Books of the Gallic War.
Livy—One Book.
Cicero—De Senectute or De Amicitiâ, with one of the following Orations: Pro Lege Manilià, one of the four Catilinarian Orations, Pro Archiâ, Pro M. Marcello.
Ovid—One Book of the Metamorphoses, and one Book of the Epistles or Heroides.

The paper in Latin shall contain passages to be translated into English, with questions in History and Geography arising out of the subjects of the book selected. Short and easy passages shall also be set for translation from other books not so selected. A separate paper shall be set containing questions in Latin Grammar, with simple and easy sentences of English to be translated into Latin.‡

GREEK.§

One Greek subject, to be selected by the Senate one year and a half previously from the works of the under-mentioned authors.‖

Homer—One Book.
Xenophon—One Book.

The paper in Greek shall contain passages to be translated into English, with questions in Grammar,¶ and with questions in History and Geography arising out of the subjects of the book selected. Short and easy passages shall also be set for translation from other books not so selected.

FRENCH.

The paper in French shall contain passages for translation into English, and questions in Grammar, limited to the Accidence.

GERMAN.

The paper in German shall contain passages for translation into English, and questions in Grammar, limited (except when German is taken as an alternative for Greek) to the Accidence.

SANSKRIT: ARABIC.

The paper in Sanskrit and the paper in Arabic shall contain passages for translation into English, and questions in Grammar.

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* No credit will be given for more than two of these languages.

† The LATIN subjects for 1879 and 1880 are—
For January 1879—*Cæsar*, De Bello Gallico, Books III and IV.
For June 1879—*Cicero*, De Senectute, and the First Speech against Catiline.
For January 1880—*Cicero*, De Amicitiâ and the Speech pro Lege Manilià.
For June 1880—*Sallust*, De Bello Jugurthino.

‡ Special stress is laid on accuracy in the answers to the Grammar questions, and on the correct rendering of English into Latin.

§ Candidates may substitute German for Greek.

‖ The Greek subjects for 1879 and 1880 are—
For January 1879—*Homer*, Odyssey, Book XIV.
For June 1879—*Xenophon*, Anabasis, Book III.
For January 1880—*Xenophon*, Agesilaus.
For June 1880—*Homer*, Odyssey, Book XI.

¶ Special stress is laid on accuracy in the answers to the questions in Greek Grammar.

THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE, ENGLISH HISTORY AND MODERN GEOGRAPHY.

Orthography: Writing from Dictation the Grammatical Structure of the Language.
History of England to the end of the Seventeenth Century, with questions in Modern Geography.

MATHEMATICS.

ARITHMETIC.

The ordinary Rules of Arithmetic.
Vulgar and Decimal Fractions.
Extraction of the Square Root.

ALGEBRA.

Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication and Division of Algebraical Quantities.
Proportion.
Arithmetical and Geometrical Progression.
Simple Equations.

GEOMETRY.

The First Four Books of Euclid, or the subjects thereof.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.*

MECHANICS.

Composition and Resolution of Statical Forces.
Simple Machines (*Mechanical Powers*). Ratio of the Powreto the Weight in each.
Centre of Gravity.
General Laws of Motion, with the chief experiments by which they may be illustrated.
Law of the Motion of Falling Bodies.

HYDROSTATICS, HYDRAULICS, AND PNEUMATICS.

Pressure of Liquids and gases, its equal diffusion, and variation with the depth.
Specific Gravity, and modes of determining it.
The Barometer, the Syphon, the Common Pump and Forcing-Pump, and the Air-Pump.

OPTICS.

Laws of Reflexion and Refraction.
Formation of Images by Mirrors and Simple Lenses.

HEAT.

Its sources. Expansion. Thermometers—relations between different Scales in common use. Difference between Temperature and Quantity of Heat. Specific and Latent Heat. Calorimeters. Liquefaction. Ebullition. Evaporation. Conduction. Convection. Radiation.

CHEMISTRY.

Chemistry of the Non-Metallic elements, including their compounds as enumerated below, their chief physical and chemical characters, their preparation, and their characteristic tests:

Oxygen, Hydrogen, Carbon, Nitrogen, Chlorine, Bromine, Iodine, Fluorine, Sulphur, Phosphorus, Silicon.

Combining Proportions by weight and by volume. General nature of Acids, Bases, and Salts. Symbols and Nomenclature.
The Atmosphere—its constitution; effects of Animal and Vegetable life upon its composition.
Combustion. Structure and properties of Flame. Nature and composition of ordinary Fuel.
Water. Chemical peculiarities of Natural Waters, such as rain-water, river-water, spring-water, sea-water.
Carbonic Acid. Carbonic Oxide. Oxides and Acids of Nitrogen. Ammonia. Olefiant Gas, Marsh Gas, Sulphurous and Sulphuric Acids, Sulphuretted Hydrogen.
Hydrochloric Acid. Phosphoric Acid and Phosphuretted Hydrogen. Silica.

5. In consequence of the introduction into the language test of Sanskrit and Arabic, the Gilchrist Educational Trustees have decided that the matriculation course of the London University shall henceforth be the standard for the *Indian* Gilchrist Scholarships, as it has been from the first for the corresponding *Colonial* Scholarships. And in view of the fact that candidates who gain scholarships by this examination will be qualified on their arrival in England at once to enter upon the course of study for a degree in one of the Faculties of the University, the Trustees have further determined to reduce the tenure of the Indian Scholarships from five to four years, as set forth in the following extract from the Regulations of the University of London:—

III. INDIAN SCHOLARSHIPS.—Two scholarships, each of the value of one hundred pounds per annum, and tenable for four years, are annually awarded to the two candidates who pass highest in the examination carried on at the three presidential capitals, and corresponding with the matriculation examination: provided that such candidates pass either in the Honors or in the First Division, and are desirous of prosecuting their studies, either at the University of Edinburgh or at University College, London, with a view to graduation in one of the four Faculties of the University of London.

Even with this reduction the Indian Scholarships will still be held for one year longer than the Colonial Scholarships, and the Trustees will be prepared to give favourable consideration to the case of any Indian scholar who, having taken his Bachelor's Degree with

* The questions in Natural Philosophy will be of a strictly elementary character.

Honors, is desirous of obtaining an additional year's tenure of his scholarship for the purpose of proceeding to the degree of Master or Doctor. This privilege has already been granted in two cases.

6. The changes now sanctioned will take effect at the examination to be held in the three Presidency towns during the second week of January 1880. Candidates who present themselves at that examination will be examined in the full matriculation course of the London University; and the winners of the scholarships will hold them for four years only, unless they are admitted to the special privilege of retaining their scholarships in order to proceed to a further degree. It will also be observed that Acoustics, which has hitherto formed a part of the examination for the Gilchrist Scholarships, is not included in the matriculation course of the London University.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution and of the Secretary of State's despatch to the Government of India, No. 19 of 1878, dated 31st December, and of its enclosure, be forwarded to local Governments and Administrations for information and for republication in the local gazettes.

C. BERNARD,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

The following Selections in languages are appointed for the Examinations of 1879-80 and 1881-82 :—

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

1879.

Uriya.

The Raghubansá has been substituted for the Batris Sinhásan in the Entrance of 1879 and following years.

1880.

English.

Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare.

1881.

Greek.

Xenophon	... Anabasis. Books I and II.
Homer	... Iliad. Book I.

Latin.

Ovid	... * Tristium Elegiæ. * Miscellanea.
Cæsar	... De Bello Gallico. Book IV.

Sanskrit.

Extracts from Hitopadesa, Vishnupurána, and Mahábhárat, in Rijupat, Part III. Upakramaniká.

Arabic.

*Selections by Major Fuller.

Persian.

Iqd-i-gul	... Pages 1 to 105.
Iqd-i-Manzum.	

Hebrew.

The Book of Genesis.

Bengali.

*Selections by the Rev. K. M. Banerjea, D.L.

Urdu.

*Selections in Prose by Rájá Sivaprasád, C.S.I.
*Selections in Poetry by Mr. Browning.

Hindi.

Rámáyana	... Bálkanda.
Rájniti	... The first two chapters.

Uriya.

Rámáyana	... Sundra Kánda.
Jíban Charita	... Translation from Iswara Chandra Vidyáságara by Fakeer Chand Senápati.

Raghuvansá.

Armenian.

History of Armenia	... Books I—III.

Burmese.

Zeneka.	
Dhamma Pada-ga-hta	... Selections (Rangoon Mission Press, 1873).

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* Thacker, Spink & Co.

FIRST EXAMINATION IN ARTS, 1881.

English.

*	Milton	... Paradise Lost. Book II.
*	Cowper	... The Task. Books IV, V, VI.
*	Selections from Byron, Scott, Moor, and Wordsworth.	
*	Robertson	... History of Charles V. Book I.
*	Paley	... Selections from Natural Theology.
*	Selections from the Spectator and Rambler.	
	Hutton	... Life of Scott (Morley's English Men of Letters).

Greek.

	Euripides	... Medea.
	Herodotus	... Euterpe. Book II.

Latin.

*	Tibullus	... Selections
*	Propertius	... Selections.
	Livy	... Book V.

Sanskrit.

Raghuvansá	... Books I to VIII, inclusive.
Bhattikávya	... Books I to V, ditto.

Arabic.

*Selections by Mr. Kempson.

Hebrew.

Genesis.
Ruth.
Psalms. 1 to 72.
Job. Chapters 1 to 5.

Persian.

Sih-nasr-i-zahuri	... First 25 pages.
Rúquat-i-Mirza Bedil	... Ditto.
Qasaid-i-Urfi	... Ditto.
Sekandar Namah	... Ditto.

B. A. EXAMINATION.

1882.

English.

Shakespeare	... Macbeth, Richard III, Midsummer Night's Dream.
Milton	... Lycidas, L'Allegro, Il Penseroso, Hymn on the Nativity.
Wordsworth	... Excursion. Book I (Rivington's School Classics.)
Bacon	... Essays.
Huxley	... Life of Hume. } Morley's English Men of
Morrison	... Life of Gibbon. } Letters.
John Stuart Blackie	... Self Culture.

Greek.

Sophocles	... Philoctetes.
Demosthenes	... De Corona.

Latin.

Virgil	... Georgics. Books I and II.
Tacitus	... Histories. Books I and II.

Sanskrit.

Kumár Sambhava	... Books I to VII.
Meghadúta.	
Sákuntala	... (Devanagrí Recension.)

Hebrew.

Deuteronomy.
Psalms. I—XLI.
Isaiah. I—XXXIX.
Daniel. I—VII.
Proverbs.

*Arabic.**

Tarekh-i-Yamani	... }
Hamasah. First 31 pages	... } As contained in Selections by Colonel Lees.
Mutanabbi	... }

*Persian.**

Veqac Neamat Khan Ali	.. The first half
Durra-i-Nadiri	... 50 pages, from page 181.
Qusaid Khaqani	... First 50 pages.
Qasaid Badar Chachi	... Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 3rd March* 1879. CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Registrar.*

* Thacker, Spink & Co.

SUBORDINATE EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

THE following List of Officers in the Subordinate Graded Service of the Education Department, corrected to this date, is republished in accordance with the orders of Government, conveyed in the Resolution of the 15th February 1879 :—

Number.	NAME.	Date of first appointment to Government service.	Present pay, and date of appointment thereto.		Present appointment.	REMARKS.
	CLASS I.—(6).—RS. 400 TO RS. 500.					
				Rs.		
1	Colesworthy Grant ...	1859	1873	450	Professor of Drawing, Civil Engineering Department, Presidency College.	
2	Grish Chandra Deb ...	1842	1878	400	Head Master, Hare School.	
3	A. J. C. Behrendt ...	1856	1865	400	Assistant Professor, Patna College.	
4	W. B. Livingstone ...	1865	1867	400	Ditto, Dacca College.	
5	Brahma Mohan Mullick ...	1856	1877	400	Assistant Inspector, Burdwan Division.	
6	Bholanath Pal, M.A. ...	1859	1878	400	Head Master, Hindu School.	
	CLASS II.—(10).—RS. 300 TO RS. 400.					
				Rs.		
1	Haridas Ghose ...	1850	1872	400	Professor, Berhampore College.	
2	Samuel Ager ...	1856	1874	300	Principal, Cuttack College	Draws also an extra temporary allowance of Rs. 150 per mensem under Bengal Government orders No. 756, dated 15th March 1878.
3	W. E. Cantopher ...	1862	1863	300	Head Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
4	A. S. Phillips, B.A. ...	1863	1865	300	Ditto, Patna ditto.	
5	F. Lefeuvre ...	1846	1867	300	2nd Master, ditto ditto.	
6	Chandi Charan Banerjea ...	1854	1870	300	Ditto, Hindu School.	
7	Gopal Chandra Banerjea ...	1846	1874	300	Head Master, Calcutta Normal School.	
8	H. Collie ...	1846	1875	300	Head Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction.	
9	Radhika Prasanna Mookerjea	1858	1877	300	Assistant Inspector, Bhagulpore Division.	
10	Dinanath Sen	1865	1878	300	Ditto, Chittagong ditto.	
	CLASS III.—(25)—RS. 200 TO RS. 300.					
				Rs.		
1	Bireswar Mitra, M.A. ...	1863	1865	300	Head Master, Kishnaghur Collegiate School.	
2	Raj Krishna Banerjea ...	1863	1873	300	Professor (Sanskrit), Presidency College.	
	Kasi Kanth Mookerjea ...	1860	1865	300	*Superintendent of Education, Cooch Behar* ...	*Service placed at the disposal of the Cooch Behar State.*
3	Obaidullah	1862	1878	300	Superintendent, Dacca Madrasa.	
4	Lakhi Narayan Das, M.A. ...	1866	1866	250	Assistant Professor, Cuttack College.	
5	Hara Gobind Sen ...	1850	1873	250	Professor, Rajshahi College.	
6	Gangadhur Acharjya ...	1864	1873	250	Head Master, Midnapore College.	
7	Bishnu Chandra Mookerjea ...	1853	1878	250	Deputy Inspector, Burdwan.	
8	Kailas Chandra Ghose ...	1853	1873	225	Head Master, Dacca Collegiate School.	
9	Abdul Hai	1852	1878	225	Head Moulvie, Calcutta Madrasa.	
10	Zulfiquar Ali ...	1860	1878	225	Superintendent, Chittagong Madrasa.	
11	Abdul Ahad	1866	1878	225	Ditto, Rajshahi Madrasa.	
12	M. Gregory	1848	1861	200	Head Master, Mozufferpore Zillah School.	
13	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty ...	1848	1862	200	2nd Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
14	Jagat Chandra Banerjea ...	1854	1863	200	Deputy Inspector, 24-Pergunnahs.	
15	Nilmani Ganguli ...	1853	1864	200	Head Master, Berhampore Collegiate School.	
16	Beni Madhub Dé, M.A. ...	1866	1866	200	Ditto, Howrah Zillah School.	
17	Nilmani Chuckerbutty ...	1848	1867	200	2nd Master, Hare School.	
18	Jadunath Mookerjea ...	1853	1870	200	Head Master, Sanskrit Collegiate School.	
19	Abinash Chandra Chatterjea, B.A.	1867	1871	200	Assistant Professor, Cuttack College.	
20	Mathura Nath Chatterjea, M.A.	1869	1873	200	Lecturer, Dacca College.	
21	Syed Abdullah	1874	1874	200	Deputy Inspector, Mozufferpore	Draws also a personal allowance of Rs. 50 a month.
22	Tarak Nath Sen	1858	1875	200	Ditto, Furreedpore.	
23	Bireswar Chuckerbutty ...	1860	1877	200	Assistant Inspector, Chota Nagpore Division.	
24	Radhanath Roy	1864	1877	200	Joint-Inspector, Orissa Division.	
25	Nunda Krishna Bose, M.A. ...	1878	1878	200	Lecturer, Patna College	Draws also an extra temporary allowance of Rs. 50.
	CLASS IV (40).—RS. 150 TO RS. 200.					
				Rs.		
1	Nilmani Mookerjea ...	1868	1873	200	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Presidency College.	
2	Bhuban Mohan Niogi ...	1865	1875	200	Deputy Inspector, Rajshahi.	
3	Peary Mohan Mookerjea ...	1849	1876	200	Ditto, Beerbhoom.	
4	Aghor Chandra Mookerjea ...	1856	1876	200	Head Master, Monghyr Zillah School.	

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				Rs.		
	CLASS IV (40)—Rs. 150 TO Rs. 200—*continued.*					
5	Mrs. M. Wheeler	1876	1876	200	Inspectress of Schools.	
6	Sib Chandra Som	1853	1877	200	Head Master, Beerbhoom Zillah School.	
7	Sarat Chandra Das	1854	1877	200	Deputy Inspector, Dinagepore.	
8	Raj Krishna Rai Chaudhuri ...	1855	1877	200	Ditto, Hooghly.	
9	Nanda Lal Das	1859	1877	200	Head Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasa.	
10	Sri Krishna Chatterjea	1859	1877	200	Head Master, Bhagulpore Zillah School.	
11	Ratna Mani Gupta	1860	1877	200	Ditto, Mymensingh ditto.	
12	Syama Charan Ganguli, B.A. ...	1862	1877	200	Ditto, Uttarpara ditto.	
13	Kali Kumar Mitra, B.A. ...	1865	1877	200	Ditto, Patna Normal School.	
14	Chandra Nath Bhattacharjea ...	1866	1877	200	Ditto, Rungpore College.	
15	Chandra Mohan Mazumdar, M.A. ...	1871	1877	200	Ditto, Chittagong College.	
16	Ambika Charan Bosé	1858	1878	200	2nd Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
17	Hara Mohan Bhattacharjea ...	1863	1878	200	Deputy Inspector, Midnapore.	
18	Bhagwan Prasad	1863	1878	200	Ditto, Monghyr.	
19	Kailas Chandra Sen	1865	1878	200	Deputy Inspector, Dacca.	
20	E. R. T. Tiery, B.A.	1868	1878	200	Head Master, Chupra Zillah School.	
21	Jagat Bandhu Laha, M.A. ...	1870	1878	200	Ditto, Dacca Normal School.	
22	Bipin Bihari Gupta, M.A. ...	1877	1878	200	Assistant Professor, Rajshahi College.	
23	Iswar Chandra Bose	1857	1869	175	2nd Master, Dacca Collegiate School.	
24	Gobinda Chandra Mitra	1852	1873	175	Head Master, Pubna Zillah School.	
25	Uma Charan Das	1853	1874	175	Ditto, Arrah ditto.	
26	Syama Charan Das	1862	1874	170	2nd Master, Midnapore College.	
27	Barada Prasad Ghose, M.A. ...	1876	1878	170	Lecturer, Krishnaghur College.	
28	Nil Kantha Sarkar, M.A. ...	1877	1878	160	Ditto ditto.	
29	Madhub Chandra Goswami ...	1853	1858	150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Berhampore College.	
30	J. F. Thomson	1858	1859	150	3rd Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
31	Somnath Mookerjea	1858	1863	150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Dacca College.	
32	Krishna Chandra Ray	1859	1863	150	3rd Master, Hare School.	
33	Chhatu Ram Tiwari	1864	1864	150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Patna College.	
34	Ramgati Nyayaratna	1856	1865	150	Head Master, Hooghly Normal School.	
35	Nakuleswar Banerjea	1859	1865	150	Assistant Professor (Sanskrit), Krishnaghur College.	
36	Dwarkanath Chuckerbutty ...	1861	1868	150	Head Master, Cuttack Normal School.	
37	Kalidas Mookerjea	1857	1869	150	Ditto, Hooghly Branch School.	
38	Charu Chandra Chatterjea ...	1865	1869	150	Deputy Inspector, Bankoora.	
39	Kali Kumar Das, B.A.	1868	1873	150	Head Master, Rajshahi Collegiate School.	
40	Hara Prasad Banerjea	1866	1874	150	Ditto, Barisal Zillah School.	
	CLASS V (60 + 1 = 61).—Rs. 100 TO Rs. 150.					
1	Gopal Chandra Gupta	1860	1865	150	Assistant Professor, (Sanskrit), Hooghly College.	
2	Abdur Rohim	1866	1872	150	Deputy Inspector, Patna.	
3	Chandra Nath Maitra	1846	1873	150	Head Master, Bankoora Zillah School.	
4	Sasi Bhushan Sen, B.A.	1868	1873	150	Ditto, Dinagepore ditto.	
5	Grish Chandra Vidyaratna ...	1845	1874	150	Professor, Sanskrit College.	
6	Abdul Khair, M.A.	1874	1874	150	Assistant Professor (Arabic), Hooghly College.	
7	Hara Lal Roy, B.A.	1865	1875	150	3rd Master, Hindu School.	
8	Bidyadhur Das	1865	1875	150	Deputy Inspector, Tipperah.	
	Bhuan Lal	1868	1875	150	*Assistant Manager, Durbhanga Estate* ...	*Employed under the Court of Wards.*
9	Uma Prasad Dé	1869	1875	150	Deputy Inspector, Cuttack.	
10	Elahi Baksh	1869	1875	150	Ditto, Bhagulpore.	
11	Brajendra Kumar Guha, B.A. ...	1871	1875	150	Ditto, Backergunge.	
12	Bir Narayan Mookerjea... ...	1850	1877	150	3rd Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
13	Nanda Lal Sen	1863	1877	150	Deputy Inspector, Mymensingh.	
14	Uma Kisor Roy	1863	1877	150	Ditto, Chittagong.	
15	Sarada Prasad Ganguli	1868	1877	150	Head Master, Gya Zillah School.	
16	Sib Chandra Gui, M.A.	1873	1877	150	Lecturer, Sanskrit College.	
17	Khirod Chandra Roy Chaudhuri, M.A.	1873	1877	150	Head Master, Pooree Zillah School.	
18	Sasi Bhushan Dutt, M.A. ...	1876	1877	150	Lecturer, Cuttack College.	
19	Bireswar Chatterjea, M.A. ...	1877	1877	150	Additional Lecturer, Sanskrit College.	
20	Srinath Dutt	1856	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, Manbhoom.	
21	Ram Das Chuckerbutty... ...	1860	1878	150	Head Master, Cuttack Collegiate School.	
22	Prabhat Chandra Sen	1862	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, Bogra.	

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	Class V (60+1=61).—Rs. 100 to Rs. 150—*continued.*					
				Rs.		
23	Chandra Kumar Maitra	1862	1878	150	Head Master, Barrackpore Zillah School.	
24	Siv Narayan Trevedi ...	1864	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, Gya.	
25	Baikunthanath Roy, B.A. ...	1868	1878	150	3rd Master, Dacca Collegiate School.	
26	Mati Lal Maitra	1868	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, Moorshedabad.	
27	Bhuban Mohan Sen, B.A. ...	1871	1878	150	Head Master, Furreedpore Zillah School.	
28	Sarat Chandra Das	1874	1878	150	Deputy Inspector, British Sikkim.	
29	Grish Chandra Bose, M. A. ...	1876	1878	150	Lecturer, Cuttack College.	
30	Hira Lal Mookerjea, M.A. ...	1878	1878	150	Ditto, Rajshahi College.	
31	Ishan Chandra Dutt, M.A. ...	1874	1875	135	3rd Master, Midnapore College.	
32	Gaur Mohan Basak	1863	1878	130	Head Master, Noakhali Zillah School.	
33	Ambika Charan Mookerjea ...	1861	1873	125	2nd Master, Berhampore Collegiate School.	
34	Brajanath Lahiri	1857	1875	125	Head Clerk, Presidency College.	
35	Umes Chandra Sen	1857	1876	125	Head Master, Bogra Zillah School.	
36	Dwarkanath Dutt	1876	1876	125	Assistant Lecturer, C. E. Department, Presidency College.	
37	Kunja Bihari Pal	1861	1877	125	Head Master, Hazaribagh Zillah School.	
	Kali Mohan Chaudhuri	1862	1877	125	*Ditto, Jenkins' School*	*Employed under the Cooch Behar State.*
38	Durga Das Mookerjea, B.A. ...	1873	1877	125	Ditto, Chamba Zillah School.	
39	Raj Kumar Sen, B A.	1874	1877	125	2nd Master, Chittagong College.	
40	Tara Pada Ghoshal, M.A. ...	1874	1877	125	Ditto, Rungpore College.	
41	Tarini Das Banerjea, M.A. ...	1875	1877	125	Head Master, Jessore Zillah School.	
42	Sri Pati Banerjea	1864	1878	125	Deputy Inspector, Sonthal Pergunnahs.	
43	Jagat Bandhu Bhadra	1865	1878	125	Head Master, Commillah Zillah School.	
44	Bhawani Charan Mookerjee, B.A. ...	1866	1878	125	Ditto, Purneah ditto.	
45	Kalinath Chaudhuri	1868	1878	125	Deputy Inspector, Julpigoree.	
46	William Dutt, M A.	1869	1878	125	Head Master, Ranchi Zillah School.	
47	Durga Das Bose, M.A.	1877	1878	125	3rd Master, Rungpore College.	
48	Grish Chandra Chatterjea ...	1843	1851	100	2nd ditto, Kishnaghur Collegiate School.	
49	Muhammad Illahdad	1852	1854	100	2nd Moulvi, Calcutta Madrasa	Draws also a temporary allowance of Rs. 17-8 a month as Librarian.
50	Syama Charan Mookerjea	1841	1855	100	6th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
51	Kedarnath Bose	1855	1864	100	4th Master, Hindu School.	
52	Ram Chandra Chatterjea ...	1866	1866	100	Head Master, Bauleah Normal School.	
53	Siva Prasad Singh	1855	1867	100	3rd ditto, Patna Collegiate School.	
54	Nabin Chandra Ghose	1858	1868	100	2nd ditto, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrasa.	
55	Radha Lal	1861	1868	100	Deputy Inspector, Shahabad	Temporarily
56	Siva Das Bhattacharjea ...	1866	1868	100	Head Master, Maldah Zillah School.	
57	Mahesh Chandra Chatterjea ...	1865	1869	100	Additional Deputy Inspector, Burdwan.	
58	Iswar Chandra Khushnavis ...	1868	1869	100	Deputy Inspector, Maldah.	
	Piyari Mohan Sen	1868	1869	100	*Tutor to the minor Raja of Dhenkanal* ...	*Employed under the Court of Wards.*
59	Haranath Bhattacharjea, M.A. ...	1871	1871	100	4th Master, Hare School.	
60	Kanti Chandra Chatterjea ...	1856	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Nuddea.	
61	John Durham	1879	1879	100	Head Master, Bhootea Boarding School, Darjeeling.	Temporarily.
	Class VI (75).—Rs. 75 to Rs. 100.					
				Rs.		
1	Kailas Chandra Ghose	1862	1863	100	4th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
2	Mati Lal Mitra	1863	1865	100	Head ditto, Balasore Zillah School. ...	On leave.
3	Syama Lal Dutt, B.A.	1870	1871	100	Ditto, Deoghur ditto.	
4	Hari Har Das	1862	1872	100	Deputy Inspector, Rungpore.	
5	Ram Prakash Lal	1869	1873	100	Ditto, Sarun.	
6	Ambika Charan Sen, M.A. ...	1873	1873	100	Lecturer, Kishnaghur College.	
7	Giri Dhari Bose	1873	1873	100	Deputy Inspector, Pubna.	
8	Kedarnath Ghose	1873	1874	100	2nd Master, Howrah Zillah School.	
9	Fuzl-i-Ali	1873	1874	100	1st Persian Teacher, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
10	Kumad Bandhu Bose	1874	1874	100	Deputy Inspector, Noakhali.	
11	Madhu Sudan Smritiratna ...	1874	1874	100	Professor, Sanskrit College.	
12	Ambika Charan Sarkar... ...	1874	1874	100	Head Master, Purulia Zillah School.	
13	Dwarka Prasad	1867	1875	100	Deputy Inspector, Purneah.	
14	Gopal Chandra Ghoshal ...	1869	1875	100	Ditto, Singbhoom.	
15	Kali Mohan Ghoshal	1875	1875	100	2nd Master, Cuttack Collegiate School.	
16	Raj Krishna Mitra	1865	1876	100	Laboratory Assistant, Presidency College.	
17	Purna Nand	1868	1876	100	Deputy Inspector, Chumparun.	
18	Futteh Bahadoor	1872	1876	100	Head Master, Motihari Zillah School. ...	Draws also a special allowance of Rs. 10 a month.

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	CLASS VI (75).—RS. 75 TO RS. 100—*continued.*					
				Rs.		
19	Syama Prasanna Ray	1876	1876	100	Head Master, Julpigoree Zillah School.	
20	Hari Charan Das	1855	1877	100	Deputy Inspector, Lohardugga.	
21	Gobinda Chandra Singh ...	1867	1877	100	English Teacher, Patna Normal School.	
22	Kunja Bihari Bose, M.A. ...	1870	1877	100	Head Master, Baraset Zillah School.	
23	Kuru Ram Ray	1872	1877	100	Ditto, Patna Survey School.	
24	E. Cleghorn	1872	1877	100	Ditto, Colinga Branch School.	
25	Bhagabati Charan Sen	1873	1877	100	Deputy Inspector, Pooree.	
26	Hari Charan Nag	1873	1877	100	Head Master, Dacca Survey School.	
27	Obhoy Charan Mitra, M.A. ...	1877	1877	100	Ditto, Ranchi Normal School.	
28	Thakur Das Rakhit	1860	1878	100	2nd Master, Bhagulpore Zillah School.	
29	Durga Prasanna Mookerjea ...	1860	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Jessore.	
30	Gauri Sankar Ghoshal	1865	1878	100	Ditto, Calcutta.	
31	Ram Sundar Basak	1866	1878	100	Head Clerk to Inspector of Schools, Eastern Circle.	
32	Mahim Chandra Chatterjea, B.A. ...	1867	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Howrah.	
33	Becharam Ray	1867	1878	100	Ditto, Hazaribagh.	
34	Poolin Bihari Soor	1874	1878	100	Laboratory Assistant, Presidency College.	
35	Becharam Nandi, B.A.	1876	1878	100	Head Master, Palamow Zillah School.	
36	Debendranath Bose, M.A. ...	1878	1878	100	2nd ditto, Sanskrit Collegiate School.	
37	Narendranath Bose, M.A. ...	1878	1878	100	Assistant Lecturer, Patna College.	
38	Hara Prasad Bhattacharjea, M.A. ...	1878	1878	100	Translation Master, Hare School.	
39	Dev Sankar Dé, M.A.	1878	1878	100	2nd Master, Uttarpara Zillah School.	
40	Dwija Das Dutt, M.A.	1878	1878	100	Head Master, Balasore ditto ...	Temporarily.
41	Beni Prasad Misra	1872	1878	100	Deputy Inspector, Durbhunga	Ditto.
42	Chaturbhuj Patnaik, B.A. ...	1877	1878	95	Ditto, Balasore	Ditto.
43	Piyari Mohan Dutt	1864	1869	90	7th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
44	Sasadhar Ray	1865	1871	90	4th ditto, Midnapore ditto.	
45	Raj Kumar Ray	1859	1873	90	5th ditto, Hooghly ditto.	
46	Kali Kumar Guha	1856	1877	90	2nd ditto, Mymensingh Zillah School.	
47	Obhoy Charan Pal, B.A.... ...	1872	1877	90	5th ditto, Hindu ditto.	
48	Rajani Kantha Ghose, B.A. ..	1874	1877	90	4th ditto, Dacca Collegiate School.	
49	Okhoy Kumar Mookerjea ...	1868	1878	90	2nd ditto, Bankoora Zillah School.	
50	Rasamoy Basak, M.A.	1873	1878	90	2nd ditto, Barisal ditto.	
51	Kailas Chandra Bhattacharjea, B.A.	1877	1879	90	4th ditto, Chittagong Collegiate School.	
52	Naba Kumar Banerjea	1864	1866	80	Head Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.	
53	Dwarkanath Sarkar	1870	1870	80	Ditto, ditto, Western ditto.	
54	Hara Chandra Banerjea ...	1860	1871	80	3rd Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
55	Ram Narayan Tarkaratna ...	1855	1874	80	Assistant Professor, Sanskrit College.	
56	Madan Mohan Mookerjea ...	1864	1874	80	5th Master, Hare School.	
57	Abdur Rohim	1862	1874	80	3rd Maulavi, Calcutta Madrassa.	
58	Tara Kisor Mookerjea	1853	1875	80	3rd Master, Berhampore Collegiate School.	
59	Shama Churn Moorkerjea ...	1859	1876	80	Head Pundit, Hindu ditto.	
60	Kedarnath Banerjea	1869	1876	80	6th Master, ditto ditto.	
61	Suranath Chatterjea, B.A. ...	1874	1876	80	2nd ditto, Monghyr Zillah School.	
62	Pitamber Dé	1859	1877	80	2nd ditto, Beerbhoom ditto.	
63	Madhu Sudan Rao	1873	1877	80	3rd ditto, Cuttack Collegiate School.	
64	Adyanath Mookerjea, M.A. ...	1877	1877	80	3rd ditto, Kishnaghur ditto.	
65	Pramath Nath Chatterjea, B.A. ...	1877	1877	80	2nd ditto, Mozufferpore Zillah School.	
66	Sivanandan Lal Roy	1877	1877	80	2nd ditto, Chupra ditto ...	On deputation, Chaitanya Prasad Barat, B.A., offg.
67	Prasanna Kumar Chatterjea, M.A. ...	1878	1878	80	2nd ditto, Arrah ditto.	
68	Sasi Bhushan Mookerjea ..	1863	1865	75	Sub-Inspector, Rungpore	Draws also a personal allowance of Rs. 20 a month.
69	Ram Krishna Chatterjea ...	1865	1865	75	Ditto, Burdwan.	
70	Dwarkanath Banerjea	1866	1866	75	Ditto, Moorshedabad.	
71	Bani Madhub Chaki	1854	1867	75	Ditto, ditto.	
72	Ram Chandra Bhaumik ...	1868	1868	75	Ditto, Rungpore.	
73	Braja Ballabh Mitra	1870	1870	75	Ditto, Burdwan.	
74	Umes Chandra Bose	1873	1873	75	2nd Master, Cuttack Survey School.	
75	Sagar Chandra Chuckerbutty, B.A. ...	1873	1873	75	Ditto, Rajshahi Collegiate School.	
	CLASS VII (100).—RS. 50 TO RS. 75.					
				Rs.		
1	Muhammad Rashid	1851	1854	75	Head Moulvi, Hooghly College.	
2	Syama Charan Chatterjea ...	1857	1865	75	Head Pundit, Calcutta Normal School.	
3	Ram Kumar Banerjea	1861	1865	75	Sub-Inspector, Mymensingh.	
4	Krishna Nath Banerjea... ...	1862	1867	75	Ditto, Backergunge.	
5	Braja Mohan Tarkalankar ...	1856	1868	75	Ditto, Moorshedabad.	
6	Lal Mohan Vidyanidhi... ...	1868	1869	75	Ditto, Burdwan.	

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				Rs.		
7	Nil Madhub Mookerjea	1869	1869	75	Sub-Inspector, Nuddea.	
8	Mahesh Chandra Chuckerbutty ...	1869	1869	75	Ditto, Jessore.	
9	Lakhi Narayan Lahiri	1873	1873	75	Chemistry Teacher, Hooghly Normal School.	
10	Nityananda Dé	1873	1875	75	Sub-Inspector, Midnapore.	
11	Baburam Chatterjea, M.A. ...	1875	1875	75	3rd Master, Howrah Zillah School.	
12	Boni Madhub Mookerjea ...	1857	1876	75	4th Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
13	Syama Charan Sen	1858	1876	75	2nd Master, Gya Zillah School.	
14	Bana Mali Mallik	1865	1876	75	5th Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
15	Indra Kumar Chatterjea ...	1859	1877	75	Sub-Inspector, Burdwan.	
16	Janaki Prasad	1862	1877	75	Ditto, Chumparun.	
17	Rajeswar Gupta	1864	1877	75	Head Master, Chittagong Normal School.	
18	Syud Khairat Ahmed, B.A. ...	1873	1877	75	2nd ditto, Patna Survey School.	
19	Sadhu Charan Sil	1855	1878	75	5th ditto, Dacca Collegiate School.	
20	Rakhal Chandra Chatterjea ...	1856	1878	75	2nd ditto, Ranchi Zillah School.	
21	Sarada Kantha Sen	1864	1878	75	Sub-Inspector, Furreedpore.	
22	Adinath Mitra	1866	1878	75	Ditto, Tipperah.	
23	Srinath Mitra	1868	1878	75	Ditto, Jessore.	
24	Radha Kisor Chuckerbutty ...	1871	1878	75	Ditto, Dacca.	
25	Mahendranath Dutt	1873	1878	75	Ditto, 24-Pergunnahs.	
26	Tarak Bandhu Chuckerbutty ...	1874	1878	75	Ditto, Dacca.	
27	Jagat Chandra Sarkar, B.A. ...	1875	1878	75	2nd Master, Comillah Zillah School.	
28	Rajendra Nath Banerjea, B.A. ...	1875	1878	75	2nd ditto, Palamow ditto.	
29	Tripura Charan Banerjea, B.A. ...	1876	1878	75	3rd ditto, Bhagulpore ditto.	
30	Mahini Mohan Bose, B.A. ...	1876	1878	75	2nd ditto, Furreedpore ditto.	
31	Jadu Nath Pal, B.A.	1879	1879	75	3rd ditto, Uttarpara ditto.	
32	Rajendra Lal Mallik	1855	1859	70	2nd ditto, Hooghly Branch School.	
33	Jadunath Shaha	1848	1868	70	7th ditto, Hindu School.	
34	Sajiwan Lal, B.A.	1873	1873	70	2nd ditto, Patna Normal School.	
35	Poreshnath Ghose	1873	1873	70	Sub-Inspector, Singbhoom.	
36	Chandi Charan Dé	1849	1874	70	6th Master, Hare School.	
37	Hari Taran Bhattacharjea ...	1868	1875	70	4th ditto, Krishnaghur Collegiate School.	
38	Mahendra Lal Ghose	1873	1876	70	Head Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle.	
39	Mohim Chandra Bose	1874	1877	70	3rd Master, Mymensingh Zillah School.	
40	Bhubaneswar Gupta	1877	1877	70	Head Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Rajshahye Circle.	
41	Raj Narayan Chuckerbutty ...	1858	1878	70	8th Master, Hooghly Collegiate School.	
42	J. N. Jones	1875	1878	70	4th ditto, Bhagulpore Zillah School.	
43	Siddheswar Banerjea, B.A. ...	1874	1879	70	3rd ditto, Sanskrit Collegiate School.	
44	Mahendranath Sen	1866	1871	65	Head Clerk, Calcutta Madrassa.	
45	Alim Khan	1858	1863	60	2nd Moulvi, Patna Collegiate School.	
46	Kali Prasanna Vidyaratna ...	1863	1863	60	Head Pundit, Hooghly Normal School.	
47	Ram Jadu Bhattacharjea ...	1867	1869	60	1st English Teacher, Calcutta Model School.	
48	Hira Lal Pal, B.A.	1873	1873	60	4th Master, Howrah Zillah School.	
49	Ramnay Tarkaratna	1860	1874	60	1st Grammar Pundit, Sanskrit College.	
50	Uma Charn Ghose	1860	1874	60	3rd Master, Barisal Zillah School.	
51	Mahamad Ismail	1864	1874	60	4th Moulvi, Arabic Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
52	Obhoy Charan Bose	1868	1874	60	5th Master, Midnapore Collegiate School.	
53	Jankinath Panre, B.A.	1869	1875	60	4th ditto, Berhampore ditto.	
54	Keshab Lal Bose	1874	1875	60	2nd ditto, Jessore Zillah School.	
55	Harinath Chatterjee	1875	1875	60	2nd ditto, Deoghur ditto.	
56	Kanai Lal Som	1856	1876	60	8th ditto, Hindu School.	
57	Rajkrishna Gupta	1870	1876	60	6th Assistant, Office of Director of Public Instruction.	
58	Tribhuwan Singh	1876	1876	60	3rd Master, Gya Zillah School.	
59	Mahendra Narayan Mookerjea ...	1856	1877	60	3rd ditto, Beerbhoom ditto.	
60	Hari Mohan Ganguli	1868	1877	60	3rd ditto, Chupra ditto.	
61	Kedarnath Ray	1869	1877	60	7th ditto, Hare School.	
62	Raj Kumar Lal	1870	1877	60	3rd ditto, Arrah ditto.	
63	Gopal Chandra Chatterjea ...	1872	1877	60	2nd ditto, Pooree ditto.	
64	Syud Reazat Hossain	1875	1877	60	2nd ditto, Motihari ditto.	
65	Suresh Chandra Kobiraj, B.A. ...	1876	1877	60	4th ditto, Patna Collegiate School.	
66	Trailokyanath Ghose, B.A. ...	1872	1877	60	2nd ditto, Balasore Zillah School.	
67	Taraknath Sarkar, B.A.	1877	1877	60	2nd ditto, Barasat ditto.	
68	Rameswar Sen	1877	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Bankoora.	
69	Raj Kumar Das	1862	1878	60	Ditto, Furreedpore.	
70	Sriharsha Bhattacharjea ...	1868	1878	60	4th Master, Anglo-Persian Department, Calcutta Madrassa.	
71	Ram Dayal Ghose	1873	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Nuddea.	

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				Rs.		
72	Amrita Lal Ghose	1873	1878	60	Sub-Inspector, Burdwan.	
73	Lachman Prasad	1874	1878	60	3rd Master, Patna Normal School.	
74	Basanta Kumar Sen, B.A. ...	1875	1878	60	6th ditto, Dacca Collegiate School.	
75	Purna Chundra Mitra, M.A. ...	1878	1878	60	5th ditto, Kishnaghur ditto.	
76	Hem Chandra Soor	1878	1878	60	2nd ditto, Purneah Zillah School.	
77	Haranath Mitra	1847	1875	55	6th ditto, Kishnaghur Collegiate School.	
78	Mahendranath Ghose	1864	1875	55	3rd ditto, Monghyr ditto.	
79	Jiban Krishna Banerjea... ...	1836	1877	55	Head Clerk, Hooghly College.	
80	Tossaduq Hossein	1869	1878	55	2nd Moulvi, Dacca Madrassa.	
81	Bana Mali Mookerjea	1863	1866	50	2nd Clerk, Inspector of Schools, Behar Circle.	
82	Ram Das Mookerjea	1869	1869	50	Sub-Inspector, 24-Pergunnahs.	
83	Okhoy Kumar Majumdar ...	1869	1869	50	2nd Master, Bogra Zillah School.	
84	Karali Charan Sarkar	1869	1870	50	3rd ditto, Bankoora ditto.	
85	Madhu Sudan Ganguli	1870	1870	50	2nd ditto, Barrackpore ditto.	
86	Mati Lal Mookerjea	1868	1873	50	Sub-Inspector, Rungpore.	
87	Pareshnath Dé	1874	1874	50	Ditto, Jessore.	
88	Mir Sujjad Ali	1874	1874	50	Ditto, ditto.	
89	Loknath Chuckerbutty, B.A. ...	1875	1875	50	2nd Master, Pubna Zillah School.	
90	Bholanath Das	1867	1876	50	Sub-Inspector, Balasore.	
91	Jadunandan Sahai	1869	1876	50	Ditto, Patna.	
92	Sarat Chandra Sen	1873	1876	50	Ditto, Chittagong.	
93	Ram Taran Samanta	1874	1876	50	Sub-Inspector, Hazaribagh.	
94	Chundra Sekhar Mookerjea, B.A. ...	1873	1877	50	Extra Master, Hare School.	
95	Hem Chandra Sen, B.A.	1877	1877	50	2nd Master, Hazaribagh Zillah School.	
96	Jadunath Chuckerbutty... ...	1877	1877	50	Sub-Inspector, Rungpore.	
97	Upendranath Bagchi, B.A. ...	1877	1877	50	Chemistry Lecturer, Calcutta Normal School.	
98	Gopal Chandra Mookerjea, M.A. ...	1877	1878	50	2nd Master, Purulia Zillah School.	
99	Romanath Ghose, M.A.	1878	1878	50	Extra Master, Hare School.	
100	Vacant.					

FORT WILLIAM, the 4th March 1879.

A. W. CROFT, *Director of Public Instruction.*

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 288B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd April 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th April 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 18th April 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 1st May 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th „ „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	20,000	20,000	40,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th February 1879.

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PART I-A.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ESTABLISHMENTS.

Fort William, the 25th February 1879.

No. 140.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. J. D. Bell, Standing Counsel, is appointed to officiate as Advocate-General during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble G. C. Paul, B.A., C.I.E., or until further orders.

The 27th February 1879.

No. 145.—The Hon'ble L. S. Jackson, C.I.E., a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, has obtained privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 17th June next, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information:—

Fort William, the 28th February 1879.

No. 173.—EXCHANGES.—Under the authority of Her Majesty's Government, it is hereby notified that exchanges between officers of line regiments and Indian Staff Corps will be restricted to the subaltern rank, and will be sanctioned only when immediate and suitable employment is available for the officer exchanging into the Staff Corps, subject also to the exchange being approved by the Government of India.

No. 178.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps.

Mr. Charles Scott Halford, to be Captain, *vice* Captain J. Binning, permitted to resign.

No. 182.—The following extract from List No. 5, dated the 31st January 1879, received from the India Office, is published for general information:—

Permitted to return to duty.

Major R. C. Money, Staff Corps.

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Retirements (subject to Her Majesty's approval).

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Surgeon-Major J. Ewart, 1st February 1879.

No. 185.—REGULATIONS.—

With the sanction of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, it is notified that the provisions of G. G. O. No. 540, dated the 14th June 1878, granting privilege leave to officers for three months, after 33 months' duty, are extended to officers under the Finbough Rules of 1875.

2. It is to be understood that to claim the privilege it shall be necessary for such an officer to show that he has had no leave on full Indian pay and allowances for 33 months previous to date of his application, and that he has made satisfactory arrangements for the performance of his duties during his absence at no additional cost to the State.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Choitro, 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
173	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 2 14	2 6 4	4 12 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HIME, *Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Chait 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

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Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
56	2217	Patenda, pergunnah Mundleghat	3 3 13	25 1 6	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to sale at the Rajshahye Collectorate on the 26th of March 1879, corresponding with the 13th of Chaitra 1285 (Bengali).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedules of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estates to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
89	1882	Hazarahati, in pergunnah Luskerpore	1 2 28	6 0 0	12 0 0
5	1601	Shahpore, in pergunnah Turpeh Reas	43 0 2	12 0 0	24 0 0
41	1693	Chuk Jolkisto, in pergunnah Sorabajoo	0 2 0	1 4 0	2 8 0

J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector*.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Patna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 14th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Towji number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	REMARKS.
		Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.		
		Rs. A. P.		
20	Bhudsara, pergunnah Masondha.	1,314 5 6	Mussamut Barati Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Baboo Beer Narain Singh and others, malks.	Out of the sudder jumma Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 669-12-3 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishoon Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 644-9-3, on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kalas Puttu Narain Singh, Baboo Hari Narayan Singh, Baboo Mahinder Narayan Singh, Baboo Raghoobuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother, and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheeree Pershad Naravan Singh, minor, and Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Harukh Lall, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
23	Ditto ...	1,314 5 6	Ditto ...	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 750-5-4 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishur Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs. 564-0-2 on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kailas Puttee Narain Singh, Baboo Haree Narain Singh, Baboo Mohender Narain Singh, Baboo Raghuburs Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheshree Pershad Narain Singh, minor, Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor, Harakh Lall, Harakh Naram Singh, and Mussamut Jay Koer, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
229	Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, pergunnah Ayimabad	1,185 5 7	Raghu Nath Sahay and others, maliks.	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,185-5-7, Rs. 1,097-8-4 is deducted in respect of mousahs Mosulluhpore, Sadekpore, Jogee, Sakutpore Lodee Heeranunpore, Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, Janarjunpore, Huzrutpore, Akharia, Hasanotpore Dears, and Nesf (8 annas) Kalyanpore, on account of the shares of Banee Persad Sahor *alias* Madho Lall Saho, and others, applicants, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertised for sale is Rs. 87-13-3 in respect of 8 annas of Kalyanpore, appertaining to the lot of the aforesaid Nurunderpore, Kharoonia on account of the share of Raghu Nath Sahay, non-applicant, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.

PATNA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879. GEO. E. PORTER, *for Offg. Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 12th day of January 1879.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	Amount of revenue due to Government.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
2747	Noawan, pergunnah Amartha.	1,277 6 0	Hanuman Parshad Singh, for self, and as guardian of Kamta Parshad Singh minor, Ragho Parshad Singh, Kallar Singh, Debi Singh, Degamba Singh and others.	13 0 0	The entire estate will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government.
5250	Mahammedpore Mattah, pergunnah Emadpore.	768 0 0	Waliun Nissa, Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadur, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Afzaladdin Ahmad Khan, Ahsaruddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihan Nissa and Jamalan Nissa, Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wojiun Nissa.	61 5 10	With the exception of the share owned by Mussamut Waliun Nissa, &c., the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 177, the remaining 12 annas share of Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadoor, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihun Nissa and Jamalun Nissa minors; and Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wajihun Nissa, will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government. This share has been separated under Act XI of 1859.

MONGHYR, the 13th February 1879. C. F. MAGRATH, *Offg. Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Touji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2	Taraf Ajodhyaram, Fatehabad.	Chandi Charan and others.	723 13 0	434 0 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
7	Kismut Ambika, babait taraf Tilok Chandra Kanungoe.	Kailas Chandra Nandi and others.	745 10 6	559 3 1	Ditto.
39	Taraf Ali Rohollah ...	Kamalakanta Sen and others.	994 0 6	745 8 4	Ditto.
41	Taraf Abul Fazal ...	Abdul BariKhanand others	643 3 7	482 7 7	Ditto.
51	Taraf Aleyar Khan ...	Shahamat Ali and others.	1,606 0 9	603 0 5	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 3 of Agbar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 811-6-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
54	Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe.	Srimati Anandamoyi and others.	849 6 9	51 3 0	Separate accounts having been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 of Golok Chandra Rai Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 5-3-9, share No. 13 of Digambar Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 2-15-7, share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 52-14 5, and ijmali share of Braja Mohan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 35-10-10, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
55	Taraf Aziz Nassarat ...	Karam Ali	791 12 6	593 12 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
61	Taraf Asad Massood Khan.	Shyama Charn Mukherjea and others.	5,224 0 6	1,866 3 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share of Konaram Banerjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, and share of Shyama Charan Mukherjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
137	Kismat Anandamoyi, Jiban Krishna, Ram Kumar, Sarat Chandra, Kishori Mohan, babait taraf Jugal Kishor Chowdhry.	Ram Kumar and others ...	666 15 10	349 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
398	Taraf Baksha Ali	Neyamatullah and others	937 10 0	403 2 8	Ditto.
467	Taraf Braja Lal	Braja Lal and others ...	508 7 3	191 13 5	Ditto.
486	Taraf Baral Charan ...	Golam Ali and others ...	502 9 3	376 14 0	Ditto.
522	Kismut Bisheshwari, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Mrityumjai and others ...	1,228 13 4	460 3 11	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Mrityumjai and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,032-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
592	Taraf Bhola Khan ...	Muzaffer Ahmed and others.	606 13 8	254 1 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Abdullah, with a revenue of Rs. 247-6-5, and share No. 2 of Muzaffer Ahmed, with a revenue of Rs. 313-7-1, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
746	Taraf Sipi Dowlat	Shekh Abdullah Khan ...	2,930 1 3	791 8 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
764	Taraf Darpanarayan ...	Chandraprava and others	2,905 3 3	675 2 5	Ditto.
805	Taraf Dullavram Fatehabad	Nimai Charan Nandi and others.	819 0 0	614 4 0	Ditto.
813	Kismat Durga Lochan Krishna Mangal Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, babait taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe.	Durga Charan and others	883 12 6	26 10 8	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Durga Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 6-2-9, and share No. 3 of Kashi Chandra Waddadar and others, with a revenue of Rs. 62-3-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
942	Nilam Fakir Chand ...	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	646 14 0	485 2 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1024	Taraf Gobinda Anandi ...	Chhattranarayan and others.	1,061 13 10	6 9 5	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Chhattranarayan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 707-14-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1119	Taraf Hori Shona	Azimuddin and others ...	1,539 10 0	1,141 1 3	Entire estate will be sold.
1218	Kismat H. E. Marguard and Virginia Bruce, babait taraf Ishan Chandra Kanungoe.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	1,447 10 5	655 10 9	Ditto.
1238	Taraf Iues Alop	Adhoo Khan and others ...	2,272 7 6	1,385 7 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Warish Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 2 of Mahomed Samil, with a revenue of Rs. 91-0-6, share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 51-7-5, share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-3, share No. 5 of Yasin Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-3, and ijmali share of Adhoo Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,265-7-8, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
1242	Taraf Imambaksh ...	Abdul Bari and others ...	697 5 4	523 0 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
1269	Taraf Jashmanta Sing ...	Fatteh Ali and others ...	1,366 10 2	1,039 15 3	Ditto.
1281	Taraf Jainarayan Kerani	Sharat Chandra and others	563 4 6	210 11 5	Ditto.
1285	Taraf Jorip Mahomed ...	Jan Bibi and others ...	784 3 1	588 2 3	Ditto.
1363	Taraf Jadu Madan ...	Ali Raja and others ...	1,227 14 9	428 14 9	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ahsanullah Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 571-14-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1513	Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	Anandamoyi and others ...	853 4 6	639 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1546	Taraf Karkan Roshan ...	Baisnab Charan Sen ...	616 7 7	462 3 9	Ditto.
1552	Taraf K. Fernandes ...	J. D. Barros	1,640 5 3	1,230 3 0	Ditto.
1671	Taraf Kooz Hoashang ...	Karam Ali Mia	1,120 6 6	847 1 0	Ditto.
1686	Taraf Khan Bibi	Shochinando Kunda ...	783 12 6	254 1 7	Ditto.
1714	Nilam Lakhinarayan ...	Ram Dayal Chowdhry and others.	1,199 15 0	899 13 9	Ditto.
1747	Taraf Monohor Rai Chowdhry.	Ramjai De and others ...	2,491 10 0	1,139 7 3	Ditto.
1868	Kismat Mahomed Daom Nazir, Azmatullah, Amirannissa, babait taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe.	Mobarek Ali and others ...	840 5 3	199 9 4	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Mobarek Ali, with a revenue of Rs. 266-1-10, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1884	Taraf Mahomed Sona Mir	Shekh Mahomed Hashmat Ali Chowdhry.	785 10 3	589 3 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1887	Taraf Mahomed Raja Mir	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	540 6 6	405 5 7	Ditto.
1894	Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam	Bhairab Chandra and others.	560 5 9	93 5 2	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Masaah Bibi, auction-purchaser Shyam Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 135-8-0, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1900	Taraf Mahomed Monohar	Alfa Bibi and others ...	666 15 6	312 3 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2099	Kismat Murari Dhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Srimati Annapurna and others.	1,330 3 1	665 3 4	Ditto.

Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2195	Taraf Mosson Hossen ...	Nil Kamal Chakravartti...	1,598 5 6	723 10 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2201	Kismat Naziruddin Ahmad, babait taraf Hossen Wali.	Naziruddin Ahmad ...	1,227 6 0	920 8 6	Ditto.
2308	Taraf Wag Abul Hossen...	Shekh Jaker Ali Chowdhry.	731 11 6	548 12 0	Ditto.
2389	Taraf Paran Darpanarayan.	Chandrakanta Pal and others.	601 6 6	271 6 0	Ditto.
2411	Kismat Pravaboti babait taraf Brajakishore Kanungoe.	Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassan Billah and others.	667 11 10	136 13 4	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share No. 3 of Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassom Billah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 13-13-3, share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 41-13-10, share No. 9 of Kailas Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 3-10-5, share No. 12 of Barkatullah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 11-9-7, share No. 13 of Tarakinkar Datta, with a revenue of Rs. 37-8-3, and ijmali share of Baisnab Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 186-11-11, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2433	Taraf Poran Ballabh ...	Jaga Mohon and others ...	944 5 3	427 0 3	Separate accounts having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Renooka, with a revenue of Rs. 236-1-4, and ijmali share of Ram Das Chowdhry and others, with a revenue of Rs. 708-4-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2542	Taraf Raja Ambiya ...	Agbar Ali Chowdhry ...	608 12 0	456 9 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
2554	Taraf Ram Shunder Kanungoe.	Annapurna and others ...	849 6 6	124 14 0	Ditto.
2562	Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe.	Bhairab Charan and others.	918 15 7	74 5 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 2 of Durga Charan Das and others, with a revenue of Rs. 7-2-9, share No. 22 of Ishan Chandra Kastagiri, with a revenue of Rs. 1-0-11, share No. 27 of Hari Ha. Bhattacharjya, with a revenue of Rs. 5-15-6, share No. 31 of Chandrabadani, with a revenue of Rs. 92-15-9, share No. 34 of Srimati Bishoshwari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 19-8-9, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2565	Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe.	Ali Hossen and others ..	819 1 7	358 10 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, with a revenue of Rs. 70, share No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar, with a revenue of Rs. 358-7-9, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 199-3-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2566	Kismat Ram Dulal ...	Ali Hossen and others ...	823 4 10	192 13 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2, Krishna Kumar Rai, with a revenue of Rs. 156-15-0, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 107-0-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2888	Nilam Ram Mohan Imam Shorip.	Srimati Pran Kishori ...	540 6 6	1,325 9 10	The entire mehal will be sold.
2929	Taraf Shachi Roshan ...	Shekh Ladak Ali and others.	752 11 0	284 10 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ladak Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-3, share No. 2 of Keramat Ali Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 188-2-9, share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-4, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2933	Taraf Shachiram Kanungoe.	Aitton and others	826 14 3	180 8 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 7 of Jagat Chandra Sen, with a revenue of Rs. 7-7-0, and the shares which are under butwara under Regulation XIX of 1814 of Oloka and others, Gopal Das Sen and others, Jarat Chandra, Har Chandra and others, Nilkanta and others, Mahomed Nashirullah, Omola, and others, Tarakeshwari Nazemannessa and others, Ram Shebok Das, Amir Hossen, Krishna Mohan Guha, Srimati Purna Dassi, Srimati Narayani *alias* Bashi, and Ahsanullah, bearing revenue Rs. 892-13-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3039	Taraf Shyam Rajah ...	Dhononjai Raha and others.	673 14 3	382 10 10	Separate accounts having been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1857, the share No. 1 of Tarini Charan Raha and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 2 of Nobo Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 5 of Taranga Debya, with a revenue of Rs. 14-2-2, share No. 6 of Tofer Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 232-14-2, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3054	Taraf Shib Durga Sharan	Brindaban and others ...	2,942 8 9	1,749 12 8	The entire mehal will be sold.
3125	Taraf Srimantaram Kanungoe.	Abdullah Khan and others	1,737 12 0	182 9 11	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 843-13-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
3171	Taraf Teeta Teari ...	Shekh Karam Ali	1,505 10 3	682 3 11	The entire mehal will be sold.
3880	Taraf Abedullah, Shekh Mahomed Ossi, Shekh Mahomed Ali.	Aayamona Bibi and others	678 14 0	189 13 9	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned taluqs in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Mehal Nayabad.

Towji number.	Name of pergunnah and mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1[illegible]	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ukhiar Ghona, taluq Magon Das Chaudhuri, Indrana-ayan Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipria Monorama.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	575 14 9	144 0 0	The entire taluq will be sold.
1[illegible]	Thana Ramu, mouzah Bhomoria Ghona, taluq Kamalapuree.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	531 13 3	133 0 0	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ichakhali, taluq Mobarak Ali.	Farzar Ali and others	508 1 6	127 0 0	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Bheala Manikchar, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Magon Ali	757 10 0	189 0 0	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Barabakia, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Shek Dewan Ali Chaudhuri.	687 9 3	172 0 0	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Satkania, mouzah Chambol, taluq Srimati Tajonnissa Chowdhuria.	Furkunda Bukhta and others.	1,193 4 10	298 0 0	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Teknaf, mouzah Dakhin Nhillah, taluq Khoame Chowdry, Omari Chowdry, Lhatong Chowdry, Lhapo Chowdry, Lhapechoo Chowdry, Chaimrao Chowdry, babait taluq Faudo.	Ishan Chandra Das ...	670 15 0 Road fund, 6 12 0 677 11 0	169 6 0	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Town, mouzah Char Shabek Bakalia, taluq Ahamad Ali, Mahomed Issaf, Korban Ali, Arzgar Ali, Nur Debi.	Ahamad Ali and others	686 4 0	170 15 9	Ditto ditto.
1[illegible]	Thana Fattikcherry, mouzah Kanchannagar, taluq Srimati Romoo Debya.	Dewan Ali Sowdagar	890 15 8	323 0 0	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Number in the rent roll.	Class.	Number of mehals and pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
36	Permanently settled estate.	Kassimpoor, pergunnah Ranihati.	Syed Abdool Hakim, present proprietors Srimutty Russunessa Bibi, Srimutty Jabeda Bibi, Syed Abdool Hamid, *alias* Abda Mea, for himself and guardian, brother for Syed Amin Ahamed and Amson Mozid, *alias* Mamda Mea and Srimutty Allimnn Nessa Bibi, minors. Moulovee Syud Mohomed Moosa, Srimutta Arfunnessa Bibi, Syed Noor Mohomed; Syed Attowar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syud Abdool Selam, Syed Abdool Futta, Srimutta Khobira Bibi, Srimutta Soeda Bibi; Syed Abdool Alli, Syed Rasid Hyder, Taharunnessa Bibi, Shurfunessa Bibi, Bissessuree Dabea, Abdool Jubber and Mohomed Ahea.	669 14 9	55 14 11	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
68	Ditto ...	Khurrumpur, pergona Shahabad.	Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mahomed Ahea Muhomed Moosha.	6,189 9 0	1,796 13 7	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
78	Ditto ...	Nozampoor, pergunnah Khundghose Somurshahi and Ranihatti.	Gopikristo Bose, Doorga Moni Dassi, Radhakrishto Bose, Nobin Krishto Bose, Sebait of idol Modon Mohun Jeo, Promotho Nath Banerjee and Bhoobun Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Horinath Banerjee.	1,168 8 10	4 4 7	Ditto ditto.
93	Ditto ...	Korni, pergunnah Benodenagore.	Kostoor Chand Baboo, Soudamini Dossi, Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian and step mother of minor Koolodanund Koberaj, and guardian mother of Soilojanund Kobeeraj and Girijanund Kobeeraj, Syed Mohomed Moosa, Nrisinghoprosad Ghosal, and Joge Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Opendra Chandra Ghosal, Syed Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of minors Syed Abdool Selam, Syud Abdool Futta, Soeda Bibi, Khobira Bibi, Dino Bundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Ahea.	1,399 7 6	18 13 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— *Sudder jumma.* Rs. A. P. Kostoor Chand Baboo ... 546 10 8 Soudamini Dossi ... ... 361 14 3½ Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian of minors Kooloda Nund, Soiloja Nund and Geriza Nund Kobeeraj ... 233 12 0
97	Ditto ...	ditto ...	Protapnarain Roy, Girish Chunder Roy, Janokey Nath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Arnopurna Dassi, guardian of Jotendro Chunder Roy, minor, Dinobundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Moosa, Mohamed Ahea, Syed Attawar Rohoman, for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi.	529 10 6	47 3 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— Greesh Chunder Roy and Janokinath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Manic Moni Dassi, guardians of minor Jotindro Chunder Roy 291 5 0
5173	Ditto ...	Chandootea, pergunnah Shahabad.	Syed Attwar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syed Abdool Salam, Mohomed Ahea, Syed Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mohamed Moosa.	908 9 1	84 11 11	

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 19th February 1879. H. TOBIN, *Covid. Dy. Collr., for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mozufferpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, corresponding with 14th Chyte, 1286 Fusly, for arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Toujee No.	Name of Mehal.	Name of recorded proprietor.	Government revenue of the estate.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	909	Umwa Kullan, pergunnah Bubra ...	Beebee Bachun, &c.	666 15 0	13 15 4	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 285-13-9, will be sold.
2	2153	Abool Hussonpur, pergunnah Bissara	Deegur Singh	834 3 2	1 4 0	Ditto, Rs. 5 ditto.
3	2153	Ditto ditto ...	Rasbehari Singh	834 3 2	3 3 6	Ditto, „ 97-13-9 ditto.
4	2257	Bishunpur Bulbhudur, ditto	Rajdhari Pershad	1,527 11 0	0 3 6	Ditto, „ 63-15-1 ditto.
5	2487	Powra Mudun Singh, pergunnah ditto	Kishun Pershad	518 13 7	3 11 8	Ditto, „ 252-1 ditto.
6	2541	Rughunathpur, pergunnah ditto ...	Kedarnath	2,145 4 3	20 13 9	Ditto, „ 869-11-11 ditto.
7	2706	Mujhowli, pergunnah ditto	Dami Khan	3,163 11 2	60 5 1	The whole estate will be sold.
8	3559	Chuk Narain, pergunnah Hajeepur ...	Gunga Pershad	511 4 7	7 12 0	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 96-1-6, will be sold.
9	3638	Mumarpur, pergunnah ditto	Permesur Singh	782 0 3	0 2 0	
10	4541	Tengrahee, pergunnah Morwa Kullan	Poonut Lall	1,902 14 0	0 1 5	
11	5574	Bulra Krishna, pergunnah Bissara ...	Ram Doolaree Koer	613 3 4	0 4 3	The estate, with revenue of Rs. 294-13-6, will be sold.
12	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Kishun Pershad	613 3 4	1 11 6	Ditto, Rs. 8-13-6 ditto.
13	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Hurgopal Dass	613 3 4	13 6 1	Ditto, „ 91-13-9 ditto.
14	6831	Busuntpur Puttee, pergunnah Ruttee	Sham Narain Singh, &c. ...	534 6 11	7 13 8	
15	7456	Surmustpur, pergunnah Suressah ...	Gunga Bishun	640 0 0	5 8 1	Ditto, „ 435-2-4 ditto.
16	8817	Chupra Hussonpur, pergunnah Turgam	Syud Mohomud Husan, &c. ...	1,105 1 5	0 1 0	

MOZUFFERPORE COLLECTORATE, the 17th February 1879. C. VOWELL, *Covid. Dy. Collr., for Collr. on tour.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rajshahye will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th March 1879, corresponding with 4th Choitra, 1285 B.S., Monday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on 30th November 1878.

Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	The amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
185	Debi Darosa and mouzah Berabari, pergunnah Mahammidpore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, Grish Chunder Dutt, Protima Soondari Dassee, and Mr. A. Gallois.	4,373 13 0 Police, 30 6 0	.....	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.	4,404 3 0		
		Special No 1.—Grish Chundra Dutt, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 2.—Protima Soondari Dassee, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 3.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas	1,304 4 0 Police, 8 6 0		
			1,312 10 0		
			2,383 4 0		
		The remaining to be sold for arrears of revenue on account of the joint share of the following persons:— Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore.	2,007 1 0 Police, 13 14 0	476 6 0 Police, 2 4 0	
			2,020 15 0		
378	Kismut pergunnah Hoosrapore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore, Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and Mr. A. Gallois.	1,629 13 0	.....	Ditto ditto.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.			
		Special No. 1.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas ...	611 3 0		
		The remaining to be sold on account of joint share of the following persons:— Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singh Roy, minor...	1,018 10 0	168 14 0	

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 13th February 1879. J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 10th Chyet 1286 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

CLASS II.—*Temporarily-settled Estates.*

No. 923.—Mehal Karmi, pergunnah Chowsa; sudder jumma Rs. 935; recorded proprietors Bukshi Ramyad Sinha, &c. The estate is a temporarily-settled one. Excepting the shares of other proprietors, with whom separate account has been opened under section 10 of Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, being 12 annas out of entire mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 701-4-0, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 94-15-0.

CLASS I.—*Permanently-settled Estates.*

No. 1529.—Mehal Karoundia, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,528-15-8; recorded proprietors Mussamut Saraswati Kunar, mother and guardian of Bhekh Narayan Sinha and Imam Bux Khan, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. With the exception of the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened, and from whom the revenue is realized separately under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 472-12-5¾, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-10-8¼:—

				Shares.
				As.
Mouza	Saitha,	pergunnah Chainpore...		16
				B. C. D.
,,	Khaira,	ditto	ditto ...	133 5 11
				As.
,,	Inchao,	ditto	ditto ...	16
,,	Kekarha,	ditto	ditto ...	16
,,	Pipri,	ditto	ditto ...	1 an. 4 p.
,,	Baghi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Baghi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Pipra Ghat,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Pipra,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Karoundia,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Hemrajpore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Zamin Kasba Chainpore, pergunnah Chainpore ...		...	8

				Shares.
				As.
Mouza	Pipri,	pergunnah Chainpore		8
,,	Koraichouba,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Patti Chaitha,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Patti Ganesh,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Sirsi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Kashah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Mahbubpur,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Chandaila,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Rai Beldih,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Lahra Jairampore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Pounra,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Kushah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,,	Chak Bhugwat,	ditto	ditto ...	8

No. 1688.—Mehal Rupan attached to mehal Muhertha, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,058-2-2; recorded proprietors Haliwant Sinha, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. Excepting the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 267-2-8 18 krant, will be put to auction for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 4-15-5¾:—

Mouzah	Mahertha,	pergunnah Chainpore ...	...	2 kulam 16 annas.
,,	Naraon,	,, ditto ...	...	2 ,, 16 ,,
,,	Chhapri	,, ditto ...	...,	2 ,, 16 ,,
,,	Rupin	,, ditto ...	...	1 anna 8 pie 5 krant.

SHAHABAD COLLECTORATE, the 4th February 1879. J. MOOKERJEE, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Friday, the 28th day of March 1879, corresponding with Bengali 15th Chaitree 1285, and with Amli 16th Chaitree 1286, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Consecutive number	Number of Register A	Towjee number	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates.	Rs A P.	Rs A P.
1	91	58	Angoosh, in pergunnah Rajgurh	Jogobundhoodas Gogendro Mohapatro, Dinobhundoo Chowdry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhyea, Umeshchurn Bundopadhyea, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Shreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Shreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendro Nath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhry, Mohendro Nath Paul, and Radhakristo Dass	732 7 5	..
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 52-5-1 As also, exclusive of the share of Radhakrishna Dass, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 104-10 2	156 15 3	..
				The remaining joint share of Jogobundhoodas Gojendro Mohapatra, Dinobundhoo Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhye, Umeshchurn Bundopadhye, Ramprosad Bhatto Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Sreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Sreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendronath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	575 8 2	8 3 11
2	230	1557	Kattapal, in pergunnah Khurgopore	Kartieram Paul, Khettro Mohun Paul, Dwarkanath Paul and Koonjo Behary Roy	1 030 0 0 Including Road Fund	0 2 0
3	300	187	Balgobindopore, *alias* Gopalporo, in pergunnah Amersee	Modhoosoodun Singh, Anundo Loll Roy, Gungaram Myti, Kooraram Roy, Sheebnaran Roy, Sreemutty Noteesun Beebee, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altab Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, and Chandoomoney	603 9 9	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Noteesun Bibi, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altaf Khan Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the Government revenue of which is Rs 112-13-0; exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Singh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 47-0 8; and exclusive of the share of Chandmoneer, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, he land revenue of which is Rs 75-10-10	235 8 1	.....
				The remaining joint share of Anundalall Roy and Gangaram Myti will be sold for arrears of land revenue	307 12 11	90 9 8
				As also the remaining share of Kooraram Roy and Sheebnaran Roy, which has a separate account, and which will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	60 4 9	0 1 6
4	400	259	Ghaseerambar, *alias* Kooldiha, in pergunnah Khandar	Lokhinarandas Mohapatro Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komulkamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manikram Khatoos, Jorunjoy Mullick, Krishna Prosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Ballubram Khatoos, Ajodhyaram Khatoosh, Koralychurn Dutt, Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Dass, Manicram Khatoosh, Seetanath Ghosh and Romanath Ghosh, minors	502 5 10	.... .
				Exclusive of the share of Manicram Khatoosh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 83-2 7 As also, exclusive of the share of Sitanath Ghose and Ramanath Ghose, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is Rs 32 8 8	115 11 3	
				The remaining joint share of Lakhinarandas Mohapatro Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komul Kamini Dassy Bhogirath Janah, Manicram Khatoos, Jonmejoy Mullic, Krishnaprosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Bollub Khatoosh, Ajodhyaram Khatoosh, Koralychurn Dutt and Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Das, will be sold for arrears of land revenue	386 10 7	4 3 2
5	412	271	Barbansee, in pergunnah Khandar	Lokhichurn Sutputty, Golok Chunder Dutt, Manicram Pal, Brojomohun Mohapattro, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Das, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapattro, Issuramoney Debya, Norahory Mabaric, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Gooroopresad Mabaric, Bhubun Chundro Bundopadhye, Gunganarain and Soroopnarain Myti, Matongini Dassy mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti, Bholanath Myti, Khoyrat Ally, Sham Raoot, Ukhoynaran Janah Sreemuttya Sarnomoney, Nobinchundro Nag, Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rambhamoney, Tilothomamoney, Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indranaran Meyeekap Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, Radhachurn Singh, Indronarain Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul	19,156 13 1	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Dass, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapatro and Issuramoney Debya, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is	Rs. A P. 8,354 5 8	
				Exclusive of the share of Norohury Maric which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is	389 14 8	
				Ditto ditto of the share of Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Guruposad Maharic, ditto ditto .	1,233 13 0	
				Ditto ditto of Bhubun Chandra Bondopadhye, ditto ditto . . .	66 0 0	
				Ditto ditto of Gunganaram Soroopnaran Myti and Matongini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti and Bholanath Myti, ditto ditto ...	2,347 10 10	
				Ditto ditto of Khyrat Ally and Sham Raoot ditto ditto . ..	54 11 7	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Janah, ditto ditto	248 10 8	
				Ditto ditto of Sreemuttya Soorjomoney, ditto ditto	16 15 11	
				Ditto ditto of Nobinchundro Nag, ditto ditto	4,734 8 9	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rombamoney, Tilothomamoney, ditto ditto .	164 4 7	
				Ditto ditto of Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indronaran Meyeekap, Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, ditto ditto	241 1 8	
				Ditto ditto of Radhachurn Singha, ditto ditto	426 10 11	
				Ditto ditto of Indronaran Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul, ditto ditto	441 12 11	
				The total of the revenues of the shares which will not be sold is . .	18,490 8 9	.....
				The remaining joint share of Brojomohun Mohapatro Lokheechurn Satputty, Golokchunder Dutt, Manicram Paul, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	666 4 4	51 15 11
6	490	317	Baichageriah, *alias* Keshrombha in pergunnah Datonchour.	Chowdhry Jogabundhoo Das, Gosendromohapatro, Dinobundho Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetol Churn Pottaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn, Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bondopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Kashinath Dutt and Mohendronath Paul	1,293 6 5	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 184-12-0.	184 12 5	.. ..
				The remaining joint share of Chowdery Jugobundhoo Das, Gujendro Mohapatro, Dinabundhoo Chowdery, Hurryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetolchurn Potlaik Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bandopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Brojonath Dutt, and Kashinath Dutt will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,108 10 0	13 5 8
7	951	540	Deorah, in pergunnah Sabung	Bongsidhur Ponda, Modhoosoodun Bera, Ramchand Kur and Modhoosoodun Bera	529 13 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramchand Kur, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5 As also exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Mana which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5	260 6 10	.....
				The remaining joint share of Bongshidhur Ponda and Modhoosoodun Bera will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	269 7 0	0 1 11
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur	Rajbullub Chowdhry, Roeshikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of Issano Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee, Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee, Golokemoney Chowdhray, Ukhoynaran Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee.	806 7 8	... ..

Consecutive number.	Number of Register A.	Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates—concluded.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur.	Exclusive of the share of Rajbulluh Chowdhry, Rishikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoy Naran Myti, and Sreenibash Paharee which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 362-3-6 ...	837 10 6	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ukhoy Naran Myti, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 105-3-5		
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Myti, ditto ditto, „ 30-9-9		
				Ditto ditto of Sreenibash Paharee, ditto ditto, „ 33-9-10		
				The remaining share of Golokmoney Chowdhuranee, which will be sold for arrears of revenue	268 13 2	8 0 6
9	1703	938	Khelar, *alias* Bonpatna, in pergunnah Kismut Naraingurh.	Gunganaran Singh, Noranaran Singh, Haronaran Singh, Noroharee Maharee, Sreemutty Pearymoney Dossy, Sreemutty Adhurmoney Debya, Roshoonathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, Sitanathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, and Sreemutty Isurymoney Debya.	3,430 8 7	246 11 2
10	1754	982	Khetropal, *alias* Chuck Bhogu, pergunnah Amersee.	Bhagbutchundro Mundle, Bharutchundro Mundle, and Choudhury Jonmejoy Mullick.	3,153 9 7	24 3 8
11	1777	989	Lalcoah, *alias* Bolbhudropore, pergunnah Amersee.	Shreenarain Bera	924 13 1	317 15 11
12	1880	1035	Moninathpore, pergunnah Protabbhan.	Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennessa Bibi, minoress, Bhagbutchunder Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Chundermohun Myti, Lal Mohun Bhunya, Neel Mohun Bhunya, Gopinath Bhooja, minor's father and guardian, Moocheeram Bhunya, and Bhogirath Prodhan.	687 5 8	4 8 7
				Temporarily-settled Estates.		
13	1969	203	Mongalpore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Choudhury Gopendronundon Dass Mohapatro, Anundolal Roy, and Kashinath Mitter Chowdhury.	2,069 7 0	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Kashinath Mitter Choudhury, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	525 15 8	.....
				The remaining joint share of Choudhury Gopendronundundas Mohapatro and Anundolol Roy, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,543 7 4	353 6 1
14	1971	205	Mockrampore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Anundolol Roy and Horoshailoi Bhokut	1,546 0 0	346 14 2
				Permanently-settled Estates.		
15	2047	1124	Nankar Bajapti, pergunnah Majnamutta.	Seeboscondary Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondori, heirs of Gunganaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Sorengee, Seetalprosad Roy, Rajiblochun Sutputty, Sreemutty Denomoyee Deby, mother of Lokheenaran Bondopadhye, and Ramnidhi Coondoo.	2,133 5 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramnidhi Coondoo, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 703 12-5.	703 12 5	.....
				The remaining joint share of Seeboscondary, Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondory, heirs of Gunganaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Soorongee, Sitalprosad Roy, Rajiblochun Sutpoty and Sreemutty Dinomoyee Deby, mother of Lokhinarain Bondopadhye, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,429 8 11	23 4 7
16	2143	1170	Palpara, pergunnah Amershi.	Sreemuttya Bhodro Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Roy, Josomunto Roy, Lokhinaran Roy, Hurynaran Roy, Becharan Myti, Ahollya Deyee, mother of Boidonath Pall minor, Mothooramohun Roy, Moocheeram Saha, Jeetram Roy, Rotnomeyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy minor, and Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, Seetaram Dass, Sreemuttya Beechonmoney Deyee aunt of Koonurnaran Roy and others, minors, Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Roy, Gourmohun Gossami, Norosingnaran Myti, Taraprosad Roy and Guruprosad Myti.	815 4 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Sitaramdas, Sreemuttya Bechonmoney Dayee, aunt of Koonurnaran Roy, minor, Sreemuttya Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Rai Mothur and Gourmohun Gossami, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, Rs. 28-12-9	816 10 7	.....
				Ditto ditto of Norosingnarain Myti ditto ditto, Rs. 87-9-11 ...		
				Ditto ditto of Taraprosad Roy ditto ditto, „ 100-10-11...		
				Ditto ditto of Guruprosad Myti ditto ditto, „ 149-9-0 ...		
				The remaining joint share of Sreemuttya Bhodra Deyee. Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Rya, Josomunto Roy, Lakhinaran Roy, Hurynarain Roy, Becharam Myti, Ahillya Deyee, mother of Boidanath Paul, minor Mothoormohun Roy, Moochiram Sahoo, Jitram Roy, Sreemuttya Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy, minor, Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	498 10 3	69 8 8
17	2434	1332	Rampore *alias* Rampore Sonepore, pergunnah Beerkool.	Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bordopadhye, Annundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye minor, Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi, minoress, Chundichurn Sasmul.	5,175 11 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bondopadhye, and Sreemutiya Anundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 2,720-6-11	3,256 4 11	.....
				Assalso exclusive of the share of Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi minor, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 535-14-0		
				The remaining share of Chandichurn Sasmul which has a separate account, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,020 6 5	599 15 10
18	2253	1600	Agur, pergunnah Chundercona.	Nobokrishna Mookhopadhye, minor's attorney Joykrishna Mookhopadye, Rajkrishna Mokhopadhye, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, Shamanath Roy Choudhury, and Mr. Debrin, manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury and Sateendronath Roy Choudhury, minors; the heirs of the late Prannath Choudhury.	10,829 5 11	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mr. Debrin, Manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury, and Sotcendronath Roy Choudhury, minors and heirs of late Prannath Roy Choudhury, which has a separate account, and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	721 15 4	.....
				The remaining joint share of Joykrishna Mookopadhye, attorney of Nabokrishna Mookopadhye minor, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, and Shamanath Roy Choudhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	10,107 0 7	269 4 9

The 21st February 1879. T. D. BEIGHTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collector, for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 26th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

No. 17.—Dehi Alfa, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietors Santiram Roy and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 8,670-5-3 and police Rs. 96-3-7. The share of Santiram Roy and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,046-2-3 and police Rs. 44-14-8, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 13-8-11 on account of Government revenue. The share of Bama Sundary Burmania, mother and guardian of Keshtonath Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,624-3, police Rs. 51-4-11, for which separate accounts were open, will be exempted from sale.

No. 40.—Taraf Batyee, pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor Thakomoni Debia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 8,805-7-2 and police Rs. 110-13-5. The share of Shakhimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3,302-0-8 and police Rs. 41-9-1, for which a separate account was opened in No. 40-41, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 591-5-3 on account of Government revenue.

No. 258.—Kismut pergunnah Jaypore (eight annas), pergunnah Jaypore; recorded proprietors Kassinath an Omanath Roy Chowduri and others; sudder jumma Rs. 7,406-8-7, and police Rs. 83-15. The share of Kassinath an Omath Roy Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,481-5-1, and police Rs. 16-12-6, will be sold for recovery o Rs. 424-9. The share of Jadabinda Nath Rai Chowdhuri and others, sudder jumma Rs. 5,925-3-6, and police Rs. 67-2-6, for which separate account was opened, will be exempted from sale.

No. 338.—Mouzah Maj Rudh, pergunnah Sajial, recorded proprietor Chota Rakhal Chandra Bundeopadhya; sudder jumma Rs. 2,951-6-3. The share of Chota Rakhal Chandra Bandeopadhya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-10-2, for which a separate account was opened in No. 338-4, will be sold for Rs. 71-3-10 on account of Government revenue.

No. 432.—Mouzah Raj Nagore, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietor Sukhemoni Dabia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 579-3-2 and police Rs. 6 9-3. The share of Shukimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 289-9-7, and police Rs. 3-4-6½, for which separate account was opened in No. 432-1, will be sold for Rs. 0-13-1 on account of arrears of revenue.

No. 3192.—Kismut Bhur Phuttayjungpore, pergunnah Bhur Phuttayjungpore; recorded proprietor Sital Chandra Ghose and others; sudder jumma Rs. 2,433-1 0. The share of Sital Chandra Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 985-4-3, will be sold for Rs. 512-13-8, and the share of Punchanun Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,169, for which separate account was opened in No. 3192-1, will also be sold for Rs. 563 on account of arrears of revenue. The share of other proprietors will be exempted from sale.

NUDDEA COLLECTORATE, the 20th February 1879. W. H. M. GUN, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rungpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Chaitro 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th January 1879.

First Class Permanently-settled Estate.

Class.	Number on touji.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Arrears for which to be sold.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	5	Monja Karpura and others, Chukla Fatehpur.	Nobin Chundra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Chaudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri, himself and executor of Abdur Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chaudhuri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed Ataulla, Abdul Jalil Mea, Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing, Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor.	2,544 8 9	122 10 8	The joint share of Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing and Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor, of this estate, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 638-11-11, will be put up to sale; excluding the joint portion of Nobin Chandra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Choudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri himself and executor of Abdor Rajjuk Abu Mahamed Chauduri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed and Abdul Jalil Meah, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 1,905-12-10 in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.
3	235	Mouja Dhulgari and others in Lut Hossinpur, share 6 annas, pergunnah Barobilu.	Khajeh Mahamed Ehia Chaudhuri.	1,070 15 0	42 11 8	Entire mehal.

RUNGPORE COLLECTORATE, the 21st February 1879. J. J. LIVESAY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Sarun will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that district, on Thursday, the 20th March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chayet, 1286 F. S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879, instead of the 12th January 1879, which was a Sunday.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Serial number.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Government revenue of the shares which will be sold for arrears of revenue.	Arrears of revenue due from the estate.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	314	Rksar, pergunnah Bal	Ram Porsad Narain and others ...	812 11 0	817 13 6	28 13 11½
2	325	Umdha Phakooli, pergunnah Bal ...	Ram Govind Sahoo and others ...	1,040 0 0	1,040 0 0	183 9 5
3	414	Bharhopur Fatehpur, pergunnah Bal	Darap Narain Singh and others ...	1,954 13 6	1,720 4 2	4 1 11½
4	650	Kopa, pergunnah Bal	Rusuldad Khan and others	967 0 3	967 0 3	7 8 3
5	725	Mirzapur, pergunnah Bal	Ram Kuner and others	1,142 7 5½	472 14 8½	19 13 4½
6	815	Pojheya Tandwa, pergunnah Bal ..	Asaaish Jehan and others	693 5 4½	693 5 4½	0 15 8½
7	944	Tajpur, pergunnah Bal	Benarsi Lal, Binda Lall and others	1,331 6 5	286 2 3	34 14 3½
8	1367	Pachenkkhi Sarangpur, pergunnah Bara	Shin Sahai Singh, Mooktnath Porsad and others	568 8 6½	568 8 6½	1 0 0
9	1421	Rampur Chand, pergunnah Bara ...	Jet Gir, Juba Lall, and others ...	671 6 10	591 6 10	4 15 9½
				Malkana.	Malkana.	
				560 9 2	470 9 2	
10	1438	Sadatpur, pergunnah Bara	Rashunandan Singh and Bisseesar Singh	110 13 8	110 13 8	
11	1438	Ditto ditto	Jadunandun Singh and Mussamut Imirta Kuner	936 1 7	44 14 10	3 10 8
12	2091	Bakhraur, pergunnah Dungsi ...	Mussamut Moti Kuner ...	936 1 7	22 7 5	0 12 5
13	2380	Chhap Suderson, pergunnah Goah ..	Ritubaran Singh Kunja Roy, Shin Sahai Roy, Shin Dizal Singh and others	1,625 0 6	288 10 10	7 12 0
14	2604	Mirzapur, pergunnah Goah	Russ Narain, Gopal Sahai and others	821 5 4	285 3 8½	8 12 9
15	2604	Ditto ditto	Guder Singh	1,706 10 8	569 10 10½	0 15 8
16	3086	Manopur, pergunnah Kasmar ...	Sudisht Narain Singh and others ...	1,706 10 8	937 15 9½	4 5 7½
17	3112	Nawdiha, ditto	Alekh Misser and others	718 11 9	119 1 7½	7 7 3
18	3129	Qasim Chak, ditto	Ram Anugrah Singh and others ...	1,565 14 8	813 8 4½	1 1 10
				546 10 0	273 5 4	3 11 4½

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 22nd February 1879. R. H. PAWSEY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 29th March 1879 for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A P.	Rs. A. P.	
First class ...	1739	Five annas 6¼ gandas share of Khaje Nur Taluq	Wazedennessa Khatun and others	2,525 3 1¼	432 7 2¼	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	1914	Half anna share of Tappeh Habeli, Shilemabad	Ishwar Chandra Roy and others	1,959 3 11	45 9 11	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	1918	Twelve annas 10¾ gandas 2 kanta and 3 tils share of taluq Ram Deb Sen, Tippeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Bhagawan Chandra Bhattacharjee and others.	1,401 3 3	151 10 3¼	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	2048	Char Kalmi Mahal ...	Emdat Ali Munshi and others	1,846 10 3	302 3 0¼	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3432	Taluq Rudra Narayan Das	Mathura Nath Mukhapadhya and others.	603 3 2¼	103 0 0¼ Due for kist 28th Sept. 1878. Rs A. P 1,049 12 10¼ Due for kist 12th Jan. 1879. Rs A. P 1,747 14 4 2,797 11 2¾	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ..	3842	Fourteen annas of 18¼ gandas share rendered into 16 annas of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Govinda Mala Choudurani	4,463 5 4¾	Rs. A. P 1,249 14 1	The entire 14 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ..	3843	Thirteen gandas share of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Raj Coomar Roy	3,601 1 1¾	154 11 0	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4532	Osat Taluq Hari Prasad Roy in Abad Debpur pergunnah Ratnadi Kalikapu.	Syama Charan Samaddar, hissa 11 annas.	1,195 8 1	4,914 0 0	This 11 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4546	Padma *alias* Ramjanpur ...	Mir Majjam Hasen Chaudhuri and others.	4,914 0 0 Land revenue. Rs. A P. 2,947 8 0 1 per cent. Road Fund Rs A P. 29 10 0	Land revenue Rs A. P. 1,737 10 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 26 15 6	The proprietory right of the settlement holders Mir Majjan Hasen Choudhuri and others will be sold.
Ditto ..	5198	Kakra with Rampura ...	Abdul Choban Miya and others, 6 annas shareholders.	2,977 2 0	1,764 9 6	The 6 annas share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Moorshedabad will be put to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitro, 1285 B.S.

Serial number.	Class.	Number on towji.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
1	First class	9	Kismut Kasipore, pergunnah Kasipore.	Shama Charan Bhutto, Chunder Mukhi Dossa, Essan Chunder Roy, Ganesh Lall Roy, Shama Soondary Chowdhurani, Radha Charan Sen, Khatter Nath Banerja, Nitokali Debya, Brojo Kay Banerja, father and guardian of the minor Shatesh Chunder Banerja	6,074 3 0	In this mehal the share of Ganesh Lall Roy, 4 annas 9 gundas 3 kag 1 til will be sold, sudder jumma of which is Rs. 2,250-5-1.
2	Ditto ...	73	Dahi Gangada, pergunnah Gunkar.	Prankrishto Banerja, Bonowari Lall Mundul and Srish Chunder Mundul.	2,661 10 9	The whole mehal will be sold.
3	Ditto ...	456	Kismut Suktipore, pergunnah Plassy.	Hurry Mohun, Khetter Nath, Radha Krishto, Gopal Krishto Mookerja, Shakhimony Debya, Syud Atwar Rohamun, Syud Abdool Fattah, Khabira Bebee, Taliba Bebee, Fatama Bebee, mother and guardian of Mohamed Moosa, Syud Mohamed Taha, Rohimunnessa Bebee, Syda Bebee, and Sridam Chunder Sen.	2,403 10 3	Of this mehal, excluding 5 annas 3 gundas 1 kora and 1 kranti of the mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs 776-3 0, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Boida Nath Mookhapadhya, the remainder, 10 annas 16 gundas 2 coras and 2 kranti, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs 1,627-7-3, in the name of Hurry Mohun Mookapadhuya and others, will be only sold.
4	Ditto ..	474	Kismut Mouzah Sha Hossenpore, pergunnah Kourprotap.	Abdool Barkat, Fuzla Ahamed, Golam Asraf, Mohamed Kutub Chowdhuri, Chowdhuri Akramul Hak, Chowdhuri Esamul Hak, Naditunnessa Bebee, herself and mother and guardian of Atahar Ally, Sadari Meha, Nutfunnessa Bebee, guardian of Syud Zinal Abdin, and Syud Nadir Ally.	584 4 4	The whole mehal will be sold.
5	Ditto .	515	Taraf Ahogoon, pergunnah Shahajadpore.	Kali Doss Ghose, Krishtojibun Ghose, Rakhal Doss Ghose, Debendro Chundra Ghose, himself brother and guardian of Shoshebhuson Ghose, minor, Kylash Chunder Ghose, Krishto Kissore Ghose, and Rodomoi Debya.	884 12 0	In this mehal only 14 annas share, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs 774-8-4, which is held in the name of Kristojibun Ghose and others, will be sold, and remaining portion 2 annas, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs 110-9-8, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Kali Doss Ghose, will stand in Kali Doss Ghose's name

T. M. KIRKWOOD, *Covtd. Depy Collr. in charge.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTORATE, BERHAMPORE, the February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Durbhunga will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chait 1286, at 12 o'clock on Thursday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Towji No	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jummah of the whole mehal.	Sudder jummah of the share to be sold.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.
1	48	Matiaour Mahabulpur, pergunnah Balagach	Gunesh Lal, Dabi Pershad, Shital Pershad, Kishen Pershad, Bishun Prashad, Gopal Lal, Jhamuck Lal, and Ratun Kooer.	1,738 14 3	80 11 3	0 1 11
2	50	Bhograjpore and Ram Chunderpore Dasraha appertaining to mehal Ram Chunderpore, pergunnah Balagach.	Bhairo Sahay and Bujrung Sahay, 5*g.* share	1,765 6 0	17 6 3	3 3 6
3	55	Malkalpore Buzurg, pergunnah Balagach	Baboo Bikroo Singh, Baboo Bikoo Singh, Baboo Bhakatoo Singh, and Baboo Jitoo Singh.	3,437 5 4	69 5 0	11 6 3
4	1471	Kumar Gawan, pergunnah Jakhur	Ishwar Deo, 14*g*, 2*d* 3*r* 3*pers*	774 9 9	34 10 6	4 5 4
5	1522	Lahari pergunnah Jubdi .	Mussamut Hunsmani Bahoosaeon mother and guardian of Harkh Dhari Singh, minor, 8*a* 11*g* 1*kt*	2,450 10 8	1,311 7 9	7 10 4
6	3097	Mooreyaro, pergunnah Saraisa	Dianut Hossein, Baijnath Khan, Man Khan Juggur Math Khan, Ganesh Khan, Mahinder Khan, Dharun Khan, Zorawar Khan, Baukan Khan, Shamul Khan, Bunyad Khan, Mangal Khan, Faquir Khan, Bikaoo Khan, Bhoogra Khan, Chutter Dharee Khan, Kehee Khan, Ram Sahay Khan, Achumbhit Khan, Omrao Khan, Mussamut Madhooker Koer, herself and guardian, Shew Sahay Singh, Daokh Harun Singh, Deehoo Khan, Bhairo Khan, Shew Deyal Khan, Lall Behary Panday, Manoher Khan, Pahalwan Khan, Bunjeet Khan, Sarwan Khan, Bhekhdhary Khan Bahadoor Khan, Duljeet Khan Rasbehary Khan, Pahulwan Khan, Bunjeet Singh, Sheo Sahay Singh Pandey, Ram Ajadhia Prosad Pandey, Dowlut Khan, Bhekhari Khan, Busti Khan Ram Dehal Khan, Gauri Khan, Bunsi Khan, Nirghin Khan, son of Roopun Khan, Lachumon Khan, Rajbunsi Khan, Hunsraj Khan, Choolay Khan, Ram Damun Khan, Bochaye Khan, Naik Khan, Adhar Khan, Siromun Khan, Boodhu Ray, Domee Roy.	675 11 9	259 12 7	9 8 4
7	6742	Pagra Mahisary, pergunnah Saraisa.	Bharasi Singh, Dario Singh, Aghori Singh, Birjlal Singh, Mussamutt Shamrood Koer, Mussamut Hira Koer, Mussamut Ram Koer, Pur Deep Sahay himself and guardian of Madhoo Sahay minor, Aghori Roy, Sheikh Rahumut Ally, Darsao Singh, Hanooman Singh, Halkhori Singh, Aghori Singh, and Bhai Singh, son of Pur Deep Narain Singh	780 13 10	197 12 4	9 5 7

DURBHUNGA COLLECTORATE, the 14th February 1879. HERBERT MOSLEY, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Maldah will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of March 1879, corresponding with 2nd Chaetro 1285 B S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Class.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor	Sudder jumma.	Balance due	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1st Class	517	Monzah Toke Bara Gird Syadpur, pergunnah Rokunpore.	Jadunath Baral and Trailakhya Nath Baral.	2,558 11 0	89 7 0	Half share of the entire estate belonging to Jadunath Baral will be sold for arrears of Government revenue due on the 13th January 1879 Trailakhya Nath Baral, the proprietor of the other half, had opened a separate account under Act XI of 1859 for his share, and has paid in the revenue due from him.

MALDAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 1st February 1879. R. PORCH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Noakholly will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Choitro, 1285 B.S., for the arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Number of towjee.	Names of estates.	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma.	Balance.
			Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
205	Pergunnah Dandra, share 3 annas.	Kazi Mohomed Moniraddy and Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and guardian of Srimuti Mahomeda Khatoore, minor, Chandranath Chowdry, Radhamohun Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterjee, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Srimuti Akramanessa, Srimuti Najumanessa, minors, and Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abunasar Mahomed Esahaq	2,420 4 10	1,738 1 11
		Improvement Fund ...	24 0 0	10 2 8
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Chandranath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	605 1 3	
		Improvement Fund ...	6 0 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Radha Mohon Rai, share 3 annas 10 gundas	378 2 9	
		Improvement Fund ...	3 12 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Najumanessa, minors of Reazuddin Munshi, managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji, share 1 anna	151 4 4	
		Improvement Fund ...	1 8 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Abu Esof, Mahomed Israel, Abu Mahomed, Ubedullah, share 2 annas 3 cowries 1 krant	308 13 6	
		Improvement Fund ...	3 1 9	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abu Nasar Mahomed Esahaq, minor, share 1 anna 19 gundas 2 krant ...	296 8 9	
		Improvement Fund ...	2 15 0	
206	Pergunnah Dandra, share 1 anna 18 gundas 2 cowries 1 krant.	Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and father and guardian of Srimuti Mohomed Khatoon, Srimuti Sarafanessa, self and mother and guardian of Abu Esof Mahomed Israel and Abu Nasar Mohomed Esahaq, Srimuti Wakia Banu, guardian of Ubedulla, Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, Radhamohon Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterji, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Nozumanessa, minors	5,367 0 11	4,596 7 1
		Improvement Fund ...	33 0 0	48 15 3
		Separate account opened in the name of Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	316 12 3	
		Improvement Fund ...	3 4 0	
	Ditto	ditto in the name of Radhamohon Rai, share 3 annas 10 gundas	310 7 3	
		Improvement Fund ...	3 1 6	
	Ditto	ditto in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa, Nozumanessa, minors of Reazuddin Munshi, whose estate is managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji ...	204 3 1	
		Improvement Fund ...	2 1 0	

NOAKHOLLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 24th February 1879. A. MANSON, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estate in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of Government revenue on the estates Abad Taktabunia and Abad Chila, Nos. 4538 and 4540 respectively, in the Sundarbans portion of Backergunge district.

Class.	Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount due.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.		
1st class ...	1720	1 anna 1½ gandas 1 krant 5 tils share of pergunnah Chandradaip.	Bhagawn Chandra Roy and Anandamayi Chaudhurani, executor and executrix on behalf of Golak Nath Roy Chaudhurani, minor.	9,046 15 1½	For Taktabunia No. 4538. Rs. A. P. 5,761 12 0 For Chila No. 4540. Rs. A. P. 1,768 15 4 7,530 11 4	This entire share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Feb. 21	4 Packages, 121 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co...	Order ...	S. S. City of Manchester.
,, 21	4 Cases, 142 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Case, 172 in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	4 Cases, D H	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Case, E O K in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Case, F A W	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Case, addressed	J. Hutchison, Assam	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Bar T Iron, [redacted] white, or no mark	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Plate Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Cask, A M H D in a diamond or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Iron Sleeper, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Rail, E. U. & Co. or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Case, addressed	A. Stewart, Esq., Cachar.	Ditto.
,, 21	1 Sample Parcel, H D D, bottom 800 in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 20	80 Cakes Spelter, W. C. I. Co.	Ditto ...	Ship Vernon.
,, 20	146 Cakes Spelter and two pieces, B B B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 20	5 Cases, B & S in a diamond, bottom D & C ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Merkara.
,, 20	4 Cases, S E C	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 22	20 Cases, 1360 in a block, top R B	Ditto ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 1st March 1879. (842—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *for Vice-Chairman.*

Hooghly Floating Bridge.

Statement of Receipts from Local Traffic for the eight days ending 28th February 1879.

	Foot-Passengers.		Vehicles.		Total.	Remarks.
	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.	Calcutta to Howrah.	Howrah to Calcutta.		
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
February 21st, 1879	49 4 6	44 2 9	52 15 9	80 0 9	226 7 9	
,, 22nd, ,, ...	67 12 3	95 10 0	60 6 6	56 13 6	280 9 9	
,, 23rd, ,, ...	78 8 0	73 10 9	68 10 3	67 13 6	288 10 6	
,, 24th, ,, ...	57 6 9	60 0 3	65 8 0	91 0 6	273 15 6	
,, 25th, ,, ...	56 15 0	60 1 3	45 1 3	61 6 0	223 7 6	
,, 26th, ,, ...	62 5 3	55 3 0	90 12 9	54 0 6	262 5 6	
,, 27th, ,, ...	57 14 6	50 0 9	75 4 9	55 6 6	238 10 6	
,, 28th, ,, ...	46 1 6	43 15 3	67 13 0	32 10 3	190 8 0	
Total ...	476 3 9	482 12 0	526 8 3	490 3 0	1,984 11 0	
Total of previous 7 weeks ...	2,988 2 3	2,900 5 0	4,186 0 0	3,604 13 0	13,679 4 3	
Grand Total ...	3,464 6 0	3,383 1 0	4,712 8 3	4,104 0 0	15,663 15 3	

CALCUTTA, the 3rd March 1879. (844—1) G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 15th February 1879.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS.								4½ PER CENT. LOANS.				Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent. Debenture for 15 years, repayable June 1893.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1828-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1879.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent. Portion.					
Balance of 31st January 1879 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,04,200	2,29,60,800	1,12,16,200	1,94,62,100	3,04,49,900	39,30,900	3,36,000	51,71,500	4,06,35,100	51,500	34,11,000	79,800	1,21,69,800	15,45,20,725
5½ per cent. Stock transferred to 4½ per cent. Stock in London ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,86,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,86,600
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 1st and 15th February 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	15,000	.....	.....	.....	10,000	20,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	55,500
Ditto at Bombay between 1st and 15th February 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	5,000	1,500	.....	.....	1,500	33,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	42,000
Ditto at Calcutta between 1st and 15th February 1879 ..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	78,000	.....	1,58,500	1,23,000	6,000	.....	18,200	1,29,700	.....	15,000	.....	.....	5,28,400
TOTAL ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,04,200	2,30,49,800	1,12,16,200	1,96,40,600	3,05,74,400	39,36,900	3,36,000	52,01,200	4,11,04,900	51,500	34,26,000	79,800	1,21,69,800	15,54,33,225
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.....	.....	.....	1,000	1,05,300	65,100	8,200	86,900	2,100	.....	20,000	.....	.....	25,000	3,000	4,46,100	7,62,700
Balance on 15th February 1879 ..	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,03,200	2,29,44,500	1,11,51,100	1,96,32,400	3,04,87,500	39,34,800	3,36,000	51,81,200	4,11,04,900	51,500	34,01,000	76,800	1,17,23,200	15,46,70,525

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 15th Dec. 1878—Enfaced from India 3,108 lakhs; retransferred from London 2,935 lakhs.
" 16th Dec. 1878 to 31st " " " " 36 " " " 7 "
" 1st Jany. 1879 to 15th Jany. 1879 " " " 8 " " " 13 "
" 16th " " to 31st " " " " 13 " " " 8 "
" 1st Feb. " to 15th Feb. " " " " 8 " " " 7 "
3,173
2,969
Balance against India ... 204 "
2,969 "

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 24th February 1879.

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 25th Feb. 1879.

LIABILITIES.			Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up			2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund			20,25,095	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office	Rs.	1,08,63,884 9 7	2,44,67,708	0	5
Ditto at Branches	,,	1,36,03,823 6 10			
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches			2,30,80,463	12	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.			8,59,046	2	5
Sundries			8,45,612	12	7
Rupees			7,12,77,955	12	0

ASSETS.			Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities			75,14,807	8	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches			53,19,918	0	4
Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches			88,16,137	6	8
Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches			2,13,25,131	5	9
Balances with other Banks			6,06,450	2	10
Bullion					
Dead Stock			9,77,315	8	11
Stamps			7,183	15	0
Sundries			2,16,456	0	5
			4,47,83,401	10	11
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office	Rs.	82,93,045 0 11	2,64,94,554	1	1
Cash and Currency Notes at Branches	,,	1,82,01,508 7 2			
Rupees			7,12,77,955	12	0

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, *Calcutta, the 27th February* 1879.

W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accott. and Dy. Secy.*

(838—1)

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
413	O 27—15519	500	The District Superintendent of Police.
	L 93—76967	50	
	O 35—37941	100	
	,, —37944	100	
	,, —37945	100	
	,, —37946	100	
	,, —37947	100	
	O 30—13441	50	
	,, 26—10452	20	
414	O 30—13752	50	Bhurat Chunder Mahapatra.
415	L 93—88442	50	Kristo Dhone Mukerjee.
417	O 39—22297	10	Redoy Nauth Sircar.
418	L 54—16894	5	Post-Master of Calcutta.
419	L 93—77741	50	The Superintendent of Police.
420	O 25—27823	20	The Post-Master of Calcutta.
	D 10—27378	5	
421	L 54—39060	5	Rev. A. O. Hardy.
	,, —39061	5	
422	O 35—21691 to ,, —34245	100	Inspector J. M'Callock.
423	L 93—45193	50	The Post-Master General, Bengal, and the Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore, Moorshedabad.
	,, 88103	50	
	L 66—95890	50	
428	O 35—32759	100	J. Sterrat.
	,, —11494	100	
429	O 39—80148	10	Messrs. John Dill & Co.
	,, 44—09019	10	
430	O 72—19409	1,000	Chinta Ram Muddiar
	,, 70—01033	500	Chand Shaw.
431	O 35—48778	100	Adam Mohomed.
	,, —60240	100	
432	O 35—26183	100	Monsuffrit Ram.
433	,, 34—25093	100	Suruth Pundit.
	L 94—95029	100	
434	O 34—03163	100	Sheik Torab.
436	L 47—33723	20	Sewdeo Prosad.
437	O 35—44067	100	Khooddee Ram Dutt.
438	,, 43—94741	10	A. Burrows.
	,, —59201	10	
440	,, 27—91014	500	Bustee Ram and Bissumbhor Nath.
441	L 92—94847	50	Abdul Kadir.
442	O 34—81817	100	Gotee Ram Manick Ram.
443	,, 30—10507	50	S. Moorhead.
	,, —10508	50	
444	,, 70—07865	500	Superintendent A. Younan, Calcutta Police.

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
446	O 42—03352 to ,, —03411	10 each	Cohen Brothers & Co.
	L 93—89976 to ,, —89979	50 each	
	O 25—41477 to ,, —41480	20 each	
	O 42—03220	10	
	,, —03221	10	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

451	L 72—43175	10	Somer Ahmed Khan.
452	O 10—63461	10	Krisna Dhone Bhattacharjee.
453	O 11—04505	10	Sarut Chunder Bose.
454	O 19—21522	10	C Riemes.
455	,, 35—34976	100	Dino Nath Sircar.
456	L 93—67322	50	Raj Mohon Mookerjee.
457	O 42—60959	10	Sreembash Ghose.
	,, 43—71014		
458	O 22—06984	20	Roma Nath Banerjee.
459	,, 11—74605	10	Jadu Money Mitter.
	L 54—20389	5	
460	,, 30—53990	5	Brojo Mohon Adyto.
461	O 12—02129	10	Lieut. A. Masters.
	,, 39—55478	10	
	,, 39—51673	10	
	,, 9—53126	10	
	,, 10—49795	10	
	O 40—13139	10	
462	,, 17—42674	10	E. D. Edwards.
463	,, 42—57130	10	Mohomed Taloolah.
464	,, 12—33628	10	Kareem Bux and Azizuddeen.
	,, —33171	10	
	,, —32203	10	
465	O 42—77816	10	B Winco.
	,, 43—09427	10	
	,, —55490	10	
	,, —64916	10	
	,, 40—72526	10	Mrs. E. Tobin.
467	L 28—42813	5	P. B. Johnson.
	,, 31—66000	5	
	,, 40—02464	10	
468	O 8—47147	10	Dino Nath Ghose.
	O 13—56533	10	
469	O 39—89710	10	Warrisuddeen.
470	,, —78559	10	Messrs. Curestjee & Co.
471	L 31—42377	5	Deputy Post-Master General, Behar.
	O 22—01500	20	
	,, —01507	20	
	,, —01558	20	
	O 23—84233	20	
472	O 29—41068	1,000	Messrs. Carew & Co.
	,, —56478	1,000	
473	L 90—44257	20	Soojun Mull Hunmunt Ram.
474	,, 36—39629	20	Jeeta Nund Bidyasager.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
475	O 72—03174	1,000	Ram Chunder Johormull.
	„ 29—98929	1,000	
476	O 35—26647	100	C. DeC. Richards.
477	O 33—05706	100	Syad Mohomed.
	O 21—59194	20	
478	„ 20—12496	20	Barranosee Chunder Ghose.
479	L 30—59406	5	Jogendro Nath Banerjee.
480	O 44—11004	10	Mrs. A. Brown.
481	„ 41—76611	10	Nani Lall Banerjee.
482	L 31—40949	5	Mossulluddeen Mollah.
483	„ 93—66528	50	Lt. H. M. Campbell.
	O 19—24089	10	
	„ 40—78227	10	
	„ 42—31846	10	
484	L 27—70062	5	Chunder Coomar Chatterjee.
485	„ 25—67733	20	Rutty Kant Mozoomdar.
	„ 23—38442	20	
486	L 28—32016	5	Shew Golam Panday.
488	O 41—80236	10	Juggo Bundhoo Chatterjee.
	L 29—37237	5	
489	O 34—72185	100	Purroshotum Dutt.
	„ —28535	100	
490	„ 42—96704	10	Jogendro Nath Mitter.
	„ —28003	10	
491	„ 19—22967	10	Tripurah Churn Doss.
492	„ 43—47626	10	Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee.
493	L 37—60851	20	Prosono Coomar Roy.
	„ 17—15878	5	
494	O 14—31387	10	District Traffic Manager, S. P. and Delhi Railway, Mooltan.
495	„ 35—18014	100	Hakeem Mogurreb Hossein.
496	„ 18—63349	10	Juggut Ram Mookerjee.
497	„ 24—07280	20	Nuffer Chunder Ghose.
498	„ 52—57224	20	Nogendro Nath Mitter.
499	„ 27—72212	500	R. Hildebrand.
500	„ 42—88034	10	Charu Chunder Mookerjee.
501	„ 34—77897	100	Kader Nath Bannerjee.
502	L 77—14581	20	Juggernath Marwaree.
503	„ 42—77586	10	Abinash Chunder Dutt.
	„ —77579	10	
504	O 19—89673	10	Imamuddeen.
505	L 13—45191	20	Purno Chunder Banerjee.
506	O 44—56983	10	Mrs. F. Hill.
	„ —43959	10	
	„ —27742	10	
	„ 43—38660	10	
	„ —02934	10	
	„ 26—31085	20	
	L 54—81636	5	
507	O 35—30213	100	Nundo Lall Sett.
508	„ 14—41210	10	Eshan Chunder Mookerjee.
	„ 6—19063	10	
	„ 10—33980	10	
	„ 9—29712	10	
	„ 14—46721	10	
	„ 9—05568	10	
	„ 12—70460	10	
509	„ 16—69391	10	Gobind Behary Audhicaree.
510	„ 27—95347	500	The Post-Master General, N. W. P.
511	„ 13—34336	10	Nundo Lall Kur.
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy
	„ —57898		
263	O 18—78567	10	Giriboro Ram.
	„ 78566		
265	L 39—73807	10	Doyal Chand Halder.
	„ 73806		
266	L 15—86835	5	Ramjee Doss Bunsee Lall.
	„ 86835		
267	O 22—69823	20	Manager, Horse Dawk Carriages, Moradabad.
	„ 69832		
268	L 89—59283	20	Ruttenessur Mullick.
	„ 59783		
270	O 3—19045	20	Messrs. Nittogopaul Dhur & Co.
	„ 19046		
	L 33—46308	10	
	„ 46307		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
272	L 11—01999	5	Surjon Mull Huhumunt Ram.
	„ 01996		
	L 17—49550	5	
	„ 49548		
	L 22—54791	5	
	„ 54792		
	A 97—95132	10	
	A 96—33109		
273	L 89—04393	20	Aboobaker Ebrahim.
	L 90—82009		
	L 21—31898	5	
	„ 97209		
274	L 62—25338	10	Amrit Nath Jhah.
	„ 58—04832		
275	L 30—92353	5	W. C. Nicholls.
	„ 30—92354		
276	O 25—39948	20	Madar Mullick.
	„ —39943		
277	O 25—02538	20	Gate Clerk of Zoological Garden.
	„ 21—62168		
278	L 43—27262	10	Rakhal Das Coar.
	„ —27261		
279	O 18—12944	10	Bonomaly Seal.
	„ —12943		
	L 34—24425	10	
	„ 32—73675		
280	O 22—02702	20	Doorga Churn Goopta.
	„ —02756		
281	O 16—10369	10	Koonja Lall Bissesur Das.
	„ —10396		
	L 43—25678	10	
	„ —25638		
	A 97—28981	10	
	„ —28982		
282	O 13—95319	10	Chief Pay-Master, E. I. Railway.
	„ —95329		
283	L 59—12541	10	Gunga Ram.
	„ —12542		
	L 59—12543	10	
	„ —12544		
285	A 71—57309	20	Chota Lall.
	„ —46382		
335	L 65—53889	20	Chief Pay-Master, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	„ —53883		

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 25th February 1879.

Notice.

List of unclaimed Packages on the Custom House Wharf.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Bar Flat Iron, no mark	... City of Hankow.
21	Bars Square Iron, no mark	... Lady Belhaven.
2	Rundlets, [C P B] H. S. K. & Co.	... Ditto.
8	Plates Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
12	Bars Flat Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
14	Bars Square Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
10	Bars Round Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, [180] B. L. & Co.	... Dundee.
1	Cask, [617] W L 7	... Ditto.
2	Rundlets, [X]	... Star of Italy.
1	Case, [S A & N] 4458	... Berar.
1	Cask, no mark	... Almora.
1	Qr. Cask, S	... Statesman.
1	Parcel [R B] C	... Ditto.
17	Spikes, no mark	... Inventor.
28	Fire Bars, no mark	... City of Edinburgh.
1	Cask, I J C	... Ditto.
18	Spikes, no mark	... Ditto.
104	Fire Bars, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Bundle Hoop Iron, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Case, [O. S. & Co.] 20 C	... Ditto.
2	Kegs, no mark	... Ditto.
1	Cask, B C L	... Ditto.
2	Pipes no mark	... City of Manchester.
1	Parcel, [G] or G. Wyllie & Co.	Ditto.
1	Fire Bar, [B]	... Ditto.
1	Drum, P. C. M. & Co.	... Ditto.
1	Cask, no mark	... Lady Belhaven.

No.	Mark.	Ship.
1	Case, [P R] 158	... Meinam.
1	Chest, no mark	... Moray.
1	Parcel, S. B. Elias	... Ditto.
1	Parcel, A. M. Esabhoy	... Ditto.
12	Cakes Spelter, G J O	... St. Magnus.

N. B.—The above will be sold if not cleared within the 1st of March 1879.

7	Bars Iron, XX	... Lock Eoch.
2	Cakes Spelter, B	... City of Hankow.
1	Cake Spelter, T	... Ditto.
1	Plate Iron, S M	... Ditto.

N. B.—The above, landed under the Act, will be sold if not cleared within the 1st of March 1879.

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*
CALCUTTA CUSTOMS, the 22nd February 1879.

For Sale.

A LARGE Double Cylinder Newspaper Printing Machine, now on view at the Alipore Jail. For particulars apply to the Superintendent, Bengal Secretariat Press.

WANTED a Treasurer for the Dinagepore Collectorate. Salary Rs. 65 a month. Security to the amount of Rs. 10,000 required.

Apply, with copies of testimonials, to the undersigned.

E. G. GLAZIER, *Collector.*
CALCUTTA, the 27th February 1879.

WANTED a Nazir for the District Judge's Court, Midnapore. Salary Rs. 100, rising by increments to Rs. 200. Security required Rs. 5,000. Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received up to 10th March 1879. Candidates should know English, bear a good moral character, and have some experience of Court duties.

W. CORNELL, *District Judge.*
ZILLAH MIDNAPORE, JUDGE'S COURT, the 22nd February 1879.

Notice.

WANTED an Acting Canoongo in the first grade; salary Rs. 50; for the sub-division of Serajgunge, in Pubna, with prospect of being confirmed in the appointment. Preference will be given to a passed man in the Native Civil Service Examination.

Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received up to the 15th March next.

W. M. CLAY, *Offg. Collector.*
PUBNA COLLECTORATE, the 15th February 1879.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

Bank of Bengal.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Bank of Bengal and Public Debt Office will be closed on Saturday, the 8th proximo, on account of the Hindoo Festival "Dole Jattra."

By order of the Directors,
R. HARDIE, *Secretary & Treasurer.*
CALCUTTA, 27th February 1879. (839—1)

Notice.

THE Stationery Store will be closed for the annual stock-taking from the 16th to the 31st March 1879, both days inclusive, *during which period no stationery can, under any circumstances, be issued.* The alteration in time herein announced is rendered necessary by Government requiring the submission of the annual report on the Stationery Department one month earlier than hitherto.

JOHN B. ROBERTS, *Superintendent.*
GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE, 4, CHURCH LANE, the 21st February 1879.

Notification.

THE Corporation of the town of Calcutta are prepared, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, under the provisions of section 334 of Act IV (B.C.) of 1876, to receive tenders for loans on debenture for six lacs of rupees on the security of the rates, taxes and dues, imposed and levied under the said Act for the construction of drainage works and for the extension of water-supply during the year 1879.

2. Debentures will be issued for the said amount, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable on the 1st May and 1st November of each year, and having a currency of 30 years.

3. The form of the debenture bonds will be that given in the seventh schedule of the aforesaid Act.

4. No debenture will be issued for any less sum than rupees five hundred (500), and above that amount debentures will be issued only for even sums of rupees one hundred (100).

5. Subscriptions will be received, and scrip receipts for instalments paid will be granted by the Bank of Bengal. Debentures will be issued as soon as possible in exchange for the scrip receipts for instalments paid into the Bank of Bengal.

6. Tenders for the whole, or any part of the above-named sum of rupees six lacs, will be received by the Secretary to the Corporation up to noon of Monday, the 10th of March.

7. Each tender must be addressed in the form annexed to this notification, and enclosed in a sealed cover superscribed "Tender for Municipal Loan of 1879."

8. The tenders will be opened at the Municipal office on Monday, the 10th of March, at 1 o'clock P.M., by the Chairman of the Corporation. The Municipal Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept any tender below the minimum rate, which will be placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, to be opened and declared in the event of any tender being rejected, on the ground that it is below the minimum rate.

The amount of the accepted tenders must be paid into the Bank of Bengal in the following instalments:—
Four-tenths within 15 days of acceptance of tender.
Three-tenths on the 1st April.
Two-tenths on the 1st May.
One-tenth on the 1st June.

9. Anticipation interest will be paid on the two first instalments up to 30th April 1879, inclusive, and on the last instalment up to 31st October 1879, inclusive.

10. Parties tendering must pay into the Bank of Bengal to the credit of the Corporation a sum equal to two (2) per cent. of the amount tendered, Bank receipt for which amount must accompany the tender.

11. If the tender be accepted, the deposit will be taken in part of the first instalment, but it will be forfeited if, after acceptance of the tender, the allotment is not fully taken up.

12. The deposit on tenders which may not be accepted will be returned on application.

13. In the case of equality of tenders above the amount required, a *pro rata* allotment will be made.

14. The rate stated in a tender must not contain any fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out, and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

15. In order to avoid mistakes, a separate tender must be made at each rate tendered, and a separate deposit must accompany each tender It is desirable that the tender, or at least the name of the person making the tender, and the amount and rate tendered, should be written in English.

ROBERT TURNBULL,
Secretary to the Corporation.

FORM OF TENDER.

I hereby tender for rupees of the loan advertised in the notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 5th March 1879, and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified at the rate of rupees annas* for every hundred rupees allotted to me.

* Fractions of an anna not allowed.

I enclose a *deposit receipt* of the Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, for rupees and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Corporation at the Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, the first instalment on or before the 26th March 1879, and the several later instalments on or before the dates fixed by the notification as follows :—

Three-tenths on the 1st April.
Two-tenths on the 1st May.
One-tenth on the 1st June.

N. B.—A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered, and a separate deposit must accompany each tender. In order to avoid mistakes, it is desirable that the tender, or, at least, the name of the tenderer, and the amount and rate tendered, should be written in English.

(840—1)

MONMOHUN DUTT, B L., intends to apply to be enrolled as a Vakeel, Calcutta High Court. (814—4)

NOTICE.—The undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(812—4) KARUNA SINDHU MUKERJEE.

IT is hereby notified that the undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(810—4) HARI CHURN MITRA, M.A., B.L.

LOST.—Second half of B. B Note No. 9821, for Rs. 25. Person restoring the above to Bolye C. Sett, No. 70, Rutton Sircar's Garden Street, will be rewarded. (823—2)

THE interest and responsibility of Mr John Wienbolt in our firm ceased on the 21st instant.

WIENBOLT BROTHERS.

4, LYON'S RANGE, 26th February 1879. (835—3)

Bengal Stone Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

WE have taken over the business of the Bengal Stone Association as from 1st January last.

GEORGE HENDERSON & Co.,
(836—1) *Managing Directors and Secretaries.*

The Mothola Company, "Limited."

THE Fifth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in this Company will be held at the registered Office, No 4, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 5th day of March 1879, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report, declaring a dividend for season 1878, and for the consideration of such other business as may be brought forward.

JOHN ELLIOTT & Co., *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd February 1879. (824—2)

Bengal Iron Works Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 3, Fairlie Place, at noon, on Tuesday, the 11th March 1879, for the purpose of receiving the Director's Report and passing the Accounts for the half-year ending 31st December 1878, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought forward.

The share transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 26th February to the 11th March 1879, both days inclusive.

MARILLIER AND EDWARDS,
(831—1) *Agents and Secretaries.*

Calcutta Jute Mills Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the office of the Company, No. 3, Fairlie Place, Calcutta, at noon, on Thursday, the 27th March 1879, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and passing the Accounts for the half-year ending 31st December 1878, electing Directors and Auditor, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought forward.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 14th to the 27th March 1879, both days inclusive.

By order,

A. R. McINTOSH & Co, *Agents and Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 31st December 1878. (777—3)

Equitable Coal Company, Limited.

MINUTES of Proceedings at the Thirty first Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders held at the registered Office of the Company, at noon, on Tuesday, 25th February 1879.

PRESENT.

T. M. Russell, Esq.		
J M. Hall, Esq., by his Attorney, T. M. Russell, Esq.		
W. Mackinnon, Esq.,	ditto	ditto.
P. Mackinnon, Esq ,	ditto	ditto.
D. Mackinnon, Esq.,	ditto	ditto.
N. Macmichael, Esq.,	ditto	ditto.
J. Williams, Esq.		
Thos. Longmuir, Esq.		
John Martin, Esq.		
W. Stalkartt, Esq.		
J Anderson, Esq.		
Geo. Dickson, Esq.		
D. Macneill, Esq., John Mackinnon, Esq., D. F. Mackenzie, Esq.	By their Attorney, Geo. Dickson, Esq	

The advertisement calling the meeting having been read, Mr. W. Stalkartt was voted to the chair, when it was

Proposed by Thomas Longmuir, Esq ,
Seconded by James Anderson, Esq., and carried—

That the Directors' report on the operations of the Company to 31st December 1878, and the statement of accounts thereto annexed, be received and passed as correct.

Proposed by P Mackinnon, by his attorney, T. M. Russell, Esq.,
Seconded by Thomas Longmuir, Esq , and carried—

That of the sum of Rs. 1,00,214-10-10 appearing at credit of profit and loss account to 31st December 1878, the Managing Agents be, and are hereby, authorized to pay a dividend at the rate of 5 per cent. on the capital of the Company, thus absorbing Rs 40,000, and that the balance Rs. 50,000, be passed to credit of reserve fund, and Rs. 10,214-10-10 be written off to wear and tear account.

Proposed by Geo. Dickson, Esq ,
Seconded by D. F Mackenzie, Esq , and carried—

That the following gentlemen be elected Directors for the ensuing year :—

T. M Russell, Esq	W. Stalkartt, Esq.
J. Martin, Esq.	J. Williams, Esq

Proposed by John Martin, Esq ,
Seconded by W. Stalkartt, Esq., and carried—

That Mr. Richard Blechynden be re-appointed auditor for the ensuing year.

With a vote of thanks to the chair the proceedings terminated.

(832—1) W STALKARTT, *Chairman.*

Equitable Coal Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

THE dividend of 5 per cent. (Rs. 12-8-0 per share) declared at the general meeting of Shareholders held on 25th February 1879, will be paid to Shareholders on presentation of scrip, on and after 10th March proximo.

(833—1) MACNEILL & Co., *Managing Agents.*

India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited.

THE Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 4, Fairlie Place, at noon, on Wednesday, the 12th day of March 1879.

The share transfer book of the Company is closed from this date until the 12th instant.

By order of the Directors,

G. J. SCOTT, *Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 3rd March 1879. (816—2)

Notice.

THE public is hereby cautioned not to deal with Baboo Dwarka Nauth Dutt, of Baniapooker, in purchase or mortgage of the undivided landed properties and houses held by him; he is only a half-shareholder. The other half forms the estate of his brother, Sree Nauth Dutt, deceased.

Her mark O NESTARINEE DOSSEE,
(837—1) *Widow of Sree Nauth Dutt, Baniapooker.*

IN the matter of the Indian Company's Act, 1866, and of the Eastern Steam Tug Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the abovenamed Company by the Court was, on the 27th day of February 1879, presented to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal by the said Company and by the Delhi and London Bank, Limited, and Messrs. Mackillican & Co., two of the creditors of the said Company, and by James Mackillian, a contributory of the said Company. And that it has been directed that the said petition shall be heard before the said Court on the 13th day of March 1879, and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his advocate, attorney, or pleader for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, on application to the said Court on payment of the charges for the same.

(843—1) SANDERSON & Co., *Attorneys, Agents for the petitioners.*

Notice to Creditors.

IN the goods of EMMA EVANS KING, of Camberwell House, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of such claim to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 4th day of April next, after the expiration of which the administrator of such estate will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of February 1879.

(816—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Notice to Creditors.

IN the goods of GEORGE OSBORNE, formerly of Goruckpore, but late of 35, Burnt Ash Hill Lee, in the county of Kent, England, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of such claim to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the fourth day of April next, after the expiration of which the administrator of such estate will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of February 1879.

(817—3) ORR & HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of CALLYDOSS BOSE, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 11th day of March instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of PROMOTHONATH MITTER, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 6th day of March last, by an order of this Court the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

W. F. Watson, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of HENRY SIDNEY SWINEY, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February last, by an order of this Court the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of GUNGARAM AND SEWLALL, Insolvents.

On Friday, the 7th day of February last, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned *sine die.*

Kallynauth Mitter, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of BUTTOKRISTO BHUR, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. C. Chunder, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of ALEXANDER APCAR, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of February last, it was ordered that the petition filed by the said Insolvent seeking for relief under the provisions of the said Act be withdrawn, and the vesting order made thereon be discharged, provided always that all acts or things done by Albert Birmingham Miller, Esq., the Official Assignee of this Court and the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Insolvent, or other person acting under his authority prior to this order, shall be good and valid, and shall not be annulled or in any wise affected thereby; and also ordered that upon payment to the said Assignee his usual commission and all costs, charges, and expenses lawfully incurred by him, the said Assignee do deliver over to Mr. S. H. Robinson and Baboo Ramkrissen, the Trustees, upon their receipt all the estate and effects, monies, goods, books, and papers then remaining in the hands of the said Assignee belonging to the estate and effects of the said Insolvent.

J. Hart, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, the 4th day of March 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P. M.	5th Mar.	*Africa.*
Madras and Ceylon	6 ,,	6th ,,	*Peshawur.*
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Madras, Ceylon and the Intermediate Ports, Mauritius, Batavia, Singapore & China.	6 ,,	10th ,,	*Meinam.*

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GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 3rd March 1879.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,,	7-45 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purnoah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts ...	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Kishnagur, Fursedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Pubna, Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Ooloobaria, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Poorce, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Visagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowampore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-45	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	5-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Baliaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
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N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 1st Novr. 1878.

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Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water.		Remarks.
BHAGIRUTTEE.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance below Chourasia...	5	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	4	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	Lalkhandiar and Radhanughur.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles	2	6	Dufferpore.*
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	6	Manickdeehee.*
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	3	0	Dewarggung, Matiaree and Khosalpore.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.	Ft	In.	
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	6	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee..	3	0	Peerojpore and Hurriram-pore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	3	Modcopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3	0	Issurchunderpore.

* 2' 6" exists only for a short distance of 20 feet in two spots, elsewhere 3 feet; and boats drawing over 3 feet can easily pass.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 3rd March 1879, above zero, 1 foot 1 inch.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as amended by them, is, by order of the President, published for general information :—

WE, the undersigned members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to whom the Bill to provide for the periodical inspection of steam-boilers and prime-movers attached thereto in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah was referred, have the honor to make the following report :—

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Simpson & Co.
Birkmyre Brothers, Hastings Mills.
Cantwell & Co.
Gladstone, Wyllie & Co., Managing Owners, Clive Jute Mills.
For Robert Steel, under letter of authority, W. P. Alexander.

We have considered a memorial on the provisions of the Bill signed by the manufacturing firms noted in the margin.

We have empowered the Lieutenant-Governor to make rules for appointing, suspending, and removing Inspectors, and for determining the time for which certificates are to be in force.

We have provided that the rules must be published three times in the *Calcutta Gazette* before they take effect.

In section 7 we have substituted for "not so exposed as to be likely to cause injury to any person" the words "not so exposed as to be likely to be dangerous."

We have provided that the Inspector shall make his inspection within fourteen days from the receipt of notice from the owner.

The Bill empowered the Inspector to order any alteration or addition to be made if he thought that the boiler or prime-mover required it. We have allowed an appeal against an order of this kind to a person authorized by the Lieutenant-Governor to hear such appeal, either sitting alone, or assisted by two experts.

We have also allowed a like appeal in case of revocation or suspension of a certificate.

The Lieutenant-Governor is empowered to make rules for regulating the procedure on the hearing of appeals, and for securing the attendance of assessors.

We have provided that if the appellant is successful, the expenses incurred by the Government in the appeal shall be paid by the Government. If the appeal is dismissed, the appellant will have to pay these expenses.

We have authorized Inspectors to enter any place where they have reason to believe that a boiler or prime-mover is used, and have provided a penalty for obstruction of such entry.

We have re-arranged some sections of the Bill, and have made some verbal alterations.

J. O'KINEALY.
A. B. INGLIS.
J. B. KNIGHT.

The 27th February 1879.

AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to provide for the periodical inspection of Steam Boilers and Prime Movers attached thereto in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the periodical inspection of steam boilers and prime movers attached thereto in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah; It is enacted as follows:—

Extent and commencement of Act.

1. This Act extends to the Town of Calcutta, to the Suburbs of Calcutta, and to Howrah, as from time to time defined in the *Calcutta Gazette* under the provisions of any law for the time being in force;

and it shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor General.

Lieutenant-Governor may extend it further.

The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal may, by notification published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, extend this Act to any place or district, and it shall come into force accordingly from the date which may be named in such notification.

It shall not apply to any locomotive engine used upon any railway, or to any steam vessel in the port of Calcutta.

Repeal of Bengal Acts VI of 1864 and III of 1875.

2. Bengal Act VI of 1864 and Bengal Act III of 1875 are hereby repealed.

But all certificates and rules in force at the commencement of this Act, which were granted or made under either of the said Acts, shall be deemed to have been granted and made respectively under this Act.

Interpretation.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Boiler."

"Boiler" includes any cylinder or vessel for generating steam under pressure.

"Prime Mover."

"Prime Mover" includes any steam engine, fly wheel, first driving shaft and pulley attached to any such engine.

"Owner."

"Owner" includes any agent or hirer using any boiler or prime mover.

Power to make rules.

4. The Lieutenant-Governor may from time to time make, and when made, revoke, add to, and alter, rules for all or any of the following purposes, that is to say,—

(1) for appointing and, when appointed, suspending or removing Inspectors under this Act;

(2) for determining the powers and duties of such Inspectors;

(3) for fixing the fees payable on account of certificates granted under this Act;

(4) for determining the time for which certificates granted under this Act shall be in force;

(5) for securing the attendance of assessors and affixing a penalty for non-attendance;

(6) for regulating the procedure on hearing appeals;

(7) for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

Such rules shall be published three times in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and shall come into operation at the date of the last publication or at any later period mentioned in the order.

On notice from owner an Inspector to examine boiler or prime mover.

5. The owner of any boiler or prime mover in respect of which a certificate is not in force in the manner hereinafter described shall, before using the same, give notice to an Inspector appointed under this Act of his intention to use or continue to use the same. The Inspector to whom such notice is given shall appoint a time between sunrise and sunset, and within fourteen days from the receipt of such notice, for the inspection of such boiler or prime mover, and at such time shall carefully examine such boiler or prime mover, and every part thereof, and the owner or person in charge thereof shall afford to such Inspector all reasonable facilities for such examination, and all such information as may reasonably be required.

Inspector may order owner to alter boiler or prime mover.

6. If on making the inspection the Inspector is of opinion that the boiler or prime mover requires any alteration or addition, he shall serve on the owner or person in charge thereof a written notice requiring him to make such alteration or addition, and no certificate shall be granted in respect of such boiler or prime mover until such alteration or addition has been made in the manner required by the Inspector, or the owner has obtained a certificate under section 9 of this Act.

When Inspector to grant certificate.

7. If the Inspector is satisfied that such boiler or prime mover is in good condition, and not so exposed as to be likely to be dangerous,

and, in case any alteration or addition in such boiler or prime mover has been ordered under the last preceding section, as soon as he is satisfied that such alteration or addition has been properly made,

he shall give to the owner or person in charge thereof a certificate signed by him to that effect in the form in the Schedule hereto annexed, on payment, by the owner or person in charge, of such fees as may be fixed under the rules hereinbefore mentioned;

and such certificate shall state the period for which such boiler or prime mover may be used, and shall cease to be in force on the expiration of such period.

Revocation or suspension of certificate.

8. Any person authorized by the Lieutenant-Governor in that behalf may revoke or suspend any certificate granted under this Act when he has reason to believe—

(1) That such certificate has been fraudulently obtained, or has been granted erroneously, or without sufficient inspection;

(2) That the boiler or prime mover in respect of which it has been granted is not in charge of a person competent to have charge of it, or has since the granting of such certificate sustained injury, or is not in good condition.

Appeal against refusal, revocation or suspension of certificate.

9. The owner of any boiler or prime mover dissatisfied with any notice or order under sections 6, 7, or 8 of this Act may, within seven days from receipt thereof, appeal either to some person authorized by the Lieutenant-Governor in that behalf, or to such person assisted by two experts as assessors.

If such person is satisfied that the owner is entitled to a certificate, he shall, on payment of the fee, grant a certificate in the form in the Schedule hereto annexed, or shall allow the former certificate to continue in force, as the case may be, and shall direct that the expenses of the appeal incurred by Government and certified to by him shall be paid out of the fees and penalties realised under this Act.

If such person decides that the owner is not entitled to a certificate, he shall dismiss the appeal, and the expenses of the appeal incurred and certified in manner aforesaid shall be recoverable from the owner as a fine by any Magistrate having jurisdiction in the place where the boiler or prime mover is situated.

Power of entry of Inspectors.

10. Any Inspector appointed under this Act may at any time enter into any place where he has reason to believe that a boiler or prime mover is used, for the purpose of inspecting the same.

Penalties.

11. The owner or person in charge of any boiler or prime mover who shall use, or, after conviction, continue to use the same without a certificate duly obtained and in force in respect thereof under this Act, or having obtained a certificate shall at any reasonable time during the period for which the same may be in force, fail to produce it when called upon to do so by any Magistrate having jurisdiction in the place in which such boiler or prime mover is situated, or by any person authorized in writing by such Magistrate to demand its production, and

any person who shall prevent an Inspector from entering any place or building where the Inspector has reason to believe that a boiler or prime mover is used,

shall be punished with a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

Charges within what period to be brought.

12. No charge shall be brought against any person for the recovery of any penalty under this Act before such day as the Lieutenant-Governor shall fix by notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*; and no charge at all shall be brought without the authority of an Inspector appointed under this Act, or after the expiration of six months from the date of the commission of the offence.

Disposal of penalties.

13. All penalties to be levied under this Act shall, subject to the provisions of section 9, be disposed of in such manner as the Lieutenant-Governor shall from time to time direct.

SCHEDULE.

(*See Sections 7 and 9.*)

FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

Name of owner.	Description of boiler and age.	Description of prime mover and age	Power.	When and where made.	When and where last repaired.	Time for which certificate to be in force.	REMARKS.

I, the undersigned, certify that I have examined the above-named boiler (*or prime mover*), and to the best of my judgment the boiler (*or prime mover*), as shown in the above statement, is in good condition, and is not so exposed as to be likely to be dangerous [and (*in case alterations or additions have been ordered*) that the alterations (*or additions*) required by me have been properly made.]

A. B.,
Inspector.

FREDERICK CLARKE,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
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The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 1879.

PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following further Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 19th of February, 1879:—

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to define and amend the law relating to the Transfer of Property was referred, have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin, and have the honour to present this further report.

From Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Assam, No. 532, dated 16th March, 1878.
„ Acting Under Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 3583, dated 18th June, 1878, and enclosures.
Extract from a Memorandum by Pandit Srikishen, Pleader, Judicial Commissioner's Court, Oudh.
Third Note by the Hon'ble Whitley Stokes, dated 20th July, 1878.
From Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Mysore, No. 2705-3 J, dated 9th July, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Officiating Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 3519-168, dated 24th August, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Officiating Under-Secretary to Government, Bengal, No. 3678, dated 6th September, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 687A, dated 11th September, 1878.
„ Junior Secretary to Chief Commissioner, British Burma, No. 1438-64, dated 28th September, 1878, and enclosures.
„ Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 721 A, dated 8th October, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Hon'ble H. S. Cunningham, dated 5th November, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Secretary to Government, Panjáb, No. 3925, dated 21st November, 1878, and enclosures.
Endorsement by Government of Bengal, No. 4556, dated 29th November, 1878, and enclosures.
Fourth Note by the Hon'ble Whitley Stokes, dated 9th January, 1879.
Forms of Instruments taken from a Bengálí book of forms received from Mr. O'Kinealy.

2. The principal objections taken to this Bill in its second form are, first, that, as a whole, it is heterogeneous, and, secondly, that certain parts of it are neither necessary nor expedient. It is said, for instance, that, though the bulk of the Bill deals with transfer of property *inter vivos* by act of parties, it also treats, in sections 82, 83, of conditions in Wills, and, in section 129, of Succession to a deceased person. It is said, again, that the chapters dealing respectively with the rights and liabilities of owners of limited interests and with property held by several persons belong rather to the subject of the enjoyment, than to that of the transfer, of property. It is urged that settlements (in the conveyancer's sense of the word) are hardly ever made in India, that what are technically called Powers are almost unknown, and that the chapters respectively dealing with those subjects are certainly not necessary and can hardly be said to be expedient. We feel the force of these objections. In fact, we have always felt them. But we were not responsible for the first draft of the Bill, whatever were its excellences or defects. The matters thus objected to, together with others, such as Registration and Trusts, still more foreign to the proper subject of the Bill, are all dealt with by the draft prepared by the late Indian Law Commission, which was sent out in 1870 by the then Secretary of State with instructions to introduce a Bill founded upon it, revised by Sir A. Hobhouse and sent home by the Government of India in January, 1877, *i. e.*, nearly six months before the Bill was introduced and referred to a Select Committee. The great deference due to the Law Commission and to Sir A. Hobhouse has hitherto prevented us from dealing freely with the Bill. Until the opinions of the Local Governments and the results of local experience had been obtained, for us to have altered it would have been to set our individual views against those of the able and learned men who were answerable for the Bill as

introduced. But now that the opinions and results above referred to have been obtained, we see that, if the Bill is to go on at all, it must be strictly confined to the subject of transfer of property by act of parties, that is to say, by contract or gift.

3. We have therefore omitted chapters VII to XII both inclusive.

4. We cannot maintain that they are in accordance with one of the canons laid down in our last report, namely, that no additions should be made to the existing law "which are not either necessary or clearly expedient." The chapters dealing respectively with settlements, the rights and liabilities of owners of limited interests, and property held by several persons, are, moreover, very incomplete; and, as Natives are excluded from chapter IX, it would apply to a very limited class of persons. Chapter XI (of Powers) would also be of little use. We believe that among Natives powers are almost unknown. So far as we are aware, the only reported cases in which anything like a power was given by a Native are in 2 Calc. 474, and N.-W. P. (1869) Part II, p. 6, in each of which cases a Hindú bequeathed land to his wife and expressly empowered her to alienate it, and in 5 Beng. 181, where a Hindú testator empowered his sister to appoint a trustee of a religious endowment. Moreover, powers may be created by will and are, as often as not, exerciseable by will. The subject therefore does not properly fall within a measure treating of the *transfer* of property, that is, as lawyers generally understand the expression, the conveyance of property from one living person to another.

5. As the Bill is, so far as it deals with immoveable property and debts, only a partial measure, we have made the preamble run thus:—"Whereas it is expedient to define and amend certain parts of the law relating to the transfer of property by act of parties." Compare the preamble to the Indian Contract Act, IX of 1872.

CHAPTER I.—*Preliminary.*

6. In section 2, we have expressly saved all transfers by operation of law (*e. g.*, in case of insolvency, forfeiture, sale in execution of a decree), with which the Bill is not intended to deal.

7. In section 3 we have omitted, as unnecessary, the definitions of "grantor," "grantee," and "grant;" and, for the last paragraph, we have said: "Chapters III, IV, V and VI of this Act shall be taken as part of the Indian Contract Act, 1872."

CHAPTER II.—*Of Assurances of Immoveable Property.*

8. This chapter should we think be entitled "Of Transfers of Immoveable Property," as it relates to all transfers of such property, whether or not an assurance is employed. We have omitted section 5 and the schedule to which it relates: they do not fitly form part of a Bill dealing with substantive law. Moreover, English experience shews that statutory forms of conveyances are rarely used, and they are dangerous, as tempting unskilled persons to try and be their own conveyancers.

9. Section 6 applies to transfers of immoveable property made by assurance; but it obviously ought to apply also to oral transfers of such property. We have therefore re-drawn it.

10. In section 7, we have provided for the case of a Sebáit, which has twice come before the Judicial Committee. (See 14 Beng. 450, and I. L. R. 2 Calc. 341).

11. As rents and profits of land are 'immoveable property,' we have, after this section, inserted section 1 of Act XI of 1855:—

"No person shall be chargeable with any rents or profits of any immoveable property which he has in good faith paid or delivered to any person of whom he in good faith held the same, notwithstanding it may afterwards appear that the person to whom such payment or delivery was made had no right to receive such rents or profits."

This section now applies only to cases to which the English law is applicable; but there seems no reason why so equitable and useful a rule should not be extended to every one in India.

12. Section 8 of Bill No. III applies not only to cases where land has passed *inter vivos* by act of parties, but also to cases in which it has been transferred by operation of law. It therefore seems beyond the scope of the Bill.

13. The Bill is silent as to the doctrine of *lis pendens*, which has in about a dozen reported cases been applied to Native purchasers and mortgagees (see 11 Bom. 24, 29, 30, 139; 8 Beng. 474; 1 O'Kin. 303, 309; 10 W. R. 469; Sev. 808, 951). We have inserted the following:—

"10. During the active prosecution in any Court having authority in British India or established beyond the limits of British India by the Governor General in Council, of a suit in which the right to any immoveable property is directly and specifically in question, the property cannot be transferred by any party to the suit so as to affect the rights of any other party thereto under any decree or order made therein."

14. Section 9 of Bill No. III (as to the effect of payment by one person, of consideration for which a transfer is made to another) properly belongs to the Trusts Bill and should, we think, be omitted from the present measure.

CHAPTER III.—*Sales of Immoveable Property.*

15. In accordance with a suggestion of Mr. Justice Cunningham we have prefixed to this chapter a section founded on section 78 of the Contract Act; but we do not think with him that the section should provide for part delivery, an expression which, in the sense in which it is used in the Contract Act, section 92, would be inappropriate as applied to land, nor do we consider that, in stating the time at which delivery takes place, the effect of executing and delivering the assurance should be ignored.

The section referred to is as follows :—

Sale how effected. "Sale of immoveable property is effected by offer and acceptance of certain immoveable property for a price, or of a price for certain immoveable property,

"together with payment of the price and delivery of the property, or with tender, part-payment or earnest ; or with an agreement, express or implied, that the payment, or delivery, or both, shall be postponed.

"Where there is a contract for the sale of immoveable property, the ownership of the property passes to the buyer when the whole or part of the price, or when the earnest, is paid, or when the property is delivered.

"If the parties agree, expressly or by implication, that the payment, or delivery, or both, shall be postponed, the ownership passes as soon as the proposal for sale is accepted.

"Delivery of immoveable property takes place—

"(*a*) if the transfer is made by assurance—when the assurance is executed and delivered by the seller, and (if its registration is required by law) registered :

"(*b*) if the transfer is not made by assurance, in the case of a reversion or other intangible thing—when the parties consent to its delivery, and in the case of other immoveable property—when the buyer becomes capable of exercising physical control over it and determines to exercise such control on his own behalf or on behalf of the person whom he represents."

This will have the effect of settling a moot point of Hindú law, namely, whether change of possession is necessary to complete a sale of land, whether, in other words, the vendor must, at the time of sale, be in possession of the property sold (I. L. R. 1 Calc. 302 : I. L. R. 1 Bomb. 502 : N. W. P. 1871, p. 2 : *contra* 7 Bomb. A. C. J. 4 : 10 Bomb. 491). This question is answered in the negative by the Calcutta High Court and Mr. J. D. Mayne, a considerable authority on Hindú law.

16. We have omitted clauses (*d*) and (*i*) of section 11 (now 12). The former is, as Mr. Jacob points out, provided for by the Contract Act, section 39 ; the latter by section 10 of the same Act. On the other hand, we have restored clauses (*e*) and (*f*) of Bill No. I, modified as follows :—

"Till the ownership of the property passes to the buyer, the seller is entitled to the rents and profits thereof.

"When the ownership of the property has passed to the buyer, he must bear any loss arising from the destruction, injury or deterioration of the property not caused by the seller, and he is entitled to the benefit of any improvement in, or increase in value of, the property and to the rents and profits thereof."

The latter clause corresponds with the provision of the Contract Act, section 86, as to goods.

17. We have recast and abridged section 10 (now 13) as follows :—

Disclosures required from seller and buyer. "The following omissions are fraudulent :—

"(*a*) an omission of the seller of immoveable property to disclose to the buyer any defect therein of which the seller is, and the buyer is not, aware, and which the buyer could not with ordinary care discover :

"(*b*) an omission of the buyer of immoveable property to disclose to the seller any fact as to the nature or extent of the seller's interest therein, of which the buyer is, and the seller is not, aware, and which increases the value of such interest."

This will attract section 17, clause (5), of the Contract Act, which declares that "fraud" includes "any such omission as the law specially declares to be fraudulent."

18. As the Bill is now strictly limited to transfers by act of parties, we have omitted section 13, as to the procedure where the buyer becomes insolvent before completion. For the same reason we have also omitted section 73, as to the procedure where, during the continuance of a lease, the lessee becomes insolvent.

19. Section 17 (now 18), as to joint purchases. We have added, as Mr. Field suggests : "In the absence of evidence as to the shares so advanced, such persons shall be presumed to be equally interested in the property."

CHAPTER IV.—*Of Exchanges.*

20. As this chapter deals with moveable as well as immoveable property, we have placed it after the chapter on leases and we have omitted the first paragraph of section 22 as the matter seems sufficiently provided for by Act IX of 1872, sections 64, 65, and Act I of 1867, sections 25, 37.

CHAPTER V.—*Of Mortgages of Immoveable Property.*

21. Section 27.—We fear that the abolition of equitable mortgages here proposed by the Law Commissioners would inconvenience the mercantile community. We have thought it better to say that a mortgage by deposit of title-deeds shall be deemed to create a charge on the property comprised therein and to insert the necessary clause in section 68 (now 63).

22. We have provided, in accordance with a suggestion of Mr. Field, that in the case of an usufructuary mortgage, the mortgagor may recover possession of the property, (1) where the mortgagee is authorized to pay himself from the rents and profits of the property the principal and interest of the mortgage-money—when such principal and interest are so paid ; (2) where the mortgagee is authorized to pay himself from such rents and profits the

interest of the mortgage-money—when the term (if any) of the mortgage expires and the mortgagor pays or tenders to the mortgagee, or deposits in such Court as last aforesaid, the principal of the mortgage-money."

23. Section 29 (now 24).—We have here declared the duty of a mortgagor to take all legal means to protect his rights in the mortgaged property (Macph. 112).

24. Section 31 (now 27).—This provided only for voluntary waste. We have now provided that the mortgagor is not liable for permissive waste.

25. Section 42 (now 39), clause (*c*).—We have added, in order to meet the case of patní tenures and saleable under-tenures, "and any arrears of rent in default of payment of which the property may be summarily sold."

We have provided that a mortgagee in possession ought to do such repairs as he can pay for out of the rents received after his interest is paid (see 9 W. R. 488).

We have omitted clause (*e*). The right which it gives is, as Mr. Field says, part of the mortgagee's right to take possession, which, as a general rule, finds no place in the Bill.

Where sufficient tender is made, the mortgagee in possession is thenceforth accountable for all his receipts from the mortgaged property (9 N.-W. P. 1: Macph. 159—160). We have provided for this.

26. Section 60 (now 57).—When a mortgagor obtains a decree in a redemption-suit and fails to pay the amount due, we think the mortgagee should be entitled either to a foreclosure or a sale. We have altered this section accordingly.

27. Section 61 (now 58).—We have omitted the second paragraph and the schedule to which it refers. It is hardly the function of a Bill codifying substantive law to give forms of decrees. They should, if necessary, be added to schedule IV of the Code of Civil Procedure.

CHAPTER VI.—*Of Leases.*

28. Section 70 (now 66).—We have substituted a section analogous to that above proposed as a substitute for section 10.

29. Section 71 (now 65).—We have struck out clauses (*c*) and (*g*). The former is superfluous, the latter is provided for by the Contract Act, sections 64 and 73.

Clause (*l*) now (*j*).—With reference to Couch, C. J.'s, decision in *Koegler* v. *Yule*, 5 Beng. 401, 416, we think this clause should run thus: "The lessee may use the property leased and its products (if any) as a reasonable owner would use them, but he must not use the property for a purpose other than that for which it was leased, or fell timber, open mines or quarries, or commit any other act which is destructive or permanently injurious thereto." We have added "The prohibition in this clause does not apply to mines which were open when the lease was granted."—See 8 Chan. Div. 526.

Clause (*q*) now (*o*).—We have inserted words in the proviso to shew that the lessor's transferee is not entitled to arrears of rent due before the transfer.

Clause (*r*) now (*p*).—We have made (in accordance with a suggestion of the Government of the North-Western Provinces) the second paragraph to run thus: "Nothing in this clause shall be deemed to authorize a tenant having a right of occupancy, the farmer of an estate in respect of which default has been made in paying revenue, and the lessee of an estate under the management of a Court of Wards, to assign his interest as such tenant, farmer or lessee."

30. Section 76 (now 70).—We have completed the list of events on which a lease determines.

31. We have redrawn the clause as to waiver of forfeiture and notice. It is now numbered 71, 72.

32. We have inserted a section (74) as to the effect of surrender and forfeiture of a lease, on sub-lessees.

33. We have made some other comparatively unimportant omissions, additions and alterations in wording and arrangement. We have added on the margins references to the reported decisions of the Indian Courts and the Judicial Committee, which justify the rules contained in the Bill. It will be seen that but few of these rules are devoid of this valuable support. The assertion that the Bill would introduce a mass of new law into India must therefore be due to ignorance of the extent to which English law (under the name of justice, equity and good conscience) is actually administered to the Natives by the Anglo-Indian Courts. The object of the Bill, like that of all our Codes, is to strip our own law of all that is local and historical, and to mould the residue into a shape in which it would be suitable for an Indian population and could be easily administered by non-professional Judges. But the Bill will introduce hardly any new substantive law, and it will not (except in the case of the procedure relating to mortgages) displace any existing enactment. The rules, for instance, as to the relation of landlord and tenant contained in the local Acts, X of 1859, XVIII of 1873, XIX of 1868, XXVIII of 1868, Bengal Act VIII of 1869, and Madras Act VIII of 1865, will all remain untouched.

34. To the body of local usages and contractual incidents which in India, as in other countries, exists as to the transfer of land the tenderest care is shewn by the Bill. Not only is local usage expressly saved in sections 62, 65 and 68, but the effect of section 1, clause (*a*), will be to maintain intact the statutory force which the legislature has given to local usage in those two *pays de coutumes* the Panjáb and Oudh; and throughout India all the many incidents of a mortgage or a lease, which are not inconsistent with the provisions of the Bill, will remain wholly unaffected.

35. The Bill, and preliminary report of the Select Committee have been published in English in the Presidency-towns, the Panjáb, the Central Provinces and British Burma.

From the North-Western Provinces no report of publication has been received. Publication of the Bill and Report in the vernacular has been reported only by the Government of Bengal. We recommend that the Bill as now altered be published in the *Gazette of India* and sent to the various Local Governments for opinion. And we think that no further steps should be taken upon the Bill until it has been reported on by the new Indian Law Commission.

WHITLEY STOKES.

F. R. COCKERELL.

CALCUTTA;
The 19th February, 1879.

I concur in all the omissions and amendments made by the Committee and in their final recommendation; but I believe the Bill to be capable of further simplification and regret to notice the almost entire absence of illustrations.

T. H. THORNTON.

I have not had time to consider either the provisions of the Bill or the changes now made thoroughly; but I agree that the chapters on Powers, Settlements, &c., should be omitted, and think these omissions necessitate republication with a view to elicit fresh criticism to be laid before the new Commission.

I would modify the new section 11 by requiring a written instrument in all cases where the value of the property sold is Rs. 100 or upwards. This will involve registration and get rid of the inconvenience and anomaly which would arise from oral sales of valuable land with deferred possession and no registration. Subject to the above remarks, I approve of the additions now made to the Bill.

G. H. P. EVANS.

I concur in all the omissions and agree that there should be a further publication.

G. C. PAUL.

I am opposed to the republication of this Bill at the present time. I believe that there is a great deal still left in the Bill which it will be desirable to omit, as relating to matters on which legislation is not called for; and I think that there should be no further publication until the Law Commission have reported on the measure.

A. J. ARBUTHNOT.

I am inclined to think that there can be no harm in republishing the Bill in its present form (though I must say that I believe it admits of further improvement), inasmuch as the republication will elicit public criticisms which may be of some use to the Law Commission.

JOTÍNDRA MOHAN TAGORE.

No. III.
THE TRANSFER OF PROPERTY BILL, 1879.

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No. III.

A Bill to amend the law relating to the Transfer of Property by act of Parties.

WHEREAS it is expedient to define and amend certain parts of the law relating to the transfer of property by act of parties; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Preamble.

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

1. This Act may be called "The Transfer of Property Act, 1879:"

Short title.

Extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the first day of *January*, 1880.

2. On and from that day the enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column thereof. But nothing herein contained shall be deemed to affect—

Repeal of Acts.

(*a*) the provisions of any enactment not hereby expressly repealed:

Saving of certain Acts, incidents, rights, liabilities, &c.

(*b*) any incidents of any contract which are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act:

(*c*) any right or liability acquired or incurred before this Act comes into force, or any remedy in respect of any such right or liability:

(*d*) the right to anything affixed to the soil by the lessee under any lease granted before this Act comes into force:

(*e*) any right of pre-emption acquired after this Act comes into force:

(*f*) any transfer by operation of law.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

Interpretation-clause.

"assurance" means any non-testamentary instrument which purports or operates to create, transfer, or otherwise dispose of, whether in present or in future, any right, title or interest, whether vested or contingent, to or in immoveable property:

"assurance."

"registered" means registered in British India under the law for the time being in force regulating the registration of documents:

"registered."

"attached to the earth" means—

"attached to the earth."

(*a*) imbedded in the earth, as in the case of walls:

(*b*) permanently resting upon it, as in the case of buildings; or

(*c*) attached to what is so imbedded or so rests, as by means of nails, bolts, screws, cement, solder or other permanent fastening.

4. Chapters III, IV, V and VI of this Act shall be construed as one with the Indian Contract Act, 1872.

Chapters III, IV, V and VI to be part of Act IX of 1872.

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OF TRANSFERS OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

5. Every person competent to contract may make a transfer of immoveable property: but subject to the law for the time being in force as to the circumstances and extent in and to which he may dispose of such property.

Persons competent to make transfers of immoveable property.

Bill, s. 4. Report, s. 4.

6. Unless a different intention is expressed or necessarily implied, a transfer of immoveable property vests in the transferee all the interest which the transferor is then capable of passing therein and in the legal incidents thereof.

Operation of transfer.

Bill, s. 10: Report, s. 10. v. last clause, Report, s. 6: 2 W. R. 125 (buildings): 14 W. R. 379.

Such incidents include (where the property is land) the easements annexed thereto, the mines and minerals thereunder, and the standing trees, and all other products of the soil,

N.-W.P. 1870, p. 251. 24 W. R. 33 (trees 'everything grown on it'). Morley, N. S. 259.

and (where the property is machinery attached to the earth) the moveable parts thereof,

and (where the property is a house) the easements annexed thereto and its locks, keys, bars, doors, windows, pankhas, half-doors, mats and blinds.

7. The transferor of immoveable property cannot give to another a title thereto better than his own, and where he has only a restricted power of alienating the property, he cannot give to another a title thereto valid as against third parties, except upon an alienation within the restriction:

Title which transferor of immoveable property can give.

9 Moo. I. A. 303.

Provided that where the transferor is (*a*) the manager of the property of a minor, an undivided family, or an endowed temple, (*b*) a sonless Hindú widow in possession of her deceased husband's property, or (*c*) a trustee, benámídár or other ostensible owner, the transferee's title shall not be impeached if the transfer has been made for a consideration and the transferee has acted in good faith and used due care and diligence to ascertain that the transferor had power to make the transfer.

Protection to innocent transferees for value.

6 Moo. I. A. 393: 2 W. R. 123: 3 W. R. 11: 8 W. R. 77: 1 Bom. 27: 8 Bom. 77: 9 Bom. 116: 12 Bom. 69: 14 Beng. 450: I. L. R. 2 Calc. 341, 438: 2 Mad. 407: 3 Mad. 294: 6 Mad. 371.

8. No person shall be chargeable with any rents or profits of any immoveable property which he has in good faith paid or delivered to any person of whom he in good faith held the same, notwithstanding it may afterwards appear that the person to whom such payment or delivery was made had no right to receive such rents or profits.

Rent *bonâ fide* paid to holder under defective title.

Act XI of 1855, s. 1.

11 Bom. 72, 76: 12 Bom. 138: 8 Mad. 12: 21 W. R. P. C. 237.

9. Where undivided immoveable property is held in possession by co-owners and one of them transfers his share or any interest therein, the transferee takes the share or interest subject to the right of the other co-owners to enforce a partition of the property; and when such partition is effected, the right of the transferee as such, in the absence of a contract to the contrary by the co-owners, extends only to the share allotted to himself or to his transferor.

Transfer of share of undivided property.

8 Beng. 478: 7 Mad. 111: 11 Bom. 24, 64, 169: N. W. P. 1867, p. 301: 10 W. R. 469: 7 W. R. 225: 15 W. R. 372: 23 W. R. 382: 2 Tayl. & Bell, 113: 1 O'Kin. 303, 309: 5 W. R. P. C. 63: 8 Bom. A. C. J. 61. Consider *Berry* v. *Gibbons*, L. R. 8 Ch. 747.

10. During the active prosecution in any Court having authority in British India, or established beyond the limits of British India by the Governor General in Council, of a suit in which the right to any immoveable property is directly and specifically in question, the property cannot be transferred by any party to the suit so as to affect the rights of any other party thereto under any decree or order therein.

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Cf. Act IX of 1872, s. 78, as to goods: postponement of payment, 7 W. R. 317.

Effect of delivery before payment, 10 W. R. 194.

11. Sale of immoveable property is effected by offer and acceptance of certain immoveable property for a price, or of a price for certain immoveable property,

Sale how effected.

together with payment of the price and delivery of the property, or with tender, part-payment or earnest; or with an agreement, express or implied, that the payment, or delivery, or both, shall be postponed.

Where there is a contract for the sale of immoveable property, the ownership of the property passes to the buyer when the whole or part of the price, or when the earnest, is paid, or when the property is delivered.

If the parties agree, expressly or by implication, that the payment, or delivery, or both, shall be postponed, the ownership passes as soon as the proposal for sale is accepted.

Delivery of immoveable property takes place—

14 Beng. 307, 312: N.-W. P. 1866, p. 87. Consider 12 W. R. P. C. 6: as to delivery of assurance, W. R. 1864, p. 222: 5 W. R. 248: Morley N. S. 358.

(*a*) if the transfer is made by assurance—when the assurance is executed and delivered by the seller, and (if its registration is required by law) registered:

Right to redeem, N.-W. P. 1868, p. 376.

(*b*) if the transfer is not made by assurance, in the case of a reversion or other intangible thing—when the parties consent to the delivery, and in the case of other immoveable property—when the buyer becomes capable of exercising physical control over it and determines to exercise such control on his own behalf or on behalf of the person whom he represents.

Bill, s. 11: Bill II, s. 11: Report, s. 14.

12. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, the buyer and the seller of immoveable property respectively have the rights, and are subject to the liabilities, mentioned in the ten rules next following, or such of them as are applicable to the property sold:

Rights and liabilities of buyer and seller.

Devaí Ghelá v. *Jiváráj Mukundás*, Bom. 432 (right to have good title shewn). Abstract of title, Bom. 78.

(*a*). The seller must produce to the buyer, for examination, all documents of title relating to the property which are in his possession or power, and must inform the buyer of all facts not apparent thereon of which the seller is aware and which affect the seller's power to fulfil his contract, and must answer to the best of his information all relevant questions put to him by the buyer in respect to the property or the title thereto.

Bill, 11 (*c*).

(*b*). Till the ownership of the property passes to the buyer, the seller is entitled to the rents and profits thereof.

Cf. Act IX of 1872, s. 86. Bill, 11 (*f*).

(*c*). When the ownership of the property has passed to the buyer, he must bear any loss arising from the destruction, injury or decrease in value of the property not caused by the seller, and he is entitled to the benefit of any improvement in, or increase in value of, the property, and to the rents and profits thereof.

3 Bom. A. C. J. 102. 2 Hay 577.

(*d*). When the buyer has been let into possession of the property before payment of the whole of the purchase-money, the seller has a charge upon the property for the amount of the purchase-money, or any part thereof, remaining unpaid, and for interest on such amount or part; but as soon as the assurance, if any, is registered, such charge shall cease except as against the buyer.

(*e*). Unless the buyer has improperly declined to accept delivery of the property, he has, against the seller, a charge on the property, to the extent of the seller's interest therein, for the amount of any purchase-money properly paid by the buyer in anticipation of the delivery, and for interest on the amount of such payment; and, when the buyer properly declines to accept the delivery, also for the earnest (if any) and for his costs (if any) of a suit by himself or the seller to compel specific performance of the contract or to obtain a decree for its rescission.

3 Beng. O. C. J. 79.

(*f*). When the buyer has been let into beneficial possession of the property before payment of the price, and the price is not paid owing to defects in the seller's title, the buyer is not liable to pay for such possession.

(*g*). The seller must discharge all incumbrances on the property existing at the date of the contract. The buyer may retain, out of the unpaid purchase-money, the amount of such incumbrances, and shall pay the amount so retained to the parties entitled thereto.

(*h*). On payment or tender of the amount due in respect of the price, the seller is bound to execute a proper assurance of the property when the buyer tenders it to him for execution at a proper time and place.

(*i*). On delivery of the property, the buyer is entitled to all documents of title relating thereto which are in the seller's possession or power.

Provided that (1) where the seller retains any part of the property comprised in such documents, he is entitled to retain them all, and (2) where the whole of such property is sold to different buyers, the buyer of the lot of greatest value is entitled to such documents. But in case (1) the seller, and in case (2) the buyer of the lot of greatest value, is bound, upon every reasonable request by the buyer, or by any of the other buyers, as the case may be, or by any person claiming under him, and at the cost of the person making the request, to produce the said documents and furnish such true copies thereof as he may require; and, in the meantime, the seller or the buyer, as the case may be, of the lot of greatest value, must keep the said documents safe, uncancelled and undefaced, unless prevented from so doing by fire or other inevitable accident.

s. 41 (1) altered. W. P. 1867, P. 99: 7 W. R. 196: 6 W. R. 152: 25 W. R. 46.

(*j*). Unless the sale is made by a person in a fiduciary character, the seller shall be deemed to contract with the buyer,

first, that notwithstanding anything done by the seller or any person through whom he claims, the seller has power to transfer the property to the buyer, free from incumbrances;

secondly, that the seller and all persons claiming any interest in the same through or for him, or any person through whom he claims, will on demand execute and deliver to the buyer at his expense any further assurance of the same that may reasonably be required;

rther assurance, 5 W. R. P. C. 111.

and, where the property is leasehold, *thirdly*, that the lease is valid and subsisting and that the rent reserved thereby, the conditions contained therein and the contracts binding on the lessee have been paid, performed and observed down to the delivery.

When the sale is made by a person in a fiduciary character, the seller shall be deemed to contract with the buyer that the seller has done no act whereby the property is incumbered or whereby he is hindered from transferring it.

Bill II, s. 10.

Disclosures required from seller and buyer.

13. The following omissions are fraudulent:—

7 W. R., 258. Cf. Act IX of 1872, ss. 17, clause (5), 19.

(*a*) an omission of the seller of immoveable property to disclose to the buyer any defect therein of which the seller is, and the buyer is not, aware, and which the buyer could not with ordinary care discover:

(*b*) an omission of the buyer of immoveable property to disclose to the seller any fact as to the nature or extent of the seller's interest therein, of which the buyer is, and the seller is not, aware, and which increases the value of such interest.

Bill, s. 12. Bill II, s. 12: Report, s. 15: 7 W. R. 38.

Contract for sale not of itself to create interest in property.

14. A contract for, or relating to, the sale of immoveable property, shall not of itself have the effect of creating any interest in, or charge on, such property; but the only right of any person under the contract shall be to apply for specific performance, or for compensation, or for both, according to the rules laid down in the Indian Contract Act, 1872, and the Specific Relief Act, 1877.

Bill II, s. 14.

Liability of buyer of leasehold.

15. As between the seller and buyer of leasehold property, the buyer is, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, bound to pay the rent reserved by the lease and accruing due after delivery of the property, to perform the contracts entered into by the lessee, and to indemnify the seller against all claims arising after the delivery in respect of non-payment of such rent or breach or non-observance of such contracts.

Bill II, s. 15.

Liability of buyer of right to redeem.

16. As between the seller and buyer of a right to redeem mortgaged property, the buyer is, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, bound (*a*) to pay to the mortgagee the principal sum which, on delivery of the right, is due on the mortgage, and all interest from time to time due for the same, when payment thereof, respectively, is lawfully demanded, and (*b*) to indemnify the seller against the payment thereof, and against all claims for non-payment thereof, respectively.

Bill II, s. 16.

Money received by seller under fire-policy.

17. If at the date of the contract the property is insured against loss or damage by fire, the buyer, in case of such loss or damage, may, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, require any money which the seller actually receives under the policy, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be applied in reinstating the property.

Bill II, s. 17.

Joint purchases.

18. When two or more persons purchase any immoveable property, with separate funds belonging to them respectively, they shall, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, be interested in such property in proportion to the shares of the purchase-money which they respectively advanced.

In the absence of evidence as to the shares so advanced, such persons shall be presumed to be equally interested in the property.

Bill II, s. 18: 7 W. R. 483.

Right of buyer of one of two properties subject to common charge.

19. When two properties are subject to a common charge, and one of the properties is sold, the buyer is, as against the seller, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, entitled to have the charge satisfied out of the other property, so far as such property will extend.

Bill II, s. 19: 2 Hay 549: 1 W. R. 14: XXXI of 1854, s. XXVIII of 18[illegible] 31.

Bonâ fide buyer not bound to see to application of purchase-money.

20. When any property is sold, the proceeds of which are subject to any trust, the buyer in good faith of the property is not bound to see to the application of the purchase-money to the purposes of the trust nor is he answerable for the misapplication of such money.

CHAPTER IV.

OF MORTGAGES OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY AND CHARGES.

Bill II, s. 25 : Bill, s. 14 : Act XXVIII of 1866, s. 19 : Mortgagor need not have present ownership, N.-W. P. 1872, p. 11. Macph. 4. Fulton 36. Purchaser of right of redemption, 11 Bom. 41.

Mortgage, mortgagor and mortgagee defined.

21. When, for the purpose of securing money advanced or to be advanced by way of loan or an existing or future debt, or the performance of an engagement, one person transfers to another a right over specific immoveable property, the transfer is called a mortgage of immoveable property, the transferor is called a mortgagor, the transferee a mortgagee, the money of which payment is secured is called the mortgage-money, and the assurance by which the transfer is effected is called a mortgage-deed.

For the purposes of this chapter, any person entitled as heir, legatee, assignee, lessee or otherwise than as a mortgagee to the interest of the transferor in the property subject to the mortgage, or any part of such interest, is a mortgagor; and any person entitled as heir, legatee, assignee or otherwise to the interest of the transferee under the mortgage, or any part thereof, is a mortgagee.

5 Beng. 393 : 5 W. R. 230.

English mortgage.

Where the mortgagor transfers the property to the mortgagee with a proviso that, upon payment of the mortgage-money at a certain date, the property shall be retransferred, the transaction is called a mortgage in the English form.

Macph. 8, 12, 59 : R. B. Ghose, 218, 219 : 2 Moo. I. A. 487.

Usufructuary mortgage.

Where the mortgagor delivers possession of the property to the mortgagee, and authorizes him to retain such possession and to pay himself from the rents and profits of the property the interest, or the mortgage-money and interest, or to take such rents and profits in lieu of interest, or of the mortgage-money and interest, the transaction is called an usufructuary mortgage.

Macph. 10, 12.

Simple mortgage.

Where the mortgagor binds himself personally to repay the mortgage-money, and pledges the property as collateral security for the repayment, but does not contract that, on default of payment of the mortgage-money and interest at a certain date, the property shall pass to the mortgagee, the transaction is called a simple mortgage.

Macph. 11, 12.

Mortgage by conditional sale.

Where the mortgagor not so binding himself, contracts that, on default of payment of the mortgage-money and interest at a certain date, the property shall pass to the mortgagee, the transaction is called a mortgage by conditional sale.

Bill II, s. 26 : See Macph. 53 : R. B. Ghose 64.

Mortgage to be by assurance.

22. A mortgage can be effected only by assurance signed by the mortgagor and attested by at least two witnesses.

Rights and Liabilities of Mortgagor.

Right of mortgagor to redeem, tender or deposit.

23. A mortgagor has the following rights as against the mortgagee :—

Bill II, s. 28 : Bill, s. 15 : 5 Beng. 450 : 6 B... 562 : 2 Mad. 4... Mad. 395 : In ... Provs. 13 Beng. ...

(*a*) at any time after the mortgage-money has become payable, or has been paid, the mortgagor has a right on payment or tender, at a proper time and place, of the mortgage-money and interest remaining due on the mortgage, to require the mortgagee to re-transfer the mortgaged property to him, or to execute an acknowledgment in writing that any right in derogation of his ownership or other interest transferred to the mortgagee has been extinguished :

N.-W. P. 1868, p. ... Bomb. 237, no ... demption before ... piration of ... named. Rede... tion after ... time has expi... 9 Bomb. 69. see 7 Ben. ... (P. C.). English practice ... lowed, with nec... sary modificati... in case of defend... Pársí, 5 Bom. ... C. J. 100.

Provided that the mortgagee has not obtained an order absolute foreclosing such right, or that such right has not been after the date of the mortgage released or otherwise extinguished, or that the property has not been duly sold in pursuance of a decree or under a power given by the mortgage-deed.

6 Bom. A. C. J. ... N.-W. P. 186... 128.

The right conferred by this clause is called a right to redeem and a suit to enforce it is called a suit for redemption :

(*b*) at any time after the mortgage-money has become payable and before such suit is barred, the mortgagor may deposit in any Court in which he might have instituted a suit for redemption of the mortgaged property, to the account of the mortgagee, the mortgage-money and interest remaining due on the mortgage :

Beng. Reg. I of 17... s. 2 : Macph. 171.

(*c*) in the case of an usufructuary mortgage, he may recover possession of the property (1) where the mortgagee is authorized to pay himself from the rents and profits of the property the mortgage-money and interest thereof,—when such money and interest are so paid, (2) where the mortgagee is authorized to pay himself from such rents and profits the interest of the mortgage-money,—when the term (if any) of the mortgage expires and the mortgagor pays or tenders to the mortgagee the mortgage-money, or deposits it in such Court as last aforesaid.

Redemption of portion of mortgaged property.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to authorize a person interested in part only of the mortgaged property to institute a suit for the redemption of his own part only, on payment of a proportionate part of the amount remaining due on the mortgage, except where there is but one mortgagee and the mortgagor's interest in part of the property becomes vested in such mortgagee, in which case the person so interested may institute such suit.

N.-W. P. 1867, p. 88 ... 20 W. R. 387 : 22 W. R. 262 : 24 W. R. 24 : N.-W. P. 1870, p. 4... N.-W. P. 1872, p. 92 ... N.-W. P. 1873, p. 148 ... R. B. Ghose 198 : 1... Beng. 303.

Implied contracts by mortgagor.

24. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, the mortgagor shall be deemed to contract with the mortgagee,

Bill II, s. 29. N.-W. P. 1867, p. 199.

first, that the mortgagor has power to grant the mortgaged property to the mortgagee, free from incumbrances ;

D. A. 1857, p. 95: 1858, p. 575.

secondly, that the mortgagor will take all legal means to protect his rights in the property:

thirdly, that the mortgagor and every person claiming any interest in the property will on demand (at the cost, until foreclosure or sale, of the mortgagor and afterwards of the person requiring the same) execute every such assurance of the same that may reasonably be required;

e of forfeiture of se, N.-W. P. 69, p. 128.

and, where the property is leasehold, *fourthly*, that the lease is valid and subsisting, that the rent reserved thereby, the conditions contained therein, and the contracts binding on the lessee have been paid, performed and observed down to the execution of the mortgage-deed; and that the mortgagor will, so long as the security exists, pay the rent reserved by the lease, perform the conditions contained therein and observe the contracts binding on the lessee and indemnify the mortgagee against all claims sustained by reason of the non-payment of the said rent or the non-performance or non-observance of the said conditions and contracts.

omb. 369: 11 mb. 32.

25. If after the date of the mortgage any accession is made to the mortgaged property, the mortgagor, upon redemption, shall, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, and subject to the law relating to alluvion for the time being in force, be entitled to such accession.

Accession to mortgaged property.

Illustration.

mb. 369, 371, see N.-W. P. 6, p. 281.

A mortgages to B a field the trees on which are the property of Government. B enters into possession of the field and as occupant thereof buys the trees. A redeems the field. He is entitled to the trees.

, s. 30.

26. Where the mortgaged property is a lease for a term of years, and the mortgagee, while in possession of the property, obtains a renewal of the lease, the mortgagor, upon redemption, shall, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, have the benefit of the new lease.

Renewal of mortgaged lease.

, s. 31.

27. A mortgagor in possession of the mortgaged property is not liable to the mortgagee for allowing the property to deteriorate; but he must not commit any act which is destructive or permanently injurious thereto, if the security is insufficient or will be rendered insufficient by such act.

Waste by mortgagor in possession.

. 109. Ghose 147.

Explanation.—A security is insufficient within the meaning of this section unless the value of the mortgaged property exceeds by one-third, or, if consisting of buildings, exceeds by one-half, the amount for the time being due on the mortgage.

, s. 32.

28. A mortgagor proposing to make a second or other subsequent mortgage of the mortgaged property shall, before effecting the mortgage, give the second or other subsequent mortgagee notice in writing under his hand of the prior mortgage or mortgages, and a mortgagor effecting a second or other subsequent mortgage of the mortgaged property shall, as soon as may be, give the prior mortgagee or mortgagees like notice of such mortgage.

Notice to mesne incumbrancers.

, 12 W. R.

A mortgagor failing to give any notice required by this section shall, when the accounts are taken in pursuance of a decree made under this chapter, be debited with the loss, if any, occasioned by such failure, in addition to any other liability resulting therefrom.

29. If the owner of two or more properties creates separate mortgages on them by separate assurances, each mortgage may be dealt with irrespectively of the other, though the mortgages are created in favour of the same mortgagee.

Right to redeem one of two properties separately mortgaged.

Bill II, s. 33: Bill, s. 39: *Contra*, 6 Bomb. A. C. J. 90. But see R. B. G. 330, 331.

Illustration.

A, the owner of farms Z and Y, mortgages Z to B for Rs. 1,000. A afterwards mortgages Y to B for Rs. 1,000, making no stipulation as to any additional charge on Z. A may institute a suit for the redemption of the mortgage on Z alone.

Rights and Liabilities of Mortgagee.

30. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, the mortgagee may, at any time after the mortgage-money has become payable to him, and before a decree has been made for the redemption of the mortgaged property, or the mortgage-money has been paid, institute against the mortgagor (1) a suit for a declaration that he has lost his right to redeem the property, or (2) a suit for a sale of the property.

Right to sue for foreclosure or sale.

Bill II, s. 34: 2 Mad. 289: N.-W. P. 1870, p 311: No foreclosure before expiration of period named, 2 Bomb. 242: Mortgagee's right to sale, 7 Bomb. A. C. J. 146: 9 Bomb. 12.

A suit for a declaration that a mortgagor has lost his right to redeem the mortgaged property is called a suit for foreclosure.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed—

(*a*) to authorize a simple mortgagee to institute a suit for foreclosure, or an usufructuary mortgagee to institute a suit for foreclosure or sale, or a conditional mortgagee to institute a suit for sale;

Simple mortgagee, N.-W. P. 1869, p. 184: Usufructuary, N.-W. P. 1875, p. 55.

(*b*) to authorize a mortgagor who has become a trustee of the mortgaged property or legal representative of the mortgagee, to institute a suit for foreclosure;

(*c*) to authorize the mortgagee of a railway, canal or other work in the maintenance of which the public are interested, to institute a suit for foreclosure or sale; or

(*d*) to authorize a person interested in part only of the mortgage-money to institute a suit relating only to a corresponding part of the mortgaged property: but he may institute any suit which, under this Act, he is authorized to institute, relating to the whole of the mortgaged property, making the other mortgagees, if they cannot or will not join as plaintiffs, defendants.

Cases *contra*, Macph. 195—6.

31. When the mortgagor deposits money in Court under section twenty-three, and pays the fee leviable for the service next hereinafter mentioned, the Court shall forthwith cause written notice of the deposit to be served on the mortgagee, and the mortgagee may, on depositing the mortgage-deed in the same Court and on filing a written statement (verified in manner prescribed by law for the verification of plaints) of the amount then due on the mortgage, apply for and receive in payment of such amount the money so deposited.

Right to money deposited by mortgagor.

Bill II, s. 35: Bill, s. 15, clause (*e*). Ben. Reg. 1 of 1798, s. 3. Macph. 171.

Bill II, s. 36: Bill, s. 28, usufructuary mortgage, 16 W. R. 251.

Right to interest.

32. Where the mortgagor and mortgagee have contracted as to the payment of interest on the mortgage-money, interest shall be payable in accordance with such contract.

Where no such contract has been entered into, the mortgagee is entitled to interest on such money at the rate of six per cent. per annum:

9 N.-W. P. 1. Macph. 159, 160.

Proviso.

Provided that, when the mortgagor has tendered or deposited in Court under section twenty-three, the amount for the time being due on the mortgage, interest on the mortgage-money shall cease from the date of the tender or from the earliest time when the mortgagee could take such amount out of Court, as the case may be.

Bill II, s. 37: 6 Bomb. 121: Right to eject third persons wrongfully in possession, 9 Bomb. 275.

Bar of entry by mortgagee.

33. In the absence of a contract to the contrary, no mortgagee shall be entitled as such to take possession of the mortgaged property; but at any time after the expiration of one year from the time when the mortgage money has become payable according to the terms of the mortgage-deed, or after any interest thereon has been in arrear for six months, he may institute a suit for the appointment of a receiver of the rents and profits of the whole or any part of the mortgaged property.

Right to receiver.

In any suit for foreclosure or sale, the Court may, if it think fit, appoint such a receiver pending the proceedings in the suit, unless the mortgagee is already in possession of the mortgaged property.

Bill II, s. 38.

Right to sue for mortgage-money.

34. The mortgagee may sue the mortgagor for the mortgage-money in the following cases only:—

6 W. R. 283.

(*a*) where the mortgagor expressly binds himself to repay the same:

Macph. 233.

(*b*) where the mortgagor remains in possession of the mortgaged property and fails to pay arrears of revenue or rent due in respect thereof, and the property is consequently sold or attached:

Act XXXIII of 1871, s. 46.

7 Bomb. 116: 21 W. R. 226.

(*c*) where the property is destroyed by diluvion, fire or other superior force:

26 W. R. 7 (partial deprivation).

(*d*) where the mortgagee is deprived of his security by the wrongful act or default of the mortgagor:

4 Moo. I. A. 464: Marsh. 209: 7 S. D. A. 47: N.-W. P. 1860, p. 280. So in the case of a Kánam mortgage, 2 Mad. 315.

(*e*) in the case of an usufructuary mortgage, where the rents and profits of the property are to be taken in lieu of interest only, or where the mortgagor fails to deliver to the mortgagee possession of the property or to secure the possession thereof to him without disturbance by the mortgagor or any other person.

Bill II, s. 39: Bill, s. 24: 8 Bomb. A. C. J. 142. 6 W. R. 283 (power to usufructuary mortgagee). Muhammadan law, Macph. 2.

Power of sale invalid.

35. A power conferred by the mortgage-deed on the mortgagee, or on any person on his behalf, to sell or concur in selling the mortgaged property, or any part thereof, is invalid, except where the mortgagee is the Secretary of State for India in Council, or the mortgaged property is situate within the towns of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Karáchí or Rangoon.

Act No. XXVIII of 1866, section 6, is repealed so far as it is inconsistent with this section.

Bill II, s. 40.

Right as to insurance-money.

36. If, at the date of the mortgage, the mortgaged property is insured against loss or damage by fire, the mortgagee, in case of such loss or damage, may, in the absence of an express contract to the contrary, require any money which the mortgagor actually receives under the policy, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be laid out in reinstating the property.

Bill II, s. 41: 11 Bomb. 32.

Accession to mortgaged property.

37. If, after the date of the mortgage, any accession is made to the mortgaged property, the mortgagee, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, and subject to the law relating to alluvion for the time being in force, shall, for the purposes of the security, be entitled to such accession.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A mortgages to B a certain field bordering on a river. The field is increased by alluvion. For the purposes of his security, B is entitled to the increase.

(*b*). A mortgages a certain plot of building-land to B and afterwards erects a house on the plot. For the purposes of his security, B is entitled to the house as well as the plot.

Renewal of mortgaged lease.

38. When the mortgaged property is a lease for a term of years, and the mortgagor while in possession of the property, obtains a renewal of the lease, the mortgagee, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, shall, for the purposes of the security, be entitled to the new lease.

Bill II, s. 42: Bill, s. 16.

Mortgagee in possession.

39. When, during the continuance of the mortgage, the mortgagee takes possession of the mortgaged property, he has the following rights and liabilities:—

2 Bomb. 222: IX of 1872, s. 4

(*a*) he shall manage the property as a person of ordinary prudence would manage it if it were his own;

N.-W. P. 1875, p.

(*b*) he shall use his best endeavours to collect the rents and profits thereof;

2 Bomb. 231.

(*c*) he shall, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, out of the income of the property pay the Government revenue, all other charges of a public nature accruing due in respect thereof during such possession and any arrears of rent in default of payment of which the property may be summarily sold;

Macph. 113, 11

9 W. R. 488.

(*d*) he shall, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, make such necessary repairs of the property as he can pay for out of the rents and profits thereof after deducting from such rents and profits the payments mentioned in clause (*c*) and the interest on the mortgage-money;

Macph. 109, 113. 1 Bomb. 199, 20 5 Bomb. A. 109, 116: N.-W. P. 18 187: 1 W. R. 133: 11 Moo. I. A.

(*e*) he may spend such money as is necessary (1) for the due management of the property and the collection of the rents and profits thereof, (2) for its preservation from destruction, forfeiture or sale, (3) for supporting the mortgagor's title to the property, (4) for making his own title thereto good against the mortgagor, and (5), when the mortgaged property is a renewable leasehold, for the renewal of the lease; and may, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, add such money to the mortgage-money, at the same rate of interest;

23 & 24 Vic., c. s. 11.

(*f*) where the property is by its nature insurable at ordinary rates, he may, in the absence of a contract to the contrary, insure and keep insured against loss or damage by fire the whole or any part of such property, and add the premiums paid for any such insurance to the mortgage-money at the same

rate of interest; and, in case of such loss or damage, shall apply any money which he may actually receive under the policy, or so much thereof as may be necessary, in reinstating the property;

(*g*) he shall keep clear, full and accurate accounts of all sums received and spent by him as mortgagee and, at any time during the continuance of the mortgage, give the mortgagor, at his request and cost, true copies of such accounts and of the vouchers by which they are supported;

(*h*) his receipts from the mortgaged property, or, where such property is personally occupied by him, a fair occupation-rent in respect thereof, shall, after deducting the expenses mentioned in clauses (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*), and interest thereon, be debited against him in reduction of the amount (if any) from time to time due to him on account of interest on the mortgage-money and, so far as such receipts exceed any interest due, in reduction or discharge of the mortgage-money. The surplus, if any, shall be paid to the mortgagor;

(*i*) when the mortgagor tenders, or deposits in court under section twenty-three, the amount for the time being due on the mortgage, the mortgagee must, notwithstanding the provisions in the other clauses of this section, account for his gross receipts from the mortgaged property from the date of the tender or from the earliest time when he could take such amount out of court, as the case may be.

Loss occasioned by his default.

If the mortgagee fail to perform any of the duties imposed upon him by this section, he may, when accounts are taken in pursuance of a decree made under this chapter, be debited with the loss, if any, occasioned by such failure.

Receipts in lieu of interest.

40. Nothing in section thirty-nine, clauses (*g*) and (*h*), applies to cases where there is a contract in writing between the mortgagee and the mortgagor that the receipts from the mortgaged property after deducting the said expenses, shall, so long as the mortgagee is in possession of the property, be taken in lieu of interest on the mortgage money.

Waste by mortgagee.

41. A mortgagee in possession of the mortgaged property must not commit any act which is destructive or permanently injurious thereto.

Charge on proceeds of revenue-sale.

42. When a mortgagor in possession of the mortgaged property fails to pay arrears of revenue or rent due in respect thereof, and the property is consequently sold, the mortgagee has a charge on the surplus, if any, of the proceeds, after payment thereout of the said arrears, for the amount remaining due on the mortgage.

Right to pay off mortgagee in order to prevent sale.

43. Any second or other subsequent mortgagee may, at any time before a sale of the mortgaged property has taken place under this chapter, tender to the next prior mortgagee the amount due to him on account of his mortgage. Such mortgagee is bound to accept such tender and to give a receipt for the sum due, and on such receipt being registered, the person making the tender shall acquire, in respect of the property, all the rights and powers of the mortgagee, as such, to whom he has made such tender.

Priority.

Postponement of prior mortgagee.

44. Where, through the fraud or gross neglect of a prior mortgagee, another person has been induced to advance money on the security of the mortgaged property, the prior mortgagee shall be postponed to the subsequent mortgagee.

Bill II, s. 46: Evidence Act, s. 115: N.-W. P. 1868, p. 402: 4 Mad. 373: 2 Moo. I. A. 487: 11 W. R. 286: Hindú mortgagee in possession preferred, 8 Bom. A.C.J. 50, 55. *Secus* in Guzerat, 11 Bom. 41.

Mortgage to secure balance of account.

45. If a mortgage made to secure the balance of a running account expresses the maximum to be secured thereby, a subsequent mortgage on the same property shall, if made with notice of the prior mortgage, or if the instrument effecting the prior mortgage is registered, be postponed to the prior mortgage in respect of all advances or debits not exceeding the maximum, though made or allowed with notice of the subsequent mortgage.

Bill II, s. 47: Bill, s. 34: Report, s. 29.

Illustration.

A mortgages Sultánpur to his bankers, B & Co., to secure the balance of his account with them to the extent of Rs. 10,000. A then mortgages Sultánpur to C, to secure Rs. 10,000; and C gives notice thereof to B & Co. At the date of the second mortgage, the balance due to B & Co. does not exceed Rs. 5,000. B & Co. subsequently advance to A sums making the balance of the account against him exceed the sum of Rs. 10,000. B & Co. are entitled, to the extent of Rs. 10,000, to priority over C.

Tacking abolished.

46. No mortgagee paying off a prior mortgage, whether with or without notice of an intermediate mortgage, shall thereby acquire any priority in respect of his original security. And, except in the case provided for by section forty-five, no mortgagee making a subsequent advance to the mortgagor, whether with or without notice of an intermediate mortgage, shall thereby acquire any priority in respect of his security for such subsequent advance.

Bill II, s. 48: Bill, s. 38: Report, s. 34: 2 Beng. App. 45: 5 Beng. 463: 11 W. R. 310.

Marshalling and Contribution.

Marshalling securities.

47. If the owner of two properties mortgages them both to one person and then mortgages one of the properties to another person who has not notice of the former mortgage, the second mortgagee is entitled to have the debt of the first mortgagee satisfied out of the property not mortgaged to the second mortgagee, so far as such property will extend; but not so as to prejudice the rights of the first mortgagee or of any other person having an incumbrance on either property.

Bill II, s. 50: W. R. 1864, p. 374: 1 W. R. 358: 7 W. R. 483: 12 W. R. 114: Macph. 205. Macph. 136.

Contribution to mortgage-debt.

48. Where several properties, whether of one or several owners, are mortgaged to secure one debt, the several properties shall contribute rateably to the debt secured by the mortgage, after deducting from the value of each property the amount of any other incumbrance to which it is subject.

Bill II, s. 51: 12 W. R. 291: see 22 W. R. 430.

Where of two properties belonging to the same owner, one is mortgaged to secure one debt, and then both are mortgaged to secure another debt, and the former debt is paid out of the former property, each property shall contribute rateably to the latter debt, after deducting the amount of the

former debt from the value of the property out of which it has been paid.

Nothing in this section applies to a property liable under section forty-seven to the claim of the second mortgagee.

Suits for Redemption, Foreclosure or Sale.

Bill II, sec. 52: 14 Moo. I. A. 101; 1 W. R. 176: 21 W. R. 428: explained by Macph. 146. Seton i, 442, see Act X of 1877, sec. 32. 5 Bomb. O. C. J. 76, (legal representative of deceased mortgagor): 8 Beng. 104 (purchaser from mortgagor): Marshall 292, claimants of right of redemption, N.-W. P. 1868, p. 144.

Parties to suits for redemption, foreclosure and sale.

49. Subject to the provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure, section 437, all persons having an interest either in the right of redemption or in the security ought to be joined as parties to any suit under this chapter, and the first or any subsequent mortgagee who institutes a suit for foreclosure or sale ought to make every mortgagee and other incumbrancer whose security is subsequent to his own, a party to the suit.

Foreclosure and Sale.

Bill II, sec. 53: Bill, s. 19.

Decree in foreclosure-suit.

50. In a suit for foreclosure, if the plaintiff succeed, the Court shall pass a decree, ordering that an account be taken of what will be due to the plaintiff for principal and interest on the mortgage and for his costs of the suit, on the day next hereinafter referred to, or declaring the amount so due at the date of such decree,

and ordering that, upon the defendant paying to the plaintiff or into court the amount so due, on a day within six months from the date of declaring in court the amount so due, to be fixed by the Court, the plaintiff shall deliver up to the defendant, or to such person as he appoints, all documents in his possession or power relating to the mortgaged property, and shall transfer the mortgaged property to the defendant free from all incumbrances created by the plaintiff or any person claiming under him, or, where the plaintiff claims by derived title, by those under whom he claims; and shall, if necessary, put the defendant into possession of the mortgaged property; but

that, if such payment is not made on or before such day, the defendant shall be absolutely foreclosed of all right to redeem such property.

Bill II, sec. 54.

Procedure in case of payment of amount due and subsequent costs.

51. If payment is so made of such amount and of such subsequent costs as are mentioned in section fifty-nine, the defendant shall (if necessary) be put into possession of the mortgaged property.

If such payment is not so made, the plaintiff may apply to the Court for an order absolute for the foreclosure of the said mortgage, and the Court shall then pass an order absolute that the defendant be foreclosed of all right to redeem the mortgaged property, and may, if necessary, deliver possession of the property to the plaintiff; and thereupon the defendant's right to redeem and the security shall both be extinguished:

Order absolute for foreclosure.

W. R. 91.

Power to enlarge time.

Provided that the Court may, upon good cause shewn, from time to time postpone the day appointed for such payment.

In the Code of Civil Procedure, schedule IV, No. 129, for the words "Final Decree," the words "Order absolute" shall be substituted.

Bill II, s. 55.

Decree for sale.

52. In a suit for a sale under this chapter, if the plaintiff succeed, the Court shall, and in any other suit by the mortgagee under this chapter, if the plaintiff succeed, the Court may, at his instance, pass a decree ordering as provided in the first and second paragraphs of section fifty and also ordering that, in default of the defendant making payment as therein mentioned, the mortgaged property or a sufficient part thereof be sold, and that the proceeds of the sale (after defraying thereout the expenses of the sale) be paid into Court and applied in payment of what is so found due to the plaintiff and that the balance, if any, be paid to the defendant or other persons entitled to receive the same.

Power to decree sale at instance of mortgagee.

When the mortgagee sues only for a foreclosure, if the Court considers that he will not be damnified by such sale and if the defendant furnishes such security, if any, as the Court thinks sufficient for the payment of the balance due for the time being by him on the mortgage, the Court may, at the instance of the defendant, pass a like decree.

Bill, s. 21: 15 & 16 Vic. s. 48.

Power to decree sale in foreclosure-suit at instance of mortgagor.

Any decree under this section may also direct the defendant to pay any balance remaining due to the plaintiff upon the mortgage after the proceeds of sale have been dealt with as above provided.

Bill II, s. 56.

Procedure when defendant pays amount due and subsequent costs.

53. If in any case under section fifty-two, the defendant makes payment as mentioned in section fifty-one, he shall (if necessary) be put in possession of the mortgaged property: but if such payment is not so made, the plaintiff or the defendant, as the case may be, may apply to the Court for an order absolute for sale of the mortgaged property, and the Court shall then pass an order that such property, or a sufficient part thereof, be sold, and that the proceeds of the sale be dealt with as is mentioned in section fifty-two; and thereupon the defendant's right to redeem and the security shall both be extinguished.

Order absolute for sale.

Bill II, sec Bill, s. 23.

Recovery of balance due on mortgage.

54. When the nett proceeds of any such sale are insufficient to pay the amount due for the time being on the mortgage, the balance, if payable according to the contract between the parties by the defendant otherwise than out of the property sold, may be recovered either (if the Court thinks fit) in the same suit in the same manner as under a decree for money, or by any other legal process open to the mortgagee.

Redemption.

Bill II, s. [illegible]

Who may sue for redemption.

55. Besides the mortgagor, any of the following persons may institute a suit for redemption of the mortgaged property:—

(*a*) any person (other than the mortgagee) having any interest in or charge upon the property;

(*b*) any person having any interest in or charge upon the right to redeem the property;

3 W. R. [illegible] R. 230, [illegible] But see 17 [illegible] 272.

(*c*) any surety for the payment of the mortgage-debt or any part thereof;

(*d*) the guardian of the property of a minor mortgagor;

(*e*) the committee or other legal curator of a lunatic or idiot mortgagor;

(*f*) the judgment-creditor of the mortgagor, when he has obtained execution;

(*g*) a creditor of the mortgagor who has in a suit for the administration of his estate obtained a decree for sale of the mortgaged property.

Bill II, s. 59: Bill, s. 25: See Code, C. P., section 461: 8 N.W.P. 870, p. 207.

56. In a suit for redemption, if the plaintiff succeed, the Court shall pass a decree

Decree in redemption-suit.

ordering that an account be taken of what will be due to the defendant for principal and interest on the mortgage, and for his costs of the suit, on the day next hereinafter referred to, or declaring the amount so due at the date of such decree; and

ordering that upon the plaintiff paying to the defendant or into court the amount so due on a day within six months from the date of declaring in court the amount so due, to be fixed by the Court, the defendant shall deliver up to the plaintiff, or to such person as he appoints, all documents in his possession or power relating to the mortgaged property, and shall (if such property has been transferred to the defendant) re-transfer it to the plaintiff free from the mortgage and from all incumbrances created by the defendant or any person claiming under him, or, when the defendant claims by derived title, by those under whom he claims, and shall, if necessary, put the plaintiff into possession of the mortgaged property; but

that if such payment is not made on or before such day, the plaintiff shall be absolutely foreclosed of all right to redeem such property.

Bill II, s 60.

57. If payment is made of such amount and of such subsequent costs as are mentioned in section fifty-nine, the plaintiff shall, if necessary, be put into possession of the mortgaged property.

In case of redemption, possession:

If such payment is not so made, the defendant may apply to the Court for an order absolute either for the foreclosure of the said right to redeem, or for a sale of the mortgaged property.

In default, foreclosure or sale.

If he apply for an order for foreclosure, the Court shall pass an order absolute ordering the plaintiff to be foreclosed of all right to redeem the mortgaged property, and may, if necessary, deliver possession of the property to the defendant.

If he apply for an order for sale, the Court shall pass an order that such property or a sufficient part thereof be sold, and that the proceeds of the sale (after defraying thereout the expenses of the sale) be paid into Court and applied in payment of what is found due to the defendant and that the balance be paid to the plaintiff or other persons entitled to receive the same.

On the passing of any order under this section the plaintiff's right to redeem and the security shall both be extinguished:

Provided that the Court may upon good cause shewn, from time to time, postpone the day fixed under section fifty-six for payment of the amount due.

Power to enlarge time.

Redemption and Foreclosure.

58. When property is mortgaged for successive debts to successive mortgagees, any mesne mortgagee may institute a suit to redeem the interests of the prior mortgagees and to foreclose the rights of those that are posterior to himself and of the mortgagor.

Bill II, s. 61: *Mulook Chund* v. *Aghooree*, 2 Sev. 573: *Sheopal* v. *Deen Dyal*, N.-W. P. 1873, p. 148: Macph. 139, 140.

Right of mesne mortgagee to redeem and foreclose.

Costs.

59. In finally adjusting the amount to be paid to a mortgagee in case of a redemption or a sale by the Court under this chapter, the Court shall, unless the conduct of the mortgagee has been such as to disentitle him to costs, add to the mortgage-money such costs of suit as have been properly incurred by him since the decree for foreclosure, redemption or sale up to the time of actual payment.

Bill II, s. 64: Bill, s. 30.

Costs of mortgagee subsequent to decree.

Sale of Property subject to prior mortgage.

60. If any property the sale of which is directed under this chapter is subject to a prior mortgage, the Court may, with the consent of the prior mortgagee, order that the property be sold free from the same, giving to such prior mortgagee the same interest in the proceeds of the sale as he had in the property sold.

Bill II, s. 65: Bill, s. 32: Report, s. 25, altered: Act X of 1877, s. 295.

Sale of property subject to prior mortgage.

61. Such proceeds shall be brought into court and applied as follows:—

Bill II, s. 66: Bill, s. 33: See Act X of 1877 s. 295.

Application of proceeds.

first, in payment of all expenses incident to the sale or properly incurred in any attempted sale;

secondly, if the property has been sold free from any prior mortgage, in payment of whatever is due on account of such mortgage;

thirdly, in payment of all interest due on account of the mortgage in consequence whereof the sale was directed, and of the costs of the suit in which the decree directing the sale was made;

fourthly, in payment of the principal money due on account of that mortgage; and

fifthly, the residue (if any) shall be paid to the person proving himself to be interested in the property sold, or if there be more such persons than one, then to such persons according to their respective interests therein or upon their joint receipt.

Anomalous Mortgages.

62. In the case of a mortgage not coming within any of the definitions contained in section twenty-one, the rights and liabilities of the parties shall be determined by their contract as evidenced in the mortgage-deed, and, so far as such contract does not extend, by local usage: Provided that, in the absence of an express contract to the contrary, the mortgaged property shall be deemed to be the only security for payment of the mortgage money.

Bombay Reg. V 1827, s. 15.

Mortgages not described in section 21.

Charges.

63. If by any assurance other than a mortgage-deed, or by any will, or under the provisions of this or any other Act, or by operation of law, certain immoveable property of one person is made security for the payment of certain money to another, the latter person is said to have a charge on the

Bill II, s. 68 Bill, s. 41.

Charges.

property; and all the provisions hereinbefore applied to a mortgagor shall, so far as may be, apply to the owner of such property, and all the provisions hereinbefore applied to a mortgagee instituting a suit for the sale of the mortgaged property shall, so far as may be, apply to the person having such charge.

3 Beng. Appendix 140. N.-W. P. 1869, p. 184: N.-W. P. 1871, p. 207.

Bill, s. 81: Bill II, s. 27: 7 Beng. 653: 11 Beng. 405: N.-W. P. 1869, p. 74: 7 Bom. O. C. J. 45: I. L. R. 1 Bom. 237: 9 Moo. I. A. 303: Macph. 53, 54.

Effect of deposit of title-deeds.

The delivery by a debtor to the creditor or his agent, of documents of title relating to property, with intent to create a security thereon, shall be deemed to create a charge on such property in favour of the creditor for the amount of the debt.

Nothing in this section applies to the charge of a trustee on the trust-property for expenses properly incurred in the execution of his trust.

Bill II, s. 69: 7 Mad. 231: 14 W. R. 491: 3 O'Kin. 184: 5 Beng. 463: 11 Bom. 41.

Extinguishment of charges.

64. Where a person is or becomes absolutely entitled to immoveable property, of a charge or other incumbrance on which he is also the owner, the charge or incumbrance shall be extinguished, unless he declares, by express words or necessary implication, that it shall continue to subsist, or unless such continuance would be for his benefit.

CHAPTER V.

OF LEASES OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY.

Bill II, s. 71.

Rights and liabilities of lessor and lessee.

65. In the absence of a contract or local usage to the contrary, the lessor and the lessee of immoveable property, as against one another, respectively possess the rights and are subject to the liabilities mentioned in the sixteen rules next following, or such of them as are applicable to the property leased:—

(2) altered: cf. IX of 1872, s. 93: W. R. 278: 12 W. R. 149: Beng. Appendix 44, (3): 15 W. R. 230: W. R. 121.

(*a*.) The lessor is bound on the lessee's request to put him in possession of the property leased:

(*b*.) The lessor shall be deemed to contract with the lessee that the latter paying the rent reserved by the lease and performing the contracts binding on the lessee may hold the property leased during the time limited by the lease without interruption by the lessor or his transferees, or any person lawfully claiming through him or them:

I. R. 314.

(*c*.) The lessee is entitled to the enjoyment of all easements annexed to the property leased at the time when the lease was made until the lease determines or such easements are extinguished, whichever event first happens:

23 W. R. 34.

(*d*.) The lessee is bound to keep, and on the termination of the lease to restore, the property leased in as good condition as it was in at the time when he was put in possession, subject only to reasonable wear and tear, and to allow the lessor and his agents, at all reasonable times during the term, to enter into the property leased and inspect the condition thereof, and to give or leave notice of any defect in such condition and to make good all such defects within three months after such notice has been given or left:

ng. 73.

(*e*.) If during the continuance of the lease any accession is made to the property leased, such accession (subject to the law relating to alluvion for the time being in force) shall be deemed to be comprised in the lease:

(*f*.) If by fire, tempest or flood, or violence of an army or of a mob, or other superior force, any part of the property leased be wholly destroyed or rendered substantially unfit for the purposes for which it was let, the lease shall be void as to that part, and any rent or fine payable under the lease shall proportionately abate, and a proportionate part of any fine paid by the lessee shall be returned by the lessor:

If the injury be occasioned by the wrongful act or default of either party, such party shall not be entitled to avail himself of the benefit of this provision:

(*g*.) If the lessor neglects to make, within a reasonable time after notice, repairs which he is bound to make to the property leased, the lessee may make the same himself, and deduct the expense of such repairs with interest from the rent, or otherwise recover it from the lessor:

(*h*.) If the lessor neglects to make any payment which he is bound to make, and which, if not made by him, is recoverable from the lessee or against the property leased, the lessee may make such payment himself, and deduct it from his rent, or otherwise recover it from the lessor:

(*i*.) Every lessee who becomes aware of any proceeding to recover the property leased or any part thereof, or of any encroachment made upon, or any interference with, the lessor's rights concerning such property, is bound to give notice thereof to the lessor with reasonable diligence; and, in default of so doing, he is liable to make compensation to the lessor for any loss or expenses occasioned by such omission:

(*j*) The lessee may use the property leased and its products (if any) as a reasonable owner would use them; but he must not use the property for a purpose other than that for which it was leased, or fell timber, pull down or damage houses, open mines or quarries, or commit any other act which is destructive or permanently injurious thereto.

5 Beng. 401, 416: 8 Beng. Appendix 70: 10 Beng. Appx. 41, sed. v. 5 S. D. A. 205. 15 W. R. 360: 17 W. R. 416: 23 W. R. 298: W. R. Sp. (1864) 36

The prohibition in this clause does not apply to mines which were open when the lease was granted:

(*k*.) No lessee shall, without the lessor's consent, erect on the property leased any permanent structure, except for agricultural purposes; and no such lessee who erects thereon any building, engine or machinery for agricultural purposes shall remove the same without first giving to the lessor or his agent one month's previous notice in writing of his intention so to do, and thereupon the lessor or his agent may elect to purchase the thing so proposed to be removed, and the lessee's right to remove the same shall thereby cease, and the same shall belong to the lessor, and the value thereof shall in case of dispute be ascertained and determined by two referees, one to be chosen by each party, or by an umpire to be named by such referees, and shall be paid or allowed in account by the lessor:

8 Beng. 243: 14 & 15 Vic., c. 25, s. 3.

(*l*.) Subject to the provisions of clause (*k*), the lessee has a right to remove, at any time during his possession of the property leased, all things which he has affixed to the soil: but he is liable to make compensation to the lessor for all damage caused to the property by such removal:

Re Thakoor Chunder Paramanick, Beng. F. B Rulings 595: 8 Beng. 237: 14 Beng. 201, 205

(*m*.) On the determination of the lease, the lessee is bound to put the lessor into possession of the property leased:

t XIX of 1868, 16.
XVIII of 1873, 42.

(*n*.) When a lease of uncertain duration determines by any means except the fault of the lessee, he or his legal representative is entitled to all the crops planted or sown by the lessee and growing upon the property leased for the season current when the lease determines, and to free ingress and egress to reap and carry them:

7. R. 83: 7. R. 68.

(*o*.) If the lessor transfers the property leased, or any part thereof, or any part of his interest therein, the transferee shall possess all the rights and, if the lessee so elects, be subject to all the liabilities, of the lessor as to the property or part transferred so long as he is the owner of it; but the lessor shall not by reason only of such transfer cease to be subject to any of the liabilities imposed upon him by the lease, unless the lessee elects to treat the transferee as the person liable to him: Provided that the transferee is not entitled to arrears of rent due before the transfer, and that if the lessee pay rent to the lessor without having reason to believe that such transfer has been made, the lessee shall not be liable to pay such rent over again to the transferee:

1 of 1855, s. 1: c. 16, s. 10.

Where only a part of the property leased is transferred by the lessor, he may determine what proportion of the rent reserved by the lease is payable in respect of the part so transferred:

A. 205: 120, 227: ng. 152: P. 1875, 161: R. 451: R. 112: D. A. 67.

(*p*.) The lessee may transfer, absolutely or by way of mortgage, the whole or any part of his interest in the property leased, and any transferee of such interest or part may again transfer it. The lessee shall not, by reason of such transfer, cease to be subject to any of the liabilities attaching to the lease, unless the lessor elects to treat the transferee as the person subject to such liabilities. Subject as aforesaid, each successive transferee, so long as he is entitled to the property leased, possesses all the rights, and is subject to all the liabilities, of the lessee as such.

R. 449.

ng. 239: ng. 82.

Nothing in this section shall be deemed to authorize a tenant having a right of occupancy, the farmer of an estate in respect of which default has been made in paying revenue, or the lessee of an estate under the management of a Court of Wards, to assign his interest as such tenant, farmer or lessee.

II, s. 70, altered.

Disclosures required from lessor and lessee.

66. The following omissions are fraudulent:—

g. A. C. J. 277.

(*a*) an omission of the lessor of immoveable property to disclose to the lessee any defect therein of which the former is, and the latter is not, aware, and which the latter could not with ordinary care discover;

(*b*) an omission of the lessee of immoveable property to disclose to the lessor any fact as to the nature or extent of the lessor's interest therein, of which the lessee is, and the lessor is not, aware, and which increases the value of such interest.

II, s. 72.

Lessee before entry.

67. A tenancy begins when the lessee enters, under the lease, into possession of the property leased, and until he so enters, he cannot sue for compensation for an unlawful entry thereon.

Duration of certain leases in absence of written contract or local usage.

68. In the absence of a contract in writing or local usage to the contrary, a lease of immoveable property for purposes of cultivation shall be a lease from year to year terminable on the part of either lessor or lessee, by six months' notice expiring with the end of a year of the tenancy; and a lease of immoveable property for any other purpose shall be a lease from month to month, terminable, on the part of either lessor or lessee, by fifteen days' notice expiring with the end of a month of the tenancy.

Bill II, s. 74: Bill, s. 46: Report, s. 40. 5 Bom. A. C. J. 179, 6 *ibid.*, 31: 7 *ibid.*, 111, and see 1 Beng. F. B. 25: 13 W. R. 190: I. L. R. 2 Calc. 146. 4 Beng. Appendix 86. 12 Beng. 263: N.-W. P. 1873, p. 9: Perry 480.

Every notice under this section must be in writing signed by or on behalf of the party giving it and tendered or delivered to the party who is intended to be bound by it, or affixed on a conspicuous part of the property.

Exclusion of day on which term commences.

69. Where the time limited by a lease of immoveable property is expressed as commencing from a particular day, in computing that time such day shall be excluded. Where no day of commencement is named, the time so limited begins from the making of the lease.

Bill II, s. 75: Bill, s. 43.

Duration of lease for a year.

Where the time so limited is a year or a number of years, in the absence of an express agreement to the contrary, the lease shall last during the whole anniversary of the day from which such time commences.

Option to determine lease.

Where the time so limited is expressed to be determinable before its expiration at the option of the parties or one of them, the lessee, in the absence of an express agreement to the contrary, shall have such option.

Determination of lease.

70. A lease of immoveable property determines—

Bill II, s. 76: 7 W. R. 283.

(*a*) by efflux of the time limited thereby:

3 Moo. I. A. 261: 16 W. R. 147.

(*b*) where such time is limited conditionally on the happening of some event—by the happening of such event:

(*c*) where the lessor can only alienate for his own life the property leased—by the death of the lessor:

Lease by Hindú widow, Marshall 106.

(*d*) where the lessor holds the property leased for the term of the life of another person—by the death of such person;

(*e*) on the expiration of a notice to determine the lease duly given in pursuance of a power therein contained:

(*f*) in case the interests of the lessee and the lessor in the whole of the property leased become vested at the same time in one person in the same right:

3 O'Kin. 159. But see per Peacock, C. J. 10 W. R. 15.

(*g*) by express surrender, that is to say, in case the lessee yields up his interest under the lease to the lessor, by mutual agreement between them:

Surrender of right to redeem mortgaged lease, N.-W. P. 1869, p. 45. Surrender by one of several joint lessees, 9 W. R. 147.

(*h*) by implied surrender, that is to say, in case the lessee accepts from the lessor a new lease of the property leased, to take effect during the continuance of the existing lease:

(*i*) by forfeiture, that is to say, (1) in case the lessee breaks an express condition which provides that, on breach thereof, the lessor may re-enter, or the lease shall become void; or (2) in case the lessee renounces his character as such by setting up a title in a third person or by claiming title in himself, and in either case the lessor or his transferee does some act evidencing his intention to determine the lease:

Marshall 250: 16 W. R. 103: 25 W. R. 227.

18 W. R. 465: But see 22 W. R. 448: 25 W. R. 147.

22 W. R. 238, 271.

(*j*) on the expiration of a notice to quit or of intention to quit the property leased duly given by one party to the other.

Bill II, s. 77, cl. 1: W. R. F. B. 10: Marshall 25.

71. A forfeiture under section seventy, clause (*i*), is waived by acceptance of rent which has become due since the forfeiture, or by distress for such rent, or by any other act on the part of the lessor showing an intention to treat the lease as subsisting:

Waiver of forfeiture.

Provided that the lessor is aware that the forfeiture has been incurred:

2 Bom. 73.

Provided also that, where rent is accepted after the institution of a suit to eject the lessee on the ground of forfeiture, such acceptance is not a waiver.

72. A notice given by the lessor under section seventy, clause (*j*), is waived, with the express or implied consent of the lessee, by acceptance of rent which has become due since the expiration of the notice, or by distress for such rent, or by duly giving to the lessee a second notice to quit, or by any other act on the part of the lessor shewing an intention to treat the lease as subsisting.

Waiver of notice to quit.

Bill II, s. 77, cl. 2: N.-W. P. 1867, Er. & c. c. j. 47.

73. Where a lease of immoveable property has determined by forfeiture for non-payment of rent and the lessor sues to eject the lessee, if, at the hearing of the suit, the lessee pays or tenders to the lessor the rent in arrear, together with interest thereon and his full costs of the suit, or gives such security as the Court thinks sufficient for making such payment within fifteen days, the Court may, in lieu of making a decree for ejectment, pass an order relieving the lessee against the forfeiture; and thereupon the lessee shall hold the property leased as if the forfeiture had not occurred.

Relief against forfeiture for non-payment of rent.

Timmaraá Puranik v. *Babigá Kuppagondá*, 2 Bom. 70. 8 W. R. 225, per Peacock, C. J.

Nothing in this section applies to suits under Act No. X of 1859, or Bengal Act No. VIII of 1869.

10 W. R. 384: 13 W. R. 281: N.-W. P. 1871, p. 63.

74. The surrender, express or implied, of a lease of immoveable property does not prejudice an under-lease of the property or any part thereof previously granted by the lessee: but, unless the surrender is made for the purpose of obtaining a new lease, the rent payable by, and the contracts binding on, the under-lessee shall be respectively payable to, and enforceable by, the lessor.

Effect of surrender and forfeiture on under-leases.

The forfeiture of such a lease annuls all such under-leases.

Bill II, s. 78: Bill, s. 47: Report, s. 41: 3 Bom. A. C. J. 27: 12 Beng. 269: N.-W. P. 1870, p. 204.

7 W. R. 152: 16 W. R. 185: 22 W. R. 394, 548: 23 W. R. 271: 25 W. R. 234.

75. If a lessee or under-lessee of property remains in possession thereof after the determination of the lease, and the lessor or his legal representative accepts rent from the lessee or under-lessee, or otherwise assents to his continuing in possession, the lease is, in the absence of an agreement to the contrary, renewed from year to year or from month to month, according to the purpose for which the property is leased, as specified in section sixty-eight.

Effect of holding over.

Illustrations.

(*a*.) A lets a house to B for five years. B underlets the house to C at a monthly rent of Rs. 100. The five years expire, but C continues in possession of the house and pays the rent to A. C's lease is renewed from month to month.

(*b*.) A lets a farm to B for the life of C. C dies, but B continues in possession with A's assent. B's lease is renewed from year to year.

CHAPTER VI.

OF EXCHANGES.

Bill II, s. 21: Bill, s. 48: N. Y. Code, ss. 906: 1 Mad. 100.

76. When two persons contract to mutually give one thing for another, neither thing or both things being money only, the contract is called a contract of exchange.

"Exchange" defined.

Bill II, s. 22, clause

77. The party deprived of the thing he has received in exchange by reason of anything done by the other party or any person through whom the latter claims, may, at his option, sue for compensation or sue for the thing given by him.

Right of party evicted from thing received in exchange.

Bill II, s. 23: Bill, s. 48, para. 1

78. Save as otherwise provided in this chapter, each party has the rights and is subject to the liabilities of a seller as to that which he gives, and has the rights and is subject to the liabilities of a buyer as to that which he takes.

Rights and liabilities of parties.

Bill II, s. 24: Bill, s. 48, para. delivery must be mediate. 1 Morl. 105.

79. On an exchange of money, each party thereby warrants the genuineness of the money given by him.

Exchange of money.

CHAPTER VII.

OF TRANSFERS OF DEBTS.

Bill II, s. 136: Bill, s. 99: Report, s. 99: 36 & 37 Vic., c. 66, s. 25 (*b*): 1 Mad. 150. See 5 W. R. 230. But see 10 N.-W. 474, cited Mad. 122.

80. No transfer of, or charge on, any debt, or any beneficial interest in moveable property, shall have any operation against the debtor or against the person in whom the property is vested, until express notice of the transfer or charge is given to him, unless he is a party to such transfer or charge; and every dealing by such debtor or person, not being a party to, and not having received express notice of, a transfer or charge, with the debt or property shall be valid as against such transfer or charge.

Transfer of debts.

Illustrations.

(*a*) A owes money to B, who transfers the debt to C. B then demands the debt from A, who, having no notice of the transfer, pays B. The payment is valid, and C cannot sue A for the debt.

(*b*) A has jewels deposited with B, a jeweller. A mortgages them to C. A then executes an instrument transferring them to D, who takes it to B and gets the jewels from him before he, B, has received any notice of C's mortgage. B is justified in handing the jewels to D, and C has no remedy against D.

Bill II, s. 137: Report, s. 100.

81. Every such notice must be in writing signed by the person making the transfer or charge, or by his agent duly authorized in this behalf.

Notice to be in writing signed.

Bill II, s. 138.

Debtor to give effect to transfer.

82. On receiving such notice, the debtor or person in whom the property is vested shall give effect to the transfer or charge, unless where the debtor resides, or the property is situate, in a foreign country and the title of the person in whose favour the transfer or charge is made is not complete according to the law of such country.

Bill II, s. 139.

Liability of transferee of debt.

83. The person to whom a debt or charge is transferred shall take it subject to all the liabilities to which the transferor was subject in respect thereof at the date of the transfer.

Illustration.

A debenture is issued in fraud of a public company to A. A sells and transfers the debenture to B, who has no notice of the fraud. The debenture is invalid in the hands of B.

Bill II, s. 67, para. 2.

Mortgaged debt.

84. Where a debt is transferred for the purpose of securing money advanced or to be advanced by way of loan, or an existing or future debt, the original debt, if recovered by either the transferor or transferee, is applicable, first, in payment of the costs of such recovery, secondly, in or towards satisfaction of the amount for the time being secured by the transfer; and the residue, if any, belongs to the transferor.

Bill II, s. 140.

Saving of negotiable instruments.

85. Nothing in this chapter applies to debts secured by negotiable instruments.

CHAPTER VIII.

OF APPORTIONMENT.

Bill II, s. 140: Bill, s. 60.

Apportionment of periodical payments on determination of interest of person entitled.

86. All rents, annuities, pensions, dividends and other periodical payments shall, upon the determination by death or otherwise, of the interest of the person entitled to receive such payment, be apportioned as if they had been made to accrue due from day to day, but to be payable on the days appointed for the payment thereof.

Nothing in this section shall affect any express provision in any instrument binding on such person.

THE SCHEDULE.

(*a*). STATUTE.

Year and chapter.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
4 Wm. & Mary, c. 16 ...	Clandestine Mortgages.	The whole.

(*b*). ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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XXIX of 1842	Lease and release ...	The whole.
XXXI of 1854	Modes of conveying land.	Section 17.
XI of 1855 ...	Mesne profits and improvements.	Section 1, and in the title and preamble, the words "to mesne profits and" and "to limit the liability for mesne profits and."
XXVII of 1866	Indian Trustee Act	Section 31.
IV of 1872 ...	Panjáb Laws Act...	So far as it relates to Bengal Regulations I of 1798 and XVII of 1806.
XX of 1875 ...	Central Provinces Laws Act.	So far as it relates to Bengal Regulations I of 1798 and XVII of 1806.
XVIII of 1876	Oudh Laws Act ...	So far as it relates to Bengal Regulation XVII of 1806.
I of 1877	Specific Relief ...	In sections 35 and 36, the words "in writing."

(*c*). REGULATIONS.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
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Bengal Regulation XVII of 1806.	Redemption ...	The whole Regulation.
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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL—IRRIGATION ESTABLISHMENT.

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NOTIFICATION.

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Note by D. B. HORN, Esq., *Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, on the last Competitive Entrance Examination for admission to the Dehree Training School.*

THE examination was held at Calcutta, Allahabad, Lahore, and Sanawar, on Monday the 2nd September and following days.

The number of candidates was 94, of whom 7 did not present themselves. The remaining 87 were distributed as follows:—

Calcutta	53
Allahabad	29
Lahore	3
Sanawar	2
Total ...	87

Of the 87 who presented themselves, 26 failed in dictation and were therefore excluded from taking any further part in the examination. The numbers left to be examined at each of the above centres were—

Calcutta	...	...	...	...	41
Allahabad	...	...	...	...	15
Lahore	...	...	...	...	3
Sanawar	...	...	...	...	2
			Total	...	61

The 61 who were examined in all the subjects are arranged in order of merit in Statement A accompanying this report.

The first 13 were selected, and have since joined the school with the exception of the 2 natives.

The native lad Dass wrote the day before he should have left for Dehree saying that he had fever and could not go. Since then two letters have been sent to him from this office asking why he had not joined, but no replies have been received. His appointment has consequently been cancelled.

The other (Banerjee) joined the school, but left two or three days after saying that the work was too hard, and being a Brahmin he had difficulty in arranging for getting his food. Since then his father has applied for permission to send him back to Dehree. He has been allowed to do so, but he has not yet reported his having gone. The appointment has since been cancelled.

Of the above 16 admissions, 4 were free, viz. McDonald, Sheels, Bates, and Smith.

Besides these, however, 4 more have joined the school agreeing to pay Rs. 20 per month during the whole of their four years' apprenticeship.

The following statement gives the names of the apprentices admitted, with the names of the schools at which they were educated, and the marks gained in each subject, arranged in order of merit. The subjects of examination were, an easy piece of dictation, simple arithmetic, including vulgar and decimal fractions, the first 26 propositions in Euclid, and Algebra up to simple equations :—

	Name	Age	School where educated.	Dictation.	Arithmetic	Euclid	Algebra.	Total.	Remarks
			Full Marks	100	200	100	150	550	
1	W W B. D'Gruyther	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	95	155	80	125	455	
2	W McDonald ...	16	St Peter's, Agra	100	120	85	150	455	
3	J. E Jones ..	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	95	140	75	115	425	
4	F. W Gwyther ..	16	La Martinière, Calcutta	95	100	95	130	420	
5	C Hynes ...	16	Palaveram School, Madras Presidency	90	190	60	90	420	
6	W. C D'Noronha ...	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	90	190	70	65	415	
7	A. Sheels .	15	Lawrence Asylum	95	160	80	80	415	
8	D Bates ..	16	Free School, Calcutta	100	165	50	90	405	
9	S. P. Dass ..	16	Utterpara English School	70	175	75	75	395	
10	Dumrathi Banerjee	16	Baduria School	85	150	80	80	395	
11	P O Wight ..	16	St. James', Calcutta	90	170	60	70	390	
12	R H. Pierce ...	16	St Peter's, Agra	85	190	85	85	385	
13	C Smith ..	15	Lawrence Asylum	95	160	65	65	385	
	C Marchant ...	15	Lucknow Martinière	60	95	100	105	360	Pay the full 20 rupees.
	H Meyers ..	16	Calcutta do	90	95	90	85	360	
	W. E. Emery ...	15	Doveton College	90	135	60	70	355	
	E. A Twidale ..	16	Diocesan School, Rangoon	85	125	55	50	315	

On looking over the marks gained in each subject by the first 13 boys, the average percentage is very satisfactory. The averages are as follow :—

Dictation	...	...	...	...	89 per cent.
Arithmetic	...	...	...	...	79 ,,
Euclid	...	...	...	...	74 ,,
Algebra	...	...	...	...	60 ,,

Of the 34 schools who sent up candidates for the appointments, 7 of the 13 vacancies were obtained by the following up-country schools :—

Cawnpore Memorial	...	...	...	...	3
St. Peter's, Agra	...	...	...	...	2
Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar	...	...	...	...	2
			Total	...	7

Twelve Calcutta schools sent up candidates, but only three of the vacancies were obtained by them—

La Martinière	...	...	...	...	1
Free School	...	...	...	...	1
St. James'	...	...	...	...	1
			Total	...	3

The other three vacancies were gained by candidates from country schools—

Baduria School	...	...	...	1
Utterpara School	...	...	...	1
Palaveram School (Madras Presidency)		...	...	1

Appended to this report are two Statements (B and C) showing the names of the schools which sent up candidates, and the percentages gained by each in the different subjects of examination.

The statements speak for themselves, so I shall only state the names of the different schools which seem to have classes reading up to the standard required.

(1.)—In Calcutta the schools are—

La Martinière.	St. James'.
St. Joseph's.	Free School.
Doveton.	Armenian Philanthropic Academy.

(2.)—Around Calcutta—

Baduria School.	Serampore College.
Utterpara School.	

(3.)—In Northern India—

Memorial School, Cawnpore.	Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.
St. Peter's, Agra.	Lucknow Martinere.

I have mentioned schools which have sent up candidates who gained over 300 marks; but the papers being exceedingly simple, and supposing the boys who appeared for examination to be among the senior boys in the schools, I consider the list of schools whose standard is up to what is required for the Dehree Entrance to be restricted to the following:—

Cawnpore Memorial.	Free School, Calcutta.
St. Peter's, Agra.	Doveton, Calcutta.
Lawrence Asylum, Sanawar.	Utterpara School.
Martinière, Calcutta.	Baduria School.
St. James', Calcutta.	Palaveram School.

If I am right in my supposition that the candidates were among the senior boys in the schools they represent, I think the conclusion to be drawn from the results of the above examination is that, for boys of 16 years of age, the standard of education in our Indian schools is not a particularly high one.

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P. S.—Since the above was written another lad, named Burnie, has been admitted on payment of Rs. 20 monthly. No other boys have been sent up in place of the two whose appointments have been cancelled.

STATEMENT A.

Statement giving the names of the Boys who passed the Competitive Examination for admission to the Dehree Training School which was held on 2nd September 1878, with their age, &c.

Serial number in order of merit.	Names of boys.	Age at time of examination.	School where educated.	NUMBER OF MARKS GAINED.					REMARKS ON HAND-WRITING
				Dictation.	Arithmetic.	Algebra.	Euclid.	Total.	
			FULL MARKS	100	200	150	100	550	
1	W. W. B. D'Gruyther	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	95	155	125	80	455	Very good.
2	W. McDonald	16	St. Peter's College, Agra	100	120	130	85	455	Good.
3	J. E. Jones	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	95	140	115	75	425	Very good.
4	F. W. Gwyther ...	16	La Martinière, Calcutta...	95	100	130	95	420	Very fair.
5	C. Hynes	16	Palaveram School, Madras Presidency	90	180	90	60	420	Fair.
6	W. C. D'Noronha ...	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	90	190	65	70	415	Very fair.
7	A. Sheels	15	Lawrence Military Asylum, Sanawar...	95	160	80	80	415	Fair.
8	D. Bates	16	Free School, Calcutta	100	105	90	50	405	Do.
9	S. P. Dass	16	Uttorpara English School	70	175	75	75	395	Bad.
10	Dasiruthi Banerjee...	16	Baduria School	85	150	80	80	395	Rather bad.
11	P. O. Wight	16	St. James' School, Calcutta	90	170	70	60	390	Good
12	R. H. Pierce	16	St. Peter's College, Agra...	55	190	55	85	385	Bad.
13	C. Smith	15	Lawrence Military Asylum, Sanawar...	95	160	65	65	385	Fair.
14	D. O. Donovan ...	15	St. Joseph's School, Calcutta	100	150	45	80	375	Good.
15	A. T. Arratoon ...	15	Armenian Philanthropic Academy ...	85	110	105	70	370	Rather bad.
16	W. G. Kejmer ...	15	La Martinière, Calcutta	85	110	85	85	365	Fair.
17	B. Stow	16	Free School, Calcutta	95	135	75	60	365	Very fair.
18	C. Marchant	15	La Martinière, Lucknow...	60	95	105	100	360	Pretty fair.
19	H Meyers	16	Ditto, Calcutta	90	95	85	90	360	Very fair.
20	W. E. Emery	15	Doveton College, Calcutta	90	135	70	60	355	Good.
21	Kripendro Nath Mullick	16	Serampore College	55	130	115	50	350	Pretty fair.
22	A. F. Burnie	17	St. Joseph's School, Calcutta	90	135	50	75	350	Ditto.
23	J. C. Gilmon	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	85	130	75	45	335	Very fair.
24	W. Traise	15	Ditto, ditto	100	110	90	33	333	Very good.
25	J. N. Biswas	16	Albert Temple of Science, Calcutta ...	50	105	110	60	325	Rather bad.
26	Mahomed Sajeed Ali	16	Bhagulpore Zillah School	80	95	80	70	325	Fair.
27	C. S. Booth	16	Doveton College, Calcutta	90	130	60	40	320	Do.
28	R. A. Twidale... ...	16	Diocesan School, Rangoon	85	125	50	55	315	Rather bad.
29	W. R. Carew	15	St. Joseph's School, Calcutta	60	155	55	35	305	Pretty fair.
30	C. A Farmer	15	La Martinière, Lucknow...	85	100	85	25	295	Fair.
31	C. Thielman	16	St. Joseph's School, Calcutta	100	90	25	75	290	Good.
32	G. M. Simon	16	Armenian Philanthropic Academy ...	80	110	50	45	285	Bad.
33	A. B. C. Doran ...	16	Free School, Calcutta	95	90	55	45	285	Good.
34	J. H. Hardless ...	15	Old Church Day School	95	135	35	20	285	Rather bad.
35	E. A. Moore	15	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta	75	80	65	60	280	Pretty fair.
36	J. Shrager	15	Doveton College, Calcutta	75	120	55	25	275	Fair.
37	E. F. Connor	16	St. James' School, Calcutta	90	85	75	25	275	Very fair.
38	E. W. Reilly	15	Doveton College, Calcutta	80	85	45	55	265	Bad.
39	H. A. Doming ...	16	The English School, Jamalpore ...	90	115	20	40	265	Good.
40	W. Wilson	15	Free School, Calcutta	90	60	35	45	230	Very fair.
41	W Hore	16	Not stated	60	70	55	40	225	Pretty fair.
42	H. Kavanagh	16	La Martinière, Lucknow	75	80	75	45	225	Ditto.
43	J. H. Rhine	16	Cathedral School, Calcutta	80	80	45	10	215	Bad.
44	E. F. Augustin ...	15	St. Xavier's School, Calcutta	90	25	30	55	200	Very fair.
45	E Eleazer	16	Free School, Calcutta	75	90	25	10	195	Fair
46	H. W. Gilbert ..	15	Memorial School, Cawnpore	70	55	50	20	195	Rather bad.
47	C. Skeaf	16	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla	75	45	15	55	110	Ditto.
48	M R. C. Kirwan ...	15	Diocesan Boy's School, Nynee Tal ...	75	50	35	25	185	Good.
49	J. E. Cooke	15	Doveton College, Calcutta	100	35	25	25	185	Bad.
50	S K Rudra	15	St James' School, Calcutta	75	50	30	30	185	Very fair.
51	A. C Dover	15	St. Xavier's College, Calcutta	90	55	10	25	180	Pretty fair.
52	J. W. Greatorex ...	16	Memorial School, Cawnpore	75	70	15	15	175	Ditto.
53	E. B. Pereira	16	Not stated	85	40	20	30	175	Very fair.
54	F. C. Hall	16	East Indian Railway School, Assensole	70	50	10	40	170	Bad.
55	W. C. Hyde ..	16	High School, Allahabad	70	55	10	35	160	Good.
56	W. T Hamilton ..	16	Bhagulpore Zillah School	50	30	40	25	145	Pretty fair.
57	W. Bernett	18	Not stated	75	50	...	5	130	Rather bad.
58	F Alone	15	L M High School, Benares	55	35	...	35	125	Ditto
59	E Dover	15	St Xavier's College, Calcutta	85	10	20	10	125	Pretty fair.
60	H Hampton	16	Bishop Cotton's School, Simla	50	25	...	30	105	Bad.
61	W. DeRozario ..	16	Free School, Calcutta	75	10	...	10	95	Pretty fair.

STATEMENT B.

Averages gained by the Boys of different Schools at the Competitive Entrance Examination.

NAMES OF SCHOOLS.	Arithmetic	Algebra.	Euclid.	Dictation.	Handwriting.
FULL MARKS	200	150	100	100	
(1) *Calcutta Candidates.*					
Doveton College	1/2	1/3	2/5	Fair	Pretty fair
St. Xavier's College	1/5	1/6	1/3	Fair	Fair.
St. James' School	1/2	1/2	1/5	Fair	Very fair.
Martinière	1/2	2/3	9/10	Very fair	Very fair.
Free School	1/2	1/3	1/2	Fair	Fair.
Serampore College	5/8	5/6	1/2	Bad	Pretty fair.
St Joseph's School	2/3	1/3	2/3	Good	Good.
Armenian Philanthropic Academy	11/20	1/2	5/8	Pretty fair ...	Bad.
Old Church Day School	3/4	1/5	1/5	Good	Rather bad
Cathedral School	5/8	1/3	1/15	Pretty fair ...	Bad.
Albert Temple of Science	1/2	11/15	3/5	Bad	Rather bad.
Assensole School	2/5	1/10	2/5	.....	... ..
Bhagulpore Zillah School	3/10	2/5	1/2	Pretty fair ...	Pretty fair.
Palaveram School, Madras Presidency	7/8	3/5	2/5	Very fair	Fair.
Utterpara School	7/8	1/2	3/4	Pretty good ...	Bad.
Baduria School	3/4	1/2	4/5	Good ...	Rather bad.
Diocesan School, Rangoon	5/8	1/3	1/2	Good	Rather bad.
Diocesan School, Nynee Tal	1/4	1/5	1/4	Pretty good ...	Good.
Not stated where educated	1/4	.....	1/20	Good	Rather bad.
(2) *Allahabad Candidates.*					
Cawnpore Memorial School	3/5	1/2	1/2	Good	Good.
Lucknow Martinière	3/8	3/5	1/2	Fair	Fair.
St. Peter's College, Agra	3/4	2/3	4/5	One good and the other bad	One good and the other bad.
High School, Allahabad	1/4	1/15	1/4	Fair	Good
London Mission High School, Benares	7/40	.....	7/20	Rather bad ...	Rather bad.
Not stated where educated	7/20	1/3	2/5	Rather bad ..	Pretty fair
(3) *Lahore Candidates.*					
Bishop Cotton's School, Simla	7/20	7/150	2/5	Rather bad ..	Rather bad
Not stated where educated	1/5	2/15	3/10	Very fair	Very fair.
(4) *Sanawar Candidates.*					
Lawrence Military Asylum	4/5	1/2	7/10	Very good ...	Fair

STATEMENT C.

Results of Competitive Examination

NAMES OF SCHOOLS.	Total number sent up.	Admitted as apprentices.	Obtained over 300 marks, but in excess of number required.	Obtained less than 300 marks.	Failed in dictation.	TOTAL.
(1).—*Calcutta Candidates*						
Dayton College	6	1	1	3	1	6
St. Xavier's College	8	.....	.	4	4	8
St James' School	3	1	.. .	2		3
Martinière School	3	1+1	1	.....		3
Free School	7	1	1	4	1	7
American Mission School	1	.. .	.....	.....	1	1
Serampore College	1	....	1	. ...		1
Utterpara School	2	1	... ..	.. ...	1	2
Baduria School	1	1	.. ..	... ..	... ..	1
St. Joseph's School	4	.....	3	1	.....	4
Armenian Philanthropic Academy	2	... .	1	1	....	2
Old Church Day School	1	. ..	... .	1	.....	1
Cathedral Mission School	1	.....	.....	1	... .	1
Albert Temple of Science	1	.....	1	.....	.. ..	1
St. Thomas' School, Howrah	1	. ..	.....	.....	1	1
Church Mission School	1	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Cossipore English School	1	... ..	.....		1	1
Assensole School	3	... ..	.....	2	1	3
Bhagulpore Zillah School	2	.....	1	1	... .	2
Palaveram School, Madras Presidency	1	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Diocesan School, Rangoon	1	1	.....	.....	... .	1
Diocesan School, Nynee Tal	1	... ..	.....	1	...	1
Not stated	1	.	.. ...	1	.....	1
Total	53	9	10	22	12	53
(2).—*Allahabad Candidates*						
Memorial School, Cawnpore	9	3	2	2	2	9
Lucknow Martinière	5	1	.....	2	2	5
St. Peter's College, Agra	4	2	.....	....	2	4
High School, Allahabad	2	.....	... ..	1	1	2
Invalid Battalion School, Chunar	2	... ..	.....	...	2	2
London Mission High School, Benares	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Christ Church School, Cawnpore	1	.. ...	.....	.....	1	1
Government High School, Shahjehanpore	1	... ..	.....	.....	1	1
Bishop Cotton's School, Simla	1	.....	. ....	.....	1	1
Regimental School, Sitapore	1	... ..	.....	.....	1	1
Not stated	2	.. ...	..	1	1	2
Total	29	6	2	7	14	29
(3).—*Lahore Candidates.*						
Bishop Cotton's School, Simla	2	... ..	.	2		2
Not stated	1	.....	.....	1	.	1
Total	3	... ..		3	.	3
(4).—*Sanawar Candidates.*						
Lawrence Military Asylum	2	2	.....		.. ..	2
Total	2	2	.....	... .	. .	2
GRAND TOTAL	87	17	12	32	26	87
		61 whose papers were classified.				

N.B.—The figures in antique are those who will pay Rs. 20.

Of the 17 admitted—

		Rs.
4 will pay	...	20
7 „ „	...	5
2 „ „	...	1, being natives.
4 are free.		
17		

87 presented themselves, but 7 failed to go up

Total 94 applicants for examination.

Memorandum by COLONEL F. T. HAIG, R.E., *Chief Engineer, Bengal, Irrigation Branch, on Mr. Horn's Note on the last competitive Entrance Examination for admission to the Dehree Training School.*

THE general result of Mr. Horn's analysis of the figures seems to be this.

First.—Out of 87 boys who went up for examination, 26 failed to obtain a qualifying number of marks in dictation, that is to say, they appeared to be so utterly deficient in this subject that they were on this account alone considered unfit for admission to the school, and were therefore not allowed to proceed further in the examination. The numbers were as follows :—

Schools represented	Place of education not mentioned	Examined at	Number that went up.	Qualified in dictation	Failed.
22	1	Calcutta	53	41	12
9	2	Allahabad . . .	29	15	14
1	1	Lahore	3	3	0
1	0	Sanawar	2	2	0
		Total ...	87	61	26

Of the 22 schools which sent up candidates for examination at Calcutta, five were district schools (as Assensole, Utterpara, Bhagulpore, &c.), one a Madras school, one at Rangoon, and one at Nynee Tal; 14 out of the 22 were thus Calcutta schools. The nine schools which sent candidates to Allahabad were as follow :—

Cawnpore	... ...	2
Lucknow	... ...	1
Agra	... ...	1
Allahabad	... ...	1
Benares	... ...	1
Chunar	... ...	1
Sitapore	... ...	1
Shajahanpore	... ...	1

There was but one school represented at Lahore, Bishop Cotton's, and one at Sanawar, the Lawrence Asylum.

In only one school out of the whole 33 * was the result of the dictation "very good" In six schools it was "good." In three "very fair;" the rest shaded off from "pretty fair" to "bad."

* Lawrence Asylum

Only two out of the 14 Calcutta schools obtained "good," a distinction which was awarded to five boys† out of the whole number, 41.

† 4, St. Joseph's School 1, Old Church Day-school

As regards handwriting, not a single school obtained "very good."

To four schools only was "good" awarded, and then to 13 boys out of a total of 87. One of these is a Calcutta school, and the number of boys four.

Three schools out of the whole number are adjudged "very fair," five are "fair," seven are "rather bad," and three "bad."

I do not think these results can be considered satisfactory, or altogether creditable to the educational institutions of the country; for it must be remembered that the above descriptions—"good," "fair," "bad," &c., apply only to the boys who *passed* in dictation, and not to those also who were rejected.

Secondly.—Of the 61 boys who passed in dictation and went on to the examination in the remaining subjects, 29 obtained more than 300 marks out of a total of 550. Out of these 29, the first 13 were selected to fill the vacancies in the school. The first two of these obtained 455 marks each, and the last two 385 each, out of the total number. The average percentage of marks gained by the whole 13 in each subject was—

	Per cent.
Dictation	89
Arithmetic	79
Euclid	74
Algebra	60

I think these results must be considered very fair.

Out of the 13 boys selected—

		Out of a total number of candidates of
3	were from Calcutta schools ...	34
2	ditto Bengal district schools	5
1	ditto a Madras school ...	1
7	ditto North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Hill schools... ...	20

The first three and sixth boys in the order of merit were from Upper India schools, the 5th from Madras.

The first, third and sixth boys were from the Cawnpore Memorial School.

Both the candidates from the Lawrence Asylum are among the number selected, The three Calcutta boys were in the 4th, 7th and 11th places. On the whole, it would seem that, as far as these examinations may be held to afford a fair test of the comparative efficiency of the Bengal and Upper India schools, in educating up to the standard required for entrance to the Dehree School, the North-Western Provinces and Punjab schools take the first place, and the Calcutta schools, by a long way, the last.

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STATEMENT SHOWING THE STOCKS OF RICE IN AND AROUND CALCUTTA.

NAMES OF MARTS.	STOCKS IN HAND AS COMPILED ON—											
	1st week of April 1878.	1st week of May 1878	1st week of June 1878	1st week of July 1878	1st week of Augt 1878	1st week of Sept 1878	1st week of Oct 1878	1st week of Nov 1878	1st week of Dec. 1878.	1st week of Jan 1879	1st week of Feb 1879.	1st week of Mar 1
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds	Mds.	Mds.	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds	Mds
Baliaghatta	7,31,700	5,90,200	4,69,200	4,36,100	3,28,700	2,76,000	3,20,600	2,61,200	2,13,900	2,68,200	5,59,800	
Ooltadanga ..	52,600	47,700	42,000	36,500	32 500	33,750	29,500	29,400	26,300	29,600	37,300	
Chitpore, Golabaree, Coomertooly, Hatkhola, and Oulpy Ghât	4,47,200	4,25,400	4,48,100	3,64.200	4,02,100	4,65,650	4,64,100	4,24,900	2,60,400	2,94,600	3,51,100	
Pathuriaghatta, Posta, and Jorabagan	15,500	16,400	11,500	14,300	12,700	8,950	13,600	13,600	9,900	10,100	16,800	
Tollygunge, Chitlah, Kidderpore, and Moonshigunge	1,60,000	1,79,200	1,62,100	96,500	1,05,900	97,700	79,000	57,000	49,800	74,600	1,20,800	
21 Minor Bazars (estimated)	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40 000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	2,40,000	
Other retail shops, 3,120 in number (estimated)	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	2,50,000	
Boidyabatty, Nowabgunge, Bhuddressur, and Chandernagore	29,294	46,402	66,329	74,611	1,57,074	53,698	1,12,986	73,894	1,02,413	93,563	67,763	
Total ..	19,26,294	17,95,302	16,89,229	15,12,211	15,28,974	14,30,748	15,09,786	13,49,994	11,52,713	12,60,663	16,43,563	21
On Railway premises both sides the river.	26,716 (on 1st Apl)	9,910 (on 3rd May)	6,558 (on 3rd June)	9,414 (on 1st July)	3,716 (on 5th August)	1,174 (on 2nd Sept)	4,380 (on 1st Oct)	7,906 (on 2nd November)	25,684 (on 2nd December)	23,410 (on 3rd Jan. 79)	9,214 (on 3rd Feb 79)	
On boats unloaded as by ... Port Commissioners' returns	65,140 (30th March to 1st Apl)	22,329 (1st to 3rd May)	36,067 (1st to 3rd May)	56,575 (1st to 3rd July)	32,277 (2nd to 4th August)	27,338 (30th Aug to 1st Sept)	18,220 (28th to 30th Sept.)	34,456 (1st to 3rd November)	52,770 (29th Nov to 1st Dec)	83,934 (1st to 3rd Jan 79.)	56,064 (1st to 3rd Feb 79)	
Canal returns ..	19,538 (30th Mar. to 1st Apl.)	18,949 (1st to 3rd May)	23,608 (1st to 3rd May.)	20,799 (1st to 3rd July.)	26,116 (2nd to 4th August)	25,900 (30th Aug to 1st Sept.)	13,177 (28th to 30th Sept)	5,261 (1st to 3rd November)	11,646 (29th Nov. to 1st Dec)	73,766 (1st to 3rd Jan 79)	59,833 (1st to 3rd Feb 79)	
Grand Total of Stocks ..	20,37,697	18,46,489	17,55,462	15,98,999	15,91,083	14,85,150	15,45,563	13,97,617	12,48,812	14,41,775	17,69,276	21
Probable stocks available for exportation by sea	9½ lakhs.	8 lakhs.	7 lakhs	5½ lakhs	5½ lakhs	4½ lakhs	5 lakhs	3½ lakhs	2 lakhs.	4 lakhs	7 lakhs.,	10

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 4th March 1879.

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Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

following statement shows the quantities of the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta from the interior during the month of December 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Whence imported.	FOOD-GRAINS.							FIBROUS PRODUCTS.		OILSEEDS.		Tea, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	SUGAR.	
	RICE AND PADDY.			Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Total.	Jute.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard seed.				Refined.	Unrefined.
	Rice.	Paddy.	Total (in rice).													
BENGAL.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
wan	1,76,154	5,230	1,79,423	.....	193	824	1,80,440	.....	.....	.....	203	115	.....	13	33	200
room	90,991	.....	90,991	152	.....	.....	91,143	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	65	.....
pore	1,39,158	31,574	1,58,892	.....	.....	.....	1,58,892	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	263	.....	360
ly	1,03,539	6,826	1,07,805	9,038	2,149	540	1,19,532	37,809	548,865	28,488	14,130	.....	720	2	1,772	1,623
rgunnahs ...	4,48,308	44,798	4,76,307	347	.....	.....	4,76,654	42,284	378,050	243	12	.....	1,027	.....	436	27,252
... ...	8,974	.....	8,974	6,663	14,951	792	31,380	11,869	1,300	8,779	2,273	.....	256	515	11	1,027
re	9,273	.....	9,273	.....	.....	.....	9,273	8,209	.....	234	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,450
ulabad ...	1,83,350	.....	1,83,350	3,213	1,665	492	1,88,720	1,388	.....	1,770	2,911	.....	.....	139	202	19
pore	2,002	.....	2,002	.....	118	859	2,979	11,895	744,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
lahye	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,173	.....	1,173	49,370	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
pore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,187	188,090	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	514	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	249	.....
... ...	436	.....	436	.....	1,104	.....	1,540	4,10,699	217,300	2,878	247	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
goree	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,242	91,200	.....	.....	13,099	.....	.....	.....	.....
... ...	3,225	.....	3,225	.....	.....	.....	3,225	4,95,513	300	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....
dipore	6,746	.....	6,746	.....	1,864	.....	8,610	1,85,643	2,025	789	719	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ynance	1,77,128	.....	1,77,128	.....	350	.....	1,77,478	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
nsingh	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95,030	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ah	2,412	.....	2,412	.....	375	.....	2,787	.....	13,850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	.....	631	.....	.....	.....	.....
ilty	9,405	.....	9,405	.....	.....	.....	9,405	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
tal of Bengal ...	13,61,101	88,428	14,16,369	19,413	23,942	3,507	14,63,231	14,01,042	2,187,430	43,181	20,564	13,865	2,103	971	2,763	40,871
BEHAR.																
... ...	22,988	.....	22,988	1,497	17,896	13,362	55,743	.....	.....	67,989	27,606	.....	199	.....	3,083	1,447
had	.....	.....	.....	429	282	335	1,017	.....	.....	252	.....	.....	4	.....	1,921	2,022
erpore	760	.....	760	.....	.....	1,587	2,347	.....	.....	3,314	2,233	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
unga	38,048	.....	38,048	.....	7	.....	38,055	.....	.....	14,062	2,027	.....	.....	.....	1,021	.....
... ...	.....	.....	.....	3,819	.....	.....	3,819	.....	.....	17,774	8,350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
hyr	23,798	.....	23,798	12,181	9,892	1,653	47,524	.....	.....	1,219	2,184	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
tipore	73,461	.....	73,461	26,926	1,519	5,361	1,07,267	.....	.....	3,203	5,358	.....	.....	.....	129	.....
ah	2,339	.....	2,339	1,388	.....	260	4,285	.....	13,000	377	2,895	787	.....	.....	.....	.....
h	6,631	.....	6,631	4,830	.....	84	11,545	22,539	.....	579	462	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
al Pergunnahs ...	73,976	.....	73,976	4,162	554	5,861	84,553	.....	.....	266	249	.....	.....	3	166	202
Total of Behar ...	2,42,301	.....	2,42,301	55,221	30,130	28,503	3,56,155	22,539	13,000	1,09,035	51,364	787	113	3	6,320	4,578
ORISSA.																
k	.....	.....	.....	6,076	.....	732	6,808	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
ore	13,115	5,374	18,474	.....	667	204	19,345	2,055	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total of Orissa ...	13,115	5,374	18,474	6,076	667	936	26,153	2,055	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
CHOTA NAGPORE.																
bagh	10,174	.....	10,174	.....	2,166	.....	12,340	.....	.....	.....	.....	254	.....	.....	.....	.....
hoom	9,967	.....	9,967	.....	.....	.....	9,967	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	.....
l of Chota Nagpore	20,141	.....	20,141	.....	2,166	.....	22,307	.....	.....	.....	.....	254	120	.....	.....	.....
l total of supplies from the Provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	16,36,658	97,002	16,97,285	80,710	56,905	32,946	18,67,846	14,25,636	2,200,430	1,52,216	71,928	14,906	2,336	974	9,088	45,449
THER PROVINCES.																
n	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,271	.....	.....	88	34,521	.....	19	.....	.....
-Western Provinces	.....	.....	.....	36,444	50,700	7,991	95,135	.....	.....	22,187	17,892	2,391	88,017	.....	978	422
n	1	.....	1	87,197	523	37,721	.....	.....	.....	.....	272	1,100	15,028	56	.....	.....
tana States ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	615	.....	.....	.....
ay	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,300	.....	.....	.....	16,550	16	1,480	.....
... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	93,800	.....	.....	1	212	.....	.....	.....
h Burmah ...	103	.....	103	.....	.....	.....	103	.....	5,020	.....	.....	.....	44	1	.....	.....
places	79	1	79	.....	4	45	128	.....	88,057	.....	.....	.....	1,191	127	1,116	.....
Imports in December ... { 1878	16,36,841	97,003	16,97,468	1,17,154	1,44,806	41,507	20,00,935	14,34,907	2,350,607†	1,74,403	90,180	52,919	1,23,993	1,193	12,682	45,871
1877	14,07,658	41,843	14,33,808	1,26,095	90,473	16,658	16,67,034	11,19,528	Not available.	4,57,106	2,00,420	Not available.	17,069	1,710	Not available.	Not available.

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of December 1878 *was as follows:—*

TED FROM CALCUTTA—	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
ian Ports, viz.—																
mbay	1,93,805	.....	1,93,805	730	60	633	1,95,228	3,011	367,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	.....
dras	28,443	.....	28,443	12,280	26,064	30	66,817	.....	5,300	1	19	10	.....	226	252	.....
er ports in Madras	1,51,229	.....	1,51,229	1,154	7,373	.....	1,59,756	.....	37,513	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	808	.....
tish Burmah ...	161	.....	161	.....	1,220	42	1,423	20	836,300	.....	59	1	.....	7	265	124
er Indian ports...	7,860	.....	7,860	.....	350	.....	8,210	.....	241,425	.....	186	.....	.....	13	629	268
tal of interportal traffic	3,81,498	.....	3,81,498	14,164	35,073	705	4,31,440	3,031	1,428,238	1	264	11	.....	276	1,950	392
eign Ports—																
ited Kingdom ...	48,646	.....	48,646	1,11,184	7	.....	1,59,837	8,09,074	575,735	2,68,461	59,873	51,553	16,365	90	.....	.....
er foreign ports...	3,86,506	855	3,87,041	5,082	25,698	4,541	4,22,312	2,62,415	14,507,357	81,985	50	85	32,700	617	1,682	4
tal of foreign trade	4,35,152	855	4,36,687	1,16,216	25,705	4,541	5,82,149	10,71,489	5,083,092	3,50,446	59,923	51,638	49,065	707	1,682	4
and total { 1878 ...	8,16,650	855	8,17,185	1,30,380	60,778	5,246	10,13,589	10,74,520	6,511,330	3,50,447	60,187	51,649	49,065	983	2,982	396
Dec. { 1877 ...	12,73,728	52	12,73,760	2,17,100	74,954	10,274	15,76,097	5,75,703	7,189,282	4,75,641	1,74,734	48,259	9,682	4,936	72,018	1,763

* One maund of paddy is equivalent to 25 seers of rice.

† Exclusive of bags obtained by local manufacture.

The following statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic imported into Calcutta during the month of December 1878.

IMPORTS INTO CALCUTTA.

Specification of Routes.	Food-grains.					Fibrous products.		Oilseeds.		Tea, Indian.	Cotton, raw.	Silk, raw.	Sugar.	
	Rice.	Paddy.	Wheat.	Gram and pulses.	Other food-grains.	Jute, raw.	Gunny-bags.	Linseed.	Mustard seed.				Refined	Unrefined
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	No.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	
By country boats	9,96,620	78,736	58,112	29,436	4,002	3,74,934	1,035,165	1,05,496	45,885	.....	11,976	263	2,196	
„ river steamers	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	1,77,034	.....	.....	88	34,321	.. ...	19	... ..	
„ rail { East Indian	5,61,286	.....	50,590	1,10,091	35,835	.....	.....	64,494	40,956	4,647	94,038	250	7,320	
„ rail { Eastern Bengal	6,047	.....	2,029	4,585	629	3,42,561	500,815	4,370	3,239	13,099	.....	515	280	
„ road	63,062	16,142	347	23	.....	38,323	13,850	43	12	... ..	273	2	291	
„ sea	9,846	2,125	6,076	671	981	2,055	150,777	.....	.....	652	16,806	141	2,596	
Grand total of Imports in December { 1878	16,36,841	97,003	1,17,154	1,44,806	41,507	14,34,907	2,350,607	1,74,403	90,180	52,919	1,23,093	1,193	12,662	
Grand total of Imports in December { 1877	14,07,058	41,843	1,26,095	90,473	16,658	11,19,523	Not available.	4,57,106	2,00,420	Not available.	17,069	1,710	Not available.	Not available.

The following statement shows the quantities and values of the principal staples of Traffic exported inland from Calcutta during the month of December 1878.

EXPORTS FROM CALCUTTA.

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
BENGAL.	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
Burdwan	2,09,066	842	34,310	76,709
Beerbhoom	79,520	141	9,590	55,825
Midnapore	10,561	489	1,130	26,222
Hooghly	78,096	765	6,380	92,011
24-Pergunnahs	1,09,335	499	14,766	30,336
Nuddea	5,44,336	1,794	11,555	6,331
Jessore	2,350	175	17,345	400
Moorshedabad	2,86,960	157	9,341	141,527
Dinagepore	2,61,040	132	1,650	4,750
Rajahahye	1,62,880	24	2,950	250
Rungpore	2,44,620	22	710	.....
Bogra	59,440	1	200	.....
Pubna	1,94,000	320	48,513	2,100
Julpigoree	1,85,200	125	860	.....
Dacca	6,31,295	1,430	37,310	500
Furreedpore	2,56,871	611	16,282	.....
Backergunge	1,13,695	206	10,705	1,000
Mymensingh	.....	.....	19,671	.....
Tipperah	.....	.....	2,150	... ..
Chittagong	69,659	168	.....	182,900
Noakholly	3,700	.....	6,150	.....
Total of Bengal	37,03,224	7,901	2,51,568	620,861
BEHAR.				
Patna	10,76,560	489	63,460	138,200
Shahabad	2,04,160	137	17,704	11,585
Mozufferpore	2,28,720	.....	3,114	12,863
Durbhunga	4,39,920	537	24,125	35,385
Sarun	.....	.....	4,075	12,525
Monghyr	1,84,960	123	3,701	37,660
Bhagulpore	3,06,560	68	9,491	91,445
Purneah	3,50,480	310	5,925	2,630
Maldah	... ..	.....	3,625	1,000
Sonthal Pergunnahs	2,38,240	286	4,061	65,730
Total of Behar	30,29,600	1,950	1,39,281	409,025
ORISSA.				
Cuttack	1,09,250	2,018	.....	5,600
Balasore	20,600	746	.....	48,700
Total of Orissa	1,29,850	2,764	.....	54,300

Whither exported.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
CHOTA NAGPORE.	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
Hazaribagh	67,040	25	1,911	
Manbhoom	74,320	515	2,031	
Total of Chota Nagpore	1,41,360	540	3,942	
Grand total of supplies into the provinces under the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal.	79,04,034	16,155	3,94,791	
OTHER PROVINCES.				
Assam	3,57,870	501	19,615	
N.-W. Provinces	31,01,200	3,339	4,215	
Punjab	14,09,760	1,938	.....	
Central Provinces	88,800	105	.....	
Rajpootana States	1,66,960	34	.....	
Nizam's Territory	2,400	.....	.....	
Bombay	34,517	172	.....	
Madras	37,621	183	.....	
British Burmah	1,45,846	1,195	.....	
Other places	43,045	.....	761	
Grand total of exports in Dec. { 1878	1,23,91,553	20,622	4,19,389	
Grand total of exports in Dec. { 1877	1,04,48,508	18,395	6,07,001	

The Sea-borne Trade of Calcutta in these staples during the month of December 1878 *was as follows :—*

IMPORTED INTO CALCUTTA—	Rs.*	Mds.	Mds.
From Foreign Ports—			
United Kingdom	61,10,804	8,370	3,35,268
Other foreign ports	5,836	368	53,837
Total of foreign trade	61,16,640	8,747	3,89,105
From Indian Ports—			
Bombay	9,197	.....	37,708
Madras	.....	.....	.....
Other ports in Madras	.....	.....	450
British Burmah	1,180	.....	.....
Other Indian ports	.....	5	.....
Total of interportal trade	10,377	5	38,218
Grand total in Dec. { 1878	61,27,017	8,752	4,27,323
Grand total in Dec. { 1877	75,61,048	20,957	5,45,394

The following statement shows the several routes followed by the Trade in the principal staples of Traffic exported from Calcutta during the month of December 1878.

SPECIFICATION OF ROUTES.	Cotton piece-goods (European).	Cotton twist (European).	Salt.	Gunny-bags.
	Rs.	Mds.	Mds.	No.
By country boats	65,656	1,502	2,18,971	
„ river steamers	5,19,560	1,183	5,300	
„ rail ... { East Indian	56,63,360	8,982	1,59,274	
„ rail ... { Eastern Bengal	25,06,400	3,609	31,030	
„ road	2,42,579	1,051	4,807	
„ sea	3,93,098	4,315	.....	
Grand total of Exports in December { 1878	1,23,91,553	20,622	4,19,382	
Grand total of Exports in December { 1877	1,04,48,508	18,395	6,07,001	

* As per tariff declaration value.

STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT,
The 1st March 1879.

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 1st March 1879.

No	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
	BENGAL		
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn. 1	Burdwan, Mar. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—dry and gradually becoming hotter. Nothing new to report in the state and prospects of the crops.
Burdwan Divn. 2	Bankoora, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—warm, with gusts of wind. The crops being harvested are giving 10 to 12 annas; those on the ground promise fairly
Burdwan Divn. 3	Beerbhoom, „ 1 „	Nil	High winds and hot weather. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
Burdwan Divn. 4	Midnapore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
Burdwan Divn. 5	Hooghly, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. The winter crops have been reaped. Fever and cholera still prevail in many parts of the district. Cases of small-pox in Utterparah.
Burdwan Divn.	Howrah, „ 3 „	Nil	Weather—growing daily hotter. The hot weather seems to have set in. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable. There is not much of any crop on the ground
	Central Districts		
Presidency Divn. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Mar. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are good, but the prices of food-grains are very high. Public health in general is fair. Small-pox continues at Barrackpore.
Presidency Divn. 7	Nuddea, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—warm The winter crops are nearly harvested; the outturn is fair. Cholera is still prevalent.
Presidency Divn. 8	Jessore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Rather hot during the day. Rain is wanted in the east and south of the district, but prospects are fair. Public health is good.
Presidency Divn. 9	Moorshedabad, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—becoming hot in the middle of the day. The state and prospects of the crops are the same as in last week.
Rajshahye Divn. 10	Dinagepore, Feb. 28 „	Nil	No rain; nights still cool, but weather close in the daytime West winds have begun The reaping of the *rubbee* crops is still going on.
Rajshahye Divn. 11	Rajshahye, Mar. 1 „	Nil	Weather—warm in the daytime, but cool at night. West winds have set in. The *rubbee* harvest has commenced. *Boro dhan* is still being transplanted in places Lands are being prepared for sowing *dhan*, jute, and *teel*, and in some places the sowings have commenced. A few cases of cholera and small-pox in Manda, Tanore, Lalpore and Charghat.
Rajshahye Divn. 12	Rungpore, Feb. 28 „	Nil	Weather—becoming warmer. The state and prospects of the crops continue unchanged, but rain is required for the winter crops in Gaibanda. Small-pox is prevailing in some parts of the district.
Rajshahye Divn. 13	Bogra, Mar. 1 „	Nil	Weather—clear and warm, with north-west wind blowing No rain. The winter crops are reported to be doing well. The district is fairly healthy
Rajshahye Divn. 14	Pubna, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable The state and prospects of the crops are unchanged. Small-pox has broken out in thana Pubna.
Rajshahye Divn. 15	Darjeeling, Feb. 28 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. No crops of importance are now on the ground. The land is being cultivated for the *bhadoi* crop
Rajshahye Divn. 16	Julpigoree, Mar. 1 „	Nil	Weather—very much warmer than is usual at this time of the year. Rain is much wanted both to soften the soil for ploughing for the *bhadoi dhan* crop, and for the wheat, barley, and potato crops not yet gathered. There has been a very good outturn of *haimanta dhan*.
Rajshahye Divn.	Cooch Behar, Feb. 27 „	Nil	Weather—fair; very hot for this season of the year; occasionally windy. The prospects of tobacco are good. *Bitri* cultivation is progressing. Public health is good.

No.	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
	BENGAL —(*Continued.*)		
	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Div. 17	Dacca, Mar. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable; still cool in the morning. The state and prospects of the crops are very good. Prices have a slight tendency to fall.
18	Furreedpore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fair; west winds setting in The winter crops are generally doing well, but would have been better for rain, which still would do good.
19	Backergunge, Feb. 27 „	Nil	Weather—warm, with clouds at intervals The prospects of the crops are fair. Rain is very much needed throughout the district Prices continue unchanged, and there appears to be no prospect of a fall. Some cases of small-pox are reported from Perozepore and Patuakhali.
20	Mymensingh, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—fine; still cool in the mornings and evenings The state and prospects of the crops are favourable
21	Tipperah, „ 28 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable The cold-weather crops are doing well. A little rain is wanted. Exportation of rice is going on from three thanas. Prices continue high. A few cases of small-pox are reported from Daudkandi.
Chittagong Div. 22	Chittagong, „ 27 „	Nil	Weather—fine. No change. The prospects of the crops are favourable.
23	Noakholly, „ 27 „	Nil	The early mornings are foggy. Weather daily getting warmer. Rain is wanted. The preparation for the early rice crop has commenced
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts Feb 25 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Cloudy on the 23rd February. The gathering of the mustard crop still continues. Rain is very badly wanted for the crops on the ground. Public health is good.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 26 „	Nil	Weather—dry and warm. In the low lands *aus* paddy is being sown in some parts of the district, and *boro* paddy is being transplanted in other parts. The gathering of sugarcane still continues. Public health is good.
	BEHAR.		
Patna Div. 25	Patna, Mar. 1 '79	Nil	Weather—getting warmer; high west winds prevail. Mustard and *mussoor* are being harvested. The other *rubbee* crops are in excellent condition.
26	Gya, „ 1 „ Aurungabad ...	0·04 0·11	The mornings and evenings are cool The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 92° The condition of the *rubbee* crops is good and the late showers are expected to improve them. Cases of small-pox continue to be reported. The health of the plough-cattle is good.
27	Shahabad, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—getting warm daily; strong westerly wind in the daytime with dust. The harvesting of some of the *rubbee* crops has commenced The prospects of the crops remain good on the whole Small-pox is still prevalent.
28	Durbhunga „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable, with west winds. No change in the prospects of the crops since last week Rain is required for indigo Prices are stationary. Health of the people is good, except a few cases of small-pox.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—mild, with strong west winds. The *rubbee* crops have improved very much of late, and are generally in a satisfactory condition. Indigo sowings have commenced in some parts of the district. The poppy crop is likely to be very short, except on irrigated lands.
30	Sarun, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fair, and getting warmer daily. High west wind and dust-storms during the day No particular change to note since last week. The crops are generally doing well Mustard and peas are being reaped. The poppy crop is in flower. Indigo seed is being put in the ground Prices are stationary. Public health is good.
31	Chumparun, „ 1 „	Nil	High winds from the west. No change in the state and prospects of the crops since last report.
Bhagulpore Division. 32	Monghyr, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fair; getting hotter. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 1 „	Nil	Strong westerly winds prevail The state and prospects of the crops are the same as in last week.
34	Purneah „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Dry westerly wind. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
35	Maldah, „ 1 „	Nil	Weather—fair. The *rubbee* crops are thriving The prices of rice, &c, are again on the increase. Public health is generally improving
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 2 „	Nil	Weather—dry; hot west wind blowing. The *rubbee* crops are reported to be good everywhere

No.	District and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn 37	Cuttack Mar. 1 '79	0 07	Weather—warm and fine. The reaping of the *sarad* crop is nearly over. The *dalua* and mango crops promise well Public health is good.
Orissa Divn 38	Pooree, Feb. 27 ,,	Nil	Weather—seasonable The harvesting of the *sarad* rice crop is nigh completion. *Dalua* rice is looking well. Cotton, castor, and other miscellaneous crops are promising Common rice sells at 15½ to 21 seers for the rupee A few cases of cholera have been reported.
	Khoorda ,,	0 05	
Orissa Divn 39	Balasore, ,, 28 ,,	0 33	Rainfall at Bhuddruck 1 23 The showers which have fallen during the week have been beneficial, and the few crops on the ground are in good condition. The malarial fever which has raged since September last is disappearing.
CHOTA NAGPORE			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh Feb. 28 '79	0·06	Weather—seasonable. Hot sun. Cold west winds. The late rain has enabled the ryots to commence ploughing to open up the ground. The *sursoo* (mustard) crop has been gathered and has been a full one. Wheat and barley are ripening and will soon be cut. Gram is looking well. The fall of hail reported last week was very partial.
41	Lohardugga Mar 1 ,,	1 35	A storm with heavy rain on the 24th February. High winds prevailed towards the close of the week. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops since last week. Prices are stationary.
42	Singbhoom Feb 28 ,,	0·24	Weather—seasonable No change to report. The rain will do good to the mango crop.
43	Manbhoom, Mar. 1 ,,	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Very little to report regarding the crops The few crops on the ground are doing well. The prospects of *mohwa* are promising. The same may be said of mango Some cases of small-pox in the town of Purulia and the district have occurred

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY															
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.															
	Western Districts.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch	S Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	A 10 0	10 4	16 0	17 8	19 0	26 0	14 0	13 12	14 4	14 12	14 12	15 0	14 12	..	...
2	Bankoora	B 10 8	10 8	12 8	16 0	14 0	22 0	15 8	14 8	12 8	17 12	16 12	17 8	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom	C 10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	20 0	10 8	10 8	12 0	13 8	13 8	15 0	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	17 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...
5	Hooghly*	...	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
	Howrah*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.															
	Calcutta	10 12	10 10½	11 12	13 5	13 8	16 0	5 5½	5 12	7 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...
6	24-Pergunnahs*	..	...	...	...	...	...		..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	D 11 7	11 7	12 5	...	...	...	10 10	10 0	12 5	11 7	11 7	12 13	...	...	...
8	Jessore	E ...	11 4	11 12	...	...	...	9 4	9 0	11 12	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	..	...
9	Moorshedabad	F 12 0	11 8	16 0	...	...	26 0	11 8	11 12	{13 8 to 14 0}	13 5	13 8	{14 8 to 15 0}	.	...	...
10	Dinagepore	G 8 6	8 6	12 0	16 0	17 0	23 0	12 0	12 0	14 8	14 6	14 6	18 8	...	...	...
11	Rajshahye	H 12 0	13 8	12 0	26 4	12 0	37 8	{9 12 to 10 8}	9 14	12 12	{13 12 to 15 0}	13 2	{13 8 to 15 0}	.	.	...
12	Rungpore	I 9 0	9 0	15 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 4½	11 15	11 4½	13 8	18 0	...	...	...
13	Bogra	10 8	10 10	12 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 0	12 0	14 4	13 8	16 8	...	...	...
14	Pubna	J 13 8	13 8	13 0	.	...	...	6 0	7 8	8 0	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...
15	Darjeeling*	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
16	Julpigoree	K 7 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	..	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 8	12 8	16 0	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.															
17	Dacca	L 10 8	9 11	13 1	...	..	..	10 8	11 4	11 12	12 4	13 4	14 8	16 0	...	...
18	Furreedpore*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...
19	Backergunge	M ...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...
20	Mymensingh	N 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	.	12 0	11 12	13 0	13 0	13 8	14 8	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

A In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12½ seers, barley 16 to 18 seers, best rice 12 to 15½ seers, common rice 13 to 16½ seers, and gram 9 to 11½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10½ to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 15 to 18 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 24 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers

C In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, best rice 13 to 15 seers, common rice 14½ to 17½ seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11$\frac{9}{16}$ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 18 seers, best rice 7 to 10½ seers, common rice 11$\frac{9}{16}$ to 12 seers, and gram 10 to 12½ seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 13 seers, common rice 11 to 14 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 28th February 1879.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	10 0	10 4	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 8	9 10	8 14	Burdwan.
..	...	...	...	...	...	31 4	31 0	32 0	10 0	10 4	13 0	360 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	9 0	9 8	16 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	9 8	9 8	16 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hooghly.*
..	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Howrah.*
																		Central Districts.
17 12	17 8	13 5	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	10 8	10 4	10 10½	16 0	64 0	64 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	17 4	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 2	9 6	8 14	Nuddea
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	9 12	9 8	16 8	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	10 0	20 0 to 20 12	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 9 0	Moorshedabad.
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..	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	24 0	7 8	17 8	200 0 to 240 0	200 0 to 240 0	240 0	9 0	9 0	8 10	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	9 0	15 0	106 0	106 0	107 0	7 14	7 14	7 8	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	6 0	6 12	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 7	8 4	8 4	Bogra.
...	..	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	6 0	8 0	13 0 to 18 13	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Pubna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Darjeeling.*
...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	6 6	8 0	10 0	64 0	75 0	64 0	7 0	7 0	7 5	Julpigoree
																		Eastern Districts.
8 8	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	15 8	91 4	91 4	80 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Furreedpore.*
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Backergunge.
...	.	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	Mymensingh.

F In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 11 seers, best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 13½ to 14½ seers, and gram 8 to 13½ seers.
G In Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 11 seers, common rice 14 seers, and gram 9 seers
H In Nattore the prices are—Wheat 16⅔ seers, best rice 9 seers, common rice 12½ seers and gram 6½ seers.
I In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7½ to 21 seers, best rice 8 to 9 seers, common rice 11½ to 18⅓ seers, and gram 7½ to 8 seers.
J In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 12½ seers, best rice 6½ seers, common rice 11 seers, and gram 7 seers.
K In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 6 to 8 seers, best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 9 to 16 seers, and gram 5 to 8 seers.
L In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat (at Jaffergunge) 13 seers, barley (at Jaffergunge) 18 seers, best rice 10 to 12½ seers, common rice 11½ to 13 seers, and gram 9½ to 12 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 11 to 13⅓ seers, common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram (at Bhola) 5 seers.
N In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 6 to 10½ seers, common rice 10½ to 13 seers, and gram 7½ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY															
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S Ch	S Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch.
21	Chittagong*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22	Noakholly*	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Tipperah	9 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	12 0	12 12	13 4	14 0	...	..	..
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah*...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...
	BEHAR.																
25	Patna	12 0	12 0	16 0	19 0	18 0	21 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	17 8	13 0	16 0		...	...
26	Gya	O 13 0	13 0	16 0	17 8	17 0	22 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	13 0	...	..	...
27	Shahabad	P {12 0 to 13 0}	12 4 to 13 0	13 8 to 14 0	{16 0 to 17 0}	{16 0 to 17 0}	19 0	{12 8 to 13 0}	{12 8 to 13 0}	{11 0 to 12 0}	{14 0 to 15 0}	{14 0 to 15 0}	{13 8}	...	..	...
28	Durbhunga*	...	.	..	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...		..	.	...
29	Mozufferpore	Q 12 0	12 0	13 0	..	...	..	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	13 0	12 0	..	...	..
30	Saran	11 4	11 8	12 4	20 4	16 4	19 0	7 0	7 4	7 12	13 13	14 0	11 12	..	...	...
31	Chumparun*	...	...	...	...		...	...			...	...	..	...	...	...
32	Mongbyr*	..	...	...	...	...	.		...	...	...	..	.	..	..	..
33	Bhagulpore	R 10 1	10 11	13 4	12 10	12 10	23 0	11 6	12 0	11 6	13 14	14 8	13 6	...	...	...
34	Purneah*	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	..	...
35	Maldah	10 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	35 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	13 0	15 0	17 0	...	..	17 0
36	Santhal Pergunnahs	S 9 0	8 8	9 0	...	..	.	14 0	14 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	..
	ORISSA.																
37	Cuttack	14 1	13 2	10 8	...	...	..	13 13	11 13	9 3	18 6†	15 12	13 2	...	.	..
38	Pooree*	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
39	Balasore	9 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 8	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																
40	Hazarebagh	T 11 8	11 8	12 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	0 8	15 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...
41	Lohardugga	U 8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...
42	Singbhoom	7 0	8 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	V 0 0	10 0	11 0	32 0	32 0	33 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	18 8	17 8	..	...	

* Returns not received.

† In the interior the price of common rice varies from 19½ to 26½ seers the rupee.

O In Aurungabad the prices are—Wheat 14½ seers, common rice 14½ seers, and gram 9½ seers.

P In the interior the prices range as follow—Wheat 12½ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 19 seers, best rice 7½ to 10 seers, common rice 13 to 14½ seers, bulrush millet 17 to 18 seers, great millet 21 to 23 seers, lesser millets 18 to 22 seers, maize or Indian corn 20 to 25 seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

Q In the interior the prices range as follow—Wheat 11 to 16 seers, barley 19 to 20 seers, best rice 10 to 20 seers, common rice 16 to 22 seers, lesser millets 20 to 35 seers, maize or Indian corn 30 to 37½ seers, and gram 10 to 15 seers.

R In Banka the prices are—Wheat 8 seers, barley 18 seers, best rice 16 seers, common rice 17 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 seers, and gram 10 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th March 1879.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 28th February 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts—(Contd.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
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..	...	..	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	Noakholly.[S]
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	12 0	..	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	Tipperah.
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...		...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.[S]
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	Hill Tipperah.[S]
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	..	..	..	27 0	26 0	20 0	10 8	10 8	21 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	..	20 8	18 8	16 8	10 0	9 8	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Gya.
23 0	24 0	18 0	.	...	18 0	23 0	23 8	..	10 0 to 11 0	9 8 to 10 0	16 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.[S]
..	...	...	...	...	..	27 0	27 0	18 0	10 0	9 0	14 0	120 0	140 0	140 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Mozufferpore.
25 4	25 0	17 0	20 4	20 0	20 0	24 8	25 0	17 4	11 0	10 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chumparun.[S]
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Monghyr.[S]
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 8	20 8	17 11	10 11	10 11	17 0	126 4	126 4	151 9	8 8	8 8	8 13	Bhagulpore.
...	..	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	Purneah.[S]
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Maldah.
.	.	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	16 0	8 4	8 8	13 0	200 0	200 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Perghs.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	...	10 8	17 1	10 8	...	...	...	16 6	15 12	17 1	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.[S]
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	7 0	6 12	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE.
																		South-Western Frontier Agency.
...	.	...	22 8	22 0	18 0	19 8	20 0	16 0	9 8	9 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	30 0	20 0	18 0	28 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	Lohardugga.
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64 0	28 0	24 0	40 0	9 0	9 8	14 0	130 0	130 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Manbhoom.

S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 seers, best rice 14 to 17 seers, common rice 16 to 19 seers, maize or Indian-corn 22 to 25 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 seers, barley 14 to 16 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 9 seers, common rice 15 to 18 seers, lesser millets 21 to 32 seers, maize or or Indian-corn 21 to 21½ seers, and gram 10 seers.

U In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10½ to 10·70 seers, best rice 11 25 to 17 seers, common rice 13 50 to 19 seers, bulrush millet (at Daltongunge) 15·75 seers, murwa 20 25 to 28 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 18 seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 9 to 10 seers, best rice 16 to 16½ seers, common rice 17½ to 18 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Raipore) 40 seers, and gram 9 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA		
		Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R A. P.	R. A.P.	R. A. P.	R.A.P	R.A P	R A P
1	Calcutta ...	3 12 0	3 12 9	3 7 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	2 8 0	7 0 0	6 15 0	5 8 0	3 10 3	3 10 0	3 5 0	...	..	...
2	Seraigunge ...	3 11 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 2 0	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 7 0	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 15 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Patna ..	3 5 3	3 5 3	2 8 0	2 1 9	2 3 6	1 14 6	3 12 6	4 0 0	3 12 6	2 4 2	3 1 3	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 13 0	...	...	...
8	Poorse* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 4 0	4 2 0	2 0 0	2 5 0	2 13 0	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th March 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 28th February 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R A P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R A P.	
2 4 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	Serajgunge.
1 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 2 0	2 9 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 15 0	0 10 0	0 13 0	0 9 0	4 4 3	4 3 0	4 6 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 9	1 8 9	2 0 0	3 12 6	3 12 6	1 14 6	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	0 5 4	0 5 4	0 5 6	0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.*
...	...	...	3 10 0	2 4 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	2 1 0	2 5 0	2 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 3 0	3 6 0	3 3 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 9th to 15th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 16th to 22nd Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.						1879.	
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		22nd Feb.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	1·16	1·16	ditto	
		Cutwa	ditto	2·30	2 30	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	1·24	1 24	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	2 09	2·09	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	2·47	2 47	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	1·18	1·18	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	0·92	0·92	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Scoree	0·28	0 80	1 08	ditto	
		Hetampore	0 45	1 29	1·74	ditto	
		Roypore	Nil	1·79	1·79	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	2 63	2 63	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe Engr 's Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	0 32	0·04	0 36	ditto	
		Serampore	Nil	0·04	0 04	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	1 35	1·35	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	0 06	0·06	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	0·32	Nil	0·32	ditto	
		Alipore .. Observatory ...	Nil	0 21	0·21	ditto	
		Alipore .. Dispensary ...	ditto	0 38	0 38	ditto	
		Alipore .. Jail ...	ditto	0 28	0 28	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	Not recd	Nil	15th Feb.	
		Baraset	ditto	0·16	0·16	22nd Feb.	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	0 12	0 12	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	0 09	0 09	ditto	
		Barrackpore	ditto	0 02	0 02	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	0·58	0·58	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	1 56	1 56	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	1 04	1 04	ditto	
		Meherpore	0 15	3 20	3 35	ditto	
		Chooadanga	0·13	3·20	3 33	ditto	
		Kooshtea	0 59	1·21	1·80	ditto	
		Ranaghat	Nil	1 25	1·25	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	0 32	0·32	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	1 93	1·93	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	1·90	1 90	ditto	
	Moorshedabad	Berhampore	Nil	1 84	1 84	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	0 40	1 47	1 87	ditto	
		Lallbagh	Nil	1·20	1 20	ditto	
		Jungypore	0 10	0·68	0 78	ditto	
		Azimgunge	0.41	0 88	1 29	ditto	
		Lalgolla	Nil	1·07	1 07	ditto	
		Kandee	0 85	0 86	1·71	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ..	Dinagepore	0 27	0 15	0 47	ditto	
		Raigunge	0 46	0·47	1·03	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	0·35	0 25	0·90	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	0 91	0·15	1·38	ditto	
		Chanchal	0 45	0 40	0 91	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Baulcah	0 02	1·41	1 43	ditto	
		Nattore	Nil	1·61	1 61	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	0 16	0·55	0 71	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	0·50	0 40	0 90	ditto	
		Kurigram	0 28	0·26	0 54	ditto	
		Bagdogra	0 55	0 35	0 90	ditto	
						ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	0 08	0·63	0 71	ditto	
		Sherpur	0 40	1·80	2·20	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	0 03	Not recd.	0·03	15th Feb.	
		Panchbibi	0·84	ditto	0 84	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	0 16	1·21	1·37	22nd Feb.	
		Serajgunge	0·47	1·50	1 97	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	0·15	0 31	0·46	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	0 15	0·32	0 47	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	0·39	Nil	0 39	ditto	
		Boda	2 05	ditto	2 05	ditto	
		Buxa	0·54	0 15	0·91	ditto	
		Titalya	0 96	0·30	1 26	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary States.	Cooch Behar	0 30	0·28	0·58	ditto	
		Dinhatta	0 36	0 32	0·68	ditto ...	From 2nd February
		Mathabhanga	0 34	0·24	0·58	ditto .	Ditto ditto
		Mickligunge	0·44	0·30	0·74	ditto ..	Ditto ditto

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 8th to 15th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 16th to 22nd Feb. 1879	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	0·58	0·12	0·70	22nd Feb.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	0·60	0·15	0·75	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	Nil	0·32	0·32	ditto	
		Manickgunge	0·60	0·75	0 35	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	1·17	0·14	1·31	ditto	
		Goalundo	0 68	0·93	1 61	ditto	
		Madaripore	0·02	Nil	0 02	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoonkhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	0 12	0 71	0·83	ditto	
		Jamalpore	0 51	0 60	1 11	ditto	
		Atia	0 02	1 0	1 02	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	0 21	0 52	0 73	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	0 05	Nil	0·18	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	Nil	ditto	0 36	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Fenny	ditto	ditto	0 05	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	0 13	ditto	0 13	ditto	
		Chandpore	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	1·10	0 05	1·15	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	Nil	Nil	0·23	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	ditto	1 08	ditto	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Agurtolla	1 39	0 14	1·64	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	1·25	0·12	1·37	ditto	
		Behar	0 35	0·13	0 48	ditto	
		Barh	0·81	0·23	1 04	ditto	
		Dinapore	1·29	Nil.	1 29	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	0·09	0 22	0·31	ditto	
		Nowadah	Nil	0 05	0·05	ditto	
		Aurungabad	0 12	0 11	0·23	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0 29	0 39	0 68	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	1·15	0·18	1·33	ditto	
		Sasseram	0 77	0 13	0 98	ditto	
		Buxar	0·28	0 31	0·59	ditto	
		Bhubooah	2 30	0 20	2·50	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	1·03	Nil	1·03	ditto	
		Hajeepore	1 37	ditto	1 37	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	0 49	ditto	0·49	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	1·33	ditto	1·33	ditto	
		Mudhoobunnee	1·25	0.23	1·48	ditto	
		Tajpore	1·09	0·39	1 48	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	0·78	Not recd.	0 78	15th Feb.	
		Sewan	0·31	ditto	0 31	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	0·11	ditto	0·11	ditto	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	0·29	Nil	0 29	22nd Feb.	
		Bettiah	Nil	ditto	Nil.	ditto	
		Segowlee	0·09	ditto	0·09	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	0 71	Not recd.	0 71	15th Feb.	
		Begoosera	0·59	ditto	0·59	ditto	
		Jamooee	0 24	ditto	0 24	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	0.92	0.35	1 27	22nd Feb.	
		Soopool	1 05	0·25	1·30	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	0 80	0 10	0·90	ditto	
		Banka	0·18	0 37	0 55	ditto	
		Sonbursa	0·50	0·19	0 69	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	0·43	0·51	0·94	ditto	
		Kissengunge	1·00	0·41	1·41	ditto	
		Arrareah	1·17	0·34	1·51	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	0·23	0·76	0·99	ditto	
		Rajmehal	0 40	0·75	1·40	ditto	
		Deoghur	0 55	0·10	0·65	ditto	
		Jamtara	Nil	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	0 20	0 20	ditto	
		Godda	0·38	0 32	0 70	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 9th to 15th Feb. 1879.	Rain from 16th to 22nd Feb. 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches	Up to date	
ORISSA.			Inches	Inches		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack	Nil	Nil	Nil	22nd Feb.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	Nil	ditto	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	0 10	0 10	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	0·30	0 30	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	0·42	0·18	0 60	ditto	
		Hazareebagh... Dispensary	0 62	0·10	0 72	ditto	
		Pachamba	0 09	1·40	1·49	ditto	
		Sitagurh	0 35	Not recd	0 35	15th Feb.	
		Mowdie Hills	Not recd.	ditto	Nil	8th Feb.	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	Nil	0·48	0 48	22nd Feb.	
		Palamow	ditto	0 31	0 31	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	ditto	1·16	1 16	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	ditto	0 96	0·96	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	1·06	1·06	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	0·44	0·05	0 49	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	0 43	Not recd	2 20	15th Feb.	
		Golaghat	0 28	ditto	0 90	ditto	
		Jorhat	0 35	ditto	1 85	ditto	
	Burmah ...	Akyab	Nil	Nil	Nil	22nd Feb.	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	ditto	1·30	1·50	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	0 48	0·55	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	Nil	0·05	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 1st March 1879.

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Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 23rd February to 1st March 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·893	29·915	77·9	70·0	65	W	3·0	...	C	*a*
		16	29 783	29·805	87·0	68·6	35	N W	7·8	...	K, CK	*a*
	24th	10	29 977	29·999	79·9	67·0	48	E S E	4 8	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·875	29·896	86·0	69·0	39	N N E	4·8	...	CK, C	*a*
	25th	10	29·991	30·013	79·4	70·3	61	N by E	2 5	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·859	29·880	85·9	70·0	42	N	5·7	...	CK	*a*
	26th	10	29·924	29·946	82·0	69·0	49	N	4·3	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·788	29·809	88 0	68·2	32	N N W	9·0	...	.....	*b*
	27th	10	29 914	29·936	82·7	65·0	34	N N W	3·5	...	.....	*b*
		16	29 750	29·771	88·3	62·2	16	N N E	8·3	...	.....	*b*
	28th	10	29·853	29·875	81·9	63·6	32	N	6·3	...	.....	*b*
		16	30·696	29·717	89 6	64 7	20	N by W	9 8	...	.....	*b*
	Mar. 1st	10	29·839	29·861	83 1	62·5	26	N E by N	2·8	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·702	29·723	89·0	65·3	23	N N W	9·8	...	.....	*b*
Saugor Island.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·910	29·916	82	70	52	W	7	...	.....	*b, c*
		16	29 815	29·821	82	74	67	S S E	8	...	.....	*b, c*
	24th	10	29·979	29·985	81	09·5	57	N	8	...	.....	*Clouds low, moving rapidly with scud.*
		16	29·892	29·898	84	75	64	S W	8	...	.....	*b, c*
	25th	10	29·987	29·993	81	72	62	N W	7	...	.....	*b, c*
		16	29·867	29·873	83·5	75	65	S	8	...	.....	*b, c*
	26th	10	29 945	29·951	82	71	56	N W	8	...	.....	*b, c*
		16	29 794	29·800	88·5	73	45	W N W	4	...	.....	*b, c*
	27th	10	29·924	29·930	85	75	61	N	5	...	.....	*b, c*
		16	29·768	29·774	90	71	36	W	4	...	.....	*b*
	28th	10	29·884	29·890	84·5	76·5	76	W	8	...	.....	*b, c*
		16	29·728	29·734	84·5	77	70	S S W	8	...	.....	*b, c*
	Mar. 1st	10	29 841	29 847	86	70	42	N	9	...	.....	*b, c*
		16	29·719	29·725	86·5	75·5	58	S	8	...	.....	*b, c*
Chittagong.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·837	29·928	80	69	55	Calm	5	...	.....	
	24th	10	29·877	29 960	83	68	43	N	4	...	.....	
	25th	10	29·898	29·991	82	68	45	N	5	...	.....	
	26th	10	29·864	29·956	83	74·5	65	W	4	...	.....	
	27th	10	29·831	29·924	80	74	74	Calm	5	...	.....	
	28th	10	29·791	29·883	81	73·5	69	Calm	5	...	.....	
	Mar. 1st	10	29·772	29·863	83	76	71	S S W	2	...	.....	
Akyab.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·877	29 899	82·5	69·0	47	E	3	...	.....	*b, c*
	24th	10	29 927	29·949	84	71	50	N N E	3	...	.....	*b, c*
	25th	10	29 946	29 967	87	70	39	N E	4	...	.....	*b, c*
	26th	10	29 925	29·946	86	69	39	N	6	...	.....	*b*
	27th	10	29·873	29 894	86	73	48	N	5	...	.....	*b*
	28th	10	29 858	29·879	86	77	65	N N W	5	...	.....	*b*
	Mar. 1st	10	29 850	29 872	80	74·5	76	E	5	...	.....	*b*
False Point.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·908	29·923	81·5	73·0	65	W S W	4	...	.....	*b, c*
	24th	10	29 978	29·993	81	75	74	Calm	4	...	.....	*Thunder and lightning at distance.*
	25th	10	29·998	30·013	82	71·5	58	W	3	0·02	.....	*Ditto ditto*
	26th	10	29·952	29·967	83	70	49	W	7	...	.....	*b*
	27th	10	29·914	29 929	85	75	61	N N E	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	28th	10	29·875	29·890	84	75	64	W S W	6	...	.....	*Ditto.*
	Mar 1st	10	29·854	29 869	86	71	45	N E	5	...	.....	*Ditto.*
Vizagapatam.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·900	29·931	80	72	66	S	1	...	.....	*b, c*
	24th	10	29·978	30·010	80	72	66	E	1	...	.....	*b, c*
	25th	10	30 001	30·033	80·5	72·5	67	E	2	...	.....	*b, c*
	26th	10	29·973	30·005	80·5	74·5	74	S E	1	...	.....	*b, c*
	27th	10	29 909	29 941	82	71·5	58	S	1	...	.....	*b, c*
	28th	10	29·889	29·921	84	74	60	S	1	...	.....	*b, c*
	Mar. 1st	10	29·847	29·878	88	73	46	E S E	2	...	.....	*b*
Colombo.	Feb. 23rd	10	29·862	29·902	84	78·5	77	W S W	6	1·19	.....	*b, c*
	24th	10	29 885	29·926	83 5	77	73	E S E	6	0·39	.....	*b, c*
	25th	10	29·802	29·932	85	77·5	70	N E	P	0·02	.....	*b, c*
	26th	10	29·900	29·940	85	78	72	N E	7	...	.....	*Dark gloomy weather.*
	27th	10	29 000	29·900	85	79	76	E N E	6	...	.....	*Ditto ditto.*
	28th	10	29 898	29 939	82·5	78 0	81	S S W	6	...	.....	*b, c*
	Mar. 1st	10	29·886	29·927	83·5	77 5	75	S S W	6·0	...	.....	*b, c*

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 1st March 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 23rd February to 1st March 1879.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches.	
Feb.	23rd	147·6	29·837	74·9	87·3	22·3	65·0	67·6	0·580	63·2	67	Till 10 A.M. W by S, till 8-45 P.M. chiefly N W, till midnight S W by W through W.	100	Nil	Chiefly cloudy, *f* and *w*.
„	24th	144·4	·194	75·7	86·6	20·6	66·0	67·2	·554	61·8	62	Till 5 A.M. S W by W, till 9 A.M. N N E through W and N, till 10-30 A.M. E S E through N E and E, till 11-30 P.M. N by E through E and N E, till midnight N W by N.	82	„	Chiefly cloudy, *o*.
„	25th	143·9	·906	75·3	87·8	23·5	64·3	68·3	·599	64·1	68	Till 6-30 A.M. N W by N, till 10 A.M. N W by W, till 8-45 P.M. chiefly N, till midnight W by N through N W.	93	„	Morning clear, day and night chiefly cloudy, *w*.
„	26th	145·1	·841	76·7	88·3	20·1	68·2	67·6	·556	62·0	61	Till 8-30 A.M. W by N, till midnight chiefly N by E through N W.	122	„	Clear, *w*.
„	27th	145·3	·820	76·1	88·6	23·3	65·3	63·1	·405	53·1	45	Till 1 A.M. N by E, till 9 A.M. W N W through N W, till 10 P.M. chiefly N by E through N W, till midnight N W.	126	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	28th	145·7	·762	76·1	89·6	26·6	63·0	64·3	·443	55·6	49	Till 9-30 A.M. N W, till 6-30 P.M. chiefly N, till 11 P.M. W N W through N W, till midnight E N E through N and N E.	154	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
March	1st	146·1	·759	75·7	88·3	24·5	63·8	64·2	·448	55·9	50	Till 4 P.M. E N E, till noon N E by N, till 5 P.M. chiefly N, till 8 P.M. E N E, till midnight W N W through N and N W.	126	„	Clear, *w*.

	Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	29·834
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...	29·900
	⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	75·8
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...	76·5
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days	26·6
The maximum temperature during the seven days	89·6
	%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	57
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...	64
	Inches.
The total fall of rain from 23rd February to 1st March 1879	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	0·20
The total fall from 1st January to 1st March 1879	0·21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	1·49

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86 formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o overcast, *f* fog, *w* dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 3rd March 1879.

HENRY F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Reports of Fluctuation of Traffic on the East Indian Railway from 1st to 25th January 1879.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY, TRAFFIC MANAGER'S OFFICE, JAMALPORE, THE 21ST FEBRUARY 1879.

Remarks on Traffic of East Indian Railway from 1st to 25th January 1879.

THE approximate figures for the period are as follow:—

	Coaching.		Goods.		Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.
1879	526,470	7,83,028	55,22 921	20,20,633	28 03,661
1878	454,058	6,51,456	54,48,574	20,87,735	27,39,191
Increase	72,412	1,31,572	74,347	.....	64,470
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	67,102	.....

The comparison is for 26 days of 1878, against 25 days of 1879; so that, if the *daily* average earnings is taken, an increase is apparent in 1879 of about Rs 1,76,000, and this may be taken as very satisfactory, looking at the fact that in 1878 we were earning more than in 1877.

The increases and decreases in staples are—

Increases.

Coal, up.	Government stores.	Piece-goods.
Cotton.	Jaggree.	Salt.

Decreases.

Edible grains and pulses.	Iron.	Saltpetre.	Sugar.
Indigo.	Opium.	Seeds.	

Increases.

	Mds.	Rs.
Coal, up	+41,074	—15 179
Down	—25,536	— 3,042
Increase	15,538	12,137

The increase in upwards coal is in despatches from the Kurhurballee fields to Gazeeabad, Agra, and Benares, principally for foreign lines.

The decrease in downwards coal is due to the difference of a day in the periods under review—

1879.	1878.
10,90,044 mds.	11,15,580 mds.
25 days,	26 days,

or an increase of 695 maunds per day.

Cotton ... ... Mds. 83,868 Rs. 1,53,327

This staple has been in more active demand than usual during the period in Calcutta for the London market, and it is satisfactory to note that business has again been done in Indian cotton for the home markets.

Government stores ... ... Mds. 5,886 Rs. 24,369

Continued despatches made from Howrah for the frontier requirements.

Jaggree ... ... Mds. 1,20,966 Rs. 26,578

The demand in Bombay probably for Guzerat has been good during the period, and supplies have been sent from the North-West and Oudh.

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 13,901 Rs. 15,812
Salt ... ... ,, 56,694 ,, 12,453

The principal traffic is from the Salt Lakes in Rajpootna *vid* Agra and *viâ* Delhi, and a good deal of this finds its way into Oudh and Rohilkund.

Decreases.

FOOD-GRAINS.

The following table shows the increases and decreases in each item coming under this head:—

	Increases.		*Decreases.*	
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.
Barley	.....	.....	3,149	10,907
Rice	.....	.....	1,061	82,952
Wheat	.....	4,537	3,660	.....
Other grains	15,994	.....	.....	3,135
Pulses	.....	.....	12,775	33,707
Total ...	15,994	4,537	20,645	1,30,701

Net decrease in weight . Tons 4,651 | Net decrease in earnings .. Rs 1,26,164

The decrease in barley is entirely from the Punjab *viâ* Gazeeabad. Last year there was great scarcity of food-grains in Rohilkund and Oudh, and all descriptions were poured into those districts. This year there was no demand, as the bumper *kharif* crops amply provided for local consumption and allowed of large exports as well.

The decrease in rice also may partly be set down to above causes, as a good deal of rice was despatched from Bengal to the North-West last year; but the principal cause of the falling off appears to be the high prices ruling in Calcutta during January. An improvement is now apparent.

In wheat the exports to Europe are worse than last year, which was exceptionally a bad one. Up to the 5th February the exports to United Kingdom were—

1878 ... .. Tons 6,881 | 1879 ... ... Tons 1,137

Cawnpore shews an increase of about 1,000 tons over last year for Howrah, probably for local consumption, and this will account for the earnings being in excess. At nearly all other stations there has been a falling off, and the traffic in this staple is practically at a standstill.

In other grains there is a large increase in the weight carried, but a decrease in earnings This is caused by the lead over the main line being so short, but, if taken in connection with the Jubbulpore line, a large increase in receipts is apparent.

In pulses nothing is doing at present. In fact the remarks under the head of barley apply equally to this item, the traffic last year being principally from the S. P. and D. to O. and R. Railway, which does not require any help this year.

Indigo ... ... Mds. 26,542 Rs. 30,433

The falling off is in Tirhoot indigo, the outturn not having been so large this year as last The figures for 1879, however, compare favourably with 1877, thus—

1879	Mds. 16,178	Rs. 23,071
1877	„ 14,481	„ 19,617
Increase, 1879	„ 1,697	„ 3,454
Iron	„ 6,595	„ 22,715

This is an ordinary fluctuation.

Opium ... ... „ 22,117 „ 25,664

This is a matter beyond our control.

Saltpetre ... ... „ 44,852 „ 12,367

Last year, during this period there was a sudden demand for export; this year the exports are next to nothing, while the stocks in Calcutta are reported as being very large, consequently no supplies have been forwarded.

Seeds ... ... Mds 42 358 Rs. 31,690

The difference of a day will diminish this decrease by one-half.

Sugar ... . „ 30,339 „ 8,838

The falling off is principally from the Gazeepore district, where the crops failed to some extent last year, and the new season's crop is not yet in.

Train mileage for the period has been—

	Coaching.	Goods	Total.
1879	168,284	358,340	526,624
1878	174,290	394,319	568,609
Increase	... .	.....	.. ..
Decrease	6,006	35,979	41,985

Earnings per train mile—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1879	4 10 6	5 10 3	5 5 2
1878	3 11 10	5 4 8	4 13 1
Increase	0 14 8	0 5 7	0 8 1
Decrease	.....	.....	... .

It is satisfactory to note that, while the increase in receipts, taking the figures as they stand, is nearly 2½ per cent, and the numbers of passengers and weight carried is largely increased, the train mileage is *down* 7½ per cent.

Shunting mileage; decrease—742 hours.

This is attributable to less work on the Howrah and Toondla districts.

Jubbulpore line traffic—

	Coaching.		Goods.		Total.
	No.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Rs
1879	32,980	1,13,773	11,28,739	2,97,215	4,10,988
1878	28,701	75,202	6,14,826	1,70,932	2,46,134
Increase	4,279	38,571	5,13,913	1,26,283	1,64,854
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...

The coaching increase is in extra troop trains and mêla passengers.

In goods the principal item is food-grains for Bombay and Guzerat, but this traffic is now rapidly falling.

Train mileage for the period has been—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total
1879	19,873	79,640	99,513
1878	18,267	40,558	58,825
Increase	1,606	39,082	40,688
Decrease	.....	.....	... ..

Earnings per train mile—

Total decrease, Rs. 0-0-10.

URBAN BROUGHTON, *Deputy Traffic Manager.*

MAIN LINE.

Statement showing the Totals and Increases and Decreases of Staples during three weeks and four days ending 25th January 1879.

Staples.	Weight.		Amount.		1879.			
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	Increase.		Decrease.	
	Mds.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.
Beer, Commissariat	5,893	8,253	2,085	7,564	2,360	5,479	.....	... ..
„ not Commissariat	4,246	4,208	5,785	5,029	. ..	.....	38	756
Betel-nuts and leaves	10,011	9,997	10,645	11,112	.....	467	14	... ..
Boots and shoes	3,363	3,883	5,500	6,431	525	931	.....	.. ..
Brass and brassware	11,817	12,389	9,138	10,390	573	1,252	.....	.....
Bricks	3,191	4,681	650	704	1,490	45	.....	.....
Coal, up	3,07,392	3,48,466	1,30,951	1,46,130	41,074	15,179	... ..	.....
„ down	11,15,580	10,90,044	1,54,025	1,50,983	.....	.....	25,536	3,042
Copper and copperware	9,826	6,857	12,309	10,716	.....	.....	2,969	1,593
Cotton	20,580	1,10,448	21,056	1,74,383	83,868	1,53,327	.....	.....
„ twist	9,243	8,819	11,169	9,984	.... .	..	424	1,185
Dyewood	3,387	4,353	3,915	5,085	966	1,170	.....	.....
Empty coopahs, &c.	5,208	5,786	3,620	3,698	578	78	.....	.....
Firewood	11,293	19,383	299	378	8,090	79	.....	.....
Fruits	22,993	19,684	15,119	11,626	.....	.....	3,308	3,493
Glass and glassware	2,751	4,539	4,929	5,195	1,788	266	.....	.....
Ghee and oil	41,147	38,799	37,854	33,686	.....	.....	2,348	4,168
G. B. T. packages	1,756	2,188	4,271	5,453	432	1,182	.....	.....
Government Commissariat stores	9,269	7,706	9,075	15,160	...	6,085	1,563	.....
„ Ordnance stores	3,147	10,596	2,895	21,180	7,449	18,284	... ..	.....
Grains, Edible, & Pulses. — Barley	98,130	12,415	13,606	2,699	.....	...	85,715	10,907
Oats	3,366	3,820	1,243	1,435	454	192	.....	.
Rice	6,45,098	6,16,401	2,05,780	1,22,828	.....	.	28,697	82,952
Wheat	1,83,364	84,529	25,487	30,024	...	4,537	98,835	... .
Other grains	6,53,056	10,88,420	2,12,233	2,09,098	4,35,364	.....	...	3,135
Pulses of all kinds	4,53,814	1,06,072	83,345	49,638	.....	.. ...	3,47,742	33,707
Gunny	71,975	60,993	44,114	38,969	.....	.....	6,072	5,145
Hides and horns	81,530	79,227	66,967	62,528	.....	.....	2,303	4,439
Indigo	42,720	16,178	53,504	23,071	.....	.....	26,542	30,433
Iron	77,937	71,332	92,870	70,155	..	... ..	6,595	22,715
Jaggree	1,61,206	2,52,172	35,080	61,658	1,20,966	26,578	.....	.....
Lac	23,575	19,896	12,284	13,257	.....	973	3,679	.....
Minerals	39,860	32,811	6,830	5,600	.....	.....	7,049	1,230
Oil-cake	6,856	5,900	1,862	1,357	.....	.....	956	505
Opium	59,747	37,630	63,701	38,037	.....	.....	22,117	25 664
Paper	5,209	5,140	8,402	8,272	...	...	69	130
Piece-goods	1,05,466	1,19,367	1,21,483	1,37,295	13,901	15,812	.....	.....
Railway materials, construction account	10,378	9,800	981	665	.	.....	578	316
„ „ foreign	60,108	1,22,178	65,219	58,326	56,010	.....	... ..	6,893
Roots	25,064	23,971	11,872	10,684	.	.. .	1,093	1,188
Salt	2,95,616	3,52,310	78,493	90,945	56,694	12,453	. ..	.. ..
Saltpetre	80,008	41,156	30,060	17,093	.. ...	.....	44,852	12,967
Seeds	5,50,746	5,08,388	2,37,038	2,05,346	.....	.....	42,358	31,690
Silk	2,842	2,725	3,329	3,225	... .	.....	117	404
Spelter	6,205	6,387	8,049	8,697	182	48	.....	... ..
Spices	10,685	9,671	12,618	6,728	.....	.....	1,014	5,890
Stones	48,888	31,505	6,707	5,654	.....	... ..	17,383	1,053
Sugar	70,498	40,159	20,332	11,494	.....	.....	30,339	8,838
Tea	6,673	4,156	6,419	5,290	.....	.....	2,517	1,129
Timber	20,909	20,592	11,985	7,560	.....	.....	317	4,425
Tobacco	22,404	22,235	11,979	14,589	.. ..	2,580	229	.....
Turmeric	4,476	7,634	2,329	5,218	3,158	2,889	.....	.....
Wines	5,695	5,039	12,870	11,553	.	.....	656	1,317
Miscellaneous	1,27,178	1,29,072	1,32,087	1,23,568	1,894	.....	.....	8,519
Total	56,81,484	57,05,275	21,47,377	20,08,035	8,37,815	2,69,886	1,14,024	3,19,228

Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Eastern Bengal Railway for the four weeks ending 25th January 1879.

Eastern Bengal Railway Company, Traffic Superintendent's Office, Sealdah Terminus.

Report on Goods Traffic for the four weeks ending 25th January 1879.

Dated Calcutta, the 17th February 1879.

From—W. Innes, Esq., Acting Traffic Superintendent,
To—The Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, Sealdah.

The total weight of goods carried over this railway during the above period was 4,32,065 maunds, which, as compared with the corresponding period last year, shows a decrease of 2,57,547 maunds in grain, including rice, jute turmeric, piece-goods, foreign railway material, and sugar, over-balancing increases in gunny of 17,351 maunds, seeds, 14,074, miscellaneous 10,127 maunds, salt 7,473 maunds, hides 5,012, tea 4,791 maunds, tobacco 1,080, cotton 853 maunds, ale, wine, &c., 630 maunds.

This serious decrease in traffic cannot be otherwise than expected owing to the present serious depression of trade.

Decreases.

Grain, including rice ... ... Mds. 1,78,008

This traffic necessarily will not bear comparison with the abnormal traffic of last year, owing to the demand for famine-afflicted districts, but as compared with the previous month, shows an increase of 28,194, and with the corresponding period of 1876, an increase of 22,592.

Jute ... ... Mds. 1,17,150

Although, in spite of the small stocks held, the market prices are and have been very low for this fibre, there is little or no demand.

Turmeric ... ... Mds. 10,737

This decrease is owing to the lateness of the season this year as compared with last, and the traffic may therefore be expected to improve.

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 5,404

This decrease is owing to the general depression of trade and poverty of the people.

Foreign Railway material ... ... Mds. 5,563

The construction of the Northern Bengal State Railway drawing near completion accounts for this decrease, which would have been larger, only we have commenced to despatch material for the Darjeeling Tramway Company.

Sugar ... ... Mds. 1,636

This is mainly owing to the lateness of the crop this season

Increases.

Gunny ... ... Mds. 17,351

This is owing to British demand, preference apparently being given to this country article over the local manufactures.

Seeds .. . . Mds. 14,074

The season is just commencing and demand is good ; so that this traffic may be expected to improve.

Miscellaneous ... ... Mds. 10,127

This is satisfactory, although, owing to its nature, the traffic may be held as capricious.

Salt ... ... Mds. 7,473

This is owing to the rise in prices caused by the increased demand from both Europe and the United States.

Hides ... ... Mds. 5,012

Last year Bengal hides were in small demand owing to the abnormal supply of a cheaper article from Madras, the mortality amongst cattle in the famine districts having created an extraordinary stock.

Tea .. .. Mds. 4,791

This increase is brought down by the Northern Bengal State Railway.

Tobacco ... ... Mds. 1,080

This small increase is satisfactory, but the traffic may now be expected to decrease, large quantities being in stock.

I append the statement of increases and decreases.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Statement showing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line for the four weeks ending the 25th January 1879, *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1878.

Staples.	1878. Downward	1879. Downward.	1878. Upward	1879. Upward.	1878. Total.	1879. Total.	Increase.	Decrease
Ale, beer, wine, &c.	...	.....	537	1,167	537	1,167	630	.....
Cotton, bundles of	58	821	35	37	93	858	765	.....
Do., bales of	.. ..	906	970	161	970	1,067	98	. .
Grain, including rice	2,12,457	36,953	8,618	6,114	2,21,075	43,067	.....	1,78,008
Gunny, bundles of...	273	13,144	2,887	1,552	3,160	14,696	11,536	.....
Do., bales of	1,032	7,013	445	279	1,477	7,292	5,815	.....
Hides, bundles of	9,510	14,038	.....	242	9,510	14,280	4,770	.....
Do., bales of	.....	242	.....	.....	.....	242	242	.....
Jute, drums of	2,19,533	1,22,796	1,126	54	2,20,659	1,22,850	.....	97,809
Do., bales of	64,169	45,756	928	.. ...	65,097	45,756	.....	19,341
Piece-goods	341	88	24,858	19,207	24,699	19,295	.....	5,404
Railway materials, foreign	.....	.....	17,249	11,686	17,249	11,686	...	5,563
Salt	...	..	26,336	33,809	26 336	33,809	7,473	.. ...
Seeds	3,473	17,113	2,014	2,448	5,487	19,561	14,074	.. ...
Sugar	7,685	7,926	4,864	2,987	12,549	10,913	...	1,636
Tea	.....	4,497	7	306	7	4,798	4,791	.....
Tobacco, bundles of	9,976	10,732	488	812	10,464	11,544	1,080	.....
Do., bales of	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turmeric	13,997	3,254	... .	6	13,997	3,260	..	10,737
Twist	575	136	2,742	2,741	3,317	2,877	.....	440
Miscellaneous	14,511	18,383	38,409	49,661	52,920	63,047	10,127	... ..
Total ...	5,57,590	2,98,793	1,32,022	1,33,272	6,89,612	4,32,065	61,391	3,18,938
					4,32,065	...	. ..	61,391
Decrease ...					2,57,547	.....	.....	2,57,547

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd February 1879 on 1,279¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	166,599	2,20,805 8 6	20,194 13 5	16,30,673 30	5,82,985 12 0	53,440 7 3	8,03,291 4 6	46,660½	112,617½	159,278½
Or per mile of railway	.....	172 2 4	15 15 7	.....	455 8 9	41 15 2	627 11 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	991,618	14,29,911 11 3	131,075 4 10	1,06,84,205 0	37,14,973 11 9	340,539 5 2	51,44,885 7 0	311,104½	678,898½	990,002½
Total for 8 weeks ...	1,158,017	16,50,217 3 9	151,269 18 3	1,23,14,878 30	42,97,959 7 9	393,979 12 5	59,48,176 11 6	357,764½	791,516½	1,149,281
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	156,018½	2,20,482 3 9	20,211 10 8	16,74,180 10	5,69,633 0 9	52,234 13 11	7,90,322 4 6	46,013	110,071	156,084
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	172 4 8	15 15 10	.....	445 4 4	40 16 4	617 9 0	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,062,373½	15,14,879 4 7	138,818 2 0	1,15,98,254 10	43,17,941 10 8	395,811 6 4	58,32,320 15 3	360,941	842,078	1,203,019

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd February 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week... ...	6,953	22,687 7 9	2,079 13 8	2,24,068 10	60,135 1 0	5,512 7 8	82,822 8 9	5,356½	14,623	19,979½
Or per mile of railway	.....	101 6 4	9 5 10	.....	268 13 2	24 12 9	370 2 6	.....	.....	.....
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	53,818	1,72,312 5 9	15,795 6 0	20,53,240 0	5,26,736 1 0	48,284 2 9	6,99,048 6 9	35,114	143,971	179,085
Total for 8 weeks ...	60,771	1,94,999 13 6	17,874 19 8	22,77,317 10	5,86,871 2 0	53,796 10 5	7,81,870 15 6	40,470½	158,594	199,064½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	7,177	21,906 2 0	2,008 1 3	1,28,965 20	34,911 8 0	3,200 4 5	56,817 10 0	4,916	10,340	15,256
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	97 14 6	8 19 6	.....	156 0 5	14 6 1	253 14 11	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	62,951	1,80,392 4 6	16,535 19 2	12,09,539 30	3,40,878 15 0	31,247 4 9	5,21,271 3 6	39,769	82,690	122,459

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 22nd February 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	47,539½	43,159 12 6	3,956 6 3	1,40,556 0	26,868 10 6	2,462 19 3	6,419 5 6
Or per mile of railway	300	271 14 0	24 18 5	885 16	169 4 0	15 10 4	40 8 9
For previous 7 weeks of half-year	262,774½	2,37,688 12 6	21,788 2 10	11,18,953 16	2,06,520 4 4	18,931 0 5	40,729 3 3
Total for 8 weeks ...	310,334	2,80,848 9 0	25,744 9 1	12,59,509 16	2,33,388 14 10	21,393 19 8	47,138 8 9
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	55,214	44,980 13 6	4,123 4 11	2,70,549 23	50,649 1 9	4,642 18 6	8,766 1 7
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	348	283 5 6	25 19 6	1,704 10	319 0 9	29 ¾ 11	55 4 5
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	3,12,814½	2,40,637 12 8	22,058 9 4	19,39,122 34	3,91,446 8 1	35,882 11 11	57,941 1 3

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 2.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1879.	Total decrease in 1879.
			12th January 1879.	11th January 1879.	To 12th Jan. 1878.	To 11th Jan. 1879.		
1879.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
4th January ...	Northern Bengal	219	3,578 0 0	17,525 0 0	5,051 0 0	22,750 0 0	17,699 0 0	.....
8th „ ...	Tirhoot	83	6,196 0 0	10,615 0 0	9,440 0 0	13,100 0 0	3,660 0 0	.....
7th February ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,189 0 0	2,400 0 0	3,614 0 0	3,915 0 0	301 0 0	.....
4th January ...	Nalhati	27½	3,270 0 0(a)	2,555 0 0(b)	3,270 0 0(a)	2,555 0 0(b)	.....	715 0 0
	Total ...	356½	15,233 0 0	33,095 0 0	21,375 0 0	41,329 0 0	21,659 0 0	715 0 0

(a) This is for the first 12 days of January 1878.
(b) This is for the first 11 days of January 1879.

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 3.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total Receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1879.	Total decrease in 1879
			10th January 1878.	18th January 1879.	To 10th January 1878.	To 18th January 1879.		
1879.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
18th January ...	Northern Bengal	219	2,557 0 0	19,386 0 0	7,608 0 0	42,135 0 0	34,527 0 0	.....
18th " ...	Tirhoot	82	5,517 0 0	9,047 0 0	14,957 0 0	22,156 0 0	7,199 0 0	.....
15th February ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,517 0 0	2,437 0 0	6,131 0 0	6,352 0 0	221 0 0	.....
25th January ...	Nalhati	27½	1,771 0 0	1,777 0 0	5,041 0 0	4,332 0 0	.....	709 0 0
	Total ...	356½	12,363 0 0	32,647 0 0	33,737 0 0	74,975 0 0	41,947 0 0	709 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1597A.

GENERAL.—*The 5th March* 1879.—Mr. C. B. Garrett, C.S., reported his departure from India, on furlough, on the 11th ultimo.

The 7th March 1879.—Moulvi Muizuddin Ahmed, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Noakholly, is allowed leave for three months, under Section 12—2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Saroda Prosad Sarkar, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Fenny River division of the Noakholly district, is transferred temporarily to the Sudder Station of that district for employment on settlement work, *vice* Moulvi Muizuddin Ahmed.

Moulvi Zakir Hossein, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Chittagong, is appointed to have charge of the Fenny River division of the Noakholly district during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Saroda Prosad Sarkar, or until further orders.

The 8th March 1879.—Mr. D. Norton, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Buxar, Shahabad, is posted temporarily to the Sudder Station of that district.

Mr. W. Fiddian, Officiating Commissioner, Soonderbuns, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Noakholly during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. Manson, or until further orders.

This cancels the orders of the 20th ultimo, appointing Mr. J. C. Veasey to act as Magistrate and Collector of Noakholly.

The 10th March 1879.—Baboo Bunkim Chunder Chatterjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Hooghly, was on leave for 14 days, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 17th February last

Mr. D. R. Lyall, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Dacca, is allowed furlough for seven months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 29th proximo, together with subsidiary leave for fourteen days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code

Mr. A. Burooah, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Jehanabad, Burdwan, having returned to duty on the 28th November last, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 6th September 1878, is cancelled.

Baboo Bhoobun Mohun Soor, Canoongoe of the First Grade, Hooghly, is appointed to act as a Sub-Deputy Collector at Jehanabad, in Burdwan, during the absence on leave, of Baboo Jogendronath Gupta, or until further orders.

Major L. Blathwayt, Assistant Commissioner, in charge of the Pachumba Division, Hazareebagh, is allowed subsidiary leave for three days, in extension of that granted to him under orders dated the 21st January 1879.

The services of Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R E., Aide-de-Camp on the Personal Staff of the Lieutenant-Governor, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Military Department.

The 11th March 1879.—Lieutenant J. F. Rivett-Carnac, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Doomka, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is posted to Jamtara.

Mr. H. F. J. T. Maguire, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Beerbhoom, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Bhagulpore district.

Mr. W. H. D'Oyly, Magistrate and Collector of Rajshahye, is allowed leave for three months, with effect from the 1st April next, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Mr. E. A. Bradbury, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Serampore, Hooghly, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of Rajshahye during the absence, on leave, of Mr. W. H. D'Oyly, or until further orders.

Mr. R. Carstairs, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Goalundo, Furreedpore, is transferred to Hooghly, and is appointed to have charge of the Serampore division of that district.

Mr. E. B. Harris, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Monghyr, is transferred to Furreedpore, and is appointed to have charge of the Goalundo division of that district.

POLICE.—*The 7th March* 1879.—Mr. R. F. Guise, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Darjeeling, is transferred to Jessore.

Mr. G. A. Patten, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Rungpore, is transferred to Darjeeling.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 11th March* 1879.—The services of the following officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Home Department, with effect from the dates mentioned:—

Rev. A. O. Hardy, Chaplain of Barrackpore, from the 22nd February 1879.
„ W. W. Nicholls, Chaplain of Dinapore, from the 17th March 1879.
„ W. Ayerst, Chaplain of Dum-Dum, from the 3rd March 1879.

The Rev. W. B. Drawbridge, Chaplain of Cuttack, is appointed to be Chaplain of Barrackpore, with effect from the 22nd February 1879.

The Rev. M. Lamert, Chaplain of Hazareebagh, is appointed to be Chaplain of Dinapore, with effect from the 17th March 1879.

The Rev. Sir George W. Cox, Bart., officiated as Chaplain of Berhampore from the 17th February to the 3rd March 1879, inclusive.

REGISTRATION.—*The 7th March* 1879.—Baboo Sunjeeb Chunder Chatterjee, Special Sub-Registrar, Burdwan, was on leave for four days, under Section 9, Supplement E, to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 25th ultimo.

EDUCATION.—*The 6th March* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be additional members of the Bankoora District School Committee:—

Rev. J. R. Broadhead.
Mr. A. H. Collins, Assistant Magistrate and Collector.
Baboo Huro Govindo Mookerjee, Moonsif.
„ Ram Chunder Ditchit.

The 11th March 1879.—Baboo Hari Persad Banerjee, Head Master, Burrisal Zillah School, is appointed to be a member of, and Secretary to, the Burrisal District School Committee, *vice* Baboo Jugat Bundhoo Laha, M.A., transferred.

OPIUM.—*The 5th March* 1879.—Surgeon-Major J. J. Durant, Principal Assistant to the Opium Agent at Benares, having reported his return from furlough on the 28th ultimo, is allowed subsidiary leave for three weeks, to enable him to join his appointment.

Mr. C. F. Wintle, Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, Futtehpore, is allowed leave for one month, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him under the orders of the 18th January last.

MEDICAL.—*The 8th March* 1879.—Mr. W. B. Martin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a member of the Committee for the management of the Charitable Dispensary at Doomka.

The 10th March 1879.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Manmatha Nath Dutta are placed at the disposal of the Governors of the Mayo Hospital.

Assistant Surgeon Tameez Khan, Khan Bahadoor, Teacher of Medicine, Campbell Medical School, Sealdah, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Assistant Surgeon Bollye Chunder Sen, Teacher of Medicine and Materia Medica, Temple Medical School, Patna is appointed to act as Teacher of Medicine, Campbell Medical School, Sealdah, during the absence, on leave, of Assistant Surgeon Tameez Khan, Khan Bahadoor, or until further orders.

Assistant Surgeon Shib Chunder Bose, Teacher of Midwifery and Demonstrator of Anatomy, Temple Medical School, Patna, is appointed to act as Teacher of Medicine and Materia Medica in that institution, during the absence, on deputation, of Assistant Surgeon Bollye Chunder Sen, or until further orders.

MARINE.—*The 6th March* 1879.—In modification of the orders of the 18th ultimo, Captain F. Laycock, River Surveyor, is allowed subsidiary leave for five days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code, with effect from the 1st April next.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 26th February* 1879.—Baboo Shyma Dass Roy is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Berhampore Municipality.

The 11th March 1879.—The Hon'ble Syed Ameer Hossein is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Town of Calcutta.

ROAD CESS.—*The 6th March* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Mudhoobunnee Branch Road Cess Committee, Durbhunga :—

Mr. J. Gale, Pundowl Factory. | Mr. J. C. Hamilton, Nowadal Factory.

The 7th March 1879.—Baboo Radha Madhub Bose, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a member of the District Road Cess Committee of Lohardugga, *vice* Baboo Rash Behary Bose, deceased.

Baboo Rakhal Dass Chatterjee, is appointed to be a member of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Palamow, *vice* Baboo Modhu Sudun Banerjee.

The 11th March 1879.—The Deputy Collector in charge of the Excise Department, Pooree, is appointed to be an *ex-officio* member of the Road Cess Committee of that district.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of Act VIII of 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, shall be a port for the carrying on of coasting trade with customs ports, and for no other purpose.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th March 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 6 of Act VIII of 1878, that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division to be "Chief Customs Officer" in the port of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th March 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 1, Act IV (B.C.) of 1873, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that all births and deaths occurring after the 31st March 1879 within the limits of the municipalities of Chunderkona, Ramjeebunpore, and Kheerpoy, in the Midnapore district, shall be registered.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th March 1879.—In the exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 234 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Purneah, made at a meeting, to order that all the provisions of Part VII, Chapter II of the said Act, shall be in force in the said Municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 11th March 1879.—In exercise of the power vested in him by Section 14 of the Calcutta Municipal Consolidation Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to appoint Mr. F. W. Badcock, C.S., to be a Commissioner of the Town of Calcutta for Ward No. 6, *vice* Mr. O. C. Dutt, resigned, to complete the number of Commissioners allotted to that ward.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

First Publication.

The 7th March 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 12.)

Africa—East Coast.

DELAGOA BAY.

COCKBURN LIGHT-VESSEL, REMOVAL IN BAD WEATHER.

The Hydrographic Department of the British Admiralty has published the following information, received from Commodore F. W. Sullivan, C.B., C.M.G., Senior Officer, Cape of Good Hope, relative to the light-vessel placed on the western side of Cockburn shoal, Delagoa bay:—

On H. M. S. *Active* visiting Delagoa bay in November 1878, the light-vessel was not at her station. It was also reported that on the approach of bad weather, shelter is sought for the vessel in port Melville: reliance therefore should not at such times be placed on her being in position.

NOTE.—This light-vessel when in position forms the only safe mark for entering Delagoa bay at night; mariners are accordingly warned as to her probable removal in bad weather.

By Direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879.

This notice affects the following:—

BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts, Nos. 2090 and 644; also Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, 1879; and Africa Pilot, Part III, 1878, pages 154 and 156; also Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 87.

If this notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the head-quarters of the Commissioner of the Burdwan division will be removed from Howrah to Chinsurah from 10th March 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the last clause of Section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and subject to the proviso there incontained, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares (in continuation of the notification of the 7th December 1878, published at page 1298 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem,) the tract described in the schedule hereto annexed to be a "protected forest":—

24-PERGUNNAHS DISTRICT.

NAME OF FOREST—LOT No. 165.

Description of Boundaries.

On the north—By the Eshamuttee River, or Khuddumtullee.

On the east—By the Eshamuttee River, or Khuddumtullee, then by the Allooah Khal, and then by the Aburee Khal.

On the south—By the Moor Gang Khal.

On the west—By the lands of Ramzannuggur, Bhyrnonuggur, and Soonderberia.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the last clause of Section 28 of the Indian Forest Act, 1878, and subject to the proviso therein contained, the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares the tract described in the schedule hereto annexed to be a "protected forest" :—

JESSORE DISTRICT.

Pergunnah or other Sub-Division.

Sub-Division, Khulna. | Thana, Paik Gatcha.

NAME OF FOREST.

That portion of the Sunderbuns lying in the district of Jessore which consists of lot No 216, the ungranted portion of lot No. 224 and lot No. 225, according to Lieutenant Hodge's Survey Map of 1831.

DESCRIPTION OF BOUNDARIES.

Northern boundary.—An irregular line starting from the northern extremity of the Sunderbuns boundary, immediately west of lot No. 216, and proceeding eastward along the Ghoskhali Khal until it reaches the Sipsah River; then north-eastward along the Dhaki River until it meets the south boundary of the granted portion of lot No. 224; then eastward along the south boundary of the granted portion of lot No. 224 until it meets the Bhudder River; then southward along the Bhudder River until it meets the Churna Khal; then north-eastward along the Churna Khal until it meets the Parsah River.

Eastern boundary —The Parsah River.

Southern boundary.—The northern boundary of the reserved forest tract in the Jessore portion of the Sunderbuns

Western boundary.—The Sunderbuns boundary line on the west side of lot No. 216, as shown in Lieutenant Hodge's Survey Map of 1831.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the tracts in the 24-Pergunnahs and Jessore Sunderbuns declared to be "protected forests" under the notification of the 7th December 1878 published at page 1298 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 11th idem) and the two foregoing notifications of the 24th February 1879, have been removed from the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of the Sunderbuns and placed in charge of the Conservator of Forests in Bengal.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 25th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that and is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for constructing a post-office bungalow in the village of Kansat, pergunnah Sirsabad, zillah Maldah, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, five cottahs of standard measurement, bounded on the south by Samiruddin Chowdhury's waste land; on the north by a road to the ghât on the Ganges; on the east by a road leading to the zemindari kachari and by Sakir chowkeedar's house; and on the west by Samiruddin Chowdhury's arat house (godown), is required within the aforesaid village of Kansat.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1598A.

The 24th February 1879.—Baboo Kedar Nath Roy, Additional Moonsif of Nelphamaree, Rungpore, and of the Sudder Moonsifee of that district, is transferred to Tirhoot, and is appointed to be Second Moonsif of the Sudder Moonsifee of that place.

The 5th March 1879.—Baboo Rampershad, Second Subordinate Judge, Tirhoot, is allowed leave for two months, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Koylash Chunder Mookerjee, Officiating Second Moonsif, Mohesrekha, Hooghly, is appointed to act as Second Subordinate Judge, Tirhoot, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Rampershad, or until further orders.

The 6th March 1879.—Baboo Devendra Chunder Mookerjee is appointed to act as Moonsif of Hazaribagh during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Sudanund, or until further orders.

Baboo Jogendro Chunder Mullick, B.L., Moonsif of Bhangah, in Furreedpore, is transferred temporarily to Durbhunga.

Mr. S. Jacob, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

The 11th March 1879.—Lieutenant J. F. Rivett-Carnac, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, who has, under separate orders of this date, been posted to Jamtara, in the Sonthal Pergunnahs, is vested with powers equivalent to those of a Moonsif.

Mr. H. Savage, Assistant-Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. E. R. Middleton, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, and with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th February 1879.—In supersession of the notification dated 2nd April 1877, published at page 442 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 4th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor, under Section 7 of Act III of 1877, sanctions the undermentioned changes in the designations and jurisdictions of the Joint Sub-Registrars of Arrah and of Buxar and Sassceram :—Baboo Ganga Nath Roy, Deputy Collector, in charge of the collection of water-rates in the Arrah division of the Sone Irrigation Circle, at present Joint Sub-Registrar within the executive sub-division of Arrah, will henceforth be designated Joint Sub-Registrar of the Arrah Irrigation Division, and will have jurisdiction over that part of the district of Shahabad which lies to the east of the river Kan, embracing all the tracts from which he collects water-rates; while Moulvie Mahomed-ul Nabi, Deputy Collector, in charge of the collection of water-rates in the Buxar division of the Sone Irrigation Circle, now Joint Sub-Registrar within the sub-divisions of Buxar and Sassceram, will be called Joint Sub-Registrar of the Buxar Irrigation Division, and will exercise jurisdiction over the remaining portion of the district of Shahabad lying to the west of the river Kan. For the purposes of the Registration Act and Rules, these officers will be subordinate to the Registrar of Shahabad so far as the registration of security bonds executed by, or on behalf of, village head-men appointed for the collection of water-rates is concerned.

This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the transfer of thana Bhaturiya, at present comprised within the Registration Sub-District of Mantessar, to the Registration Sub-District of Culna, in the district of Burdwan. That portion of the notification dated 22nd July 1878, published at page 827 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 31st idem, which relates to thana Bhaturiya is hereby cancelled.

This notification will take effect from the 20th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the undermentioned changes in the jurisdictions of the Sub-Registrars of Contai and of Dantoon, in the district of Midnapore.

The Registration Sub-District of Contai will henceforth comprise thanas Contai, Rughunathpore, Egra, and Pataspore. The Registration Sub-District of Dantoon will comprise thanas Dantoon and Narayanghur. That portion of the notification dated 16th April 1878, published at page 345 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 24th idem, which relates to the Registration Sub-District of Dantoon is hereby cancelled.

This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 21st February 1879.—The following notification of the Government of India Home Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.

No. 30.—*Dated Fort William, the 13th February* 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 25 of Act XXII of 1864, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exclude the thana of Barranagore, lately called Arcadah, from the operation of the rules and regulations made under Clause 7, Section 19 of the said Act, which were extended to that thana by Home Department Notification No. 22, dated the 19th February 1877.

The Act will remain in force in thana Dum-Dum, which is bounded as follows :—

North—Thana Barrackpore. | *East*—Thanas Baraset and Bhangour.
South—Thana Bhangour. | *West*—Thana Barranagore.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by Section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act (VI of 1871,) the Lieutenant-Governor vests Baboo Romanath Sil, a Moonsif of Satkhira, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which he shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of the Satkhira Moonsifee jurisdiction.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under the provisions of Section 15 of Act V of 1861, that the villages of Deotula, Bhygoorah, Karaitallah, Koichoichora, Talleshur, Sonbaria, Jaffurkhally, Amtallee, and Bamna, in the Perozepore sub-division, in the district of Backergunge, being still in a very disturbed and dangerous state owing to the existence of disputes regarding the possession of lands and collection of rents, and owing to the animosity between the rival parties, the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned, from the 15th February 1879, the employment for a further period of six months of a special police force consisting of 1 sub-inspector, 4 head-constables, and 50 constables, to be quartered at the said villages for the purpose of keeping the peace between the members of the family of the Bamna Chowdries and their rivals, respecting the estate known as Jooar Ramna Bamna.

The cost of the police force noted below will be assessed and levied from the inhabitants, of the villages in proportion to their respective means;—

				Rs.	A.	P.
1	1	Sub-inspector, at Rs. 50		50	0	0
	1	Head Constable, at Rs. 25		25	0	0
	1	Ditto, „ 20		20	0	0
	1	Ditto, „ 15		15	0	0
	1	Ditto, „ 10		10	0	0
4						
	20	Constables, at Rs. 9		180	0	0
	30	Ditto, „ 8		240	0	0
50						
		Total ...		540	0	0
		Pensionary charges, at 2 annas per rupee		67	8	0
		Contingencies, at 10 per cent.		54	0	0
	1	Sub-inspector's boat-hire, at Rs. 20		20	0	0
		Total ...		681	8	0
		Total for six months ...		4,089	0	0
		Clothing allowance of 54 men, Rs. 4 each... ...		108	0	0
		Repairs to barracks, &c.		100	0	0
		Grand total ...		4,297	0	0

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th February 1879.—The following list of members of the Board of Management of the Reformatory School established at Alipore for the reception and industrial training of juvenile offenders is published for general information :—

Hon'ble H. T Prinsep	...	*President.*
Surgeon-Major R. Harvey	...	*Vice-Presidents.*
Doctor S. S. Lynch	...	
Nawab Ameer Ali	...	*Members.*
Mr. Ameer Ali	...	
„ J. G. Charles	...	
Maharajah Narendra Krishna	...	
Mr. J. Lambert	...	
Surgeon A. S. Lethbridge	...	
Moulvie Abdool Luteef, Khan Bahadoor	...	
Surgeon-Major S. C. Mackenzie	...	
Hon'ble Kristo Das Pal, Rai Bahadoor, C.I.E.	..	
Surgeon-Major A. J. Payne	...	
Mr. W. M. Souttar	...	

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Sub-Registry Office at Gopalgunge, in the district of Sarun, be closed during the suspension of that sub-division, or until further orders, the thanas Baragaon and Barauli, with pergunnah Murhul, at present forming the registration sub-district of Gopalgunge, reverting to the sub-district of Sewan. This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 14th February 1879.—In exercise of the power conferred by Section 3, Act XIV of 1874 (the Scheduled Districts Act), the Lieutenant-Governor, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council, hereby declares that Act VI of 1864 (Whipping Act) is in force in the mehals of Ungool and Bankee.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that, under the provisions of Sections 35 and 40 of Act XI of 1865, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr H. Ryper, Clerk of the Court of Small Causes, Sealdah, to be Registrar of that Court, and vests him with the power to try suits up to Rs. 20 in value arising within the local limits of the jurisdiction of the Court.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 10th March 1879.

No. 53.—*Notifications.*—Mr. J. C. G. Keddie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, rejoined the Patna Division on the 23rd February 1879, before noon, on return from the privilege leave granted* to him.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 216, of 28th October 1878.

No. 54.—The following officers, holding temporary rank, will revert to their permanent and temporary rank, as specified opposite to their names, from the 3rd February 1879 :—

Major R. G. Smyth, R.E., temporary Superintending Engineer, Second Grade, Officiating Superintending Engineer, North-Eastern Circle.

Mr. L. R. Roberts, temporary Superintending Engineer, Third Grade, Officiating Superintending Engineer, North-Western Circle.

Mr. M. P. B. Duell, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Patna Division.

Mr. A. H Tyndall, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, attached to the Darjeeling Division.

Baboo Madhub Chunder Roy, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, Mozufferpore Division.

Mr. E. J. Meara, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division.

Mr. C. J. Middleton, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Dinagepore Division

Mr J. A. Price, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Nuddea Rivers Division.

No. 55.—The following order, issued by the Government of India, in the Home Department, is republished for information :—

EDUCATION.

No 69, *of the 7th March* 1879 —The Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Fellows of the University of Calcutta.

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Major-General A Cadell, R E

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No. 56.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No 114, *of the 4th March* 1879 —With reference to the rules regarding the compulsory retirement of officers of the Public Works Department on attaining the age of 55, published in the Public Works Department Notification, No 278, of 23rd May 1872, it is ruled that an officer of Royal Engineers in the Public Works Department is not regarded as in civil employ in respect of those regulations.

No 116, *of the 4th March* 1879.—Mr B. Clark, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Bengal Provincial Branch, was permitted to retire from the Public Works Department from the 31st December 1878.

No. 57.—*Corrigendum.*—In Notification No. 42, of the 10th February 1879, *for* "Dwell" *read* "Duell."

A. CADELL, *Col.*, R.E.,
Secy to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 4th March 1879.

No. 72.—*Leave.*—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Mr. T. R. Roberts, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, is granted subsidiary leave from the 25th February to the 11th March 1879, both days inclusive.

No. 39, dated 24th January 1879

The 7th March 1879.

No. 73.—*Notification.*—Notification No. 33, dated 24th January 1879, placing the services of Mr. W. G. L. Cotton, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, is hereby cancelled.

The 10th March 1879.

No. 74.—*Posting.*—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Mr. Kamil Cuny, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade, is posted to the Cement Experiments Division.

No. 68, dated 18th February 1879.

No. 75.—*Notification* —Mr. P. Dejoux, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, Cement Experiments Division, availed himself of the privilege leave granted him in Notification No. 49, of the 3rd February 1879, on the forenoon of the 1st March 1879, having made over charge of his division to Mr. Kamil Cuny, Probationary Assistant Engineer, Third Grade.

The 11th March 1879.

No. 76.—DECLARATION.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for retiring a portion of Embankment No. 7, in the village of Radhabollobpoor, pergunnah Jehanabad, zillah Burdwan, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land about 840 feet long and width varying from 40 to 75 feet, measuring 3 beeghas 8 cottahs 12 chittacks, more or less, of standard measurement, and lying nearly parallel with the existing line of embankment, which it joins at each end, is required within the aforesaid village of Radhabollobpoor.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. C. LEVINGE,
Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

The 10th March 1879.

No. 15.—*Notification.*—Mr. J. Barrow, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, returned to duty on the 3rd March 1879, from the furlough granted in Notification No. 64, of the 19th October 1877, of the Director of State Railways, North-Eastern System, and is re-posted to the Northern Bengal State Railway.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Gya and Hazareebagh, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Gya to Daltongunge *viâ* Shergotty.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Third Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 24th February 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is likely to be required for the construction of a railway in the district of Mozufferpore, notice is hereby given, under the provisions of Section 4, Act X of 1870, that survey parties are about to take the field for the purpose of making a survey for a railway from Mozufferpore to Hajeepore and from Somastipore to Hajeepore.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

HIGH COURT NOTICES.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

The 7th March 1879.

The Honorable the Chief Justice has, with the approval of His Excellency the Governor-General of India in Council, made the following appointments, in consequence of the absence of Mr. W. R Fink on privilege leave, with effect from the 24th ultimo :—

Mr. S. Treamearne, Private Secretary and Clerk to the Chief Justice, to officiate as Assistant Registrar of the High Court on its Original Side.

Baboo Grees Chunder Bannerjee, Assistant Clerk of the Court, to officiate as Private Secretary and Clerk to the Chief Justice in addition to his own duties.

R. BELCHAMBERS,
Registrar.

THE following Rules, passed by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on its Original Side, are published for general information :—

By order,

The 5th March 1879. R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

IT is ordered that the following rules be read and passed as the rules and orders of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to take effect from the fifteenth day of March 1879 :—

1. When interrogatories are ordered by the Court to be delivered under section 121 of the Code of Civil Procedure, two copies of each set of interrogatories shall be tendered to the Registrar who, when the same are tendered by the plaintiff, shall forthwith, or when the same are tendered by the defendant, shall, on being satisfied that the defendant has filed a written statement, retain and file one of such copies, and deliver the other copy for service to the Attorney of the party tendering the interrogatories, or, if there be no Attorney, to the Sheriff, after adding at foot thereof his signature and official designation after the words "Let this be served by the plaintiff's Attorney [*or* the defendant's Attorney *or* the Sheriff, as the case may be].

"By order of the Court."

2. Notice requiring the admission of documents under section 128 shall be in the following form, with such variations as the circumstances of the case may require:—

Suit No. of 18 .

Form of notice to admit documents.

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

A. B. *vs.* C. D.

Take notice that the plaintiff [*or* defendant] in this suit proposes to adduce in evidence the several documents hereunder specified, and that the same may be inspected by the defendant [*or* plaintiff], his Attorney or agent, at on any day within four days from the service of this notice between the hours of and that the defendant [*or* plaintiff] is hereby required to admit that such of the said documents as are specified to be originals were respectively written, signed, or executed, as they purport respectively to have been, and that such as are specified as copies are true copies, and that such of the documents as are stated to have been served, sent, or delivered, were so served, sent, or delivered, at the respective times in that behalf stated [saving all just exceptions to the admissibility of all such documents as evidence in this suit]; and that, pursuant to Section 128 of Act X of 1877, such admission must be made in writing and signed by the plaintiff [*or* defendant], or his Attorney, and filed in the Office of the Registrar of this Court in its original jurisdiction within four days from the service of this notice. Dated, &c.

To

E. F., Attorney for defendant [*or* plaintiff].
G. H., Attorney for plaintiff [*or* defendant].

[Here describe the documents, the manner of doing which may be as follows:—]

Originals.

Description of Documents.	Dates.
Deed of covenant between A. B and C. D, first part, and E. F., second part ...	January 1st, 1848.
Indenture of lease from A. B. to C. D.	February 1st, 1848.
Indenture of release between A. B., C. D., first part, &c.	February 2nd, 1848.
Letter, defendant to plaintiff	March 1st, 1848.
Policy of Insurance on goods by ship *Isabella*, on voyage from Oporto to London	December 3rd, 1847.
Memorandum of agreement between C D., Captain of said ship, and E F. ...	January 1st, 1848.
Bill-of-exchange for £100, at three months, drawn by A. B. on, and accepted by, C. D., endorsed by E. F. and G. H.	May 1st, 1849.

Copies.

Description of Documents.	Dates.	Original or duplicate served, sent, or delivered when, how, and by whom.
Letter, plaintiff to defendant	February 1st, 1848	Sent by general post, February 2nd, 1848
Notice to produce papers	March 1st, 1848	Served, March 2nd, 1848, on defendant's Attorney by E. F, of
Record of a judgment of the Supreme Court ...	April 2nd, 1830	

3. Two copies of every such notice shall be delivered to the Registrar, who on being satisfied that the case is not likely to come on for hearing within the next ten days, shall file one of such copies, and shall deliver the other copy for service to the Attorney of the party tendering the notice, or if there be no Attorney, then to the Sheriff, after adding at foot thereof his signature and official designation after the words—"Let this be served by the plaintiff's Attorney [*or* the defendant's Attorney, *or* the Sheriff, as the case may be].

"By order of the Court."

4. On the copy of each set of interrogatories filed under the first of these rules, or on the copy of the notice filed under the last preceding rule, shall be endorsed the date on which it was filed, and also the date on which the other copy was delivered out for service.

RICHARD GARTH.
LOUIS S. JACKSON.
CHARLES PONTIFEX.
W. AINSLIE.
E. G. BIRCH.
G. G. MORRIS.
SEWELL WHITE.
ROMES CHUNDER MITTER.
W. F. MCDONELL.
H. T. PRINSEP.
A. WILSON.
L. P. DELVES BROUGHTON.

Sheriff's Office, the 19th February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Third Criminal Session of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Seventeenth day of March next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৯ফেব্রুয়ারি।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ১৭ই মার্চ সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের তৃতীয় ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত সময়ে উক্ত স্থানে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE.

UNDER Section 14, Act XI of 1865, notice is hereby given that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts of Dacca and Munshiganj will sit again in the latter Court on the dates mentioned below :—

Monday,	the 24th March 1879.	Thursday,	the 27th March 1879.
Tuesday,	the 25th „ „	Friday,	the 28th „ „
Wednesday,	the 26th „ „		

AMERTO LAL CHATTERJEE,
Judge, Small Cause Court,

MUNSHIGUNJ SMALL CAUSE COURT, *the 5th March* 1879.

TREASURY NOTICES.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO BHAGOBAN CHUNDER BOSE has been placed in charge of the Nuddea treasury from the 18th instant, and authoized to daw bills on other treasuries.

R. L. MANGLES, *Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 24th February 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a convocation of the University of Calcutta for conferring degrees will be held at the Senate House, College Square, on Saturday, the 15th March, at 4 P.M

Graduates of the University in academic costume are admissible on presenting themselves at the Senate House at 3 P.M.

The Hon'ble the Vice-Chancellor will preside.

SENATE HOUSE, the 8th March 1879. CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Registrar.*

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

The following Selections in languages are appointed for the Examinations of 1879-80 and 1881-82 :—

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

1879.

Uriya.

The Raghubansá has been substituted for the Batris Sinhásan in the Entrance of 1879 and following years.

1880.

English.

Lamb's Tales from Shakespeare.

1881.

Greek.

Xenophon ... Anabasis. Books I and II.
Homer ... Iliad. Book I.

Latin.

Ovid ... * Tristium Elegiæ. * Miscellanea.
Cæsar ... De Bello Gallico. Book IV.

Sanskrit.

Extracts from Hitopadesa, Vishnupurána, and Mahábhárat, in Rijupat, Part III. Upakramaniká.

Arabic.

*Selections by Major Fuller.

Persian.

Iqd-i-gul ... Pages 1 to 105.
Iqd-i-Manzum.

Hebrew.

The Book of Genesis.

Bengali.

*Selections by the Rev. K. M. Banerjea, D.L.

Urdu.

*Selections in Prose by Rájá Sivaprasád, C.S.I.
*Selections in Poetry by Mr. Browning.

Hindi.

Rámáyana ... Bálkanda.
Rájníti ... The first two chapters.

Uriya.

Rámáyana ... Sundra Kánda.
Jíban Charita ... Translation from Iswara Chandra Vidyáságara by Fakeer Chand Senápati.

Raghuvansá.

Armenian.

History of Armenia ... Books I—III.

Burmese.

Zeneka.
Dhamma Pada-ga-hta ... Selections (Rangoon Mission Press, 1873).

FIRST EXAMINATION IN ARTS, 1881.

English.

† Milton ... Paradise Lost. Book II.
* Cowper ... The Task. Books IV, V, VI.
* Selections from Byron, Scott, Moor, and Wordsworth.
* Robertson ... History of Charles V. Book I.
* Paley ... Selections from Natural Theology.
* Selections from the Spectator and Rambler.
Hutton ... Life of Scott (Morley's English Men of Letters).

Greek.

Euripides ... Medea.
Herodotus ... Euterpe. Book II.

Latin.

* Tibullus ... Selections.
* Propertius ... Selections.
Livy ... Book V.

Sanskrit.

Raghuvansá ... Books I to VIII, inclusive.
Bhattikávya ... Books I to V, ditto.

Arabic.

*Selections by Mr. Kempson.

Hebrew.

Genesis.
Ruth.
Psalms. 1 to 72.
Job. Chapters 1 to 5.

Persian.

Sih-nasr-i-zahuri ... First 25 pages.
Rúquat-i-Mirza Bedil ... Ditto.
Qasaid-i-Urfi ... Ditto.
Sekandar Namah ... Ditto.

B. A. EXAMINATION.

1882.

English.

Shakespeare	... Macbeth, Richard III, Midsummer Night's Dream.
Milton	... Lycidas, L'Allegro, Il Penseroso, Hymn on the Nativity.
Wordsworth	... Excursion. Book I (Rivington's School Classics.)
Bacon	... Essays.
Huxley	... Life of Hume. } Morley's English Men of
Morrison	... Life of Gibbon. } Letters.
John Stuart Blackie	... Self Culture.

Greek.

Sophocles	... Philoctetes.
Demosthenes	... De Corona.

Latin.

Virgil	... Georgics. Books I and II.
Tacitus	... Histories. Books I and II.

Sanskrit.

Kumár Sambhava	... Books I to VII.
Meghadúta.	
Sákuntala	... (Devanagri Recension)

Hebrew.

Deuteronomy.
Psalms. I—XLI.
Isaiah. I—XXXIX.
Daniel. I—VII.
Proverbs.

*Arabic.**

Tarekh-i-Yamani	... }
Hamasah. First 31 pages	... } As contained in Selections by Colonel Lees.
Mutanabbi	... }

*Persian.**

Veqae Neamat Khan Ali	... The first half.
Durra-i-Nadiri	... 50 pages, from page 181.
Qusaid Khaqani	... First 50 pages.
Qasaid Badar Chachi	... Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE, *the 3rd March* 1879. CHARLES H. TAWNEY, *Registrar.*

* Thacker, Spink & Co.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 288B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd April 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, VIZ.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th April 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 18th April 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.			Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests
On or about Thursday, 1st May	1879	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ,,	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,,	...	2,500	2,500	5,000
	Total	...	20,000	20,000	40,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th February 1879.

No. 353B.

IT is hereby notified that 100 lots of Behar Opium of the sale held on the 4th instant, for which the Promissory Notes deposited were not redeemed within the period prescribed in the 5th clause of the sale conditions, will be re-sold at the risk of the former purchaser at the Opium Sale Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Friday, the 14th instant, at 11 A.M.

2nd. The conditions of the re-sale will be the same as those of the ordinary monthly sales.

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

FORT WILLIAM, the 11th March 1879.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on the 28th February 1879.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	3,43,389	22,284	5,74,551	9,40,224
French Kurkutch	30,246	.....	....	30,246
Italian ditto	14,204	.....	.....	14,204
Bombay ditto	84,507	.....	936	85,443
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ..	2,80,881	.....	5,131	2,86,012
Ceylon Kurkutch	38,186	.....	.....	38,186
Egyptian ditto	26,712	.. ...	.....	26,712
Total ...	8,18,125	22,284	5,80,618	14,21,027

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs*.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 7th March 1879.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1879.

PART I A.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, is republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 6th March 1879.

No. 518.—In continuation of Notification No. 9, dated 2nd January 1879, the following revised edition of the notification and rules made by the Governor-General in Council under "The Indian Arms Act, 1878," is published. The revised rules will take effect from the date of publication. The forms cited in these rules are precisely the same as those previously published:

1.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under section 27, to exempt from the operations of all prohibitions and directions contained in sections 13, 14, 15 and 16 of "The Indian Arms Act, 1878," other than those referring to cannon, articles designed for torpedo service, war-rockets, and machinery for the manufacture of arms and ammunition, the undermentioned persons, namely,—

(1) all Maharajahs, Rajahs, Nawabs, Members of any order of Knighthood, all persons bearing a title conferred by the Government of India; all persons who have been granted a sword in public Durbar; all persons who received certificates on the 1st January 1877; all persons who are exempted from personal attendance at civil courts;

(2) all Members or ex-Members of the Council of the Governor-General, or of the Governors of Madras or Bombay, or of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal;

(3) all military and naval officers, all soldiers, sailors, volunteers, police officers, forest officers, postal officers, jail officers serving the Government;

(4) all Magistrates, Justices of the Peace, Honorary Magistrates, and judicial officers of or above the rank of Munsif;

(5) all European and East Indian subjects of Her Majesty the Queen-Empress; all Armenians; and all Americans and Europeans not British-born subjects of Her Majesty who are temporarily residing or travelling in India;

(6) all Consuls, Consular Agents, all duly accredited Vakeels or Agents of Native States;

(7) all Ruling Chiefs on the occasions of their entering, or residing in, British India, with their retinues, to such numbers as may in each case be settled by the political officer under the orders of the Foreign Department or of the Madras and Bombay Governments in respect to Chiefs whose political relations are with those Governments respectively; and all officials of such Chiefs passing through British India on duty;

(8) all pensioned officers of the Native Army, and pensioned officers of the civil departments who, when employed, were exempt;

(9) the following personages and their retainers—
(a) the ancient zemindars and poligars of the Madras Presidency;
(b) the Deccan and Southern Mahratta Sirdars;
(c) the Maharajah of Bulrampore, K.C.S.I.,
the Maharajah of Benares,
the Rajah of Gursahai;
the Rajah of Jagmanpore,
the Rao of Gopalpura;
(d) the great Sirdars and Jagirdars of the Punjab;
(e) the zemindars of the scheduled districts in the Central Provinces;
(f) the great zemindars of Bengal;
subject to such orders as the respective Local Governments may issue regarding personages to be included in these categories, or the numbers of retainers in each case;

(10) landholders and members of Municipal Committees of approved loyalty and of good position, according to lists that may from time to time be issued by the respective Local Governments;
(11) all heads of villages, ghatwals, dighwars, and other rural police;
(12) all Thoogyes, Yazawut-goungs, Kyadangees in British Burma;
(13) all persons of Coorg race; and all jumma tenure-holders in Coorg who by their tenures are liable for police and military duties;
(14) all subjects of the Baroda State who may transport arms or ammunition from one part of Baroda territory to another part of the same territory, under a license granted by the Resident or Assistant Resident of Baroda;
(15) all revenue officials and postal runners in frontier or wild districts, where the superior departmental officers direct them to carry arms on duty.

II.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under Section 27, to exclude from the operation of any prohibition and direction contained in the Act—
(a) spears of all kinds, so far as regards the Presidency of Madras;
(b) weapons known as *kúkris* and *dhaos*, so far as regards the Lieutenant-Governorship of Bengal;
(c) weapons known as *dhars*, so far as regards the Chief Commissionership of British Burma;
(d) swords, daggers, spears, *kúkris*, *dhaos*, so far as regards the Chief Commissionership of Assam;
(e) bows and arrows; and
(f) spears of all kinds in Bengal, so far as regards districts or parts of districts which the Local Government may declare to come within this exemption.

III.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under Section 27, to withdraw from the operation of prohibitions and directions contained in the Act certain tracts as follows:
(a) all scheduled districts in the Madras Presidency from all prohibitions and directions, save in respect to rifled arms and cannon, and except those directions contained in Sections 12 and 25;
(b) the Chittagong Hill Tracts of Bengal from the prohibitions and directions contained in Sections 13 and 14;
(c) all scheduled districts in the Lieutenant-Governorship of the Punjab, except Hazara, and also certain tracts and villages on the Hazara frontier specially notified by the Local Government, from all prohibitions and directions contained in Sections 13 and 14;
(d) the Arracan Hill Tracts of British Burma from the prohibitions and directions contained in Sections 13 and 14; and
(e) in the North-Western Provinces the districts of the Jhansi Division and the parts of the Mirzapore District on the right bank of the River Sone, from the prohibitions and directions contained in Section 14.

IV.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to extend the prohibitions and directions regarding military stores as follows:
(a) to sulphur in quantities above ten seers, all sections of the Act to all parts of India;
(b) to saltpetre and lead, Sections 6, 10, 11, 12, 17, 19—28, in all districts on the external land frontier of British India, and in the seaboard districts of British Burma.

V.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under Section 11, to sanction the establishment of searching stations, under Section 11, at—
(a) the land customs-houses near the boundary line between British India and the French Settlements on the Eastern and Western coasts and the Portuguese Settlements on the Western coast;
(b) Allanmyo near the external boundary line between British India and the Kingdom of Upper Burma.

The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under Section 9, to direct that at the said land customs-houses the duty specified in the second Schedule shall be levied.

VI.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased, under Section 17, to make the following rules determining the officers by whom, the form in which, and the terms and conditions on and subject to which, licenses shall be granted :

RULES.

TRANSPORT, IMPORT, AND EXPORT.

1. No cannon, articles designed for torpedo service, war-rockets, or machinery for the manufacture of arms and ammunition, shall be imported into British India, or transported over any part of British India without a license granted by the Governor-General in Council under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. The license shall be in Form I. appended to these rules, and a copy shall be at once communicated to the Magistrate of the District, or to the Political Officer of the State, to which the articles are consigned.

2. No arms, or ammunition, or military stores, shall be transported in any part of British India without a license in Form II. appended to these rules. If the articles are despatched from Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, the license will be granted by the Commissioner of Police; in all other cases the license will be granted by the Magistrate of the District. If the articles are to be consigned to a place beyond the jurisdiction of the officer granting the license, the consent of the Magistrate of the District to which the consignment is made must be obtained before the license is issued. Such consent may be obtained by the person applying for the license; or the Police Commissioner, or District Magistrate, to whom application for the license is made, may forward the proposed license to the officer whose consent is required; and on receiving reply should either issue the license to the applicant, or inform him that his application for a license to transport arms, &c., had been refused.

3. Persons lawfully entitled to possess arms, or to go armed, are permitted to transport, in any part of British India, arms or ammunition in reasonable quantities for their own use. Any person abusing this exemption and transporting such articles otherwise than in reasonable quantities for his own use will be held to have contravened this rule, and will, on conviction, become liable to the penalties under Sections 18 and 19.

4. A license to transport arms or ammunition or military stores is void if the consignment breaks bulk at any place short of the district for which it may be granted. A license to transport shall ordinarily not be made valid for more than twice the period actually required for the conveyance of the articles to their destination by the intended route.

5. No license shall be granted, save by the special order of the Governor-General in Council certified under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department for the importation into British India by sea or river or land, or for exportation from British India by sea, of any cannon, or of any rifles, except rifles of such quality or in such quantity as may reasonably be held to be intended for *bonâ fide* sporting purposes.

6. Licenses to import or export arms, other than cannon or rifles not excepted as in the next foregoing rule, ammunition or military stores by sea, may be granted at the ports of Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Calicut, Kurrachee, Aden, and for no other ports. They shall be granted by the Commissioners of Police in respect of each Presidency Town, and by the Magistrate of the District in respect of Rangoon and Kurrachee. The fee payable in respect of each such license shall be ten rupees, and the licenses shall be in the Forms III and IV appended to these rules. It shall be a condition of such licenses that the arms and ammunition imported shall either be deposited in a warehouse sanctioned in this regard under Section 7 of the Indian Arms Act, or that they shall be at once despatched to their destination under a separate license to transport.

7. Licenses to export arms or ammunition or military stores by land or by river to any place beyond the frontier of British India, or to any place within the limits of the feudatory State, and licenses to import arms or ammunition or military stores into, or to export the same out of, the District of Ajmere, may be granted by the Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, or by any other officer specially empowered by the Government of India to grant them.

Licenses to export arms or ammunition or military stores by land or by river to any place within the political jurisdiction of the Governments of Madras and Bombay may be granted by the Secretaries to the Governments of Madras and Bombay, respectively; copies of such licenses being sent to the Foreign Department of the Government of India for information. These licenses will be valid only for the State named in them, and no export beyond the limits of that State can be permitted under them

Licenses granted under this rule will be prepared in Form V., and be charged with a fee of rupees five.

8. Persons desirous of transporting arms, ammunition, or military stores, must apply in writing to the officer authorised to grant transport licenses from the place of despatch. The application must specify—

(a) the place to which the articles are to be transported, the route of transport, and the probable time occupied in the journey;

(b) the quantity, description, average price, and the purpose of each kind of arms or ammunition; or

(c) whether the applicant desires that the officer to whom he applies should obtain the consent of the Magistrate or Political Officer of the place of consignment [if the applicant has obtained such consent, the evidence of such consent must be produced].

9. Persons transporting arms, ammunition, or military stores under a license must write legibly on the cases or packages containing such articles an account of their contents.

10. Within six days of the articles reaching their destination the consignee must deliver the transport license to the Magistrate of the District, or to the Political Officer; and, in the case of articles crossing the external frontier of British India, to the Magistrate of the District where the consignment crosses the external frontier. The officer to whom the transport license shall be delivered must satisfy himself that the articles transported to his district correspond with the entries in the pass, and that any deficiency is properly accounted for.

MANUFACTURE AND SALE.

11. Licenses to manufacture, convert, keep and sell arms or ammunition or military stores, may be granted by Commissioners of Police in the Presidency Towns, and by the Magistrate of the District outside those towns. They shall be in Forms VI. and VII. appended to these rules. The fee payable in stamps shall be twenty rupees in respect of licenses to manufacture and sell, &c., and ten rupees in respect of licenses to keep and sell, &c. Every license-holder under this rule shall keep, in such form as the Local Government may from time to time direct, a record and account of all stock, and of all sales of arms and ammunition or sulphur, which he may keep or sell. He shall exhibit his stock and his record, or accounts, of stock and sales to any Magistrate, or to any police officer not below the rank of Inspector. Magistrates and all police officers not below the rank of Inspector are hereby empowered to enter and inspect any premises within their several jurisdictions in which arms or ammunition or sulphur are manufactured or kept, and to examine the stock and accounts of receipts and sales of arms, ammunition and military stores. Any person licensed to sell arms and ammunition shall affix a board on a conspicuous part of his shop, or usual place of business, and shall cause to be painted thereon in large letters in English, or in the vernacular of the district, his name and the words "licensed to manufacture," or "licensed to deal in arms, ammunition and military stores," as the case may be. He shall also have a copy of Section 28 of the Indian Arms Act posted up in the vernacular of the district or in English, on some conspicuous part of his usual place of business.

POSSESSION OF ARMS AND GOING ARMED.

12. Licenses to possess cannon shall not be granted, save under the special order of the Governor-General in Council, certified under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. A copy of such license, so certified, must be sent immediately on its issue to the District Magistrate of the place where the cannon is to be kept.

13. Licenses to possess arms and ammunition in reasonable quantities and to go armed for purposes of sport, of protection, or of display, may be granted by the Commissioner of Police in the Presidency Towns, and by the Magistrate of the District outside those towns, in Form VIII. Such licenses shall be liable to a fee of eight annas for each weapon in disarmed districts, and to a fee of four annas for each weapon in districts which have not been disarmed. Such a license will authorise its holder to carry the arms described in the license, on occasions when they may be reasonably required for the purposes named in the license. But the holder, unless specially authorised by the Magistrate, must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages Licenses granted under this rule shall, on countersignature by the Commissioner of the Division, or other officer authorised in this regard by the Local Government where there are no Commissioners, shall be valid for all the districts of the Local Government within the territories of which the license may have been granted.

14. Any Commissioner of Police or Magistrate of the District may grant a license in Form IX. for a journey, specifying the direction of the journey and the period it will occupy. Such license will be valid in other jurisdictions only for such journey and for such period, and will be liable to a fee of four annas for each weapon. Political Agents may grant licenses under this rule to natives of the States where they may be serving, and such licenses granted for journeys by Political Agents shall be liable to no fee. Holders of licenses under this rule, unless specially authorised by the officer granting the licenses, must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblies.

15. Licenses to *possess* fire-arms or ammunition or military stores in districts which have not been disarmed may be granted in Form X. without fee. Such licenses will not authorise the holders to go armed, or to carry arms. In districts which have not been disarmed, as well as in disarmed districts, licenses to possess and carry arms (Form VIII.) will be liable to fees as stated in Rule 13.

16. Licenses for possession of arms and ammunition may be granted in Form XI. without fee, and for a term of five years, to persons who require arms for the destruction of wild animals which do injury to human beings, cattle, or crops. Such license will be valid only in or on the immediate confines of the district for which it is granted. It will be subject to the conditions that the license and the weapon it covers is shown once a year,

between the 15th November and the 31st December, to the nearest Magistrate; that the weapon becomes confiscated to Government directly it is sold or seized in execution of any debt; and that such weapon is carried only on occasions when it is to be used *bonâ fide* for the destruction of wild animals Holders of licenses under this rule must not go armed in railway carriages, to fairs, religious processions, or other public assemblages.

GENERAL.

17. Applications for licenses, or renewals of licenses, under these rules, shall be written on "impressed stamps" of value equal to the amount of fee leviable in respect of such licenses.

18. Applications for licenses in respect of which no fee is leviable, or regarding licenses on which the full fee has been paid, shall be considered to be applications within meaning of Schedule II., Article 1, clause (*a*) of "the Indian Stamp Act, 1879," and shall bear a court fee stamp of one anna.

19. All licenses under Rules 11 and 13 shall expire on the 31st December of the year for which they may be issued; licenses under Rule 15 shall expire on the 31st December of the 5th year of their currency. But the currency of a license may be renewed, previous to its expiration, on payment of a second fee by the same authority that granted it.

20. All licenses shall be given and held subject to the conditions endorsed on the reverse, and subject to these rules, and subject to the provisions of the Act. Licenses under Rules 13 and 16 may be granted subject to the observance of a close season in the pursuit of game birds or animals that do not injure either men, or cattle, or crops. The limits of the close season will be decided by the Local Government, and the condition regarding such close season, if imposed, shall be endorsed on the reverse of the license.

21. Any person holding a license, or acting under a license, granted in accordance with these rules, shall be bound to produce the same, when called upon to do so by any Magistrate, or by any police officer in charge of a police station, or by any police officer of higher rank.

22. Licenses granted for use within a district shall be written or printed in the vernacular language of such district. Licenses granted in a Presidency Town, or for use beyond the district where they may be granted, shall be in English and may be in the vernacular as well.

23. The Assistant Resident at Aden shall exercise the powers of a Magistrate in respect of the grant of licenses under these rules.

24. A license granted under these rules will cover only the weapons or other articles, and the persons named therein, unless the officer granting a license under Rule 13 or 14 deems it expedient to include the retainers of any person named in the license; in such case the entry on the face of the license shall declare how many and whose retainers are covered by the license.

25. Any officer empowered to grant a license under these rules may at his discretion refuse to grant, to renew, or to consent to the issue of, a license, or may refer any application for the orders of the Local Government.

26. All Magistrates or other authorities acting under these rules will perform their duties subject to the control of their executive superiors and of the Local Government.

EDUCATION.

The 7th March 1879.

No. 69.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be Fellows of the University of Calcutta:—

The Honourable A. Wilson.
Major-General A. Cadell, R.E.
Baboo Prasanna Kumar Rai, D. SC.
G. L. Molesworth, Esq., C.I.E.
The Reverend A. F. Rudolf-Hœrnle, PH. D.
Baboo Trailokya Náth Mittra, M.A., D.L.
W. Griffiths, Esq., M.A., Barrister-at-Law.
Major J. Herschell, R.E.
Baboo Guru Dás Bandyopádhyáy, M A., D.L.
F. J. Rowe, Esq., M.A.
Baboo Rás Bihári Ghosh, M.A., B.L.
The Reverend W. Hastie, B.D.
F. Biden, Esq., M.A.
A. S. Lethbridge, Esq., M.D.
Baden Powell, Esq., C.S.
Baboo Jagadbandhu Basu, M.D.
Captain A. C. Talbot, R.S.C.
Baboo Surya Kumár Sarbádhikari.
R. Harvey, Esq., M.D.
Edward Buck, Esq., C.S.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, are republished for general information :—

The 7th March 1879.

No. 13 of 1879.—The following Notice to Mariners is published for general information :—

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

AUSTRALIA—EAST COAST.

BURNETT RIVER ENTRANCE.

(*1*) *Alteration in position of Beacons and Leading Lights.*

The Government of Queensland has given Notice, that consequent on the extension southward of the spit on the northern side of Burnett river entrance, the beacons have been moved to the south side of the river and carry the leading lights. These kept in line bearing W. S. W. lead over the bar in the deepest water, and clear of the end of the spit; which having been passed, the leading marks in the bend of Sea reach may be steered for.

PIONEER RIVER—ROCKY ISLETS.

(*2*) *Fixed Light on Flat-Top Islet.*

Also, with reference to British Admiralty Notice to Mariners, No. 26 (1) of 4th March 1874, on the exhibition of a temporary light on Flat-top islet, off the entrance of Pioneer river—

Further Notice has been given, that on 26th September 1878, the permanent light would be exhibited—

The light is a *fixed* white light, elevated 174 feet above high water, and should be visible from seaward in clear weather between the bearings N. W. and S. by W. (except where intercepted by Round-top islet between N. 58° W. and N. 64° W.), from a distance of 19 miles. A sector of *red* light is shown between the bearings N. W. and N. by E.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, or by lenses of the fourth order.

Position: Latitude 21° 10′ 20″ S.; longitude 149° 17′ 30″ E.

NOTE.—The light bearing S. S. W. leads eastward of Llewellyn shoal, Singapore rock, and the foul ground extending off Shoal point, also clears the ledge off Rocky islet and the dangerous reef northward of Flat-top islet. The reef off Hay point will be avoided by keeping within the southwest limit of the white light.

Llewellyn shoal (recently discovered by Staff Commander E. P. Bedwell, conducting the Admiralty Survey, Queensland), with 3 fathoms water on it, lying N. E. of Slade point distant 6½ miles, being within the limits of the white light; it is intended shortly to show a sector of *red* light through an arc of 10°, on the western side of the sector, so that with the white light in sight, vessels will be clear of danger.

TRINITY BAY.

(*3*) *Revolving light on Low Isles.*

Also, with reference to British Admiralty Notice to Mariners, No. 38 (2), of 14th March 1878, on the exhibition of a temporary light, pending the construction of a lighthouse, on the westernmost Low islet, Trinity bay :—

Further Notice has been given, that on 17th September 1878, the permanent light would be exhibited :—

The light is a *revolving* white light, attaining its greatest brilliancy *every minute*, elevated 65 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 14 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, or by lenses of the third order.

The lighthouse, painted white, is situated in the centre of the islet.

Position, lat. 16° 23′ S., long. 145° 35′ 15″ E.

On the exhibition of this light, the temporary light was discontinued.

ENDEAVOUR RIVER ENTRANCE—COOK HARBOUR.

(*4*) *Leading Lights at Cook Town.*

Also, that on 14th September 1878, two leading lights would be exhibited from above the sheds on Nos. 1 and 2 wharves, at Cook town, Endeavour river entrance :

The lights are fixed *red* lights, and kept in line lead over the bar in the deepest water, and through the channel towards wharf No. 1.

Approximate position of outer light, lat. 15° 27′ 30″ S., long 145° 15′ E.

NOTE.—Vessels entering Cook harbour at night, should steer with the leading lights in line, until near wharf No. 1, when any available berth at the wharves will be seen.

The bearings are Magnetic. Variation { *Burnett river* 9¼° / *Pioneer river* 7¾ } *Easterly in 1879.*

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*

for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*

Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

CALCUTTA,—Marine Survey Department; *7th March 1879.*

By Order, &c.,

A. O. HUME,

Secretary to the Government of India.

This Notice affects the following British Admiralty Charts, &c :—

(1). Nos. 2759*a*; 2763; 1068; 345; 412: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, Australia, &c., 1879, and Australia Directory, vol, II., 1864, page 82.

(2). Nos. 2759*a*; 2763; 347. Also, Admiralty List of Lights, 1879, and Australia Directory, vol. II., 1864, page 120.

(3). Nos. 2759*a*; 2764; 2350: Also, Admiralty List of Lights, 1879, and Australia Directory, vol. II., 1864, page 160.

(4). Nos. 2759*a*; 2764; 2351; 1072: Also, Admiralty List of Lights, 1879, and Australia Directory, vol. II., 1864, page 163.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Foreign Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—JUDICIAL.

Fort William, the 3rd March 1879.

No. 46*J.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of Act II of 1869, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. Algernon Elliott to be a Justice of the Peace for the whole of British India.

The 7th March 1879.

No. 53*J.*—Under Section 434 of the Code of Civil Procedure, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to declare that decrees of the Civil *and Revenue* Courts of Cooch Behar may be executed in British India, as if they had been made by the Courts of British India.

The following Extraordinary, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.

REVENUE—SEPARATE REVENUE—OPIUM.

Fort William, the 8th March 1879.

No. 1212.—It is hereby notified that in the month of January 1880, and thereafter month by month, till further notice, four thousand seven hundred chests of Bengal Opium will be sold under the usual conditions by auction in Calcutta as follows, viz :—

Behar Opium	...	...	...	... 2,350 chests.
Benares ,,	...	...	...	... 2,350 ,,
			Total	... 4,700 chests.

2. This Monthly Provision of 4,700 chests of opium will neither be increased nor diminished until at least twelve calendar months after notice published in the *Gazette of India* under the signature of a Secretary to the Government of India, or in the *Calcutta Gazette* under the signature of a Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

3. The division of the Monthly Provision of 4,700 chests of opium into 2,350 chests of Behar Opium and 2,350 chests of Benares Opium will not be modified until at least six calendar months after notice published in like manner.

4 Provided always that nothing in this notification shall be understood to prevent the Government, or the Chief Authority to whom the Government may delegate the duty of superintending the sale of Bengal Provision Opium, from selling two Monthly Provisions within one calendar month, instead of in the two successive calendar months in which they would otherwise be sold, whenever the occurrence of Public Holidays or any other circumstances shall appear to the Government to make such modification of the regular course of the Monthly Sales convenient.

5. Provided also that any chests of opium of which delivery is not taken by the purchasers may be sold in any subsequent month in addition to the 4,700 chests provided for that month.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

Fort William, the 7th March 1879.

No. 201.—ARRIVALS—

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Surgeon-Major J. J. Durant, Principal Assistant to the Opium Agent of Benares,—Fort William, 1st March 1879.

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Granted extension of leave.

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Surgeon-Major D. O'C. Raye, three months, medical certificate.

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A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Choitro, 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
178	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 2 14	2 6 4	4 12 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HIME, *Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Chait 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

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Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
56	2217	Patenda, pergunnah Mundleahat	3 3 12	25 1 8	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to sale at the Rajshahye Collectorate on the 26th of March 1879, corresponding with the 13th of Chaitra 1285 (Bengali).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1st.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedules of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3rd.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4th.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estates to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed	Upset price
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
89	1882	Hazarahati, in pergunnah Luskerpore	1 2 28	6 0 0	12 0 0
5	1601	Shahpore, in pergunnah Turpeh Beas	43 0 2	12 0 0	24 0 0
41	1593	Chuk Joikisto, in pergunnah Sorabajoo	0 2 0	1 4 0	2 8 0

J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Bhagulpore will be put up to sale at the Bhagulpore Collectorate on Monday, the 7th April 1879, corresponding with 1st Bysack 1286 F.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1st.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2nd.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

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Number in statement of Government estate	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres	Revenue assessed	Upset price
			A. R. P. YDS	Rs A. P	Rs A P
191	2606	Resumed jagirs in thana Bejai, pergunnah Chye	61 2 2 18½	33 9 0	335 0 0

C R. MARINDIN, *Covtd. Deputy Collector in charge*

BHAGULPORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th December 1878.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 12th day of January 1879.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	Amount of revenue due to Government.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
2747	Noawan, pergunnah Amarthu	1,277 6 0	Hanuman Parshad Singh, for self, and as guardian of Kamta Parshad Singh minor, Ragho Parshad Singh, Kallar Singh, Debi Singh, Degamba Singh and others.	13 0 0	The entire estate will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government.
5259	Mahammedpore fattah, pergunnah Emadpore.	708 0 0	Wallun Nissa, Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadur, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Afzaluddin Ahmad Khan, Ahsanuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Fasihan Nissa and Jamalan Nissa, Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wojiun Nissa.	61 5 10	With the exception of the share owned by Mussamut Wallun Nissa, &c., the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 177, the remaining 12 annas share of Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadoor, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Yasihun Nissa and Jamalun Nissa minors; and Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wajihun Nissa, will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government. This share has been separated under Act XI of 1859.

MONGHYR, the 13th February 1879.

C F MAGRATH, *Offg. Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Touji number.	Name of mehal	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs A P	Rs A. P.	
2	Taraf Ajodhyaram, Fatehabad	Chandi Charan and others	723 13 0	434 0 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
7	Kismut Ambika, babait taraf Tilok Chandra Kanungoe.	Kailas Chandra Nandi and others.	745 10 0	659 3 1	Ditto.
39	Taraf Ali Bohollah ..	Kamalakanta Sen and others	994 0 6	745 8 4	Ditto.
41	Taraf Abul Fazal ...	Abdul Bari Khan and others	643 3 7	489 7 7	Ditto
51	Taraf Aleyar Khan ...	Shahamat Ali and others	1,600 0 9	608 0 5	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 2 of Agbar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 811-6-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
54	Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe	Srimati Anandamoyi and others	849 6 9	51 3 0	Separate accounts having been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859, share No 2 of Golok Chandra Rai Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs 5-3-9, share No 12 of Digambar Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs 2-15-7, share No 14 of Tripura Sundari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 52-14 5, and ijmali share of Braja Mohan and others, with a revenue of Rs 35-10-10, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
55	Taraf Azia Nassarat	Karam Ali ...	791 12 6	593 12 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
61	Taraf Asaad Massood Khan	Shyama Charn Mukherjea and others.	5,224 0 6	1,866 2 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share of Kenaram Banerjea, with a revenue of Rs 2,612-0-3, and share of Shyama Charan Mukherjea, with a revenue of Rs 2,612 0-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
187	Kismat Anandamoyi, Jiban Krishna, Ram Kumar, Sarat Chandra, Kishori Mohan, babait taraf Jugal Kishor Chowdhry.	Ram Kumar and others ..	666 15 10	349 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
396	Taraf Baksha Ali	Neyamatullah and others	987 10 0	403 2 8	Ditto.
467	Taraf Braja Lal ...	Braja Lal and others	508 7 3	191 13 5	Ditto.
486	Taraf Hara Charan	Golam Ali and others .	502 9 3	876 14 0	Ditto.
523	Kismut Bisheshwari, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Mrityumjai and others ..	1,228 13 4	460 3 11	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Mrityumjai and others, with a revenue of Rs 1,032-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
592	Taraf Bhela Khan ...	Muzaffer Ahmed and others.	566 13 8	254 1 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Abdullah, with a revenue of Rs. 247-6-6, and share No. 2 of Muzaffer Ahmed, with a revenue of Rs 313-7-1, from which the arrear is due, will be sold
746	Taraf Sipi Dowlat	Shekh Abdullah Khan ..	2,980 1 3	791 3 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
764	Taraf Darpanarayan ..	Chandraprava and others	2,905 3 3	675 2 5	Ditto
805	Taraf Lullavram Fatehabad	Nimai Charan Nandi and others	819 0 0	614 4 0	Ditto
813	Kismat Durga Lochan Krishna Mangal Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, babait taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe	Durga Charan and others	883 12 6	26 10 8	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No 1 of Durga Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs 6-2-9, and share No 3 of Kashi Chandra Waddadar and others, with a revenue of Rs. 62-3-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
943	Nilam Fakir Chand ...	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others	646 14 0	485 2 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1024	Taraf Gobinda Anandi ..	Chhattranarayan and others.	1,061 15 10	6 9 5	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Chhattranarayan and others, with a revenue of Rs 707-14-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1119	Taraf Hori Shona ...	Azmuddin and others ..	1,539 10 0	1,141 1 3	Entire estate will be sold.
1218	Kismat H E Marguard and Virginia Bruce, babait taraf Ishan Chandra Kanungoe.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	1,447 10 5	655 10 9	Ditto
1226	Taraf Ines Alop	Adhoo Khan and others ...	2,272 7 6	1,385 7 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859 The share No 1 of Warish Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 2 of Mahomed Samil, with a revenue of Rs 91-0-6, share No 3 of Anwar Khan, with a revenue of Rs 51-7-5, share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-2, share No. 5 of Yassin Khan, with a revenue of Rs 142-6-9, share No 6 of Yar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs 77 4-3, and ijmali share of Adhoo Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,265-7-8, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
1242	Taraf Imambaksh ..	Abdul Bari and others ...	697 5 4	523 0 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
1269	Taraf Jashmanta Sing ..	Fatteh Ali and others	1,386 10 2	1,039 15 3	Ditto.
1281	Taraf Jainarayan Kerani	Sharat Chandra and others	563 4 6	210 11 5	Ditto
1285	Taraf Jorip Mahomed	Jan Bibi and others ...	784 3 1	588 2 3	Ditto.
1363	Taraf Jadu Madan ...	Ali Raja and others ..	1,227 14 9	428 14 9	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859 The share No 1 of Shekh Ahsanullah Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs 571-14-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1513	Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	Anandamoyi and others ..	853 4 6	639 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold
1546	Taraf Karkan Roshan ..	Baisnab Charan Sen	616 7 7	462 3 9	Ditto
1582	Taraf K Fernandes ...	J D Barros	1,640 5 3	1,230 3 0	Ditto.
1671	Taraf Keor Hosalang ...	Karam Ali Mia ...	1,129 6 6	847 1 0	Ditto.
1686	Taraf Khan Bibi . ..	Shoo hinando Kunda	783 12 8	254 1 7	Ditto
1714	Nilam Lakhinarayan ..	Ram Dayal Chowdhry and others.	1,199 15 0	899 13 9	Ditto.
1747	Taraf Monohor Rai Chowdhry	Ramjai De and others ...	2,491 10 0	1,139 7 3	Ditto.
1868	Kismat Mahomed Daem Nasir, Asmatullah, Amirannissa, babait taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe.	Mobarek Ali and others ...	840 5 3	199 9 4	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Mobarek Ali, with a revenue of Rs 266-1-10, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1884	Taraf Mahomed Sona Mir	Shekh Mahomed Hashmat Ali Chowdhry.	785 10 3	589 3 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1887	Taraf Mahomed Raja Mir	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	540 6 6	405 5 7	Ditto.
1894	Taraf Magon Ghoneshyam	Bhairab Chandra and others.	560 5 0	93 5 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Masaah Bibi, auction-purchaser Shyam Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs 135-8-0, from which the arrear is due, will be sold
1900	Taraf Mahomed Monohar	Alfa Bibi and others .	666 15 6	312 3 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
2099	Kismat Murari Dhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Srimati Annapurna and others.	1,230 3 1	685 3 4	Ditto.

Towji number	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2195	Taraf Mosson Hossen ...	Nil Kamal Chakravartti...	1,598 3 6	723 10 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2201	Kismat Naziruddin Ahmad, babait taraf Hossen Wali.	Naziruddin Ahmad ...	1,227 6 0	920 8 6	Ditto.
2368	Taraf Wag Abul Hossen...	Shekh Jaker Ali Chowdhry.	731 11 6	548 12 0	Ditto.
2389	Taraf Paran Darpanarayan.	Chandrakanta Pal and others.	601 6 6	271 6 0	Ditto.
2411	Kismat Pravaboti babait taraf Brajakishore Kanungoe.	Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassom Billah and others.	667 11 10	136 13 4	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share No. 3 of Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatassom Billah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 13-13-3, share No. 4 of Hashmat Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 41-13-10, share No. 9 of Kailas Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 3-10-5, share No. 12 of Barkatullah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 11-9-7, share No. 13 of Tarakinkar Datta, with a revenue of Rs. 37-8-3, and ijmali share of Baisnab Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 184-11-11, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2433	Taraf Poran Ballabh ...	aga Mohon and others ...	944 5 3	427 0 8	Separate accounts having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Ramcoka, with a revenue of Rs. 236-1-4, and ijmali share of Ram Das Chowdhry and others, with a revenue of Rs. 708-4-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2542	Taraf Raja Ambiya ...	Agbar Ali Chowdhry ...	908 12 0	436 9 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
2554	Taraf Ram Shunder Kanungoe.	Annapurna and others ...	849 6 6	124 14 0	Ditto.
2562	Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe.	Bhairab Charan and others.	918 15 7	74 5 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 2 of Durga Charan Das and others, with a revenue of Rs 7-2-9, share No. 22 of Ishan Chandra Kastaviri, with a revenue of Rs. 1-0-11, share No. 27 of Hari Har Bhattacharjya, with a revenue of Rs 6-15-6, share No. 31 of Chandrabadani, with a revenue of Rs. 93-15-9, share No. 34 of Srimati Bishcshwari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 19-6-9, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2565	Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe.	Ali Hossen and others	819 1 7	358 10 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, with a revenue of Rs. 70, share No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar, with a revenue of Rs. 358-7-9, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 199-3-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2566	Kismat Ram Dulal ...	Ali Hossen and others ...	823 4 10	192 13 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2, Krishna Kumar Rai, with a revenue of Rs. 156-15-0, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 107-0-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2588	Nilam Ram Mohan Imam Shorip.	Srimati Phan Kishori ...	540 6 6	1,325 9 10	The entire mehal will be sold.
2929	Taraf Shachi Roshan ...	Shekh Ladak Ali and others.	752 11 0	264 10 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ladak Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-3, share No. 2 of Keramat Ali Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 188-2-9, share No. 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-4, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2933	Taraf Shachiram Kanungoe.	Aitton and others	826 14 3	180 8 6	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 7 of Jagat Chandra Sen, with a revenue of Rs. 7-7-0, and the shares which are under butwara under Regulation XIX of 1814 of Oloka and others, Gopal Das Sen and others, Jagat Chandra, Har Chandra and others, Nilkanta and others, Mahomed Bashirullah, Omola, and others, Tarakeshwari Nazemanneesa and others, Ram Shebok Das, Amir Hossen, Krishna Mohan Guha, Srimati Purna Dassi, Srimati Narayani *alias* Bashi, and Ahsanullah, bearing revenue Rs. 392-13-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3069	Taraf Shyam Rajah ...	Dhononjai Raha and others.	673 14 3	332 10 10	Separate accounts having been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1837, the share No. 1 of Tarini Charan Raha and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 3 of Nobo Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 5 of Taranga Dehya, with a revenue of Rs. 14-2-2, share No 6 of Tofer Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 232-14-2, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3054	Taraf Shib Durga Sharan	Brindaban and others ...	2,942 8 9	1,749 12 8	The entire mehal will be sold.
3125	Taraf Srimantaram Kanungoe.	Abdullah Khan and others	1,737 12 0	182 9 11	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 843-13-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
3171	Taraf Tecta Teari ...	Shekh Karam Ali	1,505 10 3	682 2 11	The entire mehal will be sold.
3380	Taraf Abedullah, Shekh Mahomed Ossi, Shekh Mahomed Ali.	Aayamona Bibi and others	678 14 0	169 13 9	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned taluqs in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Mehal Nayabad.

Towji number	Name of pergunnah and mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
139	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ukhiar Ghona, taluq Magon Das Chaudhuri, Indrana ayan Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipria Monoroma.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	575 14 9	144 0 0	The entire taluq will be sold.
139	Thana Ramu, mouzah Bhomoria Ghona, taluq Kamalapuree.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	531 13 3	138 0 0	Ditto ditto.
141	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ichakhali, taluq Mobarak Ali.	Farzar Ali and others	508 1 6	127 0 0	Ditto ditto.
211	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Bheala Manikchar, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Magon Ali	757 10 0	189 0 0	Ditto ditto.
212	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Barabakia, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Shek Dewan Ali Chaudhuri.	687 9 3	172 0 0	Ditto ditto.
225	Thana Satkania, mouzah Chambol, taluq Srimati Tajonnissa Chowdhuria.	Furkunda Sukhta and others.	1,193 4 10	298 0 0	Ditto ditto.
40	Thana Teknaaf, mouzah Dakhin Nhillah, taluq Khoame Chowdry, Omari Chowdry, Lhatong Chowdry, Lhapo Chowdry, Lhapechoo Chowdry, Chaimrao Chowdry, babait taluq Fando.	Ishan Chandra Das ...	670 15 0 Road fund, 0 12 0	169 6 0	Ditto ditto.
2112	Thana Town mouzah Char Shabok Bakalia, taluq Ahamad Ali, Mahomed Issaf, Korban Ali, Arzgar Ali, Nur Beol.	Ahamad Ali and others	677 11 0 690 4 0	170 15 9	Ditto ditto.
2114	Thana Fattikcherry, mouzah Kanchannagar, taluq Srimati Ronoo Debya.	Dewan Ali Sowdagar	890 15 8	223 0 0	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Number in the rent roll.	Class.	Number of mehals and pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
36	Permanently settled estate.	Kassimpoor, pergunnah Ranihati.	Syed Abdool Hakim, present proprietors Srimutty Russunessa Bibi, Srimutty Jabeda Bibi, Syed Abdool Hamid, *alias* Abda Mea, for himself and guardian, brother for Syed Amin Ahamed and Amson Mozid, *alias* Mamda Mea and Srimutty Allimun Nessa Bibi, minors. Moulovee Syud Mohomed Moosa, Srimutta Arfunnessa Bibi, Syed Noor Mohomed; Syed Attowar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syud Abdool Selam, Syed Abdool Futta, Srimutta Khobira Bibi, Srimutta Soeda Bibi; Syed Abdool Alli, Syed Rasid Hyder, Taharunnessa Bibi, Shurfunessa Bibi, Bissessuree Dabea, Abdool Jubber and Mohomed Ahea.	669 14 9	55 14 11	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
68	Ditto ...	Khurrumpur, pergona Shahabad.	Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mahomed Ahea Mahomed Moosha.	6,189 9 0	1,796 13 7	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
78	Ditto ...	Nezampoor, pergunnah Khundghose Somurshahi and Ranihatti.	Gopikristo Bose, Doorga Moni Dassi, Radhakrishto Bose, Nobin Krishto Bose, Sebait of idol Modon Mohun Jeo, Promotho Nath Banerjee and Bhoobun Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Horinath Banerjee.	1,168 8 10	4 4 7	Ditto ditto.
93	Ditto ...	Korni, pergunnah Benodenagore.	Kostoor Chand Baboo, Soudamini Dossi, Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian and step mother of minor Koolodanund Koberaj, and guardian mother of Soilojanund Kobeeraj and Girijanund Kobeeraj, Syed Mohomed Moosa, Nrisinghopiosad Ghosal, and Jose Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Opendra Chandra Ghosal, Syed Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of minors Syed Abdool Selam, Syud Abdool Futta, Soeda Bibi, Khobira Bibi, Dino Bundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Ahea.	1,899 7 6	18 13 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— *Sudder jumma.* Rs. A. P. Kostoor Chand Baboo ... 546 10 8 Soudamini Dossi ... ... 361 14 3½ Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian of minors Kooloda Nund, Soiloja Nund and Gerisa Nund Kobeeraj ... 233 12 0
97	Ditto ...	ditto ...	Protapnarain Roy, Girish Chunder Roy, Janokoy Nath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Arnopurna Dassi, guardian of Jotendro Chunder Roy, minor, Dinobundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Moosa, Mohamed Ahea, Syed Attawar Rohoman, for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi.	529 10 6	47 3 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— Greesh Chunder Roy and Janokinath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Manic Moni Dossi, guardians of minor Jotindro Chunder Roy 291 5 0
5173	Ditto ...	Chandootea, pergunnah Shahabad.	Syed Attwar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syed Abdool Salam, Mohomed Ahea, Syed Abdool Futta, Khoboera Bibi and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mohamed Moosa.	908 9 1	84 11 11	

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 19th February 1879. H. TOBIN, *Covtd. Dy. Collr., for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mozufferpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, corresponding with 14th Chyte, 1286 Fusly, for arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Toujee No.	Name of Mehal.	Name of recorded proprietor.	Government revenue of the estate.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	900	Umwa Kullan, pergunnah Bubra ...	Beebee Bachun, &c.	666 15 0	13 15 4	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 286-13-9, will be sold.
2	2153	Abool Hussonpur, pergunnah Bissara	Deegur Singh	834 8 2	1 4 0	Ditto, Rs. 5 ditto.
3	2155	Ditto ditto ...	Rasbehari Singh	834 8 2	3 3 6	Ditto, „ 97-15-9 ditto.
4	2257	Bishunpur Bulbhudur, ditto	Rajdhari Pershad	1,527 11 0	0 3 6	Ditto, „ 68-15-1 ditto.
5	2487	Powra Mudun Singh, pergunnah ditto	Kishun Pershad	613 13 7	3 11 8	Ditto, „ 252-1 ditto.
6	2541	Rughunathpur, pergunnah ditto ...	Kedarnath	2,145 4 8	20 12 0	Ditto, „ 869-11-11 ditto.
7	2706	Mujhowli, pergunnah ditto	Domi Khan	3,163 11 2	50 5 1	The whole estate will be sold.
8	3559	Chuk Naraen, pergunnah Hajeepur ...	Gunga Pershad	311 4 7	7 12 0	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 96-1-6, will be sold.
9	3638	Mumarpur, pergunnah ditto	Permesur Singh	782 0 3	0 2 0	
10	4541	Tengrahee, pergunnah Morwa Kullan	Poonut Lall	1,902 14 0	0 1 5	
11	5574	Bulra Krishna, pergunnah Bissara ...	Ram Doolaree Koor	613 3 4	0 4 3	The estate, with revenue of Rs. 204-13-6, will be sold.
12	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Kishun Pershad	613 3 4	1 11 6	Ditto, Rs. 6-13-6 ditto.
13	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Hurgopal Dass	613 3 4	13 6 1	Ditto, „ 91-13-9 ditto.
14	6881	Busuntpur Puttee, pergunnah Ruttee	Sham Narain Singh, &c. ...	534 6 11	7 13 8	
15	7456	Surmustpur, pergunnah Suressah ...	Gunga Bishun	640 0 0	5 8 1	Ditto, „ 485-2-4 ditto.
16	8817	Chupra Husonpur, pergunnah Turgam	Syud Mohomud Husan, &c. ...	1,165 1 5	0 1 0	

MOZUFFERPORE COLLECTORATE, the 17th February 1879. C. VOWELL, *Covtd. Dy. Collr., for Collr. on tour.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rajshahye will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on 17th March 1879, corresponding with 4th Choitra, 1285 B.S., Monday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on 30th November 1878.

Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	The amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
185	Dehi Darosa and mouzah Berabari, pergunnah Mahammidpore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, Grish Chunder Dutt, Protima Soondari Dassee, and Mr. A Gallois.	4,373 13 0 Police, 30 6 0	.....	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859.	4,404 3 0		
		Special No. 1.—Grish Chundra Dutt, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 2.—Protima Soondari Dassee, share 2 annas 2 gundas 2 cowries and 10 teels.	581 4 0 Police, 4 1 0		
			585 5 0		
		Special No. 3.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas	1,204 4 0 Police, 8 6 0		
			1,213 10 0		
			2,383 4 0		
		The remaining to be sold for arrears of revenue on account of the joint share of the following persons:— Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore.	2,007 1 0 Police, 13 14 0	476 6 0 Police, 2 4 0	
			2,020 15 0		
378	Kismut pergunnah Hoosrapore.	Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore, Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singha Roy, minor, and Mr. A. Gallois.	1,629 13 0		Ditto ditto.
		Deduct on account of separate account opened under Act XI of 1859			
		Special No 1.—Mr. A. Gallois, share 6 annas ...	611 3 0		
		The remaining to be sold on account of joint share of the following persons:— Worshipper of Radha Gobind Tagore Pojoby, mother of Gobind Prosad Singh Roy, minor	1,018 10 0	168 14 0	

RAJSHAHYE COLLECTORATE, the 13th February 1879. J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 10th Chyet 1286 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

CLASS II.—*Temporarily-settled Estates.*

No. 923.—Mehal Karmi, pergunnah Chowsa; sudder jumma Rs. 935; recorded proprietors Bukshu Ramyad Sinha, &c. The estate is a temporarily-settled one. Excepting the shares of other proprietors, with whom separate account has been opened under section 10 of Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, being 12 annas out of entire mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 701-4-0, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 94-15-0.

CLASS I.—*Permanently-settled Estates.*

No. 1529.—Mehal Karoundia, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,528-15-8; recorded proprietors Mussamut Saraswati Kunar, mother and guardian of Bhekh Narayan Sinha and Imam Bux Khan, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. With the exception of the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened, and from whom the revenue is realized separately under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 472-12-5¾, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-10-8¼:—

			Shares. As.
Mouza Saitha,	pergunnah Chainpore...		16
			B. C. D.
„ Khaira,	ditto	ditto ..	133 5 11
			As.
„ Inchao,	ditto	ditto ...	16
„ Kekarha,	ditto	ditto ...	16
„ Pipri,	ditto	ditto ...	1 an. 4 p.
„ Baghi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Baghi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Pipra Ghat,	ditto	ditto ...	3
„ Pipra,	ditto	ditto ...	3
„ Karoundia,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Hemrajpore,	ditto	ditto .	8
„ Zamin Kasba Chainpore, pergunnah Chainpore ...		...	8

			Shares. As.
Mouza Pipri,	pergunnah Chainpore		8
„ Koraichouba,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Patti Chaitha,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Patti Ganesh,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Sirsi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Kashah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Mahbubpur,	ditto	ditto ..	8
„ Chandaila,	ditto	ditto ..	8
„ Rai Beldih,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Lahra Jairampore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Pounra,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Kushah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
„ Chak Bhugwat,	ditto	ditto ...	8

No. 1688.—Mehal Rupan attached to mehal Muhertha, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs 1,058-2-2; recorded proprietors Haliwant Sinha, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. Excepting the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 267-2-8 18 krant, will be put to auction for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 4-15-5¾:—

Mouzah Mahertha,	pergunnah Chainpore ...		2 kulam 16 annas.
„ Naraon,	„	ditto ...	... 2 „ 16 „
„ Chhapri	„	ditto ...	... 2 „ 16 „
„ Rupin	„	ditto ...	... 1 anna 8 pie 5 krant.

SHAHABAD COLLECTORATE, the 4th February 1879. J. MOOKERJEE, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Friday, the 28th day of March 1879, corresponding with Bengali 15th Choitree 1285, and with Amli 16th Choitree 1286, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Consecutive number	Number of Register A.	Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold
				Permanently-settled Estates	Rs A. P	Rs A P.
1	91	58	Angoah, in pergunnah Rajgurh.	Jogobundhoodas Gogendro Mohapatro, Dinobhundoo Chowdry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhyea, Umeshchurn Bundopadhyea, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Shrechury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Shreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendro Nath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhry, Mohendro Nath Paul, and Radhakristo Dass	732 7 5	... .
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 52-5-1 As also, exclusive of the share of Radhakrishna Dass, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 104-10-2	156 15 8	
				The remaining joint share of Jogobundhoodas Gojendro Mohapatra, Dinobundhoo Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhye, Umeshchurn Bundopadhye, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Srechury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Sreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendronath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	575 8 2	8 5 11
2	230	1557	Kattapal, in pergunnah Khurgopore.	Karticram Paul, Khettro Mohun Paul, Dwarikanath Paul and Koonjo Behary Roy	1,030 0 0 Including Road Fund.	0 2 0
3	300	187	Balgobindopore, *alias* Gopalpore, in pergunnah Amersee	Modhoosoodun Singh, Anundo Loll Roy, Gungaram Myti, Kooraram Roy, Sheebnaran Roy, Sreemutty Noteefon Beebee, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altab Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, and Chandoomoney	603 9 9	.
				Exclusive of the share of Noteefun Bibi, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altaf Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the Government revenue of which is Rs 112-13-0; exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Singh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 47-0-3; and exclusive of the share of Chandmoneer, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, he land revenue of which is Rs 75-10-10 ...	235 8 1	... .
				The remaining joint share of Anundalall Roy and Gangaram Myti will be sold for arrears of land revenue	307 12 11	90 9 8
				As also the remaining share of Kooraram Roy and Sheebnawan Roy, which has a separate account, and which will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	60 4 9	0 1 6
4	400	259	Ghaseerambar, *alias* Kooldiha, in pergunnah Khandar.	Lokhinarandas Mohapatro, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komulkamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manikram Khatoee, Jorunjoy Mullick, Krishna Prosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Ballubram Khatoea, Ajodhyaram Khatoeah, Koralychurn Dutt, Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Dass, Manicram Khatooah, Seetanath Ghosh and Romanath Ghosh, minors	502 5 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Manicram Khatooah, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 83-2-7. As also, exclusive of the share of Sitanath Ghose and Ramanath Ghose, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is Rs 32-8-8 ...	115 11 3	
				The remaining joint share of Lakhinarandas Mohapatro, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komul Kamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manicram Khatooa, Jonmejoy Mullic, Krishnaprosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Bollub Khatooah, Ajodhyaram Khatooah, Koralychurn Dutt and Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Das, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	386 10 7	4 2 2
5	412	271	Barbansee, in pergunnah Khandar	Lokhichurn Sutputty, Golok Chunder Dutt, Manicram Pal, Brojomohun Mohapattro, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Dass, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapattro and Issuramoney Debya, Norahory Mabaric, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Goorooprosad Mabaric, Bhubun Chundro Bundopadhye, Gunganarain and Soroopnarain Myti, Matongini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti, Bholanath Myti, Khoyrat Ally, Sham Raoot, Ukhoynaran Janah, Sreemuttya Sarnomoney, Nobinchundro Nag, Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rambhamoney, Tilothomamoney, Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indranaran Meyeekap Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, Radhachurn Singh, Indronarain Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul	19,156 13 1	
				Exclusive of the share of Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Dass, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapatro and Issuramoney Debya, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is	Rs A. P 3,254 5 8	
				Exclusive of the share of Norohury Mario which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is	389 14 8	
				Ditto ditto of the share of Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Guruposad Maharic, ditto ditto ..	1,233 13 0	
				Ditto ditto of Bhubun Chandra Bondopadhye, ditto ditto ..	66 0 0	
				Ditto ditto of Gunganarain, Soroopnaran Myti, and Matonaini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti and Bholanath Myti, ditto ditto ...	2,347 10 10	
				Ditto ditto of Khyrat Ally and Sham Raoot, ditto ditto	54 11 7	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Janah, ditto ditto	248 10 8	
				Ditto ditto of Sreemuttya Soorjomoney, ditto ditto	16 15 11	
				Ditto ditto of Nobinchundro Nag, ditto ditto	4,734 8 9	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rombamoney, Tilothomamoney, ditto ditto	164 4 7	
				Ditto ditto of Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indronaran Meyeekap, Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, ditto ditto	341 1 3	
				Ditto ditto of Radhachurn Singha, ditto ditto	420 10 11	
				Ditto ditto of Indronaran Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul, ditto ditto	441 12 11	
				The total of the revenues of the shares which will not be sold is ..	18,490 8 9	.. ...
				The remaining joint share of Brojomohun Mohapatro, Lokheechurn Satputty, Golokchunder Dutt, Manicram Paul, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	606 4 4	31 15 11
6	490	317	Baichagerali, *alias* Keshrombha in pergunnah Datonchour.	Chowdhry Jogabundhoo Das, Gozendromohapatro, Dinobundho Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetol Churn Pottaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn, Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bondopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Kashinath Dutt and Mohendronath Paul	1,296 6 5	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 184-12-5.	184 12 5	..
				The remaining joint share of Chowdery Jugobundhoo Das, Gujendro Mohapatro, Dinabundhoo Chowdery, Hurryhur Bhattacharjee, Scotolchurn Potlaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bandopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Brojonath Dutt, and Kashinath Dutt will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,108 10 0	13 5 8
7	951	540	Deorah, in pergunnah Sabung.	Bongsidhur Ponda, Modhoosoodun Bera, Ramchand Kur and Modhoosoodun Bera	520 13 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramchand Kur, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5 As also exclusive of the share of Moddoosoodun Mana which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5	260 6 10	.....
				The remaining joint share of Bongsidhur Ponda and Modhoosoodun Bira will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	260 7 0	0 1 11
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur	Bajbullub Chowdhry, Reeshikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee, Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee, Golokemoney Chowdhray, Ukhoynaran Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee.	806 7 8	..

Consecutive number.	Number of Register A.	Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates—concluded.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur.	Exclusive of the share of Rajbullub Chowdhry, Rishikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoy Naran Myti, and Sreenibash Paharee which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 362-3-6	537 10 6	
				Exclusive of the share of Ukhoy Naran Myti, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 105-1-5 ..		
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Myti, ditto ditto, „ 36-9-9		
				Ditto ditto of Sreenibash Paharee, ditto ditto, „ 33-9-10		
				The remaining share of Golokmoney Chowdhuranee, which will be sold for arrears of revenue	268 13 2	8 0 6
9	1703	938	Khelar, *alias* Bonpatna, in pergunnah Kismut Narsingurh.	Gunganaran Singh, Noranaran Singh, Haronaran Singh, Noroharee Maharee, Sreemutty Poarymoney Dossy, Sreemutty Adhurmoney Debya, Roghoonathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, Sitanathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, and Sreemutty Issurymoney Debya.	3,430 8 7	249 11 2
10	1754	962	Khetropal, *alias* Chuck Bhoge, pergunnah Amersee.	Bhagbutchundro Mundle, Bharutchundro Mundle, and Choudhury Jonmejoy Mullick.	3,153 9 7	24 3 8
11	1777	969	Lalcoah, *alias* Bolbhudropore, pergunnah Amersee	Shreenarain Bera	934 13 1	317 15 11
12	1880	1035	Moninathpore, pergunnah Protabbhan.	Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennessa Bibi, minoress, Bhagbutchunder Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Chundermohun Myti, Lal Mohun Bhunya, Neel Mohun Bhunya, Gopinath Bhooja, minor's father and guardian, Moocheeram Bhunya, and Bhogirath Prodhan.	687 5 8	4 8 7
				Temporarily-settled Estates.		
13	1969	203	Mongalpore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Choudhury Gopendronundon Dass Mohapatro, Anundolal Roy, and Kashinath Mitter Chowdhury.	2,069 7 0	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Kashinath Mitter Choudhury, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	525 15 8	
				The remaining joint share of Choudhury Gopendronundundas Mohapatro and Anundolol Roy, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,543 7 4	253 6
14	1971	205	Mockrampore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Anundolol Roy and Horoshailol Bhokut	1,546 0 0	346 14 2
				Permanently-settled Estates.		
15	2047	1124	Naukar Bajapti, pergunnah Majnamutta.	Seeboscondary Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondori, heirs of Gunganaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Sorengee, Seetalprosad Roy, Rajblochun Sutputty, Sreemutty Denomoyee Deby, mother of Lokheenaran Bondopadhye, and Ramnidhi Coondoo.	2,138 5 4	.
				Exclusive of the share of Ramnidhi Coondoo, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 703 12-5.	703 12 5	
				The remaining joint share of Seeboscondary, Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondory, heirs of Gunganaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Soorongee, Sitalprosad Roy, Rajblochun Sutpoty and Sreemutty Dinomoyee Deby, mother of Lokhinaram Bondopadhye, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,429 8 11	22 4 7
16	2143	1176	Palpara, pergunnah Amerah.	Sreemuttya Bhodro Deyee, Rajnaram Roy, Radhachurn Roy, Josomunto Roy, Lokhinaran Roy, Hurynaran Roy, Becharan Myti, Ahollya Deyee, mother of Bodonath Pall minor, Mothooramohun Roy, Moocheeram Saha, Jeetram Roy, Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy minor, and Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, Seetaram Dass, Sreemuttya Beechonmoney Deyee aunt of Koonurnaran Roy and others, minors, Binodmoney Doyee, mother of Koonurnaran Roy, Gourmohun Gossami, Norosingnaran Myti, Taraprosad Roy and Guruprosad Myti.	815 4 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Sitaramdas, Sreemuttya Beehonmoney Dayee, aunt of Koonurnaran Roy, minor, Sreemuttya Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Rai Mothur and Gourmohun Gossami, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, Rs. 28-12-9	316 10 7	.....
				Ditto ditto of Norosingnaram Myti ditto ditto, Rs. 37-9-11 ...		
				Ditto ditto of Taraprosad Roy ditto ditto, „ 100-10-11 ..		
				Ditto ditto of Guruprosad Myti ditto ditto, „ 149-9-0 ..		
				The remaining joint share of Sreemuttya Bhodra Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Rya, Josomunto Roy, Lakhinaran Roy, Hurynaram Roy, Becharam Myti, Ahillya Deyee, mother of Boidanath Paul, minor Mothoormohun Roy, Moochiram Sahoo, Jitram Roy, Sreemuttya Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy, minor, Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, will be sold for arrears of land revenue	498 10 3	69 8 8
17	2434	1332	Rampore *alias* Rampore Sonepore, pergunnah Beerkool	Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Boudapodhye, Ramchurn Bordopadhye, Annundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye minor, Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi, minoress, Chundichurn Sasmul.	5,175 11 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Boudopadhye, and Sreemutiya Anundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 2,720-6-11	3,256 4 11	.....
				Asalso exclusive of the share of Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi minor, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 535-14-0 — ...		
				The remaining share of Chandichurn Sasmul which has a separate account, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,920 6 5	599 15 10
18	2853	1600	Agur, pergunnah Chundercona.	Nobokrishna Mookhopadhye, minor's attorney Joykrishna Mookhopadye, Rajkrishna Mokhopadhye, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, Shamanath Roy Choudhury, and Mr. Debrin, manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury and Sateendronath Roy Choudhury, minors the heirs of the late Prannath Choudhury.	10,829 5 11	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mr. Debrin, Manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury, and Soteendronath Roy Choudhury, minors and heirs of late Prannath Roy Choudhury, which has a separate account, and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	721 15 4	
				The remaining joint share of Joykrishna Mookopadhye, attorney of Nabokrishna Mookopadhye minor, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, and Shamanath Roy Choudhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	10,107 6 7	269 4 9

The 21st February 1879. T. D. BRIGHTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collector, for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 26th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

No. 17.—Dehi Alfa, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietors Santiram Roy and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 8,670-5-3 and police Rs. 96-3-7. The share of Santiram Roy and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs 4,046-2-3 and police Rs. 44-14-8, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 13-8-11 on account of Government revenue. The share of Bama Sundary Burmania, mother and guardian of Koshtonath Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,624-3, police Rs. 51-4-11, for which separate accounts were open, will be exempted from sale.

No. 40.—Taraf Batyee, pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor Thakomoni Debia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 8,805-7-2 and police Rs. 110-13-5. The share of Shakhimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3,302-0-8 and police Rs. 41-9-1, for which a separate account was opened in No. 40-41, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 591-5-3 on account of Government revenue.

No 258.—Kismut pergunnah Jaypore (eight annas), pergunnah Jaypore; recorded proprietors Kassinath and Omanath Roy Chowdurí and others, sudder jumma Rs 7,406-8-7, and police Rs 88-15. The share of Kassinath and Omath Roy Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs 1,481-5-1, and police Rs 16-12-6, will be sold for recovery of Rs 424-9. The share of Jadabinda Nath Rai Chowdhuri and others, sudder jumma Rs. 5,925-3-6, and police Rs. 67-2-6, for which separate account was opened will be exempted from sale.

No. 338.—Mouzah Maj Rudh, pergunnah Sajial, recorded proprietor Chota Rakhal Chandra Bundeopadhya; sudder jumma Rs. 2,951-6-3. The share of Chota Rakhal Chandra Bandeopadhya, bearing sudder jumma Rs 253-10-2, for which a separate account was opened in No 338-4, will be sold for Rs. 71-3-10 on account of Government revenue.

No. 432.—Mouzah Raj Nagore, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietor Sukhemoni Dabia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 579-3-2 and police Rs 6-9-3. The share of Shukimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 289-9-7, and police Rs 3-4-6½, for which separate account was opened in No 432-1, will be sold for Rs. 0-13-1 on account of arrears of revenue.

No. 3192.—Kismut Bhur Phuttayjungpore, pergunnah Bhur Phuttayjungpore; recorded proprietor Sital Chandra Ghose and others; sudder jumma Rs 2,433-1-0. The share of Sital Chandra Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs 985-4-3, will be sold for Rs 512-13-8, and the share of Punchanun Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,169, for which separate account was opened in No 3192-1, will also be sold for Rs. 563 on account of arrears of revenue. The share of other proprietors will be exempted from sale.

NUDDEA COLLECTORATE, the 20th February 1879. W. H. M. GUN, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rungpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Chaitro 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th January 1879.

First Class Permanently-settled Estate.

Class	Number on touji.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Arrears for which to be sold	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
				Rs A P.	Rs. A. P	
1	5	Mouja Karpura and others, Chukla Fatehpur.	Nobin Chundra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Chaudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri himself and executor of Abdur Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chaudhuri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed Ataulla, Abdul Jalil Mea, Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prasad Sing, Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor.	2,544 8 9	122 10 8	The joint share of Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prasad Sing and Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor, of this estate, the sudder jumma of which is Rs 648-11-11, will be put up to sale, excluding the joint portion of Nobin Chandra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Choudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri himself and executor of Abdor Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chanduri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed and Abdul Jalil Meah, the sudder jumma of which is Rs 1,905-12-10 in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.
2	235	Mouja Dhulgari and others in Lut Hossinpur, share 6 annas, pergunnah Barobilu	Khajeh Mahamed Ehia Chaudhuri	1,070 15 0	42 11 8	Entire mehal.

RUNGPORE COLLECTORATE, the 21st February 1879. J. J. LIVESAY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Sarun will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that district, on Thursday, the 20th March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chayet, 1286 F. S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879, instead of the 12th January 1879, which was a Sunday.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Serial number	Touji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah	Names of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Government revenue of the shares which will be sold for arrears of revenue.	Arrears of revenue due from the estate.
				Rs A. P.	Rs. A P.	Rs A. P.
1	814	Bksar, pergunnah Bal . .	Ram Persad Narain and others ...	813 11 0	317 13 6	28 12 11½
2	825	Umdha Phakooli, pergunnah Bal	Ram Govind Sahoo and others ..	1,040 0 0	1,040 0 0	183 9 5
3	414	Bharhopur Fatehpur, pergunnah Bal	Darap Narain Singh and others ...	1,954 13 6	1,720 4 2	4 1 11½
4	650	Kopa, pergunnah Bal	Rusuldad Khan and others	967 0 3	967 0 3	7 8 3
5	725	Mirzapur, pergunnah Bal .	Ram Kuner and others	1,143 7 5½	472 14 8½	19 13 4½
6	815	Pojhoya Landwa, pergunnah Bal ...	Aasish Johan and others . ..	691 5 4½	693 5 4½	0 15 8½
7	944	Tajpur, pergunnah Bal . . .	Benarsi Lal, Binda Lall and others	1,331 0 5	288 2 [illegible]	84 14 2½
8	1367	Pachenkhi Sarangpur, pergunnah Bara	bhin Sahai Singh, Mooktenath Persad and others . ..	568 8 6½	568 2 [illegible]	1 0 0
9	1421	Rampur Chand, pergunnah Bara ...	Jet Gir, Juba Lall, and others ...	671 [illegible] 10	581 [illegible]	4 15 9½
				Malkana.	Malkana.	
				560 9 2	470 9 2	
				110 13 8	110 13 8	
10	1458	Sadatpur, pergunnah Bara	Rashunandan Singh and Bissessar Singh .	936 1 7	44 14 10	8 10 8
11	1458	Ditto ditto	Jadunandun Singh and Mussamut Imirta Kuner	936 1 7	32 7 5	0 13 5
12	2081	Bakhraur, pergunnah Dungu ...	Mussamut Moti Kuner .. .	1,625 0 6	283 10 10	7 12 0
13	2380	Chhap Sudasson, pergunnah Goah ...	Rituburan Singh Kunja Roy, Shin Sahai Roy, Shin Dizal Singh and others .	831 5 4	283 3 8½	8 12 9
14	2004	Mirzapur, pergunnah Goah	Rass Narain, Gopal Sahai and others	1,706 10 8	568 10 10½	0 15 8
15	2004	Ditto ditto	Gudor Singh ..	1,706 10 8	937 15 9½	4 5 7½
16	3086	Manopur, pergunnah Kasmar	Sudisht Narain Singh and others .	715 11 9	119 1 7½	7 7 2
17	3113	Nawdiha, ditto	Alekh Misser and others ...	1,565 14 8	813 8 4½	1 1 10
18	3120	Qasun Chak, ditto	Ram Anugrah Singh and others ...	646 10 0	273 5 4	8 11 4½

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 22nd February 1879. R. H. PAWSEY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 29th March 1879 for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
First class ...	1739	Five annas 6½ gandas share of Khaje Nur Taluq.	Wazedennessa Khatun and others	2,525 3 1½	432 7 2½	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	1914	Half anna share of Tappeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Ishwar Chandra Roy and others.	1,059 3 11	45 9 11	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	1918	Twelve annas 10½ gandas 2 kanta and 3 tils share of taluq Ram Deb Sen, Tippeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Bhagawan Chandra Bhattacharjee and others.	1,401 3 3	151 10 3½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	2048	Char Kalmi Mahal	Emdat Ali Munshi and others.	1,846 10 8	302 8 0½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3432	Taluq Rudra Nariyan Das ...	Mathura Nath Mukhapadhya and others.	603 3 2½	103 0 0½	Ditto ditto.
					Due for kist 28th Sept. 1878. Rs. A. P. 1,049 12 10½	
					Due for kist 12th Jan. 1879. Rs. A. P. 1,747 14 4	
					2,797 11 2½	
Ditto ...	3842	Fourteen annas of 18½ gandas share rendered into 16 annas of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Govinda Mala Choudurani.	4,463 5 4½		The entire 14 annas share will be sold.
					Rs. A. P.	
Ditto ...	3843	Thirteen gandas share of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Raj Coomar Roy	3,601 1 1½	1,249 14 1	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4532	Osat Taluq Hari Prasad Roy in Abad Delpur pergunnah Ratnadi Kalikapu.	Syama Charan Samaddar, hissa 11 annas.	1,195 8 1	154 11 0	This 11 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4546	Padma *alias* Ramjanpur ...	Mir Majjam Hasen Chaudhuri and others.	4,914 0 0	4,914 0 0	The proprietory right of the settlement holders Mir Majjan Hasen Choudhuri and others will be sold.
				Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 2,947 8 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 29 10 0	Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 1,737 10 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 26 15 6	
Ditto ...	5198	Kakra with Rampura ...	Abdul Choban Miya and others, 6 annas shareholders.			The 6 annas share will be sold.
				2,977 2 0	1,764 9 6	

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Moorshedabad will be put to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitro, 1285 B.S.

Serial number.	Class.	Number on towji.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Remarks.
					Rs. A. P.	
1	First class	9	Kismut Kasipore, pergunnah Kasipore.	Shama Charan Bhutto, Chunder Mukhi Dossa, Esan Chunder Roy, Gun sh Lall Roy, Shama Soondary Chowdhurani, Radha Charan Sen, Khatter Nath Banerja, Nitokali Debya, Brojo Kay Banerja, father and guardian of the minor Shatesh Chunder Banerja.	6,074 3 0	In this mehal the share of Gunesh Lall Roy, 4 annas 9 gundas 3 kag 1 til, will be sold, sudder jumma of which is Rs. 2,250-5-1.
2	Ditto ...	72	Dehi Gangada, pergunnah Gunkar.	Prankrishto Banerja, Bonowari Lall Mundul and Srish Chunder Mundul.	2,661 10 9	The whole mehal will be sold.
3	Ditto ...	455	Kismut Suktipore, pergunnah Plassy.	Hurry Mohun, Khetter Nath, Radha Krishto, Gopal Krishto Mookerja, Shakhimony Debya, Syud Atwar Rohamun, Syud Abdool Fattah, Khahira Bebee, Taliba Bebee, Fatama Bebee, mother and guardian of Mohamed Moosa, Syud Mohamed Taha, Rohimunnessa Bebee, Syda Bebee, and Sridam Chunder Sen.	2,403 10 3	Of this mehal, excluding 5 annas 3 gundas 1 kora and 1 kranti of the mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 776-3-0, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Bolda Nath Mookhapadhya, the remainder, 10 annas 16 gundas 2 coras and 2 kranti, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 1,627-7-3, in the name of Hurry Mohun Mookapadhuya and others, will be only sold.
4	Ditto ...	474	Kismut Mouzah Sha Hossenpore, pergunnah Kourprotap.	Abdool Barkat, Fuzla Ahamed, Golam Asraf, Mohamed Kutub Chowdhuri, Chowdhuri Akramul Hak, Chowdhuri Esamal Hak, Nadirunnessa Bebee, herself and mother and guardian of Atahar Ally, Sadari Meha, Nutfunnessa Bebee, guardian of Syud Zinal Abdin, and Syud Nadir Ally.	584 4 4	The whole mehal will be sold.
5	Ditto ...	515	Taraf Ahogoon, pergunnah Shahajadpore.	Kali Doss Ghose, Krishtojibun Ghose, Rakhal Doss Ghose, Debendro Chundra Ghose, himself brother and guardian of Shoshebhusan Ghose, minor, Kvlash Chunder Ghose, Krishto Kissore Ghose, and Rosomoi Debya.	884 13 0	In this mehal only 14 annas share, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 774-3-4, which is held in the name of Kristojibun Ghose and others, will be sold, and remaining portion 2 annas, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 110-0-8, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Kali Doss Ghose, will stand in Kali Doss Ghose's name.

T. M. KIRKWOOD, *Covtd. Depy. Collr. in charge.*

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTORATE, BERHAMPORE, the February 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Durbhunga will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chait 1286, at 12 o'clock on Thursday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Towji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jummah of the whole mehal.	Sudder jummah of the share to be sold.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
				Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs A. P.
1	48	Matiaour Mahabulpur, pergunnah Balagach	Ganesh Lal, Dabi Pershad, Shital Pershad, Kishen Pershad, Bishun Prashad, Gopal Lal, Jhamuck Lal, and Ratun Kooer.	1,738 14 8	80 11 3	0 7 11
2	50	Bhogripore and Ram Chunderpore Dasraha appertaining to mehal Ram Chunderpore, pergunnah Balaguch.	Bhairo Sahay and Bujrung Sahay, 5*g.* share	1,765 6 0	17 6 3	2 3 6
3	55	Malkahpore Buzurg, pergunnah Balagach.	Baboo Bikroo Singh, Baboo Bikoo Singh, Baboo Bhakatoo Singh, and Baboo Jitoo Singh.	3,437 5 4	69 5 0	11 6 8
	1471	Kumar Gawan, pergunnah Jakhur.	Ishwar Deo, 14*g*, 2*d*. 3*r*. 3*pers*.	774 9 9	34 10 6	4 5 4
5	1522	Lahari pergunnah Jubdi ...	Mussamut Hunsmani Bahooaseen mother and guardian of Harkh Dhari Singh, minor, 8*a* 11*g* 1*kt*.	2,450 10 8	1,311 7 9	7 10 4
6	3097	Mooreyaro, pergunnah Saraisa	Dianut Hossein, Baijnath Khan, Man Khan, Juggur Math Khan, Ganesh Khan, Mahinder Khan, Dharun Khan, Zorawar Khan, Baukan Khan, Shamul Khan, Bunyad Khan, Mangal Khan, Faquir Khan, Bikaoo Khan, Bhoogra Khan, Chutter Dharee Khan, Kehco Khan, Ram Sahay Khan, Achumbhit Khan, Omrao Khan, Mussamut Madhooker Koer, herself and guardian, Shew Sahay Singh, Daokh Harun Singh, Deehoo Khan, Bhairo Khan, Shew Deyal Khan, Lall Behary Panday, Manoher Khan, Pahalwan Khan, Runjeet Khan, Sarwan Khan, Bhekhdhary Khan, Bahadoor Khan, Duljeet Khan Rasbehary Khan, Pahulwan Khan, Runjeet Singh, Shee Sahay Singh Pandey, Ram Ajadhia Prosad Pandey, Dowlut Khan, Shekhari Khan, Busti Khan, Ram Dehul Khan, Gauri Khan, Bunsi Khan, Nirghin Khan, son of Roogun Khan, Lachumon Khan, Rajbunsi Khan, Hunsraj Khan, Choolay Khan, Ram Damun Khan, Bochaye Khan, Naik Khan, Adhar Khan, Siromun Khan, Boodhu Ray, Domee Roy.	675 11 9	259 12 7	9 3 4
7	6742	Pakra Mahilary, pergunnah Saraisa.	Bharasi Singh, Dario Singh, Aghori Singh, Birjlal Singh, Mussamutt Shamrood Koer, Mussamut Hira Koer, Mussamut Ram Koer, Pur Deep Sahay himself and guardian of Madhoo Sahay minor, Aghori Roy, Sheikh Bahumud Ally, Dariao Singh, Hanooman Singh, Halkhori Singh, Aghori Singh, and Bhai Singh, son of Pur Deep Narain Singh	780 13 10	197 12 4	9 5 7

DURBHUNGA COLLECTORATE, the 14th February 1879. HERBERT MOSLEY, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Maldah will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of March 1879, corresponding with 2nd Chaetro 1285 B S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Class.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Balance due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1st Class	617	Mouzah Toke Bara Gird Syadpur, pergunnah Rokunpore.	Jadunath Baral and Trailakhya Nath Baral.	2,558 11 0	89 7 0	Half share of the entire estate belonging to Jadunath Baral will be sold for arrears of Government revenue due on the 13th January 1879. Trailakhya Nath Baral, the proprietor of the other half, had opened a separate account under Act XI of 1859 for his share, and has paid in the revenue due from him.

MALDAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 1st February 1879. R. PORCH, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Noakholly will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Choitro, 1285 B.S., for the arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Number of towjee.	Names of estates.	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma.	Balance.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
205	Pergunnah Dandra, share 3 annas.	Kazi Mohomed Moniraddy and Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and guardian of Srimuti Mahomula Khatoore, minor, Chandranath Chowdry, Radhamohun Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterjee, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Srimute Akramanessa, Srimuti Najumanessa, minors, and Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abunasar Mahomed Esahaq	2,420 4 10	1,753 1 11
		Improvement Fund	24 0 0	10 2 8
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Chandranath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	605 1 3	
		Improvement Fund	6 0 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Radha Mohon Rai, share 2 annas 10 gundas	378 2 9	
		Improvement Fund	3 12 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Najumanessa, minors of Reazuddin Munshi, managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji, share 1 anna	151 4 4	
		Improvement Fund	1 8 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Abu Esof, Mahomed Israel, Abu Mahomed, Ubedullah, share 2 annas 3 cowries 1 krant	306 13 6	
		Improvement Fund	3 1 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abu Nasar Mahomed Esahaq, minor, share 1 anna 19 gundas 2 krant ...	226 3 19	
		Improvement Fund	12 15 0	
206	Pergunnah Dandra, share 1 anna 18 gundas 2 cowries 1 krant.	Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and father and guardian of Srimuti Mohomed Khatoon, Srimuti Sarafanessa, self and mother and guardian of Abu Esof Mahomed Israel and Abu Nasar Mohomed Esahaq, Srimuti Wakia Banu, guardian of Ubedulla, Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, Radhamohon Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterji, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Nozumanessa, minors	3,267 0 11	4,596 7 1
		Improvement Fund	83 0 0	48 15 3
		Separate account opened in the name of Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	816 12 3	
		Improvement Fund	8 4 0	
	Ditto	ditto in the name of Radhamohon Rai, share 2 annas 10 gundas	510 7 8	
		Improvement Fund ...	5 2 6	
	Ditto	ditto in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa, Nozumanessa, minors of Reazuddin Munshi, whose estate is managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji	204 3 1	
		Improvement Fund ...	2 1 0	

NOAKHOLLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 24th February 1879. A. MANSON, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estate in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Chaitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of Government revenue on the estates Abad Taktabunia and Abad Chila, Nos. 4538 and 4540 respectively, in the Sundarbans portion of Backergunge district.

Class.	Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.		
1st class ...	1720	1 anna 1½ gandas 1 krant 5 tils share of pergunnah Chandradaip.	Bhagawn Chandra Roy and Anandamayi Chaudhurani, executor and executrix on behalf of Golak Nath Roy Chaudhurani, minor.	9,046 15 1½	For Taktabunia No. 4538. Rs. A. P. 5,761 12 0 For Chila No. 4540. Rs. A. P. 1,768 15 4 7,530 11 4	This entire share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Patna will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 14th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Towji number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor.	REMARKS.
		Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.		
		Rs. A. P.		
20	Bhudsara, pergunnah Masondha.	1,314 5 6	Mussamut Barati Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Baboo Beer Narain Singh and others, maliks.	Out of the sudder jumma Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 669-12-3 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishoon Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs. 644-9-3, on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kalas Puttu Narain Singh, Baboo Hari Narayan Singh, Baboo Mahinder Narayan Singh, Baboo Raghoobuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother, and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheeree Pershad Narayan Singh, minor, and Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor and Harukh Lall, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
22	Ditto ...	1,314 5 6	Ditto ...	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,314-5-6, Rs. 750 5-4 is deducted on account of the shares of Baboo Kishur Koomar Singh and others, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs 564-0-2 on account of the share of Baboo Beer Narain Singh, Baboo Kailas Puttee Narain Singh, Baboo Haree Narain Singh, Baboo Mohender Narain Singh, Baboo Raghubuns Narain Singh, Mussamut Ram Ruttun Koer, mother and guardian of Chowdhry Bendheshree Pershad Narain Singh, minor, Mussamut Baratee Begum, guardian of Mirza Ekbal Bahadoor, Harakh Lall, Harakh Narain Singh, and Mussamut Jay Koer, non-applicants, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.
229	Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, pergunnah Ajimabad	1,185 5 7	Raghu Nath Sahay and others, maliks.	Out of the sudder jumma, Rs. 1,185-5-7, Rs. 1,097-8-4 is deducted in respect of mouzahs Mosulluhpore, Sadekpore, Jogee, Sakutpore Lodee Hosrahnunpore, Nurunderpore, Kharoonia, Janarjunpore, Huzrutpore, Akharia, Huumotpore Deara, and Nesf (8 annas) Kalyanpore, on account of the shares of Ranee Persad Sahor *alias* Madho Lall Sahu, and others, applicants, with whom separate accounts were opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859. The sudder jumma advertized for sale is Rs 87-13-3 in respect of 8 annas of Kalyanpore, appertaining to the lot of the aforesaid Nurunderpore, Kharoonia on account of the share of Raghu Nath Sahay, non-applicant, which will be sold for the arrears of Government revenue only.

PATNA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 5th February 1879. GEO. E. PORTER, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, the undermentioned estates in the district of Gya will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 18th Choyt 1286 F.S., for arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Description of mehal.	Number of rent roll.	Number of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Amount of arrear for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Permanently settled.	1171	Ganharpur Sinduari, &c., pergunnah Kahar.	Dainut Roy, Munshi Syud Ameer Ally, Mussamut Nasiran, Rupchand Sahoo, Bajnath Singh, Ramnath Singh, *alias* Sita Ram, Bishun Sahay Singh, and Ishri Pershad Singh.	6,105 12 0	1 6 0	Ijmal share, sudder jumma of which is Rs. 2,415-11-0, will be sold.
Ditto ...	2267	Jakhay, &c., Dah Kalam Moscomay, mehal Boodhura, pergunnah Pachrookhi.	Tikait Hukum Narain Singh, Mewa Lal, Behari Lal, Tilukdhari Lal, Mussamut Kurimunnissa at present in possession and Sokhi Chand, Towakal Singh, Milan Singh, Budhu Singh, Dabee Singh and Roghoobar Singh, Zurpeshgidars.	602 0 0 Land revenue, 596 0 0 Road cess, 6 0 0	8 0 0 Land revenue, 0 14 0 Road cess, 2 2 0	The whole estate is to be sold.
Ditto ...	2625	Dayrmoon, &c., pergunnah Jamal.	Roy Nawazi Lall, Roy Jeswant Lal, Tulshi Ram for himself and guardian of Fateh Narain, Moorat Singh, Goordyal Singh, Girwar Singh, Dhaka Singh, Samodin Singh and Darshun Singh.	2,239 13 0	62 9 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 543-10-0, will be sold.
Ditto ...	3224	Kurmil Talooka, pergunnah Sherghoty.	Baboo Sikunder Ally Khan, Syud Habibul Hosnaen, Mussamut Fozhilnissa *alias* Chhoko, Goorsahai Sobu, Sukhdeo Sahay, Naenmanik Koer, Gunput Lal, Chaman Sahoo, Chait Lal, Khirodhar Padhia, *alias* Ghinoo Padhia, for himself and guardian of Solnarain Padhia, *alias* Dawan Padhia minor brother, Abdul Ally Khan, Mussamut Thakooro Koer, Lachhi Mahton, Saheb Ally Khan, Mussamut Nuaniran Bibee, Mussamut Zamiran Bibee, Jahangir Baksh Khan, Mussamut Zaemeh *alias* Arzam, Mussamut Gufoor Jan Bibi, Goshain Mohun Grand Mohesh Dutt.	2,303 5 0	8 10 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs 762-10-0, will be sold.
Ditto ...	3513	harma Mussir, &c., pergunnah Siris.	Sheo Saran Singh, Sarun Narain Singh, Jagger Nath Singh, Khaja Ally Roza, Moulvie Fazal Hossain, Mirza Dost Mohamad, father and guardian of Mussamut Mariam and Mussamut Jhoona Koeer.	842 1 0	8 13 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 584-13-0, will be sold.

GYA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 4th March 1879. E. J. BARTON, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, answering to 13th Chaitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

No. in Jewjee.	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
	First Class Permanently-settled.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
12	Zemindari hisha 1 anna, pergunnah Attia, excluding the shares separated under Act XI of 1859 as shewn below.	Girish Chandra Roy Chowdhuri and others ...	143 4 3	28 14 0
	Pergunnah Attia, hisha 1 gd. 8 crs.	Moulvi Abdul Rashid Khan, manager and guardian on behalf of minors Najabali Chowdhuri and Malik Bebi.	61 7 8	.....
	Pergunnah ditto, hisha 7 gundas	Hari Charan Mazumdar	245 15 3	.....
	Pergunnah ditto, hisha 1 anna, excluding the share separated under Act XI of 1859.	Bhagaban Chandra Roy and others	247 1 10	.....
		Total ...	702 12 0	28 14 0

MYMENSINGH COLLECTORATE, the 1st March 1879. N. S. ALEXANDER, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of April 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th day of January 1879.

No.		Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8432	Government resumed estate Boktobully.	Prusanna Kumari Debya and Pran Nath Parey, Sabait of Lakshi Narain Thakur ...	584 0 0	204 0 0	These are resumed estates, and are settled with the proprietors.
2	8672	Chur Dolaif	Gagan Chunder Dutt ... ... R. F	1,092 0 0 11 0 0	360 0 0	
3	9101	Chur Tilloo within chur Mirzapoor.	Ram Jai Rai, Raj Lukshi, Sibosundari Choudhorani and others ... ... R. F ..	884 7 8 8 14 0	384 7 0	The proprietary right to settlement will be sold.
4	9075	Chur Dighaldi, pergunnah Utter Sahpoor.	Srimoti Sonamoni, Komal Kamini, Anundo Moyee, Chunder Kala, Rajnooni, Doya Moyi Choudharani, Jai Tara Daaya, Chundra and Kali Das Mookerjya and Mr. M. David...	1,121 0 0	185 12 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 6th March 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Offg. Collector.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 4th Mar. 1879.

LIABILITIES.		Rs. A. P.	ASSETS.		Rs. A. P.
Capital paid-up		2,00,00,000 0 0	Government Securities		73,45,834 8 0
Reserve Fund		20,25,095 0 0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches		50,23,247 12 9
Public Deposits at Head Office ... ... Rs. 59,47,714 8 8		2,05,40,904 6 4	Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...		68,88,993 3 4
Ditto at Branches ... „ 1,45,93,279 13 8			Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches		2,29,09,343 10 4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...		2,70,48,103 10 8	Balances with other Banks		9,16,285 6 0
Bank Post Bills, &c.		8,64,885 12 0	Bullion		.....
Sundries		8,87,813 11 2	Dead Stock		9,77,013 2 9
			Stamps		6,883 0 0
			Sundries		2,03,867 6 4
					4,48,76,473 0 9
			Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ... Rs. 62,69,580 5 1		
			Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 2,02,20,839 2 4		2,64,90,419 7 5
Rupees ...		7,13,66,892 8 2	Rupees ...		7,13,66,892 8 2

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, *the 6th March* 1879. W. WESTLAND, *Offg Chief Accts. and Dy. Secy.* R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act.—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse	Number, Mark, and Description	Consignees	Ships.
1879.			
Feb. 28	4 Casks, 397 in a diamond, top C & Co ...	Order ...	Ship City of Lahore
,, 28	1 Case, H C. G & Co in a diamond, bottom F T. B & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 28	13 Flat Bars, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 28	20 Casks, K G S & Co in a diamond .	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 28	2 Packages, L in a diamond, bottom K L D .	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 28	2 Packages, 518 in a diamond, top M G ..	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 28	2008 Cakes Spelter, B	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 28	27 Cakes Spelter, D B	Ditto ..	Ditto
,, 28	1 Case, B L & Co	Ditto ..	Ship Star of Erin.
Mar. 1	2 Cases, B & Co in a diamond . ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Case, 397 in a diamond, top C & Co ..	Ditto ..	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, 587 in a diamond, top J. L N. ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 1	2 Cases, M in a diamond, bottom F. T B & Co. ...	Ditto .	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, T in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	5 Packages, B H & Co in a diamond .	Ditto ...	S S Merkara.
,, 1	4 Cases, A R A, bottom K ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Case, 472 in a diamond, outside A B & Co. ..	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, 192 in a diamond, outside A. B & Co. ...	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Case, C C, bottom D	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	5 Kegs, Chongtong	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 1	2 Casks, C & Co	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	6 Cases, 668 in a diamond	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 1	3 Cases, 122 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co ...	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 1	20 Plates Iron, no mark	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 1	4 Plates Iron, G M C or no mark	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Case, A R and A K	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 1	12 Bundles and 5 loose Iron, S P and D E Y or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	2 Bars Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	1 Block Tin, W, bottom S	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 1	3 Kegs, Jalingah	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 1	4 Kegs, Kursong	Ditto .	Ditto
,, 1	3 Kegs, Lebong and Minchu ..	Ditto .	Ditto.
,, 1	2 Cases, 521 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	3 Cases, M S S	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	10 Cases, M S D in a diamond, bottom F T. B & Co	Ditto	Ditto
,, 1	3 Packages, M O R, bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Case, M R S in a diamond, bottom H S. K & Co.	Ditto ..	Ditto.
,, 1	14 Kegs, Moondakoote	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	2 Kegs, Mineral Spring	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	15 Tins provisions, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 1	6 Kegs, Nagri	Ditto ..	Ditto
,, 1	1 Keg, Salgunga	Ditto ...	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, addressed	Surgeon R. Neil Campbell, care of King, Hamilton & Co	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, T in a diamond, outside S A. & Co, Limited.	Order ...	Ditto
,, 1	22 Packages, D H M	Ditto	S S Peshawar.
,, 1	1 Case, G C D in a diamond, bottom D... ..	Ditto .	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, addressed	Mr Ogilvy, 8, Clive Street, Mirzapore	Ditto.
,, 1	1 Case, P W and S	Order	Ditto
,, 1	1 Package, addressed	G C. M Smith, Esq, Buxar	Ditto
,, 1	1 Bag Nuts, S T	Order ..	Ditto.
,, 1	2 Cases, W. W G & Co. in a cross within a block	Ditto	Ditto
,, 1	1 Case, W P	Care of Williamson & Co	Ditto

CALCUTTA, the 8th March 1879. (857—1) W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
423	L 93—45193	50	The Post-Master General, Bengal, and the Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore, Moorshedabad.
	„ 88108	50	
	L 66—95890	50	
428	O 35—32759	100	J. Sterrat.
	„ —11494	100	
429	O 30—80148	10	Messrs. John Dill & Co.
	„ 44—09019	10	
430	O 72 -19409	1,000	Chinta Ram Muddiar.
	„ 70—01033	500	Chand Shaw.
431	O 35—48778	100	Adam Mohomed.
	„ —60240	100	
432	O 35—26182	100	Monsuffrit Ram.
433	„ 34—25093	100	Suruth Pundit.
	L 94—95028	100	
434	O 34—03463	100	Sheik Torab.
436	L 47—33223	20	Sewdeo Prosad.
437	O 35—44067	100	Khooddee Ram Dutt.
438	„ 43—94741	10	A. Burrows.
	„ —59201	10	
440	„ 27—91014	500	Bustee Ram and Bissumbhor Nath.
441	L 92—94847	50	Abdul Kadir.
442	O 34—81817	100	Gotee Ram Manick Ram.
443	„ 30—10507	50	S. Moorhead.
	„ —10508	50	
444	„ 70—07865	500	Superintendent A. Younan, Calcutta Police.
446	O 42—03352 to „ —03411	10 each	Cohen Brothers & Co.
	L 93—89976 to „ —89979	50 each	
	O 25—41477 to „ —41480	20 each	
	O 42—03220	10	
	„ —03221	10	
447	O 30—22441	50	Annoda Prasad Mukerjee.
	„ —22437	50	
450	„ 34—92257	100	Meeah Khow.
	„ —65719	100	
451	„ 30—27454	50	B. Mauger.
452	„ 26—54820	20	Dwarkanath Roy.
	„ —54821	20	
453	O 43—44272	10	Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore.
	„ 18—43265	10	
	L 27—51426	5	
	O 40—99770	10	
	„ 41—01190	10	
	„ 18—32370	10	
	L 99—32474	10	
	O 18—40744	10	
	„ 41—38551	10	
	„ 16—65974	10	
	L 74—21835	10	
	O 8—24583	10	
	„ 43—69578	10	
	„ 19—39851	10	
	„ 18—41085	10	
	„ 39—05569	10	
	L 91—64041	20	
	O 19—77767	10	
	„ 1—37778	10	
	„ 19—03094	10	
	„ 11—00704	10	
	„ 19—95406	10	
	„ 18—32501	10	
	„ 42—34223	10	
	„ 5—19801	10	
	„ 20—55711	20	
	„ 15—58301	10	
	„ 41—98460	10	
	„ 43—44270	10	

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
453	O 5—23922	10	Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore.
	„ 39—15156	10	
	„ 19—88928	10	
	„ 43—44290	10	
	„ —44268	10	
	„ —44269	10	
	„ 9—47965	10	
	„ 40—28002	10	
	„ 10—61137	10	
	„ 43—44289	10	
	„ —44288	10	
	„ —44266	10	
	„ —44267	10	
	„ 24—68964	20	
	„ 10—20678	10	
	„ 41—00823	10	
	„ 18—62815	10	
	L 4—57625	10	
	„ 95—24453	10	
	O 13—57504	10	
	„ 40—94741	10	
	„ 19—76416	10	
	„ 39—53974	10	
	„ 23—04318	20	
	„ 22—65663	20	
	„ —47652	20	
	„ 23—43594	20	
	„ 43—44265	10	
	L 96—63624	10	
	„ 98—01301	10	
	O 43—44263	10	
	„ —44264	10	
	„ 41—66616	10	
	„ 14—05737	10	
	„ 18—66914	10	
	„ 4—70465	20	
	„ 21—93443	20	
	„ 7—77211	10	
	„ 17—89088	10	
	„ 18—12579	10	
	„ 40—02432	10	
	„ 10—85408	10	
	L 95—83217	10	
	O 9—26424	10	
	L 42—70739	10	
	O 11—59038	10	
	„ 43—44261	10	
	„ 39—00617	10	
	„ 43—44262	10	
	„ 40—09726	10	
	„ 18—82063	10	
	„ 25—86747	20	
	„ 23—95770	20	
	„ —55614	20	
	„ —76862	20	
	„ 42—71909	10	
	L 31—88272	5	
	O 42—61443	10	
	„ 14—00031	10	
	„ 5—45387	10	
	„ 19—74875	10	
	„ 17—50929	10	
	„ 11—17023	10	
	„ 42—80794	10	
	„ 15—91120	10	
	„ 13—99113	10	
454	A 85—68523	500	Jodu Nath Das.
	„ —61833	500	
455	O 29—96329	1,000	Jagger Nath Balmukund.
456	O 72—02549	1,000	Rammadaun Chaterjee.
457	O 39—16007	10	S. Narain Singh.
	„ —98892	10	
	„ 41—76563	10	
	„ 43—03812	10	
	„ 42—72050	10	
	„ 40—59773	10	
458	L 44—96760	10	Post-Master-General, North-Western Provinces.
459	L 93—81298	50	Gobinda Chunder Patra.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

476	O 35—26647	100	C. DeC. Richards.
477	O 33—05706	100	Syad Mohomed.
	O 21—59194	20	
478	„ 20—12496	20	Barranosee Chunder Ghose.
479	L 30—59406	5	Jogendro Nath Banerjee.
480	O 44—11004	10	Mrs. A. Brown.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
481	„ 41—76611	10	Nani Lall Banerjee.
482	L 31—40949	5	Mossulluddeen Mollah.
483	„ 93—66528	50	Lt. H. M. Campbell.
	O 19—24089	10	
	„ 40—78227	10	
	„ 42—31846	10	
484	L 27—70962	5	Chunder Coomar Chatterjee.
485	„ 25—67733	20	Rutty Kant Mozoomdar.
	„ 23—38442	20	
486	L 28—32016	5	Shew Golam Panday.
488	O 41—80236	10	Juggo Bundhoo Chatterjee.
	L 29—37237	5	
489	O 34—72185	100	Purroshotum Dutt.
	„ —28535	100	
490	„ 42—96704	10	Jogendro Nath Mitter.
	„ —28003	10	
491	„ 19—22967	10	Tripurah Churn Doss.
492	„ 43—47626	10	Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee.
493	L 37—60851	20	Prosono Coomar Roy.
	„ 17—15878	5	
494	O 14—31387	10	District Traffic Manager, S P. and Delhi Railway, Mooltan
495	„ 35—18014	100	Hakeem Mogurreb Hossein.
496	„ 18—63349	10	Juggut Ram Mookerjee.
497	„ 24—07280	20	Nuffer Chunder Ghose.
498	„ 52—57224	20	Nogendro Nath Mitter.
499	„ 27—72212	500	R. Hildebrand.
500	„ 42—88034	10	Charu Chunder Mookerjee.
501	„ 34—77897	100	Kader Nath Bannerjee.
502	L 77—14581	20	Juggernath Marwaree.
503	„ 42—77586	10	Abinash Chunder Dutt.
	„ —77579	10	
504	O 19—89673	10	Imamuddeen.
505	L 13—45191	20	Purno Chunder Banerjee.
506	O 44—56983	10	Mrs. F. Hill.
	„ —43959	10	
	„ —27742	10	
	„ 43—38660	10	
	„ —02934	10	
	„ 26—31085	20	
	L 54—81636	5	
507	O 35—30213	100	Nundo Lall Sett.
508	„ 14—41210	10	Eshan Chunder Mookerjee.
	„ 6—19063	10	
	„ 10—33980	10	
	„ 9—29712	10	
	„ 14—40721	10	
	„ 9—05568	10	
	„ 12—70460	10	
509	„ 16—69391	10	Gobind Behary Audhicaree.
510	„ 27—95347	500	The Post-Master General, N. W. P.
511	„ 13—34336	10	Nundo Lall Kur.
512	O 35—11432	100	D. F. Stuart.
513	O 35—36300	100	Jew Lall Ram.
	„ —49354	100	
514	L 28—28337	5	Woopendro Nath Ghose.
515	O 42—27661	10	Dabudeen Bachosputty.
	O 24—46947	20	
516	O 26—02209	20	Jamasjee Nusserwanjee, Bombay.
	„ 25—25331	20	
517	O 35—05145	100	Keshub Lall Dutt.
	„ 34—78941	100	
	„ 35—05146	100	
	„ 33—40901	100	
	„ 35—05142	100	
	„ —05148	100	
	„ —05141	100	
518	„ 13—65999	10	Koylash Chunder Mookerjee.
519	O 35—48643 to —48647	at 50 each.	Treasury Officer, Bhagulpore.
	„ 30—05617 to —05636	at 20 each.	
	„ 25—85027 to —85051	at 10 each.	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
519	O 44—29236 to —29265	at 5 each.	Treasury Officer, Bhagulpore.
	„ L 54—69971 to —70000	at 5 each.	
520	L 87—34315	10	E. M. Bensley.
240	L 95—57899 „ —57898	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy
263	O 18—78567 „ 78566	10	Giribore Ram.
265	L 39—73807 „ 73806	10	Doyal Chand Halder.
266	L 15—86535 „ 86835	5	Ramjee Doss Bunsee Lall
267	O 22—69823 „ 69832	20	Manager, Horse Dawk Carriages, Moradabad.
268	L 89—59283 „ 59783	20	Ruttenessur Mullick.
270	O 3—19045 „ 19046	20	Messrs. Nittogopaul Dhur & Co.
	L 33—46308 „ 46307	10	
272	L 11—01999 „ 01996	5	Surjon Mull Hunumunt Ram.
	L 17—49550 „ 49548	5	
	L 22—54791 „ 54792	5	
	A 97—95132 A 96—33109	10	
273	L 89—04393 L 90—82009	20	Aboobaker Ebrahim.
	L 21—31898 „ 97209	5	
274	L 62—25338 „ 58—04832	10	Amrit Nath Jhah.
275	L 30—92353 „ 30—92354	5	W. C. Nicholls.
276	O 25—39948 „ —39943	20	Madar Mullick.
277	O 25—02538 „ 21—62168	20	Gate Clerk of Zoological Garden.
278	L 43—27262 „ —27261	10	Rakhal Das Coar.
279	O 18—12944 „ —12943	10	Bonomaly Seal.
	L 34—24425 „ 32—73675	10	
280	O 22—02702 „ —02756	20	Doorga Churn Goopta.
281	O 16—10369 „ —10396	10	Koonja Lall Bissesur Das.
	L 43—25678 „ —25638	10	
	A 97—28981 „ —28982	10	
282	O 13—95319 „ —95329	10	Chief Pay-Master, E. I. Railway.
283	L 59—12541 „ —12542	10	Gunga Ram.
	L 59—12543 „ —12544	10	
285	A 71—57308 „ —46382	20	Chota Lall.
286	O 14—32864 „ —32865	10	Behary Lall Daw.
287	L 20—73204 „ 25—12525	5	Taraprosono Gupta.
288	O 19—87851 „ —87850	10	Messrs. Lloyd & Co.
	L 73—37637 „ —37635	10	
	L 11—33594 „ —33595	5	
289	L 12—16963 „ —16964	10	Mohendro Nath Neighy.
290	O 42—57353 „ 43—73369	10	Hurro Chunder Chatterjee.
335	L 65—53888 „ —53883	20	Chief Pay-Master, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.

R. A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 4th March 1879.

For Sale.

ONE double-pole Tent, complete. Apply to Superintendent of the Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notice.

THE Stationery Store will be closed for the annual stock-taking from the 16th to the 31st March 1879, both days inclusive, *during which period no stationery can, under any circumstances, be issued.* The alteration in time herein announced is rendered necessary by Government requiring the submission of the annual report on the Stationery Department one month earlier than hitherto.

JOHN B. ROBERTS, *Superintendent.*
GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE, 4, CHURCH LANE, the 21st February 1879.

Wanted,

FOR the district of Mymensingh, a District Road Engineer to act for six months during the absence, on sick leave, of the substantive District Engineer. Candidates must send in their applications by 20th March at latest.

N. ALEXANDER, *Chairman,*
Road Cess Committee.
MYMENSINGH ROAD CESS OFFICE, the 4th March 1879.
(855—6)

WANTED for the Howrah Municipal Police two Sub-Inspectors from the 1st April. They must be well educated, must know English, and be not over 25 years old. The pay will be Rs. 50, with a chance of promotion to Rs. 60 and Rs. 70 respectively. Apply at once to District Superintendent of Police, Howrah.

H. LLOYD JONES, *District Supdt. of Police.*
HOWRAH, the 10th March 1879.

Notice.

THE post of Head Accountant in the Sylhet Collectorate will shortly be vacant. Pay Rs. 70, rising to Rs. 90 by biennial increment of Rs. 2. Applications invited from officers of experience in Central or District Accounts Offices.

JAGAT BANDHU NAG,
Extra Asst. Commr., for Deputy Commr.
SYLHET, the March 1879.

Road Cess Works—District Rungpore.

TENDERS are requested for the supply of teak timber of various scantlings. Apply before end of current month, stating rates and particulars, to

C. H. RINGWOOD, C.E., *Dist. Engr., Rungpore.*
RUNGPORE, the 5th March 1879. (854—2)

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

MONMOHUN DUTT, B L., intends to apply to be enrolled as a Vakeel, Calcutta High Court. (814—4)

NOTICE.—The undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as a Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.
(812—4) KARUNA SINDHU MUKERJEE.

IT is hereby notified that the undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.
(810—4) HARI CHURN MITRA, M.A., B.L.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. John Wienholt in our firm ceased on the 21st instant.

WIENHOLT BROTHERS.
4, LYON'S RANGE, 26th February 1879. (835—3)

Notice.

THE MOTHOLA COMPANY "LIMITED."

A DIVIDEND for season 1878, at the rate of eight and a half (8½) per cent. per annum, has been declared payable at the registered office of the Company, No. 4, Clive Street, on and after Wednesday, the 19th instant.

Shareholders are requested to present their certificates when applying for dividend warrants.

JOHN ELLIOTT AND CO., *Managing Agents.*
CALCUTTA, the 5th March 1879. (850—1)

Notice.

THE MOTHOLA COMPANY, "LIMITED."

THE transfer Register of this Company will be closed from this date to Wednesday, the 19th instant, inclusive.

JOHN ELLIOTT AND CO., *Managing Agents.*
CALCUTTA, the 5th March 1879. (851—1)

Amluckie Tea Company, Limited.

THE Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 12, Mission Row, on Saturday, the 22nd instant, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Managing Agent's report, passing the accounts for the season ending 31st December last, and transacting such other business as may be brought forward.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 7th to 22nd idem, both days inclusive.

BEGG, DUNLOP & CO., *Managing Agents.*
CALCUTTA, the 6th March 1879. (852—2)

Bengal Tea Company, Limited.

THE Thirty-Seventh Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 4, Clive Row, at half past twelve, on Wednesday, the 26th instant, for the purpose of passing the Directors' Report and the Accounts to 31st December last and declaring a dividend.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 12th to 25th instant, inclusive.

(845—2) JARDINE, SKINNER AND CO., *Secretaries.*

India General Steam Navigation Company, Limited.

THE Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 4, Fairlie Place, at noon, on Wednesday, the 12th day of March 1879.

The share transfer book of the Company is closed from this date until the 12th instant.

By order of the Directors,

G. J SCOTT, *Secretary.*
CALCUTTA, the 3rd March 1879. (846—2)

I, SREEMUTTY RUNGUNMONEY DOSSEE, the executrix and trustee of the will of Cassy Nauth Mullick, deceased, under the provisions of section 31 of Act II of 1874, have this day assigned and transferred to Falkiner Sandes Collis, the Officiating Administrator-General of Bengal, and the Administrator-General for the time being, all the estate, effects, and interest vested in me by virtue of the Probate granted to me by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 20th day of June 1864.

SREEMUTTY RUNGUNMONEY DOSSEE.
CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879. (856—2)

Notification.

THE right of selling Court Fee and Non-judicial Stamps at this Collectorate, and Court Fee Stamps only in the High Court during the official year 1879-80, commencing on the 1st day of April 1879, will be put up to auction at the Town Hall on Monday, the 24th March 1879. The Collector does not bind himself to accept the highest offers which are made, but reserves the discretion to select the best qualified persons from among those who make reasonably fair offers. The vendors who may be appointed will be allowed the usual discount on all stamps purchased by them from the Collector's Office.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, the 7th March 1879.

THE public are informed that licenses for the sale of Court Fee and Non-judicial Stamps will be issued by this Office for any part of Calcutta (except at this Collectorate and the High Court, where there are *salaried* vendors). Persons desirous of becoming stamp vendors may apply for licenses on or before the 1st day of April next.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, No. 5, CHURCH LANE, the 6th March 1879.

LOST.—Government Promissory Note No. 5157 of the 4 per cent. of 1842-43, for Rs. 700, in the name of the late Russickmoney Dossee, by whom it was never endorsed to any one. Payment has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal. Application will be made for issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietress (my late wife). (858—3) BHOOBUNESSUR BOSE.

Notice to Creditors.

IN the goods of EMMA EVANS KING, of Camberwell House, Camberwell, in the county of Survey, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgages Powers Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of such claim to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the 4th day of April next, after the expiration of which the administrator of such estate will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of February 1879.

(816—3) ORR AND HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Notice to Creditors.

IN the goods of GEORGE OSBORNE, formerly of Goruckpore, but late of 35, Burnt Ash Hill Lee, in the county of Kent, England, deceased.

PURSUANT to the Trustees and Mortgages Powers Act, notice is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims against the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of such claim to the undersigned at their office, No. 6, Hastings Street, Calcutta, on or before the fourth day of April next, after the expiration of which the administrator of such estate will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 15th day of February 1879.

(817—3) ORR & HARRISS, *Attorneys-at-Law.*

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," Section 42, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the late Edward Hinder formerly a Bengal Pilot, deceased, who died at Patersham, in the colony of New South Wales, and letters of administration of whose property and credits were duly granted to John Aikman, Esquire, the Agent in Calcutta of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, one of the constituted Attorneys of Edward Robert Hinder, one of the Executors of the deceased, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction, are hereby required to send in such claims to the said John Aikman within one calendar month from this date, and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the said time the assets of the said estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard being had to the claims of which notice shall then have been received by the said John Aikman, who will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim no notice shall have been then received by him. Dated this 3rd day of March 1879

TROTMAN & WATKINS, *Attorneys*

CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879. (848—3)

Execution Case No. 187 of 1878.

Annapurna Debee, decree-holder, *versus* Debnath Bajpye, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 2nd April 1879, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 1,402-10-1 due to decree-holder. Particulars may be learned at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No 1.—Two annas and one-half gundas share of kismath taruff Mahadebnagar, Anoopnagar and others, Dhankul, Hingarpara mai madafath, situate in pergunnah Rajshahye, division Shamshergunge, under the Sub-Registrar of Dhulian, entered in Moorshedabad Collectorate towji, No. 387, in the name of Ramdulal and others, on a sudder jumma of Rs. 242, and Rs. 1,866-12-10 for the whole share. The same is held in putni by Mr. Henery Masseyk on a putni jumma of Rs. 351, but is in the possession of Gopilal Panday and others.

MENU LAL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge.*

The 26th February 1879. (849—1)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of CALLYDOSS BOSE, of No. 42, Bulloram Mozoomdar's Street, Coomartoley, in the town of Calcutta, lately carried on business as a General Contractor and House-builder, but at present out of employment, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic. Chap. XXI was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of SAUL DAVID, of No. 178, Lower Chitpore Road, in the town of Calcutta, a Hebrew inhabitant, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic. Chap. XXI was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

A. Carapiet, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of SAUL DAVID, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. Carapiet, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of CALLYDOSS BOSE, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of GEORGE NICHOLAS, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of GOBIND CHUNDER BHUR, of No. 22, Juggernath Soorooe's Lane, in the Town of Calcutta, carrying on business as Twist Merchant at No. 63, Cross Street, Burra Bazar, in Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic. Chap. XXI was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

G. C. Chunder, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of JOSEPH AUGIER, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 18th day of March instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

H. R. Fink, *Attorney*.

IN the matter of MOHABEER SUBBUN, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 18th day of March instant, and this Court doth hereby make this *ad interim* protection order for the protection of the said Insolvent, from arrest, to take effect from the date hereof, in respect of all the debts and liabilities mentioned in the Schedule of the said Insolvent filed in this Court, which protection shall continue in force until the said 18th day of March instant, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Carruthers & Jennings, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of GONESHPERSAUD, carrying on trade or business in two separate places at Monohur Doss' Chauk, Burra Bazar, Calcutta, as to one place of business, under the style or firm of "Chotalall Goneshpersaud," and as to the other place of business under the style or firm of "Samul Doss and Ramkisson Doss," an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 1st day of March instant, it was ordered on the petition of Oscar Von Ernsthausen, Emil Oesterley, and Paul Ferdinand Eisenlohr, all at present residing in Europe, carrying on trade or business at No. 8, New China Bazar Street, Calcutta, under the style or firm of "Ernsthausen and Oesterley, as Merchants, James Schroder, Johann Smidt, George Smidt, and E. Seebeck, all at present in Europe, carrying on trade or business as Merchants at No. 7, Old Court-house Street, Calcutta, under the style or firm of "Schroder, Smidt and Company," and Charles Hirschhorn and G. Teske, both at present residing in Europe, carrying on trade or business as merchants at No. 22, Canning Street, Calcutta, under the style or firm of "Ullmann Hirschhorn and Company," creditors of the said Insolvent adjudged that the said Goneshpersaud hath committed an act of Insolvency under the provisions of the Act XI Vic. Chapter XXI, and by another order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Roberts, Morgan & Company, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of LEWIS VAUGHN MANLY, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 18th day of March instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ *Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 11th day of March 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P. M.	12th Mar.	*Canara.**
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 „	14th „	*Simla.*
Ceylon, Straits, Hong-Kong, United States of America, and the Colonies of Queensland, New South Wales and Victoria, *via* Torres Straits (letters, &c., for the latter colony must be specially superscribed)	6 „	15th „	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab and Kyouk Phyoo.	6 „	16th „	*Madras.*
Persian Gulf	6 „	17th „	From Bombay.
Port Blair and Camorta ...	6 „	18th „	*Satara.*
Straits and Hong-Kong ...	6 „	18th „	*Moray and A. Apcar.*

The next Overland Mail *vid* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 14th March 1879.*

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 13th March 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta*.

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 10th March 1879.

* Mails for Mauritius, St. Denis and Reunion can be forwarded,

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Asansole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
	6 „	5 „	
Howrah	8 „	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 „	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 „	8 A.M.	
	7-45 „	7-15 „	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 „	5 „	7 „
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 „	3-30 „	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Pubna, Kishnagur, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 „	5 „	7 „
All stations in the Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M.	9 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 „
Cooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Poorce, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 „	5 „	6-30 „
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays ..	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	Remarks.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3-0	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S	6-30	10-12	2-57	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	4-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S C	6-30	10-55	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.		First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	Remarks.
		A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office		8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar	N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar	C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla	N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla	N W	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla	W C	8-35	1-10	4-35	
* Napit Bazar	E C	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta	E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St.	S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street	P	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore	S.	8-57	1-32	4-52	
* Kidderpore	S. W.	8-35	1-15	4-35	
* Allipore	A	8-50	1-30	4-50	
* Garden Reach	W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 4th Mar. 1879.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 11th March 1879.

Adjee, —.
Allen, Mrs. A.
Allen, A. J.
Allen, R. C.
Arratoon, L.
Arson, G.
Anger, F. W.
Anthony, G.
Aviet, J.
Backer, J.
Baldock, Mrs. C.
Barnes, T.
Barton, Mrs.
Bava, M.
Beards, B.
Blair, R. W.
Brooks, G.
Brown, J. E.
Boileau, C. S.
Boswell, W. A.
Bowden, E. J.
Carrel, Monsieur.
Chalrel, J. W.
Chamberlain, C.
Chorial, F.
Churcher, D.
Coakley, Miss A.
Cockey, E. N.
Cooper, F. S.
D'Cruize, J.
D'Cruze, C. P.
Evans, J. M.
Farrell, Edwin.
Fitch, F.
Forbes, A.
Garwin, T.
Godfrey, Mrs.
Gomeze, R.
Hunter, G.
Law, J. A.
Lemarchand,—.
Lewis, T.
Lyon, A. G.
McEwan, Dr.
Merry, Mrs.
Murray, Mrs. M.
Nelson, J.
Oldham, R. A.
Pereira, E M.
Ponting, W.
Raymond, B.
Rigby, M. M.
Russell, Revd. W. H,
Steen, W.
Wadham, W.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

A. B. C.
Addington, E.
Anderson, A.
Bailey, F. A.
Beaver, P.
Bell, J. A.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blagdon, G.
Boileau, Capt. L.
Brener, W. J.
Bridgnell, J. M
Buckley, C. W.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.
Byrne, Mrs. E. M.
Cameron, Mrs. Ewer
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Clague, W. G.
Craig, E. R.
Cummins, Mrs.
Davison, W.
Delta.
Dumbol, T.
Eales, E. F.
E. F. W.
Evans, G.
Fraser, A.
Fryr, R. J.
Furgas, Mrs. E. M.
Furguson, D.
Gage, W. Quintin
G. C. T.
G. E. F.
Goddard, Edward.
Goldney, Lieut. F. C N.
Greaves, W.
Green, Mrs.
Greer, H.
Gruiblander, Esphir
Guldediben, George
Hellstrom, Miss
Hughes, J. W.
Hutchinson, Miss F.
Innes, T. E. D.
Janney, L R.
Johnson, Miss.
Kennedy, R.
Kerr, A.
Lackerstein, N.
Man, G. O.
Martin, Thomas
Mayne, E. G.
McNaught, T.
McWilliams, J.
M C., Mrs.
Meyers, B.
Mitchell, C.
Moore, Miss
M. S. W.
Murray, J.
Nairne, A.
Nelson, H. R.
Nicolay, Mrs.
Nuthell, Major H
O'Donnell, O.
Palmer, Mrs. C.
Patterson, R.
Payne, Bob
P. D. C.
Perrin Mari, Monsieur.
Platts, Mrs. S.
Preston, Mrs. F. H.
Renaud, M. D.
Rhodes, R.
Sanders, Mrs.
Shaw, Dr. F. C.
Simpson, —.
Skelton, Phillip.
Smith, W.
Smith, R.
Walker, Mrs.
Webster, David
West, Mrs. E
Williams, Col. J. M.
Whitham, Dr. R.
X.

Newspapers.

Blair, R. W.
Chalrel.
Davison, W.
Hatton, T.
Hughes, J. W.
James, C. S.
Marsham.
Nailer, A. S.
Prince, John
Renaud, A.
Skelton, P.
Stuart, J S M.
Wall, J.
Waters, T.
Wheeller, E. E.
Williams, L.

Registered Letters.

Carrel, F. LeV.
Langford, A.
Johnston, W. H.
Michael, J. H.
— Smith, Mrs. E.
Stevenson, David.
Trevor, Major, R.E.
William, Thomas, Capt.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

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G. J HYNES,
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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following Bill was read in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations on the 8th March 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee who are to report thereon in three weeks :—

A Bill to amend Bengal Act III of 1878.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is necessary to amend Bengal Act III of 1878 (*an Act to define and limit the powers of settlement officers with respect to enhancement of rent*), and further to define the powers of settlement officers in respect of the determination of rents: It is enacted as follows :—

Proviso added to section 2.

1. To section 2 of the said Act the following proviso shall be added :—

Provided always that notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this or any other Act, any rent which may have been recorded as demandable from an under-tenant or ryot in accordance with rates confirmed under the provisions of section 3 of this Act, and in respect of which notice shall have been served or published as provided in section 4 of Bengal Act III of 1878, shall by every court having cognizance of rent suits be deemed to be fair and equitable, and, if such rent be higher than the rent previously paid by such under-tenant or ryot, to have been correctly enhanced, unless it be proved that such recorded rent is higher than the rent which would be demandable from such under-tenant or ryot according to the calculations mentioned in section 5 as substituted by this Act.

New proviso in section 8.

2. The following proviso shall be substituted for the first proviso in section 3 of the said Act :—

"Provided that where in the course of any settlement proceedings conducted under Regulation VII of 1822, the general rates of rent to be adopted in such settlement shall have been confirmed by the revenue authorities from time to time empowered in this behalf by the local Government, and, in accordance with such rates, a higher rent shall have been recorded as demandable from any under-tenant or ryot than was previously paid by him, such rent shall be deemed to have been correctly enhanced until the contrary be proved."

New section substituted for section 5.

3. The following section shall be substituted for section 5 of the said Act :—

"In any notice served, or in any general notice published as provided in the last preceding section, it shall not be necessary to specify the area which was held, or the amount of rent which was paid by any under-tenant or ryot at any previous time, but it shall be sufficient to state that the rents recorded in the proceedings as demandable from the under-tenants or ryots named in such notice, or in the jummabundi appended thereto, on account of the land now held by them respectively, are calculated on rates which do not bear a higher proportion to the general rates which were taken as the basis of the last previous settlement of the estate than the average value of produce, prevailing at the time of the present settlement, bears to the value of similar produce which prevailed at such last settlement as recorded in the papers of such settlement, or otherwise ascertained, or (if the value of produce at the time of such previous settlement has not been recorded in the papers of such settlement or cannot be otherwise ascertained) than the average value of produce prevailing at the time of the present settlement bears to the average value of similar produce calculated on any period of three consecutive years since the date of the last previous settlement."

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

BENGAL Act III of 1878 provides that enhanced rents recorded as demandable by a settlement officer in the course of proceedings under Regulation VII of 1822 shall be deemed to have been correctly enhanced until the contrary be proved. But in order that this validity may attach to rents so recorded, it is necessary that a notice of enhancement be served on each ryot, or a jummabundi published under section 4; and section 5 requires that the grounds of the enhancement shall be specified in any such notice or jummabundi.

Section 2 further requires that the grounds of enhancement must be one or more of those specified in Section 18, Bengal Act VIII of 1868. Where the ground of enhancement under that section is a rise in the value of produce, the decisions of the Civil Courts indicate that they will require a specific comparison to be made, on the one hand, between the rates on which the proposed enhanced rent is calculated, and the value of the produce at the time being, and, on the other, between the rates on which the rent previously paid was calculated, and the value of the produce at the time when the rent of the holding was last adjusted, or at some other period during the tenancy of the ryot.*

* In the celebrated case of Thakooranee Dassee (III W. R. 29), decided on the 19th June 1865, Mr. Justice Macpherson, while concurring with Mr. Justice Trevor on the principle that the enhanced rent should bear to the present value of the produce the same proportion as the old rent bore to the value of produce at the time taken for comparison, wrote in his judgment—

"Let the zemindar go back to any year he chooses; let him go back to the last adjustment if he can; if not, to any year which he thinks will suit his purpose."

Experience has shewn that these conditions practically frustrate the object of the Act. In most cases of resettlement of large estates the Collector is unable to obtain from the zemindars anything like complete papers, from which it can be shown in what year, or on what area (and therefore on what rates), the existing arrangement as to rent was made with each separate ryot, such arrangement having in most cases been made, and the holding itself created, at some time after the last general settlement of the estate, the records of which therefore contain no mention of it.

It is against the interest both of the zemindar and of the ryot to furnish the information, and not only so, but in many cases, even in estates the property of Government, the information does not exist in such a systematic shape as to make it available. In the absence of it, it is impossible for the settlement officer to set out the grounds of enhancement in the notices, or eventually to establish them in Court, if called on to do so, in the specific manner required.

As the assessment of the land revenue demand on the zemindars must depend in great measure on the aggregate of the rents which are paid by the under-tenants and ryots, the effect of the difficulty above explained is to debar the settlement officer, on the expiration of the term for which an estate has been temporarily settled, from assessing on it such a demand of land revenue as fairly represents the share of the unearned increased value of the produce of the soil to which the State is fairly entitled as public revenue.

The object of the Bill is to remove this difficulty, while securing the ryot against arbitrary and excessive enhancement.

H. L. DAMPIER.

The 8th March 1879.

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PART VI.

Bill of the Indian Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 5th March, 1879, and was referred to a Select Committee:—

No. 4 OF 1879.

A Bill to amend the Presidency Banks Act, 1876.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Presidency Banks Act, 1876, in manner hereinafter appearing; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Presidency Banks Act, 1879;" and it shall come into force on the first day of May, 1879.

Amendment of Act XI of 1876, section 28.

2. To the first clause of section 28 of the Presidency Banks Act, 1876, the following proviso shall be added, that is to say:

"Provided that no person shall be chosen to be President or Vice-President twice in succession."

Amendment of section 34 of same Act.

3. In the same Act, section 34, before the words "no Khazánchi," the words "without the previous sanction of the Board" shall be inserted.

Amendments of section 36.

4. In the same Act, section 36, clause (*a*), sub-clause (4), after the words "municipal body," the words "or any body of Commissioners for making improvements in any port or of trustees of any port" shall be inserted.

In the same section, the words "in the case of the Bank of Madras" shall be omitted in both the places in which they occur.

In the same section, after clause (*m*), the following clause shall be inserted, that is to say, "(*m m*) the borrowing of money in India for the purposes of the Bank's business and the giving of security for money so borrowed by pledging assets or otherwise."

Amendment of section 37.

5. In section 37 of the same Act, for clause (*d*), the following shall be substituted, that is to say,

"(*d*) Nor shall they (except upon the security mentioned in section 36, paragraph *a*, Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive)

discount bills for any individual or partnership-firm for an amount exceeding in the whole at any one time such sum as may be prescribed by the bye-laws for the time being in force, or

lend or advance in any way to any individual or partnership-firm an amount exceeding in the whole at any one time such sum as may be so prescribed."

Amendment of section 63.

6. In section 63 of the same Act, clause (*a*), for the words "lent by discount of bills or otherwise to," the words "lent to or for which bills may be discounted for" shall be substituted.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

1. THE necessity for this Bill has arisen chiefly from a doubt which has been expressed as to whether the Presidency-banks have power under the Presidency Banks Act, 1876, to borrow money for the purposes of their business by pledging assets or otherwise. The need of such a power is obvious.

As observed in a memorial recently submitted to the Governor General in Council by the banks, "it is an ordinary incident of banking-business to obtain funds for temporary purposes by pledging assets. If banks are prohibited from raising money by pledge of assets when occasion arises, they may, on a sudden requisition for cash, be obliged to make forced sales of property at a disadvantage; and this applies with great force to the Presidency-banks of India whose action in forcing Government or other securities on the market might cause a public panic."

The power required will be conferred by a new clause which the Bill (in the last clause of section 4) proposes to add to section 36 of the Act; but it is limited to borrowing in India, because so long as the Government balances are in the custody of the Presidency-banks, it is not considered expedient that the banks should engage in foreign exchanges or have the power of creating a foreign agency in England, which would be the necessary results of conceding a power to borrow out of India.

2. The other sections of the Bill provide for certain minor amendments of the Act which it has been thought desirable to take this opportunity of making.

Section 2 provides that no person shall be, in two successive years, chosen as President or Vice-President of a Presidency-bank.

3. Section 3, which admits of a khazánchi, cashier or shroff at the principal office of a bank engaging in business with the previous sanction of the Board, has been introduced at the instance of the Bank of Bengal, who represent that the absolute prohibition contained in the present law makes it difficult to secure the services of a suitable person, and that the necessity for any such absolute prohibition has ceased to exist, now that the khazánchi has no longer any concern with the discount business in Native Bills, and is, in fact, a mere cashier.

4. Lastly, clauses have been added to clear up an ambiguity which, in the opinion of Counsel, attaches to section 37, clause (*d*), and section 63, clause (*a*), of the Act; to include in the securities on which loans may be made, and in which the banks may invest, debentures and other securities issued by the Port Trusts under Acts of the Indian legislatures, and to concede to the Banks of Bengal and Bombay the power already possessed by the Bank of Madras of drawing and dealing in negotiable instruments, and issuing bank-post-bills and letters of credit, payable in Ceylon.

CALCUTTA,
The 4th March, 1879.

J. STRACHEY.

D. FITZPATRICK,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 8th March 1879.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn. 1	Burdwan, Mar. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. The state and prospects of the crops are unchanged.
Burdwan Divn. 2	Bankoora, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer daily. The crops are being harvested with fair out-turn.
Burdwan Divn. 3	Beerbhoom, „ 9 „	Nil	Weather—warm and sunny. No crops to speak of are now on the ground.
Burdwan Divn. 4	Midnapore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
Burdwan Divn. 5	Hooghly, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting daily warmer. There are few crops on the ground. Fever and cholera still prevail in some parts of the district.
Burdwan Divn.	Howrah, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are as before.
	Central Districts.		
Presidency Divn. 6	24-Pergunnahs, Mar. 10 '79	Nil	Weather—cooler than last week. Nothing further to report about the crops Rain is wanted. Public health in general is good.
Presidency Divn. 7	Nuddea, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—cooler than last week. No change in the state and prospects of the crops since last week.
Presidency Divn. 8	Jessore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—hot and seasonable. The winter crops are being harvested. Rain is wanted. Cholera is said to have appeared in the east of the district.
Presidency Divn. 9	Moorshedabad, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—very hot till the 5th, then cool. No change to report in the state and prospects of the crops.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 10	Dinagepore, „ 7 „	Nil	Strong winds: weather cool. The cold weather harvest is nearly over. The land is being prepared for rice.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 11	Rajshahye, „ 8 „	Nil	The weather during the first part of the week was warm during the day, but cool at night; during the last few days it became somewhat cooler. The *rubbee* crop generally is not more than an eight or a nine-anna one, though it is somewhat better in the low lands of Nattore. Lands are being prepared for the *dhan* sowings. Five deaths from cholera in Bagmara and a few cases of small-pox in Charghat and Lallpore.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 12	Rungpore, „ 7 „	Nil	Two days of strong westerly wind have been followed by cooler weather. The state and prospects of the crops continue to be favourable, but rain is wanted. Small-pox still prevails in the Bagdogra sub-division.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 13	Bogra, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. The standing crops are fair, but would be improved by rain. *Kherachi* is being cut. There is no alteration in the price of rice. There were 18 cases of small-pox in Bogra and Adamdighi. The health of the people is generally good.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 14	Pubna, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—colder than last week. A W.S.W. wind. The prospects of the crops remain good. Small-pox has not spread in thana Pubna, and on the whole the public health is satisfactory.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 15	Darjeeling, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. Sunshine during the day. No crops of any importance on the land. The ground is being cultivated for *bhootta* and early rice.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn. 16	Julpigoree, „ 8 „	Nil	No change to report since last week, except that the weather has again become cooler. The crops everywhere are satisfactory. An outbreak of cholera is reported in a tract not very far from the station; otherwise the general health of the district is good.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn.	Cooch Behar, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—fair; cooler than last week. *Bitree* cultivation is progressing. The cold weather crops are all doing well. Tobacco is generally a good crop. Public health is good.

No	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)			
	Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divn. 17	Dacca, Mar. 8 '79	Nil	The nights are colder than usual at this season. The state and prospects of the crops are good.
18	Furreedpore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fair. The state and prospects of the crops are good, but rain is wanted in many places.
19	Backergunge, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—dry and hot. Rain is badly wanted throughout the district. Prices are stationary. Health is fair.
20	Mymensingh, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—fine and seasonable. The state and prospects of the crops are favourable.
21	Tipperah, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—hot and overcast. Rain is wanted for ploughing The cold-weather crops are mostly gathered with good outturn. Exportation of rice is still going on. Prices keep up, ranging from Rs. 2-12 to Rs. 3-4 a maund. A few cases of small-pox in thana Daudkandi.
Chittagong Divn. 22	Chittagong, „ 6 „	0·09	Weather—seasonable. Somewhat cloudy almost every day in the week. More rain is wanted for the cold-weather crops. Small-pox is reported from Cox's Bazar and Teknaaf.
23	Noakholly, „ 6 „	Nil	Weather—during the week much warmer until 5th, when there was a fall in the temperature. The state and prospects of the crops are the same as before. Rain is wanted.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts „ 4 „	Nil	Weather—getting warm daily. Cloudy on the 4th. *Jûm* cutting still continues. Want of rain is much felt throughout the district. The gathering of mustard is over. An average outturn has been obtained.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 5 „	Nil	Weather—warm. The prospects of chillies and *teel* are fair. Sugarcane is still being cut. *Aus* paddy is being sown. Public health is good
BEHAR.			
Patna Divn. 25	Patna, Mar. 8 '79	Nil	Weather—warm during the first, and cool during the second, half of the week. The *rubbee* prospects are on the whole good, though some damage to gram and other pulses has been done by caterpillars.
26	Gya, „ 8 „	Nil	The mornings and evenings are cool. The maximum reading of the thermometer in the shade was 94·3°. The condition of the *rubbee* crop is good as reported before, and no rain is wanted. Cases of small-pox have been reported from a few stations. The health of the plough-cattle is good.
27	Shahabad, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Most of the *rubbee* crops are in harvest. The gram has sustained some injury from caterpillars. Public health is fair, though small-pox is still prevalent in some places.
28	Durbhunga, „ 10 „	Nil	Weather—clear, with west wind. No remarkable change since last week in the prospects of the *rubbee* crops, which look pretty well. Prices are stationary. Health of the people is good.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—mild, with strong west wind in the early part of the week. In the Mozufferpore and Hajeepore Sub-divisions the state of the *rubbee* crops continues favourable. Want of rain is, however, affecting the crops in the Seetamurhee Sub-division. Indigo sowings are retarded by the west wind.
30	Sarun, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—getting warmer. Dry west wind is prevailing. No rain during the week. The state and prospects of the crops are good. The prices of food grains are stationary. Public health is good.
31	Chumparun, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fine. No change in the state and prospects of the crops.
Bhagulpore Division 32	Monghyr, ...	.....	Return not received.
33	Bhagulpore, Mar. 8 „	Nil	Strong westerly winds. The linseed crop, which was in flower, was considerably damaged by the rain in February. Wheat, barley, &c., have been much benefited and promise a large harvest.
34	Purneah „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable; nights cold, days hot; west wind. The prospects of the crops are good.
35	Maldah, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—fair and rather hot during the day. The state and prospects of the crops are good. The prices of food-grains are somewhat lower. Public health continues to improve.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 9 „	Nil	Weather—dry, but cooler. The *rubbee* in the north is good There is hardly any *rubbee* grown in the south

No	District and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack, Mar. 8 '79	0·47	Weather—seasonable, but warm. The *dalua* crop is progressing well The rain has done much good to it as well as to the mango crop. In several places lands have also been ploughed A few cases of cholera here and there. On the whole the public health is good.
38	Pooree, „ 6 „	1 38	Weather—seasonable. The harvesting of the *sarad* rice crop has been completed Sugarcane is being pressed. *Kulthi* and other winter crops are being harvested. The rain did much good to the mango and *dalua* crops. Rice sells at 15¼ to 21 seers for the rupee. A few cases of cholera have been reported.
	Khoorda	0·14	
39	Balasore, „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable and dry. The few crops on the ground continue in good condition Public health is good.
CHOTA NAGPORE			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Mar. 7 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Hot sun; cold west winds. The wheat and barley crop are ripening, and will soon be cut The outturn will be a good one. The gram crop is well forward.
41	Lohardugga, „ 8 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Prospects are unchanged The *rubbee* crop in the Head-quarters Sub-division promises to turn out well, and in the Palamow Sub-division fairly. Ploughing is going on.
42	Singbhoom „ 7 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable Nothing new to report about the crops.
43	Manbhoom, Mar. 8 „	Nil	Weather—warm and seasonable. Nothing new to report about the crops The prospects of *mohwa* are good. A few cases of cholera reported in the town of Purulia.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE UNDERMENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 28TH FEBRUARY 1879.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																		
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
	BENGAL.																		
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1	Burdwan	A 10 0	10 4	16 0	17 8	19 0	26 0	14 0	13 12	14 4	14 12	14 12	13 0	14 12	...	...				
2	Bankoora	B 10 8	10 8	12 8	16 0	14 0	22 0	15 8	14 8	12 8	17 12	16 12	17 8	...	...	...				
3	Beerbhoom	C 10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	20 0	10 8	10 8	12 0	13 8	13 8	15 0	...	...	...				
4	Midnapore	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	17 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...				
5	Hooghly	D 11 0	10 4	12 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	11 8	13 0	...	...	...				
	Howrah	11 8	10 8	12 4	...	...	...	10 0	9 4	8 0	13 0	11 4	13 0	...	...	...				
	Central Districts.																			
	Calcutta	10 12	10 10½	11 12	13 5	13 8	16 0	5 5½	5 12	7 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...				
6	24-Pergunnahs	E ...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 0	6 8	10 12	10 8	12 4	...	...	...				
7	Nuddea	F 11 7	11 7	12 5	...	...	...	10 10	10 0	12 5	11 7	11 7	12 13	...	...	...				
8	Jessore	G ...	11 4	11 12	...	...	...	9 4	9 0	11 12	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...				
9	Moorshedabad...	H 12 0	11 8	16 0	...	...	26 0	11 8	11 12	{13 0 to 14 0}	13 5	13 8	{14 8 to 15 0}	...	...	...				
10	Dinagepore	I 8 6	8 6	12 0	16 0	17 0	23 0	12 0	12 0	14 8	14 6	14 6	18 8	...	...	...				
11	Rajshahye	J 12 0	13 8	12 0	26 4	12 0	37 8	{9 12 to 10 8}	9 14	12 12	{12 12 to 15 0}	13 2	{13 8 to 15 0}	..	...	...				
12	Rungpore	K 9 0	9 0	15 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 4½	11 15	11 4½	13 8	18 0	...	...	...				
13	Bogra	10 8	10 10	12 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 0	12 0	14 4	13 8	16 8	...	...	...				
14	Pubna	L 13 8	13 8	13 0	..	...	..	6 0	7 8	8 0	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...				
15	Darjeeling	M 8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...				
16	Julpigoree	N 7 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 3	12 8	16 0	...	...	...				
	Eastern Districts.																			
17	Dacca	O 10 8	9 11	13 1	...	...	...	10 8	11 4	11 12	12 4	12 4	14 8	16 0	...	...				
18	Furreedpore	P 12 8	12 8	15 0	14 0	14 0	...	6 0	6 0	8 0	12 8	11 8	14 0	...	...	...				
19	Backergunge	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...				
20	Mymensingh	R 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 12	13 0	13 0	13 8	14 8	...	...	...				

A In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12½ seers, barley 16 to 18 seers, best rice 12 to 15½ seers, common rice 13 to 16½ seers, and gram 9 to 11½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10½ to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 11 to 15 seers, common rice 15 to 18 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 24 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, best rice 13 to 15 seers, common rice 14½ to 17½ seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11 to 12 seers, barley (at Serampore) 16 seers, best rice 6½ to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 13½ seers, and gram 9 to 11 seers

E In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 10½ seers, barley (at Kidderpore) 13$\frac{6}{16}$ seers, best rice 6 to 6½ seers, common rice 10 to 13 seers, and gram 10 to 10½ seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 11$\frac{8}{16}$ to 14 seers, barley 16 to 18 seers, best rice 7 to 10½ seers, common rice 11$\frac{8}{16}$ to 13 seers, and gram 10 to 12½ seers.

G In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 13 seers, common rice 11 to 14 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

H In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 11 seers, best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 13½ to 14½ seers, and gram 8 to 13½ seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 28th February 1879.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 4	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 8	9 10	8 14	Burdwan.
...	...	...	...	...	...	31 4	31 0	32 0	10 0	10 4	13 0	360 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30 0	9 0	9 8	16 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	16 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	14 8 to 15 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 4	10 4	12 12	100 0	100 0	80 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
17 12	17 8	13 5	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	10 8	10 4	10 10½	16 0	64 0	64 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	13 4	90 0	90 0	90 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	17 4	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 2	9 6	8 14	Nuddea
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	9 12	9 8	16 8	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	10 0	20 0 to 20 12	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 9 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	14 8	180 0	160 0	180 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	7 8	17 8	200 0 to 240 0	200 0 to 240 0	240 0	9 0	9 0	8 10	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 14	9 0	15 0	106 0	106 0	107 0	7 14	7 14	7 8	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	6 0	6 12	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 7	8 4	8 4	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	8 0	13 0 to 18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Pubna.
...	...	...	12 0	12 0	9 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	6 0	6 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	6 6	8 0	10 0	64 0	75 0	64 0	7 0	7 0	7 5	Julpigoree
																		Eastern Districts.
26 8	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 6	9 6	15 8	91 4	91 4	80 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Backergunge.
...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	12 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	9 0	Mymensingh.

I In Roygunge the prices are—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 11 seers, common rice 14 seers, and gram 9 seers.
J In Nattore the prices are—Wheat 1b½ seers, best rice 9 seers, common rice 12½ seers, and gram 6¾ seers.
K In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 7½ to 21 seers, best rice 8 to 9 seers, common rice 11½ to 13⅝ seers, and gram 7½ to 8 seers.
L In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 12½ seers, best rice 6½ seers, common rice 11 seers, and gram 7 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 5 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 12 seers, lesser millets (at Kurseong) 10 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Kurseong) 13 seers, and gram 6 to 7 seers.
N In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 6 to 8 seers, best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 9 to 16 seers, and gram 5 to 8 seers.
O In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat (at Jaffergunge) 13 seers, barley (at Jaffergunge) 18 seers, best rice 10 to 11½ seers, common rice 11½ to 13 seers, and gram 9¾ to 12 seers.
P In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat (at Goalundo) 13 seers, barley (at Goalundo) 16 seers, best rice 10 to 12 seers, common rice 11½ to 12½ seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.
Q In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 11 to 13$\frac{3}{16}$ seers, common rice 12 to 13$\frac{1}{16}$ seers, and gram 5 to 12 seers.
R In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 9 to 10½ seers, common rice 10½ to 13 seers, and gram 7½ to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under.

QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT			RICE, COMMON			BUTRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch
21	Chittagong	S 9 0	8 0	8 0	..	..	..	10 0	11 0	7 0	14 0	13 5½	12 0		...	*
22	Noakholly	T ..	...	...	...	.	.	9 8	9 0	8 0	14 0	12 0	12 0	..	...	...
23	Tipperah	9 0	9 0	10 0	..	...	..	9 0	8 8	12 0	12 12	13 4	14 0	...	...	...
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	.	.	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	10 0	13 5	13 5	11 10	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	7 0	7 5	8 5	...	..	.	10 0	10 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...
	BEHAR															
25	Patna	12 0	12 0	16 0	19 0	18 0	21 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	17 8	13 0	16 0	.	...	...
26	Gya	U 13 0	13 0	16 0	17 8	17 0	22 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	13 0	...	..	...
27	Shahabad	V {12 0 to 13 0	12 4 to 13 0	13 8 to 14 0	{16 0 to 17 0	16 0 to 17 0}	19 0	{12 8 to 13 0	12 8 to 13 0	11 0 to 12 0	{14 0 to 15 0	14 0 to 15 0}	13 8	...	...	...
28	Durbhunga	W 12 0	12 0	14 12	20 0	18 0	22 0	11 8	11 0	11 0	14 12	14 4	14 4	...	...	...
29	Mozufferpore	X 12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	..	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...
30	Sarun	11 4	11 8	12 4	20 4	16 4	19 0	7 0	7 4	7 12	13 12	14 0	11 12	...	...	...
31	Chumparun	Y 11 0	11 0	14 0	...	.	21 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...
32	Monghyr	Z 11 5	11 10	13 11	19 9	19 9	14 7	9 4	9 4	10 5	12 6	13 6	12 6	...	...	...
33	Bhagulpore	Z1 10 1	10 11	13 4	12 10	12 10	23 0	11 6	12 0	11 6	13 14	14 8	13 6	...	...	...
34	Purneah	{10 0 to 11 0	11 0 to 13 0	14 0 to 18 0	}...	...	...	{15 0 to 16 0	}14 8	{14 0 to 15 0	}17 0	{16 0 to 18 0	16 0 to 17 0}	...	...	...
35	Maldah	10 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	35 0	11 0	12 0	16 0	13 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	17 0
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Z2 9 0	8 8	9 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...
	ORISSA.															
37	Cuttack	14 1	13 2	10 8	...	...	...	13 12	11 13	9 3	18 6†	15 12	13 2	...	...	...
38	Pooree	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Balasore	9 0	10 0	11 0	..	...	...	13 0	13 0	10 8	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*															
40	Hazareebagh	Z3 11 8	11 8	12 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 8	15 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...
41	Lohardugga	Z4 8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	..	...	.
42	Singbhoom	7 0	8 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...
43	Manbhoom	Z5 9 0	10 0	11 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	19 0	18 8	17 8	...	...	...

* Return not received.

† In the interior the price of common rice varies from 19½ to 20½ seers the rupee

S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 11 to 12 seers, and common rice 12 to 14 seers.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 9½ to 10 seers, and common rice 12 to 18 seers.

U In Aurungabad the prices are—Wheat 14½ seers, common rice 14½ seers, and gram 9½ seers.

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12½ to 14 seers barley 15 to 19 seers, best rice 7½ to 10 seers, common rice 13 to 14½ seers, bulrush millet 17 to 18 seers, great millet 21 to 23 seers, lesser millets 18 to 22 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 23 seers, and gram 10 to 10½ seers.

W In Tejpore the prices are—Wheat 10 seers, best rice 8 seers, common rice 14½ seers, and gram 10 seers.

X In the interior the prices range as follow —Wheat 11 to 16 seers barley 19 to 20 seers, best rice 10 to 20 seers, common rice 15 to 22 seers, lesser millets 20 to 35 seers, maize or Indian-corn 30 to 37½ seers and gram 10 to 15 seers.

Y In the interior the prices range as follow —Wheat 10 to 13 seers, barley 12½ to 18 seers, best rice 8½ to 11 seers, common rice 13 to 14 seers maize or Indian-corn 29 to 32½ seers, and gram 8½ to 10 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th March 1879.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 28th February 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts—(Contd.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 8	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	12 0	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 10	6 10	6 6	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	7 5	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	27 0	26 0	20 0	10 8	10 8	21 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 8	18 8	16 8	10 0	9 8	18 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Gya.
23 0	24 0	18 0		...	18 0	23 0	23 8	...	10 0 to 11 0	9 8 to 10 0	16 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Shahabad.
...	...	..	22 0	22 0	20 0	27 0	28 0	20 12	7 8	9 0	15 4	120 0	120 0	187 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Durbhunga.
...	..	...	...	...	...	27 0	27 0	18 0	10 0	9 0	14 0	120 0	140 0	140 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Mozufferpore.
25 4	25 0	17 0	20 4	20 0	20 0	24 8	25 0	17 4	11 0	10 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Sarun.
..	...	...	...	...	...	28 0	28 0	19 0	8 8	8 8	17 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 8	Chumparun.
..	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	22 0	16 8	10 5	10 5	16 8	147 0	147 0	126 0	8 4	8 9	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	..	...	...	...	20 8	20 8	17 11	10 11	10 11	17 0	126 4	126 4	151 9	8 3	8 8	8 13	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	13 0 to 15 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Maldah.
..	.	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	16 0	8 4	8 8	13 0	200 0	200 0	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Perghs.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	...	10 8	17 1	10 8	...	...	...	16 6	15 12	17 1	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree[6].
..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6 12	10 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	7 0	7 0	8 8	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
...	..	...	22 8	23 0	18 0	19 8	20 0	16 0	9 8	9 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 0	7 8	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	..	24 0	24 0	30 0	20 0	18 0	28 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	Lohardugga.
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64 0	26 0	24 0	40 0	9 0	9 8	14 0	130 0	130 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Manbhoom.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow —Wheat 11·16 to 12·6 seers, barley 13 13 to 19·9 seers, best rice 9·9 to 16·8 seers, common rice 14·14 to 17·8 seers, jowar 25 4 to 27 8 seers, murwa 26·5 to 42 seers, maize or Indian-corn 25·4 to 27 8 seers, and gram 10 5 to 11 5 seers.

Z1 In Banka the prices are—Wheat 8 seers, barley 18 seers, best rice 16 seers, common rice 17 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 seers, and gram 10 seers.

Z2 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 seers, best rice 14 to 17 seers, common rice 16 to 19 seers, maize or Indian-corn 22 to 25 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

Z3 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 seers, barley 14 to 16 seers, best rice (at Chuttra) 9 seers, common rice 15 to 18 seers, losser millets 21 to 32 seers, maize or Indian-corn 21 to 21½ seers, and gram 10 seers.

Z4 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10½ to 10 70 seers, best rice 11 25 to 17 seers, common rice 13 50 to 19 seers, bulrush millet (at Daltongunge) 15 75 seers, murwa 20 25 to 28 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 18 seers, and gram 9 to 10½ seers.

Z5 In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 9 to 10 seers, best rice 16 to 16½ seers, common rice 17½ to 18 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Rampore) 40 seers, and gram 9 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA		
		Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	R A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A P	R A P
1	Calcutta ...	3 12 0	3 12 9	3 7 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	2 8 0	7 0 0	6 15 0	5 8 0	3 10 3	3 10 0	3 5 0	..	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	3 11 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	..	...	.	5 8 0	5 0 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 2 0	...	..	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 7 0	..	..
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	..	...	..	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 15 0	...	...	.
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	..	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	5 0 0	2 12 0	2 11 0	3 0 0	...	..	..
6	Patna ..	3 5 3	3 5 3	2 8 0	2 1 9	2 3 6	1 14 6	3 12 6	4 0 0	3 12 6	2 4 9	3 1 3	2 8 0	...	...	..
7	Balasore ...	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 13 0	...	...	.
8	Pooree* ..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	-	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 4 0	4 2 0	2 0 0	2 5 0	2 13 0	..	..	.

* Return not received.

CALCUTTA,
The 11th March 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 28th February 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 4 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	Serajgunge.
1 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 2 0	2 9 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	2 15 0	0 10 0	0 13 0	0 9 0	4 4 3	4 3 0	4 6 0	Narainguage.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 9	1 8 9	2 0 0	3 12 6	3 12 6	1 14 6	0 4 9	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 0 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	0 5 4	0 5 4	0 5 6	0 0	5 0 0	4 12 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.*
...	...	...	3 10 0	2 4 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	2 1 0	2 5 0	2 4 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 16th to 22nd Feb. 1879.	Rain from 23rd Feb. to 1st March 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1879. Up to date.	Remarks
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	1·16	Nil	1 16	1st March	
		Cutwa	2 80	ditto	2 80	ditto	
		Culna	1·24	ditto	1 24	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	2 09	ditto	2 09	ditto	
		Raneegunge	2·47	ditto	2·47	ditto	
		Jehanabad	1·13	ditto	1·13	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	0 92	ditto	0·92	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	0·80	ditto	1·08	ditto	
		Hetampore	1 29	ditto	1 74	ditto	
		Roypore	1·79	ditto	1 79	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	2 63	ditto	2 63	ditto	
		Tumlook	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office ..	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	0·04	ditto	0 36	ditto	
		Serampore	0·04	ditto	0 04	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	1 35	ditto	1·35	ditto	
		Maheshraka	0 06	ditto	0 06	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
Presidency.	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	Nil	ditto	0 32	ditto	
		Alipore .. Observatory ...	0 21	ditto	0 21	ditto	
		Alipore .. Dispensary ...	0 38	ditto	0 38	ditto	
		Alipore .. Jail ...	0 28	ditto	0 28	ditto	
		Busseerhat	Not recd	ditto	Nil	ditto	Not received, 16th to 22nd Feb
		Baraset	0·16	ditto	0 16	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Barripore	0·12	ditto	0 12	ditto	
		Satkhira	0 09	ditto	0 09	ditto	
		Barrackpore	0 02	ditto	0 02	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	0·58	ditto	0 58	ditto	
	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	1 56	ditto	1 56	ditto	
		Bongong	1 04	ditto	1 04	ditto	
		Meherpore	3 20	ditto	3 35	ditto	
		Chooadanga	3·20	ditto	3 33	ditto	
		Kooshtea	1·21	ditto	1 80	ditto	
		Ranaghat	1·25	ditto	1 25	ditto	
		Jessore	0 32	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Narail	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore	Jhenidah	1 93	ditto	1 93	ditto	
		Bagirhat	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Magoorah	1 90	ditto	1 90	ditto	
		Berhampore	1·84	ditto	1 84	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	1 47	ditto	1 87	ditto	
		Lallbagh	1·20	ditto	1·20	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Jungypore	0 68	ditto	0 78	ditto	
		Azimgunge	0·88	ditto	1 29	ditto	
		Lalgolla	1 07	ditto	1 07	ditto	
		Kandee	0 86	ditto	1·71	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ..	Dinagepore	0 15	ditto	0 47	ditto	
		Raigunge	0 47	ditto	1 08	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	0 25	ditto	0 90	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	0·15	ditto	1·38	ditto	
		Chanchal	0 40	ditto	0·91	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	1·41	ditto	1 43	ditto	
		Nattore	1 61	ditto	1 61	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	0 55	ditto	0 71	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	0 40	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Kurigram	0·26	ditto	0 54	ditto	
		Bagdogra	0 35	ditto	0 90	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	0 63	ditto	0 71	ditto	
		Sherpur	1·80	ditto	2 20	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	Not recd	ditto	0 03	ditto	Not received, 16th to 22nd Feb.
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	0 84	ditto ..	Ditto ditto.
	Pubna ...	Pubna	1 21	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Serajgunge ...	1 50	ditto	1 97	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	0·31	Not recd	0 46	22nd Feb	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	0·32	Nil	0·47	1st March	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	Nil	ditto	0·39	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	2 05	ditto	
		Buxa	0 15	ditto	0 91	ditto	
		Titalya	0 30	ditto	1 26	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ..	Cooch Behar	0·28	ditto	0 58	ditto	
		Dinhatta	0·32	ditto	0 68	ditto	From 2nd February
		Mathabhanga	0·24	ditto	0·58	ditto ..	Ditto ditto.
		Mickligunge	0·30	ditto	0 74	ditto	Ditto ditto.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 16th to 22nd Feb. 1879.	Rain from 23rd Feb. to 1st March 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office...	0·12	Not recd.	0·70	22nd Feb.	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	0·15	Nil	0·75	1st March	
		Moonsheegunge	0 32	Not recd.	0·32	22nd Feb.	
		Manickgunge	0·75	Nil	0·35	1st March	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	1·14	ditto	1·31	ditto	
		Goalundo	0 93	ditto	1·61	ditto	
		Madaripore	Nil	ditto	0 02	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoakhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	0·71	ditto	0·83	ditto	
		Jamalpore	0 60	ditto	1·11	ditto	
		Atia	1·00	ditto	1·02	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	0·52	ditto	0 73	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	Nil	ditto	0·18	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	ditto	0 86	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	ditto	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly ..	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	0 05	ditto	
	Tipperah ..	Comillah	ditto	ditto	0·13	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	0 05	ditto	1·15	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Bungamatee Hill... ...	Nil	ditto	0·23	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	Not recd.	1·08	22nd Feb.	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Agurtolla	0·14	Nil	1·64	1st March	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	0 12	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Behar	1·13	ditto	0 48	ditto	
		Barh	0·23	ditto	1·04	ditto	
		Dinapore	Nil	ditto	1 29	ditto	
	Gya ...	Gya	0 22	0·04	0·35	ditto	
		Nowadah	0·05	Nil	0·05	ditto	
		Aurungabad	0·11	0·08	0·31	ditto	
		Jehanabad	0·39	Nil	0 68	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	1·18	ditto	1·33	ditto	
		Sasseram	0·13	0·01	0 99	ditto	
		Buxar	0 31	0 23	0 83	ditto	
		Bhubooah	0·20	Nil	2·30	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	Nil	Not recd.	1·03	22nd Feb.	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	0·40	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	ditto	Nil	1·33	1st March	
		Mudhoobunnee	0·23	ditto	1·48	ditto	
		Tajpore	0·39	ditto	1·48	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	Nil	ditto	0·78	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	0 31	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	Not recd.	Not recd.	0·11	15th Feb.	
	Chumparun ...	Motiharee	Nil	Nil	0 89	1st March	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	Nil.	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	0·09	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	0·57	ditto	1·28	ditto	
		Begoosera	0 28	ditto	0·87	ditto	
		Jamooee	0·41	ditto	0·65	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	0.35	ditto	1 27	ditto	
		Soopool	0·25	ditto	1·30	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	0 10	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Banka	0·37	ditto	0 55	ditto	
		Sonbursa	0·19	ditto	0·69	ditto	
	Purneah ...	Purneah	0·51	ditto	0·94	ditto	
		Kissengunge	0 41	ditto	1·41	ditto	
		Arrareah	0 34	ditto	1 51	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	0·76	ditto	0·99	ditto	
		Rajmehal	0·75	ditto	1·40	ditto	
		Deoghur	0 10	ditto	0·65	ditto	
		Jamtara	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Pakour	0·20	Not recd.	0 20	22nd Feb.	
		Godda	0 32	ditto	0·70	ditto	

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					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack ...	Cuttack	Nil	Not recd.	Nil	22nd Feb.	
		Jajpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pooree ...	Pooree	ditto	Nil	ditto	1st March	
		Khurdah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Balasore ...	Balasore	ditto	0·33	0·33	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	1·25	1·25	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Sorah	ditto	1·08	1·08	ditto	
		Chaudbally	ditto	0·36	0·36	ditto	
		Barupudda	0·10	0·10	0·20	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	0·30	Nil	0·30	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	SOUTH-WESTERN FRONTIER AGENCY.						
	Hazareebagh ...	Hazareebagh... Jail ...	0·18	ditto	0·60	ditto	
		Dispensary	0·10	0·03	0·75	ditto	
		Pachamba	1·40	Not recd.	1·49	22nd Feb.	
		Sitagurh	Nil	Nil	0·35	1st March	
		Mowdie Hills	ditto	ditto	0·70	ditto	
	Lohardugga ...	Ranchee	0·48	1·26	1·74	ditto	
		Palamow	0·31	Nil	0·31	ditto	
	Singbhoom ...	Chyebassa	1·16	ditto	1·16	ditto	
	Manbhoom ...	Purulia	0·96	ditto	0·96	ditto	
		Govindpore	1·06	ditto	1·06	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet ...	Sylhet	0·05	ditto	0·49	ditto	
	Sibsagar ...	Sibsagar	Nil	Not recd.	2·20	22nd Feb.	
		Golaghat	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	1·85	ditto	
	Burmah ...	Akyab	ditto	Nil	Nil	1st March	
	Rajpootana ...	Alwar	1·30	Not recd.	1·50	22nd Feb.	
		Jaipur	0·48	ditto	0·55	ditto	
		Sambhar	Nil	ditto	0·05	ditto	

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, BENGAL,
The 8th March 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 2nd to 8th March 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Allipore.	Mar. 2nd	10	29·840	29·861	80·0	73·2	71	N W by N	3 8	...	.....	b
		16	29 728	29·749	90·7	68·5	28	N N E	6·3	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	29·872	29·894	82 2	75·7	73	W N W	4 3	...	K, FK	c
		16	29 726	29·747	90·4	74·0	43	N W	8·8	...	.....	b
	4th	10	29 872	29 894	84·1	68·5	42	E by S	6 0	...	.....	b
		16	29·771	29·792	88·9	68·0	30	E N E	9·8	...	.....	b
	5th	10	29·968	29·990	76·5	56·0	20	E N E	5 8	...	.....	b
		16	29·836	29·858	84·0	60·0	17	N W	8·7	...	.....	b
	6th	10	30·023	30·045	78·9	60·0	28	E N E	5·5	...	.....	b
		16	29 885	29·907	84 5·	59 7	16	W by N	4·8	...	.....	b
	7th	10	30·037	30·059	78 8	65·0	44	S W	1·9	...	.....	b
		16	29·893	29·914	87 2	67 5	33	S W by W	6 8	...	.....	b
	8th	10	29·995	30 017	82·2	74·9	70	W S W	6·8	...	FK, K	c
		16	29·850	29·871	88·7	76·3	54	S	12·0	...	.....	b
Saugor Island.	Mar. 2nd	10	29·858	29·859	83	78	79	S W	9·3	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·745	29·751	84	78·5	77	S	8	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	29·885	29·891	84	79	79	S W	9	...	.....	Clouds low, moving rapidly with scud.
		16	29·763	29·769	84	79	79	S	12	...	.....	Ditto ditto.
	4th	10	29·8·3	29·869	86	72	48	N	12	...	.....	Ditto ditto.
		16	29·770	29·776	90	71·5	37	N	20	...	.....	b, c
	5th	10	29·962	29·968	80	59	22	N	9	...	.....	b, c
		16	29·843	29·849	85·5	63·5	24	N E	16	...	.....	
	6th	10	30·022	30·028	81·7	61·7	26	N E	5	...	.....	
		16	29·895	29·901	85 2	67·2	35	W	8	...	.....	
	7th	10	30·050	30 056	80·7	73·8	71	N	3	...	.....	
		16	29·922	29·928	82·7	78·8	63	S S W	4	...	.....	
	8th	10	30 026	30 032	83·7	77·8	75	S W	9	...	.....	Clouds low, moving rapidly with scuds.
		16	29·889	29·895	84·2	78·3	75	S S W	12	...	.....	Ditto ditto.
Chittagong.	Mar. 2nd	10	29·801	29·894	81·5	74 5	71	Calm	5	...	.....	
	3rd	10	29·839	29·932	82·5	76·5	75	S	6	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	29·819	29·912	80·5	76·5	83	S S E	6	.	.....	Foggy.
	5th	10	29·859	29·952	81	62 5	31	N E	7	0 06	.....	b, c
	6th	10	29·917	30·010	80·4	63·0	34	N	6	...	.....	
	7th	10	29·948	30·041	79·4	62·0	33	Calm	5	...	.....	
	8th	10	29·958	30·051	78 9	68·1	56	N E	7	..	.....	
Akyab.	Mar. 2nd	10	29·875	30·897	82	76	75	E N E	3	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	29 916	30·938	82	73	63	E	3	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	29·911	30·933	82	76	75	N E	2	...	.....	b, c
	5th	10	29·910	30·931	85	79	76	E	2	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	29 966	30 988	82·0	75·7	74	E	3	...	.....	b, c
	7th	10	30 006	30·028	82·5	65 6	36	N	5	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·030	30·052	82·5	67·7	44	E	5	...	.....	b
False Point.	Mar. 2nd	10	29·849	29·864	85	77·5	70	W S W	6	...	.....	Foggy.
	3rd	10	29·877	29·892	87 5	80	71	S S W	6	...	.....	b
	4th	10	29·897	29·912	87	74	52	E	10	...	.....	b [distance.
	5th	10	29·960	29·975	83	64·5	32	E N E	7	...	.....	Strong wind, thunder and lightning at
	6th	10	30·029	30·044	81·3	69·4	59	E N E	7	...	.....	Sea rough.
	7th	10	30·035	30·050	82 8	72 9	60	S	5	...	.....	b
	8th	10	30·018	30 033	86·3	75·3	58	S W	6		.....	b
Vizagapatam.	Mar. 2nd	10	30·847	30·878	86	73	51	S E	4	...	.....	b
	3rd	10	30·897	30·928	87	75	55	S W	4	...	.....	b
	4th	10	30 882	30·913	85·5	76 5	65	W	5	...	.....	b, c
	5th	10	30·907	30 938	85	77	68	S	3	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	30 977	30·009	84·5	77·5	72	N W	1	...	.....	b, c
	7th	10	30 021	30·053	84·5	76·5	68	S	2	...	.....	b, c
	8th	10	30·023	30·055	84	76	69	S	3		.....	b, c
Colombo.	Mar. 2nd	10	30·890	30·931	84·5	78 5	75	S S W	8	...	.....	b, c
	3rd	10	30·930	30·970	86	79	73	W S W	7	...	.....	b, c
	4th	10	30·905	30·945	86	79·5	74	S W	7	...	.....	b, c
	5th	10	30·908	30·949	83·5	78·5	79	S S W	5	...	.....	b, c
	6th	10	30 936	30·977	83·5	74	62	N N W	6	...	.....	b, c
	7th	10	30·951	30·992	84·5	73·0	56	N	6	...	.....	b, c
	8th	10	30 964	30·005	84	71	50	E S E	6	0·58	.....	b, c

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 8th March 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 2nd to 8th March 1879.

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah	Temperature				Hygrometry				Wind.		Rain	Weather
				Mean	Maximum	Range	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb	Vapour tension	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction	Miles recorded.		
1879		⊖	Inches	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
March	2nd	147 2	29 780	75 2	90 6	27 0	63 6	69 0	0 630	65 6	72	Till 10 A M W N W, till 8½ P M. N, till midnight N W.	90	Nil	Clear, *f* and *w*
„	3rd	147 7	790	80 4	91 5	18 3	73 2	74 8	789	72 1	76	Till 9½ A M N W, till midnight chiefly W N W.	172	„	Chiefly cloudy
„	4th	146 1	802	80 3	89 7	12 7	77 0	70 2	·605	64 4	58	Till 8 A M N N W through N W, till midnight chiefly N N E through N and N E	140	„	Chiefly clear, and *w*
„	5th	140 8	886	71 7	88 3	22 3	66 0	57 5	·289	44 0	38	Till noon E N E, till midnight N W through N E and N	131	„	Clear, *w*
„	6th	142 7	937	71 4	84 9	23 7	61·2	58 4	318	46 6	42	Till 11½ A M E N E through N and N E, till 3 P M N through N E, till midnight W by N through N W.	96	„	Clear, *w*
„	7th	145 6	947	73 3	87 9	30 1	57 8	64 1	·479	57 8	58	Till 9 A M. W by N, till 8 P M S S W through S W, till midnight S by W	92	„	Clear, *w*
„	8th	147 8	918	77 3	90 7	23·6	67 1	73 3	·767	71 3	82	Till 8½ A M S by W, till 2 P M, chiefly W S W, till midnight S S W through S W	174	„	Chiefly clear, *w*

		Inches
The mean pressure of the seven days		29 865
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...		29 845
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days		75 6
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...		77 9
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days		33 7
The maximum temperature during the seven days		91 5
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days		61
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...		68
		Inches
The total fall of rain from 2nd to 8th March 1879		Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office		0·61
The total fall from 1st January to 8th March 1879		0 21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office		2·10

The mean pressure, temperature, &c, are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 80, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

f fog, *w* dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 10th March 1879.

HENRY F. BLANFORD,
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Abstract of the results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory in the month of February 1879.

	Inches.	Date.	Hour.
The mean pressure of the month	29 941		
The average pressure of 24 years	29·949		
The highest pressure during the month	30·160	4th	10h.
The lowest pressure during the month	29·696	28th	16h.
The range of pressure during the month	0·464		
	⊖		
The mean temperature of the month	71·7		
The average temperature of 24 years	73·0		
The highest temperature during the month	89·6	28th	
The lowest temperature during the month	54·5	2nd	
The range of temperature during the month	35·1		
The mean daily range of temperature during the month ...	22 1		
The greatest range of temperature in one day during the month	27·7	6th	
	%		
The mean humidity during the month	67		
	Inches.		
The mean vapour tension during the month	0 524		
	%		
The average humidity of 24 years	67		
	Inches.		
The average vapour tension of 9 years	0·538		
The mean cloud proportion of the month	1·74		
	Inches.		
The total rainfall of the month	0·21		
The average fall of 48 years	0 87		
The greatest fall in 24 hours	0·21		
	Days.		
The number of rainy days in the month	1		
The average number of rainy days of 24 years	3		
	⊖		
The mean maximum equilibrium temperature of solar radiation of the month	141·0		
The mean difference of sun and air temperatures ...	57·0		
The greatest sun temperature	147 8	22nd	
The greatest excess of sun over air temperature	62 3	22nd	
The mean temperature of nocturnal radiation thermometer on woollen cloth	52 9		
The mean depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	9·0		
The greatest depression of nocturnal radiation thermometer below the minimum of air	12·0	28th	
	Miles.		
The mean movement of the wind per day	100·6		
The greatest movement of the wind in one day	157	16th	
The greatest movement of the wind in one hour... ...	14	12th	9h. to 10h.

The number of hours under each of the 8 points—

N83, NE77, E75, SE38, S19, SW97, W153, NW124, Calm 6.

The results of observations at the Alipore Observatory are not rigorously comparable with the registers of past years (at the Park Street Observatory). The barometer is about 8 feet higher at Alipore, and other things being equal, reads therefore ·003 lower. The diurnal range of temperature is also greater at Alipore, and the mean temperature apparently about 1° or 1½° lower; and finally, the thermometer, which has furnished the record of temperature at the Surveyor-General's Office during the last 20 years and upwards, is found to read 0·6° higher than the Kew standard thermometer, which is the standard of reference at the present Observatory.

HENRY L. BLANDFORD,

Offg. Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of India.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA, the 10th March 1879.

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st March 1879 on 1,279¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	162,580	2,42,995 13 0	22,273 [illegible] 0	17253,837 30	9,35,804 14 9	89,198 15 6	6,38,790 11 9	48,749½	115,118½	163,868
Or per mile of railway	.....	189 13 11	17 8 1	.....	504 10 2	46 5 2	694 8 1	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	1,162,968	16,01,965 3 9	146,846 16 8	1,21,42,674 20	42,63,214 13 1	390,799 5 6	58,65,229 18 10	357,764½	791,516½	1,149,281
Total for 9 weeks ...	1,325,574	18,44,961 0 9	169,120 10 8	1,38,96,512 10	49,00,069 10 10	449,998 1 0	67,54,020 11 7	406,514½	906,634½	1,133,149
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	2185,914	2,16,143 14 5	19,813 3 10	14,60,027 0	5,51,504 3 6	50,554 12 5	7,67,648 3 11	46,493	116,923	163,416
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	168 14 4	15 9 6	.....	430 15 2	39 10 1	599 13 6	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,316,287½	17,50,523 5 0	160,631 5 10	1,30,58,281 10	48,69,446 3 2	446,363 18 0	65,99,969 [illegible] 2	407,434	969,001	1,366,435

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 1st March 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week... ...	8,107	26,806 5 9	2,457 5 0	2,79,044 20	75,924 3 0	6,959 14 4	1,02,730 8 9	3,370½	16,401½	21,771½
Or per mile of railway	.....	119 12 11	10 19 8	.....	339 5 3	31 2 1	459 2 3	.....	.....	.....
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	61,514	1,35,566 13 6	17,010 5 11	22,08,798 0	5,70,525 14 0	52,296 4 1	7,56,092 11 6	40,470½	158,594	199,064½
Total for 9 weeks ...	69,621	2,12,373 3 3	19,467 10 11	24,87,842 20	6,46,450 1 6	59,257 18 5	8,58,823 4 3	43,781	174,995½	220,776½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	6,700	17,803 0 3	1,631 17 0	1,01,439 20	30,428 0 0	2,789 4 8	48,230 0 3	4,843	5,419	10,262
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	79 9 0	7 5 10	.....	135 15 10	12 9 4	215 3 10	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	69,651	1,98,194 4 9	18,167 16 2	13,10,979 10	3,71,306 15 0	34,036 9 5	5,69,501 3 9	44,612	88,109	132731

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for Week ended 1st March 1879 on 158¼ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	41,109	44,903 [illegible] 6	4,116 [illegible] 10	3,59,380 23	26,516 13 3	2,430 14 2	6,546 17 0
Or per mile of railway	259	283 13 5	25 18 7	2263 1	167 0 7	15 6 1	41 4 10
For previous 8 weeks of half-year	310,435	2,80,158 6 9	25,703 13 8	12,23,044 18	2,29,978 14 3	21,081 8 1	46,790 1 9
Total for 9 weeks ...	351,544	3,25,361 12 3	29,824 16 6	15,75,925 0	2,56,495 11 6	23,512 2 3	53,336 18 9
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	43,134	37,042 11 2	3,395 11 7	2,74,220 21	40,446 11 10	4,275 17 3	7,671 8 10
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	272	233 5 5	21 7 10	1,727 15	253 13 4	26 18 8	48 5 6
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	355,948½	2,77,686 [illegible] 10	25,454 0 11	22,13,543 15	4,33,093 [illegible] 11	40,128 [illegible] 2	66,612 10 1

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 4.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1879.	Total decrease in 1879.
			26th January 1879.	25th January 1879.	To 26th January 1878.	To 25th January 1879.		
1879.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
25th January	Northern Bengal	319	4,973 0 0	20,433 0 0	18,581 0 0	62,557 0 0	40,976 0 0	.....
1st February	Tirhoot	63	3,162 0 0	9,487 0 0	23,118 0 0	31,643 0 0	8,525 0 0	.....
22nd "	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,970 0 0	3,150 0 0	9,100 0 0	9,501 0 0	401 0 0	.....
1st "	Nalhati	27½	1,957 0 0	1,877 0 0	6,998 0 0	6,210 0 0	.....	788 0 0
	Total ...	357½	13,062 0 0	34,936 0 0	51,797 0 0	1,09,911 0 0	58,902 0 0	788 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1756A.

GENERAL.—*The 18th March* 1879.—Mr. J. Kennedy, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Begoosarai division of the Monghyr district, is allowed leave for two days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under orders dated the 13th January 1879.

The 14th March 1879.—In modification of the orders of the 10th instant, the services of Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R.E., Aide-de-Camp on the Personal Staff of the Lieutenant-Governor, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of India in the Military Department, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present duties.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Balasore, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X (B.C.) of 1871.

The 15th March 1879.—Mr. J. G. Charles, Officiating Chief Presidency Magistrate and Judge of the Marine Court, Calcutta, is allowed furlough for seven months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 7th May next, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. R. J. Richardson, District and Sessions Judge, Mozufferpore, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st May next, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. T. M. Kirkwood, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Moorshedabad, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Mozufferpore during the absence, on leave, of Mr. R. J. Richardson, or until further orders.

Mr. H. W. Gordon, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, acted as a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade at Julpigoree on the 1st instant.

Mr. W. D. Blyth, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the purpose of acquiring land in Calcutta and in the 24-Pergunnahs.

The 17th March 1879.—Mr. J. T. Babonan, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Gybanda division of the Rungpore district, is allowed leave for ten days, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he availed himself of it.

Baboo Mohendro Chunder Muzoomdar, Sub-Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is appointed to be a Special Deputy Collector for employment under the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, of this Government.

Baboo Mohendro Chunder Muzoomdar is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act III (B.C.) of 1876 in the districts of Patna and Gya.

Baboo Ganendro Nath Pal is appointed temporarily to be a Sub-Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Furreedpore during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Mohendro Chunder Mozoomdar, or until further orders.

The 18th March 1879.—The following appointments are made from the date on which the retirement of Mr. E. H. Whinfield may take effect:—

Mr. F. Jones, Magistrate and Collector, Tipperah, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Mr. E. H. Whinfield.

Mr. W. H. Grimley is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Second Grade in Backergunge, *vice* Mr. F. Jones, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

Mr. C. P. L. Macaulay is appointed to be Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, *vice* Mr. W. H. Grimley, but will continue to act, until further orders, as a Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Mr. J. D. Ward, District and Sessions Judge of Purneah, is allowed furlough for seven months, under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st May 1879, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it. Mr. Ward is also allowed subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding thirty days, from the 20th April 1879, under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Mr. F. W. R Cowley, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Purneah, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. D. Ward, or until further orders.

Mr. E. R. Henry, who has reported his return from special leave, is appointed to be an Assistant Magistrate and Collector in Patna.

Mr. G. S. Park, Magistrate and Collector, First Grade, has been allowed an extension of furlough for six months, on medical certificate, by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

In supersession of the orders of the 4th instant, Mr. G. K. Lyon, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dinagepore, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Rungpore district.

Mr. Alexander Robert Wigram is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and is posted to Patna.

Lieutenant G. U. Browne is appointed to act as Aide-de-Camp on the personal staff of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal during the absence, on duty, of Lieutenant the Hon'ble R. C. Drummond, or until further orders. This appointment will have effect from the date on which Lieutenant Browne may receive charge of his office from Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R.E.

Mr. F. W. Badcock, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act, until further orders, in the Second Grade of Joint-Magistrates and Deputy Collectors.

Mr. H. G. Sharp, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on furlough, is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade, *vice* Mr. R. M. Waller.

LEGISLATIVE.—*The 13th March* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by the Honorable G. C. Paul, C.I.E., of his seat in the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for making Laws and Regulations.

With the sanction of His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, the Lieutenant-Governor appoints Mr. J. D. Bell, under the provisions of the 29th, 30th, and 45th Sections of the Indian Councils Act of 1861, to be a Member of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations in the Bengal Division of the Presidency of Fort William, *vice* the Honorable G. C. Paul, C.I.E.

The 18th March 1879.—The services of Mr. F. Clarke, Barrister-at-Law, Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Legislative Department, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Home Department, with effect from the 1st April next.

Mr. W. E. H. Forsyth, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Legislative Department, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. F. Clarke; or until further orders.

POLICE.—*The 7th March* 1879.—Baboo Khogendra Nath Roy is appointed to be a Second Grade Inspector of Police in the district of Burdwan, *vice* Inspector Mohesh Chunder Singh.

The 13th March 1879.—Mr. H. Bayley, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Lohardugga, is allowed leave for two months, under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 15th ultimo.

Mr. R. F. Guise, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Jessore, who reported his return from furlough on the 12th November last, is allowed subsidiary leave for ten days from that date to the 21st idem inclusive, under Section 10, Supplement E to the Civil Leave Code.

REGISTRATION.—*The 8th March* 1879.—Baboo Raj Krishna Banerjee, Special Sub-Registrar, Berhampore, is transferred to Noakholly.

The 11th March 1879.—Baboo Shama Churn Dutt is appointed temporarily to be Rural Sub-Registrar of Cossipore, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, *vice* Baboo Dowlut Chandra Roy, resigned.

EDUCATION.—*The 14th March* 1879.—Baboo Lukhy Narayan Dass, M.A., Assistant Professor, Cuttack College, is allowed leave for six months, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Byomkes Chakravarti, M.A., is appointed to act as Assistant Professor, Cuttack College, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Lukhy Narayan Dass, or until further orders.

The 15th March 1879.—Moulvi Syed Mahomed, Special Sub-Registrar, is appointed to be Secretary to the Mozufferpore District School Committee.

Baboo Khirod Chandra Roy Chowdry, M.A., Head Master, Pooree Zillah School, is appointed to be Secretary to the District School Committee of Pooree.

The 17th March 1879.—In modification of the orders of the 25th ultimo, Mr. A. W. Garrett, Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle, is allowed subsidiary leave for fourteen days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he availed himself of it.

MEDICAL.—*The 14th March* 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Brojo Nath Shaha, in medical charge of the Civil Station of Rangamuttee, Chittagong Hill Tracts, having returned to duty on the afternoon of the 21st ultimo, the unexpired portion of the privilege leave granted to him under orders dated the 15th November 1878, is cancelled.

The 15th March 1879.—Surgeon R. Cobb, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Backergunge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Second Resident Surgeon, Presidency General Hospital, *vice* Surgeon C. H Joubert.

The 17th March 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Ramkali Gupta, Teacher of Anatomy, Physiology, and Surgery, Temple Medical School, Patna, is allowed leave for forty-two days, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th proximo, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Surgeon E. Lawrie, Officiating Professor of Physiology, Medical College, and Resident Surgeon, Medical College Hospital, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Civil Surgeon of Monghyr.

Supernumerary Assistant Surgeon Behari Lal Chuckerbutty is appointed temporarily to have charge of the current duties of the Resident Surgeon, Medical College Hospital.

MARINE.—*The 7th March* 1879.—Mr. S. Reed, Assistant River Surveyor, is appointed to act as River Surveyor during the absence, on furlough, of Captain F. Laycock, or until further orders

Mr. F. Webster, Port Officer of Chandbally and Balasore, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Assistant River Surveyor, *vice* Mr. S. Reed.

Mr. E. H. Palmer is appointed to act, until further orders, as Port Officer of Chandbally and Balasore, *vice* Mr. F. Webster, with effect from the 20th instant.

ECONOMIC MUSEUM.—*The 15th March* 1879.—Mr. S. N. Banerjee, temporary Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a member of the Dinagepore local Economic Museum Committee, *vice* Baboo Hari Mohan Chundra, transferred.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 5th March* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Monghyr Municipality of Mr. G. Thomas to be their Vice-Chairman from the 1st April 1879.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Chittagong Municipality:—

Mr. C. P. Caspersz, Assistant Magistrate and Collector.
" J. F. Mill, of the firm of Messrs. Henderson & Co.

The 6th March 1879.—Mr. C. H. Ringwood, District Engineer, is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Rungpore Municipality, *vice* Mr. J. Robinson.

The 12th March 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Roserah Municipality of Mr. James Crowdy, Indigo-Planter, Dowlutpore Factory, as their Vice-Chairman, in the place of Baboo Ram Tahul Panjear, resigned.

The 18th March 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by Mr. W. H. Grimley of his appointment as a Municipal Commissioner of the town of Calcutta.

ROAD CESS.—*The 18th March* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Barrackpore, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
Baboo Jogessur Ghose.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the above Committee:—

Baboo Umbica Churn Mookerjee, Landholder, *Vice-Chairman.*
„ Hurrish Chunder Ghose, Gantidar.
„ Joy Kissen Roy, Zemindar.
„ Russick Lal Kur, Gantidar.
„ Sreenath Rai ditto.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Dum-Dum, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
Baboo Hurrish Chunder Chuckerbutty, Landholder.
„ Ram Komul Ghose, Landholder.
Shahadut Wallah Sircar, ditto.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the above Committee :—

Baboo Baney Madhub Chuckerbutty, Landholder, *Vice-Chairman.*
„ Baney Madhub Sen, Landholder.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Baraset, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
The Sub-Deputy Collector, *Vice-Chairman.*
Moonshi Abdus Samad, Lackhrajdar.
Baboo Baney Madhub Mitra, Gantidar.
Moonshi Ehtehazuddin, ditto.
Baboo Gopal Chunder Ghose, ditto.
Moonshi Harifulla Taruffdar, ditto.
Baboo Kader Nath Banerjee, ditto.
„ Kala Chand Mookerjee, Zemindar's Agent.
„ Koylash Chunder Chowdry, Gantidar.
„ Loke Nath Mundle, ditto.
„ Punchanun Bose, ditto.
Rai Ram Sunder Ghose, Bahadoor, Deputy Superintendent of Vaccination, Metropolitan Circle.
Baboo Soshee Bhusan Chatterjee, Gantidar.
„ Surbessur Mundle, ditto.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Bassirhaut, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
Baboo Gauendra Coomar Roy Chowdry, Zemindar.
Moulvi Golam Kassim, ditto.
Baboo Kunja Behary Nag, B.L., ditto.
„ Upendra Nath Roy Chowdry, ditto.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the above Committee:—

Baboo Jogessur Bose, Landholder, *Vice-Chairman.*
Moonshi Abdul Ahad, Landholder.
Baboo Kallibur Singhee, ditto.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Satkhira, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
Baboo Monmotho Coomar Bose, Landholder, *Vice-Chairman.*
The Manager of the Satkhira Wards' Estate.
The Medical Officer in charge of the Satkhira Charitable Dispensary.
Moulvi Abdul Reuf, Talookdar.
Baboo Akhoy Coomar Sen, Gantidar.
„ Chunder Kanto Banerjee, Landholder.
Mr. J. S. Deverinne, Patnidar.
Baboo Gopal Chunder Mookerjee, Landholder.
„ Grija Nath Roy, Landholder.
„ Jibun Kristo Bose, Sub-Inspector of Schools.
„ Judoo Nath Mitter, Gantidar.
„ Kesub Lall Roy Chowdry, Talookdar.
„ Pran Kali Chatterjee, Gantidar.

Baboo Prosono Coomar Ghose is re-appointed to be a member of the above Committee.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Diamond Harbour, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
Baboo Chunder Coomar Bhattacharjee, Landholder.
„ Gopee Mohun Bose, Thicadar.
„ Jebun Kristo Sircar, Landholder.
„ Judoo Nath Sing, Mookhtar and Landholder.
„ Keshub Chunder Ghose, Sub-Inspector of Schools.
„ Prosono Coomar Bose, Naib.
„ Rojoni Nath Bhattacharjee, Khas Mehal Tehsildar.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the above Committee :—

Baboo Brojo Kissore Ghose, Talookdar.
Moonshi Busseeruddin Mulla, ditto.
Baboo Degumber Mozoomdar, Naib.
„ Hurro Nath Dutt, do.
„ Mothoor Mohun Sircar, do.
„ Punchanun Bose, Thicadar.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Branch Road Cess Committee of Barripore, in the 24-Pergunnahs :—

The Sub-Divisional Officer, *Chairman.*
Baboo Hurry Nath Chatterjee, Landholder.
„ Nobin Chand Ghose, Zemindar.
„ Rajnarain Dutt, Talookdar.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the above Committee :—

Baboo Debendro Coomar Roy Chowdhry, *Vice-Chairman.*
„ Annando Chunder Ghose, Talookdar.
Moonshi Golam Aribe, Jotedar.
Baboo Hurry Das Dutta, Zemindar.
„ Khetter Nath Roy Chowdhry, ditto.
„ Koylash Chunder Ghose, ditto.
„ Mohendra Nath Bose, ditto.
„ Prosonno Coomar Banerjee, ditto.

The 15th March 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Road Cess Committee of Gya :—

Baboo Gunga Pershad, Zemindar, *vice* Moonshi Rewat Lall.
„ Mokund Sahai, Zemindar, *vice* Baboo Gokhul Chand Purohit.
„ Sheo Churn Lall, Zemindar and Mookhtar, *vice* Baboo Sham Lall Mitter.

The 17th March 1879.—The name of Baboo Ram Jadub Sen is removed from the list of members of the Rungpore District Road Cess Committee.

Baboo Kristo Doyal Roy, Pleader, is appointed to be a member of the Rungpore District Road Cess Committee, *vice* Baboo Ram Jadub Sen.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the Furreedpore District Road Cess Committee :—

Baboo Dina Nath Das, Pleader and Talookdar.
„ Huro Kali Mookerjee, Deputy Collector in charge, Road Cess.
„ Isan Chandra Moitra, Pleader and Talookdar.
Munshi Meherali Khondkar, Talookdar.
Baboo Sarut Chundra Das, Pleader and Talookdar.
„ Taruk Nath Sen, Deputy Inspector of Schools.

The following Notification is republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 65.—*The 3rd March* 1879.—Privilege leave of absence for three months, under Section 32 of the Civil Leave Code, is granted to Mr. G. W. Place, Assistant Commissioner, Cachar, with effect from the 10th April 1879, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 299, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Ranchi Municipality, to extend to that municipality the provisions of Part IX, Chapter II of the aforesaid Act.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th March 1879.—In exercise of the power conferred on him by Section 234 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, in supersession of the notification dated the 10th August 1876, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Dacca, made at a meeting, to order that all the provisions of Part VII, Chapter II of the said Act shall be in force in the said municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 234, Act V (B. C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Hazareebagh at a meeting, to order that the provisions of Sections 264 to 270, and Sections 278 to 284 of the Act shall be in force in the said municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th March 1879.—The following rules for regulating the transhipment of goods under the provisions of Sections 130 and 133 of the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878, having been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, are published for general information. They will have effect from the 1st of April 1879:—

Transhipment of Goods.

1. Applications for transhipment should be presented to the proper Officer of Customs before 8 P.M. on the day prior to that on which the transhipment is required, accompanied by the fees payable under Section 133 of the Act, on the following scale:—

For each transhipment between the hours of 8 A.M. *and* 5 P.M.

	Rs.	A.	
On any number of packages not exceeding four ...	1	4	per package.
„ five packages	6	0	
„ subsequent packages not exceeding 25 in number	0	6	per package.
„ any further number of packages	0	4	ditto.

2. When transhipments are not completed before 5 P.M., an additional fee of Rs. 4 will be charged.

3. *Chittagong.*—The transhipment fees payable are as follow:—

	Rs.	A.	
For single packages	0	8	per package.
„ goods in bulk	6	4	„ 100 maunds.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 14.)

Bay of Bengal—British Burma.

SUNKEN DANGERS BETWEEN ALGUADA REEF AND DIAMOND ISLAND.

Notice is hereby given that a recent examination of the approaches to the Bassein River, made by the Superintendent of Marine Surveys, exhibits five separate shoal ridges, on which are rocky patches with from 4 to 13 feet water on them, lying in a N.-E. and S.-W. direction between Alguada Reef and Diamond Island, Bassein River entrance.

The least water discovered was on the "*Hugh Rose Rock*," which lies N. N. E. ½ E., distant 2½ miles from Alguada Reef Lighthouse. This rock, on which the ship *Inchmarnock* struck in April 1877, has only from 3 to 4 feet water on it at low water.

Also that the Alguada Reef Lighthouse lies S. 9° 30′ W. (true), distant 15½ miles from the pagoda on Pagoda Point, and S.-W. by W., distant nearly three-quarters of a mile from the position at present assigned to it on the charts.

☞Mariners are cautioned that the passage between Alguada Reef and Diamond Island is absolutely barred, and is most dangerous.

[*Bearings are Magnetic, except where otherwise noted. Variation 2° 30′ E in* 1879.]

By direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879.

This notice affects the following :—

British Admiralty Charts Nos. 152, 834, 823, 829, 830, and 70*b*.

Indian Marine Survey Charts, Nos. 134, 15*c*., and 15*d*; Tailor's Sailing Directory Vol. I, page 496.

If this notice is received on board ship, the substance of it should be inserted on the charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of Act VIII of 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, shall be a port for the carrying on of coasting trade with customs ports, and for no other purpose.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th March 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 6 of Act VIII of 1878, that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division to be "Chief Customs Officer" in the port of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 7th March 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 12.)

Africa—East Coast.

DELAGOA BAY.

COCKBURN LIGHT-VESSEL, REMOVAL IN BAD WEATHER.

The Hydrographic Department of the British Admiralty has published the following information, received from Commodore F. W. Sullivan, C.B., C.M.G., Senior Officer, Cape of Good Hope, relative to the light-vessel placed on the western side of Cockburn shoal, Delagoa bay :—

On H. M. S. *Active* visiting Delagoa bay in November 1878, the light-vessel was not at her station. It was also reported that on the approach of bad weather, shelter is sought for the vessel in port Melville: reliance therefore should not at such times be placed on her being in position.

NOTE.—This light-vessel when in position forms the only safe mark for entering Delagoa bay at night; mariners are accordingly warned as to her probable removal in bad weather.

By Direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879.

This notice affects the following :—

BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts, Nos. 2090 and 644; also Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, 1879; and Africa Pilot, Part III, 1878, pages 154 and 156; also Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 87.

If this notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the head-quarters of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division will be removed from Howrah to Chinsurah from 10th March 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1757A.

The 1st March 1879.—Baboo Anunda Nath Mozoomdar, Moonsif of Jungypore, Moorshedabad, is transferred to Bishenpore, in Bankoora.

Baboo Keshub Chunder Acharjee Chowdri, Zemindar and Pleader, is appointed to be an Honorary Magistrate for the Mymensingh Bench, in the district of Mymensingh, and is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 8th March 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor accepts the resignation tendered by the Rev. Father Lewis of his appointment of an Honorary Magistrate in the district of Chumparun.

The name of Mr. J. S. Rochfort, who has left the district, is removed from the list of Honorary Magistrates in Chumparun.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Beauleah Bench, in the district of Rajshahye, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Moulvi Abdool Ahad, Superintendent, Rajshahye Madrassa.
Baboo Omakant Bhoya, Pleader.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Honorary Magistrates for the Sudder Bench in the district of Chittagong, and are vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class:—

Baboo Chaitanya Charan Dutt, } Pleaders.
„ Durga Das Das, }
„ Moti Lall Mookerjee, Assistant Surgeon.
„ Seo Lall Tewari, Zemindar and Pensioned Inspector of Police.
Moulvi Zulfiquor Ali, Superintendent of the Madrassa.

The 12th March 1879.—Baboo Bhugwan Chunder Sen, First Subordinate Judge, Backergunge, is allowed leave for seven months and fifteen days, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted him under orders of the 3rd October last.

Mr. G. K. Lyon, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Dinagepore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

The 14th March 1879.—Baboo Radhica Lall Shome, Officiating Sub-Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 15th March 1879.—Mr. D. B. Allen, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Jehanabad, Gya, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. T. E. Vaughan, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class.

The 18th March 1879.—Mr. Alexander Robert Wigram, who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to act as Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Patna, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

Baboo Hemango Chunder Bose, Moonsif of Pingna, [illegible] on leave, is appointed to be also a Moonsif of Attia, in that district.

Baboo Suresh Chunder Ghose, B.L., Officiating Moonsif of Pingna, is appointed to act also as a Moonsif of Attia during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Hemango Chunder Bose, or until further orders.

Baboo Hari Narain Roy, Moonsif of Sherepore, Mymensingh, is appointed to be also a Moonsif of the Sudder Station of that district.

Baboo Grish Chunder Roy, Moonsif of Ghosegong, Mymensingh, is appointed to be also a Moonsif of Nitrokona, in that district.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO MOONSIFS.—*The 12th March* 1879.—Mr. R. K. Sen, a Moonsif of Azimgunge, in the district of Moorshedabad, has been allowed leave of absence without pay for one week, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 18th March 1879, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Soshee Bhooshun Mookerjee, a Moonsif of Moheshrekha, and posted at Amtah, in the district of Hooghly, has been allowed leave of absence for three months, under Section 3, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that already granted to him on the 9th January 1879, the whole period of his leave to be treated as leave on medical certificate.

The 14th March 1879.—Baboo Ramdyal Ghose, Moonsif of Bishenpore, in the district of West Burdwan, has been allowed leave of absence for one month, under Note 1, Section 81 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 15th April 1879, or from such date as he may avail himself of it.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th March 1879.—Under Section 50, Act X of 1872, and in supersession of the notification of the 4th June 1877, published at page 683 of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 6th June 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that any two or more of the Honorary Magistrates in the district of Cuttack, now or hereafter to be appointed under the orders of this Government in that district, or any one such Honorary Magistrate, or more than one of them, sitting with any salaried Magistrate appointed by the Magistrate of the district to preside at a meeting or meetings at Cuttack, shall form a Bench for the trial of offences occurring within the limits of the jurisdiction of the head-quarters sub-division of the district of Cuttack.

The Lieutenant-Governor also directs that when, under Section 51, Act X of 1872, these Benches exercise the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, they shall also have power to try summarily all or any of the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the said Act; and that when, similarly, they exercise the powers of a Magistrate of the Second and Third Class, they shall also have power to try summarily all or any of the offences mentioned in Section 225 of the said Act.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 18th March 1879.—Whereas a certain newspaper, the *Some Prokash* (সোম প্রকাশ), contains words of the nature described in Section 3, Clause *a* of Act No. IX of 1878—

This is to give notice to all whom it may concern, and to give all such persons warning, according to the provisions of Section 6 of the said Act No. IX of 1878.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1879.—It is hereby notified that from the 1st January 1884 the number of appointments to the Government Service as Assistant Surgeons will be regulated by the requirements of the Medical Department, and that passed students of the Medical College will no longer have a claim to enter the service of Government as a matter of right.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

First Publication.

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th March 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the Kandi Sub-Registry Office from Rasorah to Kandi, in the district of Moorshedabad. Baboo Ram Goti Banerjea is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kandi, *vice* Baboo Gopi Kant Roy, resigned, with effect from the 30th November 1878.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th February 1879.—In supersession of the notification dated 2nd April 1877, published at page 442 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 4th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor, under Section 7 of Act III of 1877, sanctions the undermentioned changes in the designations and jurisdictions of the Joint Sub-Registrars of Arrah and of Buxar and Sassecram :—Baboo Ganga Nath Roy, Deputy Collector, in charge of the collection of water-rates in the Arrah division of the Sone Irrigation Circle, at present Joint Sub-Registrar within the executive sub-division of Arrah, will henceforth be designated Joint Sub-Registrar of the Arrah Irrigation Division, and will have jurisdiction over that part of the district of Shahabad which lies to the east of the river Kan, embracing all the tracts from which he collects water-rates; while Moulvie Mahomed-ul Nabi, Deputy Collector, in charge of the collection of water-rates in the Buxar division of the Sone Irrigation Circle, now Joint Sub-Registrar within the sub-divisions of Buxar and Sasseeram, will be called Joint Sub-Registrar of the Buxar Irrigation Division, and will

exercise jurisdiction over the remaining portion of the district of Shahabad lying to the west of the river Kan. For the purposes of the Registration Act and Rules, these officers will be subordinate to the Registrar of Shahabad so far as the registration of security bonds executed by, or on behalf of, village head-men appointed for the collection of water-rates is concerned.

This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the transfer of thana Bhaturiya, at present comprised within the Registration Sub-District of Mantessar, to the Registration Sub-District of Culna, in the district of Burdwan. That portion of the notification dated 22nd July 1878, published at page 827 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 31st idem, which relates to thana Bhaturiya is hereby cancelled.

This notification will take effect from the 20th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the under-mentioned changes in the jurisdictions of the Sub-Registrars of Contai and of Dantoon, in the district of Midnapore.

The Registration Sub-District of Contai will henceforth comprise thanas Contai, Raghunathpore, Egra, and Pataspore. The Registration Sub-District of Dantoon will comprise thanas Dantoon and Narayanghur. That portion of the notification dated 16th April 1878, published at page 345 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 24th idem, which relates to the Registration Sub-District of Dantoon is hereby cancelled.

This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

The 21st February 1879.—The following notification of the Government of India Home Department, is republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATION.

No. 30.—*Dated Fort William, the 13th February* 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 25 of Act XXII of 1864, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to exclude the thana of Barranagore, lately called Areadah, from the operation of the rules and regulations made under Clause 7, Section 19 of the said Act, which were extended to that thana by Home Department Notification No. 22, dated the 19th February 1877.

The Act will remain in force in thana Dum-Dum, which is bounded as follows :—

North—Thana Barrackpore. | *East*—Thanas Baraset and Bhangour.
South—Thana Bhangour. | *West*—Thana Barranagore.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that, in the exercise of the powers vested in him by Section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts Act (VI of 1871,) the Lieutenant-Governor vests Baboo Romanath Sil, a Moonsif of Satkhira, in the district of the 24-Pergunnahs, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts within the limit of Rs. 50. The local limits within which he shall exercise these powers shall correspond with the limits of the Satkhira Moonsifee jurisdiction.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th February 1879.—It is hereby notified, under the provisions of Section 15 of Act V of 1861, that the villages of Deotula, Bhygoorah, Karaitallah, Koichoichora, Talleshur, Sonbaria, Jaffurkhally, Amtallee, and Bamna, in the Perozepore sub-division, in the district of Backergunge, being still in a very disturbed and dangerous state owing to the existence of

disputes regarding the possession of lands and collection of rents, and owing to the animosity between the rival parties, the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned, from the 15th February 1879, the employment for a further period of six months of a special police force consisting of 1 sub-inspector, 4 head-constables, and 50 constables, to be quartered at the said villages for the purpose of keeping the peace between the members of the family of the Bamna Chowdries and their rivals, respecting the estate known as Jooar Ramna Bamna.

The cost of the police force noted below will be assessed and levied from the inhabitants, of the villages in proportion to their respective means;—

				Rs.	A.	P.
1	1 Sub-inspector,	at Rs. 50	... ...	50	0	0
1						
	1 Head Constable,	at Rs. 25	... ...	25	0	0
	1 Ditto,	„ 20	... ...	20	0	0
	1 Ditto,	„ 15	... ...	15	0	0
	1 Ditto,	„ 10	... ...	10	0	0
4						
	20 Constables,	at Rs. 9	... ...	180	0	0
	30 Ditto,	„ 8	... ...	240	0	0
50						
			Total ...	540	0	0
	Pensionary charges, at 2 annas per rupee		... ...	67	8	0
	Contingencies, at 10 per cent.		... ...	54	0	0
	1 Sub-inspector's boat-hire, at Rs. 20		... ...	20	0	0
			Total ...	681	8	0
			Total for six months ...	4,089	0	0
	Clothing allowance of 54 men, Rs. 4 each		... ...	108	0	0
	Repairs to barracks, &c ...		... ...	100	0	0
			Grand total ...	4,297	0	0

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th February 1879.—The following list of members of the Board of Management of the Reformatory School established at Alipore for the reception and industrial training of juvenile offenders is published for general information :—

Hon'ble H. T Prinsep ...	*President.*
Surgeon-Major R. Harvey ...	*Vice-Presidents.*
Doctor S. S. Lynch ...	
Nawab Ameer Ali ...	*Members.*
Mr. Ameer Ali ...	
„ J. G. Charles ...	
Maharajah Narendra Krishna ...	
Mr. J. Lambert ...	
Surgeon A. S. Lethbridge ...	
Moulvie Abdool Luteef, Khan Bahadoor ...	
Surgeon-Major S. C. Mackenzie ...	
Hon'ble Kristo Das Pal, Rai Bahadoor, C.I.E. ...	
Surgeon-Major A. J. Payne ...	
Mr. W. M. Souttar ...	

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that the Sub-Registry Office at Gopalgunge, in the district of Sarun, be closed during the suspension of that sub-division, or until further orders, the thanas Baragaon and Barauli, with pergunnah Murhul, at present forming the registration sub-district of Gopalgunge, reverting to the sub-district of Sewan. This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

The 11th March 1879.

No. 58.—*Notifications.*—Mr. M. P. B. Duell, Executive Engineer, First Grade, was relieved of his duties as Superintending Engineer, North-Western Circle, on the 17th February 1879, after noon.

No. 59.—The following orders, issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, are republished for information :—

Adjutant-General's Office, Simla, 6th March 1879.

The following extracts from the *London Gazettes* of the 24th and 28th January 1879, received on the 1st instant, are republished in General Orders :—

From the *London Gazette* dated 24th January 1879.

* * *

The following promotions to take place consequent on the foregoing retirements on pensions, with extra annuities :—

To be Major-Generals.

* * *

Colonel Alexander Cadell, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers. Dated 31st December 1878.

* * *

Royal Engineers.—Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels.—Brevet Colonel Charles Thornton Stewart (late Bengal). Dated 31st December 1878.

* * *

The 12th March 1879.

No. 60.—Mr. W. B. Christie, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, joined the Darjeeling Division on the 21st February 1879, before noon.

No. 61.—Mr. C. J. Middleton, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Dinagepore Division on the 22nd February 1879, after noon.

No. 62.—Mr. A. Horne, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, joined the Patna Division on the 21st February 1879, after noon.

The 15th March 1879.

No. 63.—The following order, issued by the Government of India, in the Military Department, is republished for information :—

No. 228.—The following extract from list No. 7, dated the 14th February 1879, received from the India Office, is published for general information :—

* * *

Granted extension of leave.

Major G. S. Hills, Royal Engineers, six months, medical certificate.

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No. 64.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

No. 125.—The following changes are ordered in the Superior Accounts Establishment, with effect from 1st January 1879, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel B. J. C. Prior, Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Second Class, First Grade :—

* * *

Mr. A. Wilson, Assistant Examiner, First Grade, to be Deputy Examiner, Second Grade.

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Mr. W. A. Billings, Deputy Examiner, First Grade, is promoted temporarily to Examiner, Second Class, Third Grade.

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The 13th March 1879.

No. 132.—The following is republished for information and guidance in the Public Works Department :—

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT NOTIFICATION (PAY AND ALLOWANCES).

No. 1264, *of 28th June* 1878.

In modification of the notifications of the Government of India in this Department, No 778, of the 31st January 1872, and No. 2466, of the 17th April 1874, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to rule that when an officer on a salary of less than (Rs. 100) one hundred a month, but in "superior service," as defined in the Civil Pension Code, is provided at the public expense with a passage by sea or in a river steamer, he may, at the discretion of the head of his office, be allowed free passage for one native servant.

(LOCAL CIVIL BUILDINGS.)

The 15th March 1879.

No. 65.—*Declaration under Section* 6 *of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up for a public purpose at the public expense, viz. for the District Engineer's and the Road Cess Committee's office in the town of Sudharam, on the east of Taltolly Khall, in the Noakholly district, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose, a strip of land measuring

about 230 feet by 154 feet, more or less, and containing two beeghas nine cottahs and four chittacks in quantity, be acquired within the following boundaries :—

North—Sadaruddy, contractor-taluqdar's land ;
South—Public drain and road ;
East—Land of ryot Jaggo Bandhu, doctor ; taluqdars Bagola Prasanna Mozumdar, and Sadaruddy, contractor ;
West—Private road on the Taltolly Khall Bank, belonging to Johiruddy Sirdar, ryot ; taluqdar Baboo Bagola Prasanna Mozumdar.

A plan of the land can be seen at the Noakholly Road Cess Office.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. CADELL, *Major-General*, R E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

The 17th March 1879.

No. 77.—*Leave.*—Mr. P. B. Roberts, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Gunduck Division, availed himself, on the forenoon of the 1st March 1879, of the privilege leave granted him in the orders marginally noted.

No 48, dated 3rd February 1879.

No. 78.—*Notification.*—With reference to the orders marginally noted, Mr. J. P. H. Walker, Superintending Engineer, First Grade, returned to duty from privilege leave on the afternoon of the 10th March 1879, and took over charge of the Sone Circle from Major J. M. McNeile, R.E., on the forenoon of the 11th idem.

No. 36, dated 24th January 1879.

No. 79.—*Reversion.*—Baboo Mohesh Chunder Bose, Officiating Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade, to Assistant Engineer, First Grade, from 11th March 1879, in consequence of the return to duty of Mr. J. P. H. Walker.

No. 80.—*Leave.*—Mr. C. Kriens, Assistant Engineer, First Grade, Brahminee-Byturnee Division, is granted subsidiary leave for 27 days, viz. from the 16th November to the 12th December 1878, both days inclusive, under Section 24 (*b*) of the Civil Leave Code, to enable him to join his appointment on return from furlough.

No. 81.—The leave granted to Mr. J. R. Swinden, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Gunduck Division, in the orders marginally noted, is hereby commuted to special leave to study native languages, under Public Works Code, Chapter II–IV 28, and Mr. Swinden is granted privilege leave for three months in extension of that leave, with effect from the 13th March 1879.

No. 3, dated 2nd January 1879.
No. 24, dated 20th January 1879.

No. 82.—*Notification.*—*Medical.*—The orders marginally noted, relating to Honorary Surgeon Major P. A. Minas, Civil Medical Officer, Dehree, are hereby cancelled, and the original orders of 25th April 1878, which were cancelled therein, will therefore remain in force.

Nos. 9 and 10, dated 8th January 1879.

No. 83.—*Appointment.*—*Medical.*—In modification of the latter part of the orders marginally noted, Dr. W. Forsyth is hereby notified to be the Civil Medical Officer of Dehree permanently, with effect from the date on which he assumed the duties of the appointment, and until further orders.

No. 11, dated 8th January 1879

The 18th March 1879.

No. 84.—*Notification.*—The following notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is published for information :—

"*No* 139, *dated* 15*th March* 1879.—With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 84, of 12th February 1879, the services of Mr. C. Taylor, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, and Officiating Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, with effect from 18th March 1879."

No. 85.—*Posting.*—With reference to the above, Mr. C. Taylor, having reported his return from the office of the Government of India on the forenoon of the 18th March 1879, is posted to the Northern Drainage and Embankment Division of the South-Western Circle, with effect from that date.

D. B. HORN, *Assistant Secretary*,
for Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

Dated 15*th March* 1879.

No. 16.—*Notifications.*—With reference to Notifications Nos. 41 and 42 of the 3rd December 1878, Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Stanton, R.E., returned to duty on the forenoon of the 2nd March 1879, and took over charge of the duties of Director of State Railways, North-Eastern System, and Joint-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Railway Branch; and on the same date Lieutenant-Colonel J. G. Lindsay, R.E., and Mr. W. B. Carter reverted to their substantive appointments of Engineer-in-Chief and Superintendent of Works, Northern Bengal State Railway, respectively.

No. 17.—With reference to Notifications Nos. 1 and 2 of the 1st January 1879 and No. 16 of 15th March 1879, Messrs. T. E. Owen and T. W. Grant reverted, on the forenoon of the 2nd March 1879, to their substantive appointments of Executive Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), and Assistant Engineer, First Grade, respectively.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg.-Joint Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

Fort William, the 18*th March* 1879.

No. 18.—Captain E. A. Trevor, R.E., Examiner of Accounts, returned from the privilege leave granted in Government of India, Public Works Department, Notification No. 566, of the 20th December 1878, and took over the duties of Examiner of Accounts, North-Eastern System and Northern Bengal State Railway, from Mr. W. H. Billings, Deputy Examiner of Accounts, on the afternoon of the 17th March 1879.

No. 19.—Mr. J. W. Parry, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Northern Bengal State Railway, returned to duty on the afternoon of the 13th March 1879, from the leave granted in Notification No. 26, of the 19th October 1878.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[First Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 14*th March* 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required for a public purpose, viz. for extending the Dalsinghserai Station, Tirhoot State Railway, the land described below is needed for the purpose:—

A plot of land measuring 1 acre, or 1 beegha 4 cottahs 18 dhoors nearly by local measure, being part of a Mangoetope of Bharath Halwayi, part of arable land belonging to Masayi Kándú, and part of a plot of land under indigo cultivation, bounded on the north by indigo land of Keota Factory; on the east by the remaining portions of the above required land, on the south by the road leading to Dalsinghserai town; and on the west by the railway premises and land.

The plan of land required is open to inspection at the offices of the Collector of Durbhunga and the Executive Engineer, Tirhoot State Railway, at Mozufferpore, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on all days, Sundays and holidays excepted.

This declaration is made, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

CORRIGENDUM.

The 17*th March* 1879.

In Notification No. 15 of 10th March 1879 *for* "J. Barrow" *read* "J. Barron."

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT.

No. 2415.—*Dated* 18*th March* 1879.—Baboo Sitakant Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate of Pooree, made over charge of the Poorce Jail on the forenoon of the 3rd instant to Dr. B. Gupta.

A. LETHBRIDGE,
Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

Sheriff's Office, the 19th March 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Twenty-first day of April next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৯ মার্চ।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার কোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ২১ শে এপ্রেল সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিযানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

ই, সি, মরগেন, শরিফ।

TREASURY NOTICES.

BABOO TARINI KUMAR GHOSE, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Dacca treasury, *vice* Baboo Kisto Chunder Roy, Deputy Collector, deputed to the interior of the district, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries during his absence.

F. B. PEACOCK, *Commissioner.*

BABOO SHAM MADHUB ROY, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of the Hooghly treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

T. E. RAVENSHAW, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., CHINSURAH, the 17th March 1879.

UNCOVENANTED DEPUTY COLLECTOR BABOO BHAGOBAN CHUNDER BOSE has been placed in charge of the Nuddea treasury from the 18th instant, and authoized to daw bills on other treasuries.

R. L. MANGLES, *Commissioner.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, PRESIDENCY DIVISION, CALCUTTA, the 24th February 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Subordinate Graded Educational Service

The 14th March 1879.—Baboo Prosanna Chandra Dos, B.A., Second Master, Noakholly Zillah School, is appointed to the Seventh Class of the Subordinate Educational Service.

The 17th March 1879.—Baboo Durga Prosana Mookerjee, Deputy Inspector of Schools, Jessore, is temporarily appointed to be Additional Deputy Inspector of Schools in that district, with effect from the date on which he joined his appointment.

A. W. CROFT,
Director of Public Instruction

Orders by the Vice-Chancellor and Syndicate of the Calcutta University.

The undermentioned Students have passed the Medical Examinations :—

SECOND M. B. EXAMINATION.

FIRST DIVISION.

Sil, Kanailal	...	Medical College.

SECOND DIVISION.

In Alphabetical Order.

Bandyopadhyay, Girijapada	...	Medical College.
Chattopadhyay, Bagalacharan	...	Ditto.
,, Bibhutibhushan	...	Ditto.
Datta, Khirodkumar	...	Ditto.
De, Rajendralal	...	Ditto.
6 Gangopadhyay, Jadunath	...	Ditto.

SECOND L. M. S. EXAMINATION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Bandyopadhyay, Haripada	...	Medical College.
	Basak, Nrityalal	...	Ditto.
	Basu, Biharilal	...	Ditto.
	,, Manmathanath	...	Ditto.
	Chaudhuri, Chandranath	...	Ditto.
	,, Khirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	Das, Annadaprasad	...	Ditto.
	Datta, Akshaykumar	...	Ditto.
	Ghosh, Rajkrishna	...	Ditto.
10	,, Umeschandra	...	Ditto.
	Kumar, Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.
	Maitra, Madhusudan	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Khelaram	...	Ditto.
	Purkait, Purnachandra	...	Ditto.
	Ray, Khirodchandra	...	Ditto.
	,, Mahendranath	...	Ditto.
	Sen, Bamandas	...	Ditto.
	Sinha, Narendraprasanna	...	Ditto.
19	Srimani, Sasibhushan	...	Ditto.

FIRST M. B. EXAMINATION.

FIRST DIVISION.

In Order of Merit.

1	Ghosh, Srinath	...	Medical College.
2	Basu, Sanatkumar	...	Ditto.
3	Lahiri, Nikunjamohan	...	Ditto.
4	Sanyal, Pulinchandra	...	Ditto.
5	Chattopadhyay, Debendranath	...	Ditto.
6	Ghosh, Khudiram	...	Ditto.
7	Das, Sundarimohan	...	Ditto.

FIRST L. M. S. EXAMINATION.

In Alphabetical Order.

	Adhya, Umacharan	...	Medical College.
	Ahia Ali Khan	...	Ditto.
	Bandyopadhyay, Nithurmay	...	Ditto.
	Chattopadhyay, Khirodprasad	...	Ditto.
	Chakrabarti, Gaganchandra	...	Ditto.
	Das, Harischandra	...	Ditto.
	Goswami, Gopalchandra	...	Ditto.
	Kundu, Ambikacharan	...	Ditto.
	Majumdar, Prasannakumar	...	Ditto.
10	,, Ramchandra	...	Ditto.
	Mallik, Biharilal	...	Ditto.
	,, Lakshminarayan	...	Ditto.
	Mitra, Amritalal	...	Ditto.
	Mukhopadhyay, Krishnapada	...	Ditto.
	Saha, Batakrishna	...	Ditto.
16	Sanyal, Jogneswar	...	Ditto.

SENATE HOUSE,
The 12th March 1879.

CHARLES H. TAWNEY,
Registrar.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 288B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77 will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd April 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

				Chests.
Behar	Opium	...	...	2,500
Benares	,,	...	...	2,500
		Total	...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and

published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes* or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th April 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 18th April 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests
On or about Thursday, 1st May 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ,, ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December ,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	20,000	20,000	40,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary*.

BOARD OF REVENUE, L.P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th February 1879.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1879.

PART I A.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, is republished for general information :—

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

The 13th March 1879.

No. 1270.—His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow Five Crores of Rupees for the Public Service in the following manner.

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in the Form annexed to this Notification, being the Form of the Notes of the Transfer Loan 1879, of which Loan the Notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to Notes of the first Form of the Transfer Loan 1879 will apply to the Notes to be now issued.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Five Crores of Rupees will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Monday the 12th of May 1879.

4. Each tender must be addressed, in the Form annexed to this Notification, to the Comptroller General, Treasury Buildings, Calcutta, and enclosed in a sealed cover superscribed "*Tender for Four-and-a-Half Per Cent. Loan, 1879.*" If the tenderer is not resident in India, he must name an Agent resident in India to whom a Letter of Allotment may be issued, if any part of the Loan is allotted to such tenderer.

5. Each tender must be accompanied by a receipt from one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras or Bombay, or one of their Branches, or from an Officer in charge of some Government treasury, or by a cheque on a banker in Calcutta, Madras or Bombay, or by Government Promissory Notes made payable to the Comptroller General, for not less than one-hundredth, or, if the tender be for less than five lakhs of Rupees, then, for not less than one-fiftieth part of the tender: this deposit of one or two per centum will be forfeited if the allotment is not fully taken up, and, if it is in cash, will be treated as in part payment of the last instalment: a cash deposit may, after acceptance of the tender in support of which it is made, be replaced by a Government Promissory Note.

6. The rate at which each tender is made must be specified in Rupees, or Rupees and Annas: a tender in which no rate is thus specified, but a subscription is offered at the Recorded Minimum, or at some specified percentage in addition to the Recorded Minimum, will be rejected as null and void.

7. The rate at which a tender is made must not contain a fraction of an anna; if a rate containing a fraction of an anna is inserted in any tender, such fraction will be struck out, and the tender treated as if the rate did not contain such fraction of an anna.

8. The Minimum Rate at which tenders will be accepted will be recorded under the signature of the Comptroller General, and, when the tenders are opened, placed upon the table in a sealed envelope, but will not be declared unless some tender is rejected only because it is below the Recorded Minimum.

9. Tenders will be opened, publicly, at the Office of the Comptroller General in Calcutta, at noon on Monday the 12th of May 1879: but the contents of the tenders will not be disclosed otherwise than as provided in Clause 11.

10. Tenders at the Recorded Minimum Rate, and at rates above the Recorded Minimum Rate, will be accepted in the order of the rates tendered, beginning with the

highest rate: the amount allotted at the lowest rate at which tenders are accepted, will be divided amongst those who have tendered at this rate, in proportion, as nearly as may be found convenient, to the amounts of their tenders.

11. As soon as possible after the said 12th May 1879, Letters of Allotment will be issued to those persons whose tenders are accepted in whole or in part, or to their Agents; and an alphabetical list of the names of those to whom such Letters of Allotment are issued will be posted, for general information, at the Head-Offices of the Banks of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

12. Payment of any accepted tender may be made to the account of the Government in the Head-Office of one of the Banks of Bengal, Madras or Bombay or in any Branch of any of these Banks, or into any Government treasury or treasuries in India which may be named in the tender.

13. Accepted tenders must be paid, in five equal instalments, as follows:—

One-fifth on or before Friday the 30th May 1879,
One-fifth on or before Monday the 30th June 1879,
One-fifth on or before Wednesday the 30th July 1879,
One-fifth on or before Saturday the 30th August 1879,
One-fifth on or before Saturday the 13th September 1879,

but the whole or any part of any accepted tender may be paid at any time after receipt of the Letter of Allotment.

14. Interest upon each payment will be promptly paid in advance at the rate of four-and-a-half per centum per annum, from the date of such payment to the Fourteenth day of September 1879.

15. Scrip receipts for instalments paid will be given by the Banks of Bengal, Madras and Bombay or their Branches, or by the Officers in charge of the Government treasuries at which payment is made. These receipts will, as soon as possible, be exchanged for Promissory Notes issued under this Notification.

FORM OF PROMISSORY NOTE. *(See Clause 2.)*

FORT WILLIAM, THE 15TH MARCH 1879.

Transfer Loan, 1879, Four-and-a-Half Per Cent. Portion.

Promissory Note for Government Rupees [X] bearing Interest, payable half-yearly, at the rate of Four-and-a-half Rupees per centum per annum.

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from (A. B.) the sum of Government Rupees [X] as a loan to the Secretary of State in Council for India;

and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Secretary of State in Council, on demand, three months after Notice of Repayment published by order of the Governor General of India in Council in the *Gazette of India*, to repay the said loan of Rupees [X] to the said (A. B.), his (or "her" or "their") Executors, Administrators or Assigns, or his (or "her") or their order in Calcutta, with interest from the 15th day of September 1879 to the date appointed for discharge, at the rate of four-and-a-half per centum per annum;

and such Notice as aforesaid shall be equivalent to a tender of repayment at the period therein appointed for the discharge of this Note.

And the Governor General in Council hereby promises, on and after each succeeding fifteenth day of the Months of September and March, until the expiration of three months after Notice of Repayment as aforesaid (when all further interest will cease), on demand, to pay to the said (A. B.), his (or "her" or "their") Executors, Administrators or Assigns, or his (or "her") or their order, in Calcutta, interest on the said sum of Government Rupees [X] for half-a-year at the rate of four-and-a-half per centum per annum.

The Governor General in Council hereby further engages that Notice of Repayment as aforesaid shall not be given before the Fifteenth day of June 1893, and that this Note shall not be discharged before the Fifteenth day of September 1893.

FORM OF TENDER.

I, A. B., hereby tender for Rupees [X] of *The Four-and-a-Half Per Cent. Loan, 1879*, advertised in the Notification published in the *Gazette of India* Extraordinary, dated

and agree to pay for the same, subject to the conditions notified, at the rate of Rupees [Y] annas [Z]* for every hundred Rupees allotted to me.

* Fractions of an anna not allowed.

I enclose a *deposit receipt*† for Rupees [XX], and engage, if my offer be accepted, to pay to the account of the Government at the Bank of ‡ (or at the‡ Branch of the Bank of‡ ; or into the Government treasury at‡ as the case may be) the first instalment on or before Friday the 30th May 1879, and the several later instalments on or before the dates fixed by the Notification, as follows:—

† Or cheque or Government Promissory Note.

‡ Here enter the name of Bank, Branch Bank or Treasury.

One-fifth on or before Friday the 30th May 1879.
One-fifth on or before Monday the 30th June 1879.
One-fifth on or before Wednesday the 30th July 1879.
One-fifth on or before Saturday the 30th August 1879.
One-fifth on or before Saturday the 13th September 1879.

Any Allotment made to me may be communicated to C. D., at ||

|| Here insert C. D.'s address, which must be in India. This paragraph should only be inserted if A. B. does not reside in India.

NOTE.—(1).—*A separate tender must be made at each rate tendered, and each tender must be supported by a separate deposit. In order to avoid mistakes, the tender, or, at least, the name of the tenderer, and the amount and rate tendered, should be written in English. The rate tendered should be the whole amount per cent., not the premium or discount: thus;—"One hundred and two," or "One hundred," or "Ninety-nine;" not "Two per cent. Premium," or "Par," or "One per cent. Discount."*

POST OFFICE.

The 7th March 1879.

No. 1170.—Ordered that the following Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* :—

It has been brought to the notice of the Government of India that articles liable to sea customs duty are frequently imported into India through the Letter Post, and thus escape the duty to which they are liable. Such importations are in direct contravention of the Indian Post Office Act, 1866, section 60 of which Act declares that any cover supposed to contain articles subject to customs duty may be opened by the Post Office authorities after due notice to attend has been given to the addressee.

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council desires to remind the public that the importation through the Letter Post of goods liable to duty is illegal, and to notify for general information that the provisions of section 60 of Act XIV of 1866 will be strictly enforced.

Ordered that this Resolution be communicated to the several local Governments and Administrations, and for information and guidance to the Director-General of the Post Office of India.

PENSIONS, GRATUITIES, &c.

The 11th October 1878.

No. 3378.—The Governor General in Council directs the publication of the following Addenda and Corrigendum to the Codes of the Financial Department :—

CIVIL PENSION CODE.

Section 20 (page 8).

Insert the following as Rule 2 *under this section* :—

2. Service as Private Secretary to the Governor-General or a Governor qualifies provided that the officer belongs to the Covenanted Civil Service or to the Staff Corps, or belonged (previously to his appointment as Private Secretary) to the Uncovenanted Service.

Section 38.

Insert the following on page 17 :—

Rule 4A.—An officer who contributes, under Rules 3 and 4, for pension only, is entitled to no absentee allowance from the British Government during any leave that he may take while not in the employ of the British Government; and, if he returns to such employ, his foreign service will not count for leave under the Civil Leave Code and its Supplements. Any leave, however, which he may take from his foreign employers will count, or not count, as service under this Code, exactly as if it were leave taken from service under the British Government.

Section 72.

Insert the following as Rule 7 *on page* 42 :—

Rule 7.—If the officer is transferred to foreign service under the Rules in Chapter VII, he must send his Service Book to the Accountant-General, who will note therein, under his signature, the orders of Government sanctioning his transfer to foreign service, the effect of the transfer in regard to leave admissible during his foreign service, and any other particulars which the Accountant-General may consider to be necessary in connection with the transfer. If the officer is retransferred to the service of the British Government, he should again submit his Service Book to the Accountant-General, who will note therein, under his signature, all necessary particulars connected with his service during the period of his foreign employment.

CIVIL LEAVE CODE.

Section 37.

Add the following to Rule 10 *on page* 142 :—

But if the Local Government considers that the strict application of this proviso would be inequitable, or that there is any doubt as to its application, the Local Government shall decide which officer shall be held to have been in charge, and to which the salary of the office for the Sunday or holiday shall be paid.

Insert the following as Section 7A on page 119 :

Section 7A.—Service as Private Secretary to the Governor-General or a Governor qualifies for leave provided that the officer belongs to the Covenanted Civil Service or to the Staff Corps, or belonged (previously to his appointment as Private Secretary) to the Uncovenanted Service.

ACTING ALLOWANCE CODE.

(Page 236.)

Substitute the following for Section 26 :—

Section 26.—When a Military Officer is appointed to officiate in a civil office without being relieved of his military duty, his allowance for his civil duties are regulated in accordance with Section 23 and Rule 1 under it. If he has no substantive appointment in the Military Department, the pay of his rank is held to be his substantive pay for the purposes of Section 23. The allowances admissible for his civil duties are drawn in the Civil Department, and his allowances for his military duty are drawn in the Military Department.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 13th March 1879.

No. 598.—The Governor-General in Council hereby declares that it is expedient that the Governor-General shall visit certain parts of India unaccompanied by his Council.

And in the exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Council's Act, section 6, the Governor-General in Council hereby nominates the Honourable Sir Alexander Arbuthnot, K.C.S.I., to be President of the said Council, with effect from to-morrow, the 14th March, during the time of such visit; and the powers of the Governor-General in assemblies of the said Council during the time of such visit shall be reposed in the said Sir. Alexander Arbuthnot, except that of assenting to, or withholding his assent from, or reserving for the signification of Her Majesty's pleasure, any law or regulation as provided in the 24th and 25th Vic., Cap. 67. And the Governor-General is authorized by this order, made for that purpose alone, to exercise all or any of the powers which may be exercised by the said Governor-General in Council in every case in which the said Governor-General may think it expedient to exercise the same, except the powers of making laws and regulations.

The 14th March 1879.

No. 195.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. L. Hare, of the Bengal Civil Service, is appointed to officiate as Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Assam, with effect from the 10th instant, during the absence, on furlough, of Mr. T. J. Murray, C.S., or until further orders.

JUDICIAL.

The 13th March 1879.

No. 805.—APPOINTMENT.—Mr. A. Phillips, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to officiate as Standing Counsel, *vice* Mr. J. D. Bell, appointed to officiate as Advocate-General during the absence, on leave, of the Hon'ble G. C. Paul, B.A., C.I.E., or until further orders.

The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, is republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—METEOROLOGY.

Fort William, the 14th March 1879.

No. 51.—In supersession of Notification No. 144, dated the 18th of December last, it is hereby notified that the services of Mr. J. Eliot were replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal, with effect from the 20th January 1879, and that that officer officiated as Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India, in addition to his other duties, from that date until the 17th ultimo, when he was relieved by Mr. H F. Blanford.

NOTIFICATIONS.—SEA CUSTOMS.—No. 59.

Calcutta, the 13th March 1879.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 23 and 205 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to cancel so much of the Notification No. 43, dated the 18th March 1878, as relates to grey cotton piece-goods, and to exempt from all customs duties all grey cotton piece-goods howsoever designated, which are shewn to the satisfaction of the Customs Collector, whose decision shall be final, to contain no yarn of a higher number than 30*s*.

This Notification shall take effect on and after the 15th March 1879.

No. 60.

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 22 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, in modification of Schedule A of the Indian Tariff Act, 1875, to fix, for the articles mentioned in the second column of the following statement, the tariff values set forth in the fourth column of the same.

This Notification shall take effect on and after the 1st April 1879.

No.	NAMES OF ARTICLES	Per.	Tariff valuation.
			Rs. A.
16	COTTON AND ARTICLES MADE OF COTTON—		
	Piece-goods—		
	Grey—		
	Jaconets, exceeding 10 × 10 to the quarter-inch ...	lb	0 10½
	Jaconets, other sorts ...	,,	0 9
	Mulls	,,	0 14
	Printers	,,	0 10
	Shirtings and longcloths ..	,,	0 8½
	T cloths 18 reed and upwards and madapollams ...	,,	0 8½
	T cloths under 18 reed, jeans, domestics, sheetings, and drills	,,	0 7

No	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation. Rs.	A.
16	COTTON AND ARTICLES MADE OF COTTON—*continued.*			
	Twist—			
	Mule—			
	Nos. 33 to 42 ...	lb	0	8½
	„ 43 to 52 ...	„	0	10
	„ 53 to 60 ...	„	0	11½
	„ 61 to 70 ...	„	0	13½
	Water—			
	Nos 21 to 30 ...	„	0	8
	„ 31 to 40 ...	„	0	10
	„ 41 to 50 ...	„	0	11½
	Above 50	„	0	14
	Twist, Orange, Red, and other colours, except Turkey Red* ...	„	0	10
	Twist, Turkey Red, all kinds* ...	„	1	3
17	DRUGS AND MEDICINES, EXCEPT OPIUM—			
	Asafœtida (hing)	cwt.	70	0
	„ coarse (hingrá) ...	„	11	0
	Camphor, refined, cake ...	„	55	0
	„ crude, in powder ...	„	45	0
	Cassia lignea	„	22	0
	Salep	„	90	0
	Senna leaves	„	4	0
18	DYEING AND COLOURING MATERIALS—			
	Cochineal	lb	1	8
	Gallnuts, country, myrabolam ...	cwt.	2	12
	„ Persian	„	35	0
	Sapan wood and root ...	„	5	8
23	GLASS, GLASS-WARE, BEADS, FALSE PEARLS, AND FALSE CORALS—			
	Glass, Crown, of sizes ...	100 supl. feet	5	4
	Pearls, false—			
	Bájria	lákh	3	0
	Boria	thousand	1	0
	Jouria	lákh	5	0
	Nathia	thousand	0	3
	Wattanah	lákh	9	0
24	GUMS, GUM RESINS, AND ARTICLES MADE OF GUM OR GUM RESIN—			
	Copal	cwt.	55	0
	Cutch and Gambier ...	„	12	8
	Gum Ammoniac	„	13	0
	„ Arabic	„	13	8
	„ Bdellium (common gum) ..	„	6	0
	„ Bysabol (coarse myrrh) ...	„	13	0
	Myrrh	„	32	0
29	IVORY AND IVORY-WARE—			
	Unmanufactured—			
	Elephants' tusks, each exceeding 20 lb in weight, and hollows each weighing 10 lb and over	cwt.	450	0
	Elephants' tusks not less than 10 lb and not exceeding 20 lb each, and hollows each weighing less than 10 lb	„	375	0
	Sea-cow or moye teeth, each less than 3 lb	„	45	0

* Duty to be charged on the grey weight of the coloured yarn: when this is not ascertainable, the actual wharf weight, or invoice weight, to be taken.

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation. Rs.	A.
35	METALS, UNWROUGHT, WROUGHT, AND ARTICLES MADE OF METALS—			
	Brass—			
	Beads, Ghúngrí, China ...	thousand	1	0
	Old	cwt.	30	0
	Sheets, rolls, very thin ...	,,	75	0
	Wire	lb	0	7
	Copper—			
	Australian cake	cwt.	45	0
	Bolt	,,	46	0
	Braziers and sheets ...	,,	46	0
	Japan	,,	41	0
	Nails and composition-nails ...	,,	46	0
	Old	,,	40	0
	Pigs and slabs, foreign ...	,,	43	0
	Sheathing, and plate and raised bottoms	,,	48	0
	Tiles, ingots, cakes, and bricks	,,	44	0
	Wire	lb	0	9
	Gold leaf, European ...	100 leaves	2	12
	Iron—			
	Flat, square, and bolt, including Scotch	ton	80	0
	Hoop, plate, and sheet ...	,,	105	0
	Nails, rose, clasp, and flat-headed, rivets and washers ...	cwt.	11	0
	Nail-rod	ton	85	0
	Old	cwt.	1	8
	Pig	ton	42	0
	Rod, round, British, not exceeding half-inch diameter ...	,,	90	0
	Rod, exceeding half-inch diameter	,,	80	0
	Swedish, flat and square ...	,,	125	0
	Tinned plates	cwt.	12	0
	Lead—			
	Pig	cwt.	12	0
	Sheets, other sorts	,,	13	0
	Orsidue and brass-leaves, China ...	lb	1	0
	Patent or yellow metals, sheathing, sheets, and bolts ...	cwt.	38	0
	Ditto ditto, old ...	,,	30	0
	Quicksilver	lb	1	4
	Steel, exluding railway materials—			
	Blistered ...	cwt.	8	0
	British and foreign, other than Swedish	,,	7	0
	Cast	,,	20	0
	Spring	,,	8	8
	Swedish	,,	9	0
	Tin, block	,,	40	0
	Zinc or Spelter—			
	Nails	,,	20	0
	Plate and other shapes, hard ...	,,	12	0
	Sheet or Zinc sheathing ...	,,	15	0
41	PAINTS, COLOURS, PAINTERS' MATERIALS, AND COMPOSITIONS FOR APPLICATION TO LEATHER AND METALS—			
	Ochre other than European, all colours	cwt.	1	4
	Paints Composition ...	,,	30	0
	Prussian blue, European ...	lb	1	6
	Turpentine	Impl. gallon	1	8
	Verdigris	cwt	70	0
	Vermilion, Canton	box of 90 bndls	80	0

No.	Names of Articles.	Per	Tariff valuation. Rs. A.
43	PERFUMERY—		
	Rose-flowers, dried	cwt.	12 0
47	PROVISIONS AND OILMAN'S STORES—		
	Bacon in canisters, Jowls and Cheeks	lb	0 12
	Cheese	„	0 12
	Ghee	cwt.	40 0
	Pork-hams	lb	0 12
	Vinegar, European, in wood ...	Impl. gallon	1 0
51	SHELLS AND COWRIES—		
	Chanks—		
	Large shells, for cameos ..	hundred	6 0
	White, dead	„	3 8
	Cowras—		
	From Mozambique and Zanzibar	„	0 8
	Cowries—		
	Maldive	cwt.	7 8
	Yellow, superior quality ...	„	2 8
	Mother-of-pearl	„	20 0
52	SILK, AND ARTICLES MADE OF SILK—		
	Floss	lb	9 0
	Raw silk—		
	Chaháram, Cochin China and yellow Shanghai ...	„	4 8
	Waste and Kachra ...	„	1 0
	Persian	„	4 8
	Siam . ..	„	2 0
	Raw silk the produce of the tasar or other wild worm ...	„	2 8
54	SPICES—		
	Aniseed, star	cwt.	33 0
	Betelnuts—		
	All other sorts	„	9 0
	Chillies, dried	„	9 0
	Cloves	„	65 0
	„ in seeds, Narlavang ...	„	24 0
	Mace	lb	0 14
	Nutmegs in shell	„	0 6
	Pepper, black and long ...	cwt.	20 0
56	SUGAR—		
	China, candy	„	23 0
	Loaf	„	30 0
	Soft	„	15 0
57	TEA—		
	Black	lb	0 10
	Green	„	1 2
61	UMBRELLAS—		
	China paper kettisals ...	box of 110	45 0
	Cotton, oiled, other than European	each	0 8

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Fort William, the 13th March 1879.

No. 217.—VOLUNTEER CORPS—

Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps.

In G. G. O. No. 137 of 1879, *for* "Mr. Louis Edward Doggett Rose," *read* Mr. Louis Edward Daggett Rose.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 220.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

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Surgeon C. H. Joubert, M.B.,—medical certificate, for eight months, under rule IX, note one, of the Regulations of 1868.

No. 223.—Captain Thomas Hindmarsh, Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps is granted leave of absence to proceed to Europe, with effect from the 1st April 1879 to the 31st July 1880.

No. 226.—Lieutenant J. Stevenson, Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps, is granted leave of absence to proceed to Europe, with effect from the 17th March 1879 to the 16th March 1880.

No. 227.—Lieutenant George Low Calder, Eastern Bengal Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps, is granted leave of absence to proceed to Europe with effect from the 1st April 1879 to the 31st July 1880.

No. 229.—DEPARTURES—

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Major N. Lowis, Bengal Staff Corps, G. G. O. No. 81 of 1879,—*City of Manchester*, 22nd February 1879, from Calcutta.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19, 1879.

PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Choitro, 1285 B S, corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
173	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 2 14	2 6 4	4 12 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HYDE, *Collector*.

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			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
59	2217	Patonda, pergunnah Mundleghat	3 3 12	25 1 8	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to sale at the Rajshahye Collectorate on the 26th of March 1879, corresponding with the 13th of Chaitra 1285 (Bengali).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price. The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

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Number in statement of Government estates.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed	Upset price
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.
39	1832	Hazarahati, in pergunnah Luskerpore	1 2 28	6 0 0	12 0 0
5	1601	Shahpore, in pergunnah Turpeh Beas	43 0 2	12 0 0	24 0 0
41	1593	Chuk Jolkisto, in pergunnah Sorabajoo	0 2 0	1 4 0	2 8 0

J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Bhagulpore will be put up to sale at the Bhagulpore Collectorate on Monday, the 7th April 1879, corresponding with 1st Bysack 1286 F.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

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Number in statement of Government estate	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A R. P. YDS	Rs A. P	Rs A. P.
191	2606	Resumed jagirs in thana Bejai, pergunnah Chye	61 2 2 15½	32 9 0	325 0 0

C. R. MARINDIN, *Covtd. Deputy Collector in charge*.

BHAGULPORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th December 1878.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Monghyr will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 12th day of January 1879.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Towjee No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Sudder jumma.	Name of proprietor	Amount of revenue due to Government.	REMARKS.
		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	
2747	Noawan, pergunnah Amartha.	1,277 6 0	Hanuman Parshad Singh, for self, and as guardian of Kamta Parshad Singh minor, Ragho Parshad Singh, Kallar Singh, Debi Singh, Degamba Singh and others.	13 0 0	The entire estate will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government.
5259	Mahammedpore fattah, pergunnah Emadpore.	708 0 0	Waliun Nissa, Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadur, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Afzaladdin Ahmad Khan, Ahsanuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Yasihan Nissa and Jamalan Nissa, Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wojiun Nissa.	61 5 10	With the exception of the share owned by Mussamut Waliun Nissa, &c, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 177, the remaining 12 annas share of Nawab Amir Alli Khan, Bahadoor, father and guardian of Ashrafuddin Ahmad Khan, Mussamut Yasihun Nissa and Jamalun Nissa minors; and Mussamut Kamarun Nissa and Wajihun Nissa, will be sold for arrears of revenue due to Government. This share has been separated under Act XI of 1859.

MONGHYR, the 13th February 1879.

C. F. MAGRATH, *Offg Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Chittagong, will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Touji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2	Taraf Ajodhyaram, Fatehabad.	Chandi Charan and others.	723 13 0	434 0 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
7	Kismut Ambika, babait taraf Tilok Chandra Kanungoe.	Kailas Chandra Nandi and others.	745 10 0	750 3 1	Ditto.
39	Taraf Ali Rohollah ...	Kamalakanta Sen and others.	994 0 6	745 8 4	Ditto.
41	Taraf Abul Fazal ...	Abdul BariKhanand others	643 3 7	482 7 7	Ditto.
51	Taraf Aleyar Khan ...	Shahamat Ali and others.	1,606 0 9	608 0 5	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 2 of Aghar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 811-6-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
54	Taraf Anandiram Kanungoe.	Srimati Anandamoyi and others.	849 6 9	51 3 0	Separate accounts having been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2 of Golok Chandra Rai Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 5-3-9, share No. 13 of Digambar Kanungoe, with a revenue of Rs. 2-15-7, share No. 14 of Tripura Sundari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 52-14-5, and ijmali share of Braja Mohan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 35-10-10, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
55	Taraf Aziz Nassarat ...	Karam Ali	791 12 6	593 12 6	Entire mehal will be sold.
61	Taraf Asaad Massaood Khan.	Shyama Charn Mukherjea and others.	5,224 0 6	1,866 2 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. Share of Kesaram Banerjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, and share of Shyama Charan Mukherjea, with a revenue of Rs. 2,612-0-3, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
187	Kismat Anandamoyi, Jiban Krishna, Ram Kumar, Sarat Chandra, Kishori Mohan, babait taraf Jugal Kishor Chowdhry.	Ram Kumar and others ...	666 15 10	349 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
396	Taraf Baksha Ali	Neyamatullah and others	937 10 0	403 2 8	Ditto.
467	Taraf Braja Lal	Braja Lal and others ...	508 7 3	191 15 5	Ditto.
486	Taraf Barai Charan ...	Golam Ali and others ...	502 9 3	876 14 0	Ditto.
522	Kismut Bisheshwari, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Mrityumjai and others ...	1,238 13 4	460 3 11	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859. The ijmali share of Mrityumjai and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,032-3-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
593	Taraf Bhola Khan ...	Muzaffer Ahmed and others.	506 13 8	254 1 6	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No 1 of Abdullah, with a revenue of Rs. 247-6-5, and share No. 2 of Muzaffer Ahmed, with a revenue of Rs. 318-7-1, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
746	Taraf Sipi Dowlat	Shekh Abdullah Khan ...	2,930 1 3	791 8 0	Entire mehal will be sold.
764	Taraf Darpanarayan ...	Chandraprava and others	2,905 3 3	675 2 5	Ditto.
805	Taraf Dullavram Fatehabad	Nimai Charan Nandi and others.	819 0 0	614 4 0	Ditto.
813	Kismat Durga Lochan Krishna Mangal Waddadar, Ram Lochan Sen, babait taraf Ram Hari Kanungoe.	Durga Charan and others	883 12 6	26 10 8	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Durga Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 6-3-9, and share No. 3 of Kashi Chandra Waddadar and others, with a revenue of Rs. 62-3-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
943	Nilam Fakir Chand ...	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	646 14 0	485 2 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1024	Taraf Gobinda Anandi ...	Chhattranarayan and others.	1,061 13 10	6 9 5	The share on account of which separate account has been opened being excluded, the ijmali share of Chhattranarayan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 707-14-6, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1119	Taraf Hori Shona	Azimuddin and others ...	1,539 10 0	1,141 1 3	Entire estate will be sold.
1218	Kismat H. E. Marguard and Virginia Bruce, babait taraf Ishan Chandra Kanungoe.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	1,447 10 5	655 10 9	Ditto.
1238	Taraf Ines Aiop	Adhoo Khan and others ...	2,272 7 6	1,385 7 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Warish Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 2 of Mahomed Samil, with a revenue of Rs. 91-0-6, share No. 3 of Anwar Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 51-7-5, share No. 4 of Sarfaraz Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-2, share No. 5 of Yassin Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 142-6-9, share No. 6 of Yar Ali Khan, with a revenue of Rs. 77-4-3, and ijmali share of Adhoo Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 1,285-7-8, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
1242	Taraf Imambaksh ...	Abdul Bari and others ...	697 5 4	523 0 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
1289	Taraf Jashmanta Sing ...	Fatteh Ali and others ...	1,386 10 2	1,039 15 8	Ditto.
1281	Taraf Jamarayan Korani	Sharat Chandra and others	563 4 6	210 11 5	Ditto.
1285	Taraf Jorip Mahomed ...	Jan Bibi and others ...	784 3 1	588 2 3	Ditto.
1363	Taraf Jadu Madan ...	Ali Raja and others ...	1,227 14 9	428 14 9	Separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ahsanullah Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 571-14-5, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1513	Taraf Krishna Das Kanungoe.	Anandamoyi and others ...	853 4 6	639 15 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1546	Taraf Karkan Roshan ...	Baisnab Charan Sen ...	616 7 7	462 3 9	Ditto.
1552	Taraf K. Fernandes ...	J. D. Barros	1,640 5 3	1,230 3 0	Ditto.
1671	Taraf Keoz Hoashang ...	Karam Ali Mia	1,129 6 6	847 1 0	Ditto.
1686	Taraf Khan Bibi	Shochinando Kunda ...	783 13 8	254 1 7	Ditto.
1714	Nilam Lakhinarayan ...	Ram Dayal Chowdhry and others.	1,199 15 0	899 15 9	Ditto.
1747	Taraf Monohor Rai Chowdhry.	Ramjai De and others ...	2,491 10 0	1,139 7 3	Ditto.
1868	Kismat Mahomed Daem Nasir, Asmatullah, Amirannissa, babait taraf Bhriguram Kanungoe.	Mobarek Ali and others ...	840 5 3	190 9 4	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Mobarek Ali, with a revenue of Rs. 256-1-10, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1884	Taraf Mahomed Sona Mir	Shekh Mahomed Hashmat Ali Chowdhry.	785 10 3	589 3 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
1887	Taraf Mahomed Raja Mir	Uma Charan Chowdhry and others.	540 6 6	405 6 7	Ditto.
1894	Taraf Magon Ghonoshyam	Bhairab Chandra and others.	500 5 0	93 5 3	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 1 of Massah Bibi, auction-purchaser Shyam Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 125-3-0, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
1900	Taraf Mahomed Monohar	Alfa Bibi and others ...	666 15 6	813 3 3	Entire mehal will be sold.
2099	Kismat Murari Dhar Kanungoe, Nil Komal Sen, babait taraf Gauri Sankar Kanungoe.	Srimati Annapurna and others.	1,220 3 1	665 3 4	Ditto.

Towji number.	Name of mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
2135	Taraf Mowon Hossen ...	Nil Kamal Chakravartti ..	1,598 3 6	723 10 8	Entire mehal will be sold.
2301	Kismat Nasiruddin Ahmad, babait taraf Hossen Wali	Nasiruddin Ahmad ...	1,227 6 0	920 8 6	Ditto.
2368	Taraf Wag Abul Hossen .	Shekh Jaker Ali Chowdhry	731 11 6	548 13 0	Ditto
2389	Taraf Paran Darpanarayan	Chandrakanta Pal and others.	601 6 6	271 6 0	Ditto.
2411	Kismat Pravaboti babait taraf Brajakishore Kanungoe.	Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatessan Billah and others	667 11 10	136 13 4	Separate accounts have been opened on account of several shares under Act XI of 1859 Share No. 1 of Abul Khayer Mahomed Mahatessam Billah and others, with a revenue of Rs. 13-13-3, share No 4 of Hashmat Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs 41-13-10, share No 9 of Kailas Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs. 3-10-5, share No. 12 of Barkatullah and others, with a revenue of Rs 11-9-7, share No. 13 of Tarakinkar Datta, with a revenue of Rs. 37-8-3, and ijmali share of Baisnab Charan and others, with a revenue of Rs. 186-11-11, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2433	Taraf Poran Ballabh ..	Jaga Mohon and others ..	944 5 3	427 0 3	Separate accounts having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No 1 of Renooka, with a revenue of Rs. 236-1-4, and ijmali share of Ram Das Chowdhry and others, with a revenue of Rs. 708 4-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2542	Taraf Raja Ambiya ...	Agbar Ali Chowdhry ...	608 12 0	456 9 5	Entire mehal will be sold.
2554	Taraf Ram Shunder Kanungoe.	Annapurna and others ...	849 6 6	124 14 0	Ditto.
2563	Taraf Ram Bhadra Kanungoe.	Bhairab Charan and others.	918 15 7	74 5 9	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No 2 of Durga Charan Das and others, with a revenue of Rs. 7-2-9, share No 22 of Ishan Chandra Kastagiri, with a revenue of Rs. 1-0-11, share No 27 of Hari Ha. Bhattacharjya, with a revenue of Rs. 5-15-6, share No 31 of Chandrabadani, with a revenue of Rs. 93-15-9, share No. 34 of Srimati Bishcshwari and others, with a revenue of Rs. 29-8-9, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2565	Taraf Ram Kishor Kanungoe.	Ali Hossen and others .	819 1 7	358 10 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No 1 of Gopi Mohan Ghosh, with a revenue of Rs. 70, share No. 2 of Bharat Chandra Tapadar, with a revenue of Rs. 358-7-9, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 199-3-7, from which the arrears are due will be sold
2566	Kismat Ram Dulal ...	Ali Hossen and others ...	823 4 10	192 13 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, share No. 2, Krishna Kumar Rai, with a revenue of Rs. 156-15-0, and ijmali share of Ali Hossen and others, with a revenue of Rs. 107-0-7, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2583	Nilam Ram Mohan Imam Shorip	Srimati Pran Kishori ...	540 6 6	1,325 9 10	The entire mehal will be sold.
2929	Taraf Shachi Roshan ...	Shekh Ladak Ali and others.	752 11 0	264 10 0	Separate accounts have been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1859. The share No. 1 of Shekh Ladak Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-3, share No 2 of Keramat Ali Chowdhry with a revenue of Rs 188-2-9, share No 3 of Abdul Hamid Chowdhry, with a revenue of Rs. 82-5-4, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
2933	Taraf Shachiram Kanungoe.	Aitton and others ...	826 14 3	180 8 8	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 7 of Jagat Chandra Sen, with a revenue of Rs 7-7-0, and the shares which are under butwara under Regulation XIX of 1814 of Oloka and others, Gopal Das Sen and others, Jagat Chandra, Har Chandra and others, Nilkanta and others, Mahomed Bashirullah, Omola, and others, Tarakeshwari Nazemannessa and others, Ram Shebok Das, Amir Hossen, Krishna Mohan Guha, Srimati Purna Dassi, Srimati Narayani *alias* Bashi, and Ahsanullah, bearing revenue Rs 392-13-1, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3039	Taraf Shyam Rajah ...	Dhononjai Raha and others.	673 14 3	332 10 10	Separate accounts having been opened for several shares under Act XI of 1837, the share No 1 of Tarini Charan Raha and others, with a revenue of Rs. 96-14, share No. 2 of Nobo Chandra and others, with a revenue of Rs 96-14, share No. 5 of Taranga Debya, with a revenue of Rs. 14-2-2, share No. 6 of Tofer Ali and others, with a revenue of Rs. 232-14-2, from which the arrears are due, will be sold.
3054	Taraf Shib Durga Sharan	Brindabun and others ...	2,942 8 9	1,749 12 8	The entire mehal will be sold.
3125	Taraf Srimantaram Kanungoe.	Abdullah Khan and others	1,737 12 0	182 9 11	Separate account having been opened under Act XI of 1859, the share No. 1 of Abdullah Khan and others, with a revenue of Rs 843-13-9, from which the arrear is due, will be sold.
3171	Taraf Teeta Tsari .	Shekh Karam Ali	1,505 10 8	682 2 11	The entire mehal will be sold.
3230	Taraf Abedullah, Shekh Mahomed Ossi, Shekh Mahomed Ali.	Aayamona Bibi and others	678 14 0	169 13 9	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under Act VII (B.C.) of 1868, Act II (B.C.) of 1871, and Section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned taluqs in the district of Chittagong will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 26th day of December 1878.

Mehal Nayabad.

Towji number.	Name of pergunnah and mehal.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
			Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
449	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ukhiar Ghona, taluq Magon Das Chaudhuri, Indrana ayan Chaudhuri, babait taluq Lakhipria Monoroma.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	575 14 9	144 0 0	The entire taluq will be sold.
448	Thana Ramu, mouzah Bhomoria Ghona, taluq Kamalapuree.	Baidyanath Sen and others.	531 13 8	133 0 0	Ditto ditto.
446	Thana Ramu, mouzah Ichakhali, taluq Mobarak Ali.	Farzar Ali and others	508 1 6	127 0 0	Ditto ditto.
444	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Bheala Manikchar, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Magon Ali	757 10 0	189 0 0	Ditto ditto.
443	Thana Chakaria, mouzah Barabakia, taluq Bibi Ishprak.	Shek Dewan Ali Chaudhuri.	687 9 3	172 0 0	Ditto ditto.
445	Thana Satkaria, mouzah Chambol, taluq Srimati Tajonnissa Chowdhuria.	Purkunda Bukhta and others	1,193 4 10	298 0 0	Ditto ditto.
450	Thana Teknaaf, mouzah Dakhin Nhillah, taluq Khoame Chowdry, Omari Chowdry, Lhatong Chowdry, Lhapo Chowdry, Lhapechoo Chowdry, Chaimrao Chowdry, babait taluq Faudo	Ishan Chandra Das ...	670 15 0 Road fund, 6 13 0	169 6 0	Ditto ditto.
			677 11 0		
3818	Thana Town mouzah Char Shabok Bakalia, taluq Ahamad Ali, Mahomed Isaaf, Korban Ali, Arzgar Ali, Nur Beni.	Ahamad Ali and others	686 4 0	170 15 9	Ditto ditto.
4294	Thana Fattickcherry, mouzah Kanchannagar, taluq Srimati Ronoo Debya.	Dewan Ali Sowdagar	890 15 8	223 0 0	Ditto ditto.

CHITTAGONG COLLECTORATE, the 5th February 1879. D. H. AHMED, *Deputy Collector in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of East Burdwan will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Number in the rent roll.	Class.	Number of mehals and pergunnahs.	Proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
36	Permanently settled estate.	Kassimpoor, pergunnah Ranihati.	Syed Abdool Hakim, present proprietors Srimutty Rusunessa Bibi, Srimutty Jabeda Bibi, Syed Abdool Hamid, *alias* Abda Mea, for himself and guardian, brother for Syed Amin Ahamed and Amson Mozid, *alias* Mamda Mea and Srimutty Allimun Nessa Bibi, minors. Moulovee Syud Mohomed Moosa, Srimutta Arfunnessa Bibi, Syed Noor Mohomed; Syed Attowar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syud Abdool Selam, Syed Abdool Futta, Srimutta Khobira Bibi, Srimutta Soeda Bibi; Syed Abdool Alli, Syed Hasid Hyder, Taharunnessa Bibi, Shurfunessa Bibi, Bissessuree Dabea, Abdool Jubber and Mohomed Ahea.	669 14 9	55 14 11	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
68	Ditto ...	Khurrumpur, pergona Shahabad.	Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mahomed Ahea Mahomed Moosha.	6,189 9 0	1,796 13 7	The estate is to be sold for arrears of Government revenue.
78	Ditto ...	Nezampoor, pergunnah Khundghose Somurshahi and Ranihatti.	Gopikristo Bose, Doorga Moni Dassi, Radhakrishto Bose, Nobin Krishto Bose, Sebait of idol Modon Mohun Jeo, Promotho Nath Banerjee and Bhoobun Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Horinath Banerjee.	1,168 8 10	4 4 7	Ditto ditto.
93	Ditto ...	Korni, perzunnah Benodenagore.	Kestoor Chand Baboo, Soudamini Dossi, Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian and step mother of minor Koolodanund Koberaj, and guardian mother of Soilojanund Kobeeraj and Girijanund Kobeeraj, Syed Mohomed Moosa, Nrisinghoprosad Ghosal, and Joza Mohini Dabea, guardian mother of Opendra Chandra Ghosal, Syed Attawar Rohoman for himself and guardian of minors Syed Abdool Selam, Syud Abdool Futta, Soeda Bibi, Khobira Bibi, Dino Bundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Ahea.	1,399 7 6	18 13 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— *Sudder jumma.* Rs. A. P. Kestoor Chand Baboo ... 546 10 8 Soudamini Dossi ... ... 361 14 34 Bholanath Kobeeraj, Kamini Dabea, guardian of minors Kooloda Nund, Soiloja Nund and Gerisa Nund Kobeeraj ... 233 13 0
97	Ditto ...	ditto ...	Protapnarain Roy, Girish Chunder Roy, Janokey Nath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Annopurna Dassi, guardian of Jotendro Chunder Roy, minor, Dinobundhoo Borat, Syed Mohamed Moosa, Mohamed Ahea, Syed Attawar Rohoman, for himself and guardian of Abdool Selam, Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi, and Soeda Bibi.	529 10 6	47 8 0	Ditto ditto. The following separate accounts have been opened in this estate under the provisions of Act XI of 1859, and the Government demand in respect of which having been paid, they will be excluded from sale:— Greesh Chunder Roy and Janokinath Roy, Monmohini Dassi and Manic Moni Dossi, guardians of minor Jotindro Chunder Roy 201 5 0
8173	Ditto ...	Chandootea, pergunnah Shahabad.	Syed Attwar Rohoman for himself and guardian of Syed Abdool Salam, Mohomed Ahea, Syed Abdool Futta, Khobeera Bibi and Soeda Bibi, Syed Mohamed Moosa.	408 9 1	84 11 11	

BURDWAN COLLECTORATE, the 19th February 1879. H. TOBIN, *Contd. Dy. Collr., for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mozufferpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 24th day of March 1879, corresponding with 14th Chyte, 1286 Fusly, for arrears of revenue due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Toujee No.	Name of Mehal.	Name of recorded proprietor.	Government revenue of the estate.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	Remarks.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	909	Umwa Kullan, pergunnah Bubra ...	Beebee Bachun, &c.	666 15 0	13 15 4	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 285-13-9, will be sold.
2	2153	Abool Hussonpur, pergunnah Bissara	Deegur Singh	884 3 2	1 4 0	Ditto, Rs. 5 ditto.
3	2153	Ditto ditto ...	Rasbehari Singh	884 3 2	3 3 6	Ditto, „ 97-13-9 ditto.
4	2257	Bishunpur Rulbhudur, ditto	Rajdhari Pershad	1,537 11 0	0 3 6	Ditto, „ 68 15-1 ditto.
5	2487	Powra Mudun Singh, pergunnah ditto	Kishun Pershad	513 13 7	3 11 8	Ditto, „ 282-1 ditto.
6	2541	Rughunathpur, pergunnah ditto ...	Kedarnath	2,145 4 8	20 12 9	Ditto, „ 889-11-11 ditto.
7	2706	Mujhowli, pergunnah ditto	Domi Khan	3,163 11 2	50 5 1	The whole estate will be sold.
8	3559	Chuk Narsen, pergunnah Hajeepur ...	Gunga Pershad	511 4 7	7 12 0	The estate, with Government revenue of Rs. 93-1-6, will be sold.
9	3638	Mumarpur, pergunnah ditto	Permesur Singh	782 0 3	0 2 0	
10	4541	Tengrahee, pergunnah Morwa Kullan	Poonut Lall	1,902 14 0	0 1 5	
11	5574	Bulra Krishna, pergunnah Bissara ...	Ram Doolaree Koer	613 3 4	0 4 3	The estate, with revenue of Rs. 204-13-6, will be sold.
12	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Kishun Pershad	613 3 4	1 11 6	Ditto, Rs. 6-13-6 ditto.
13	5574	Ditto ditto ...	Hurgopal Dass	613 3 4	13 6 1	Ditto, „ 91-13-9 ditto.
14	6831	Busuntpur Puttee, pergunnah Ruttee	Shaik Narain Singh, &c. ...	534 6 11	7 13 8	
15	7456	Surmustpur, pergunnah Suressah ...	Gunga Bishun	640 0 0	5 8 1	Ditto, „ 485-2-4 ditto.
16	8817	Chupra Husonpur, pergunnah Turgam	Syud Mohomud Husan, &c. ...	1,165 1 5	0 1 0	

MOZUFFERPORE COLLECTORATE, the 17th February 1879. C. VOWELL, *Contd. Dy. Collr., for Collr. on tour.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of April 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th day of January 1879.

No.		Name of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor	Government revenue of entire estate	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	8432	Government resumed estate Boktobully.	Prusanna Kumari Debya and Pran Nath Paray, Sabait of Lakshi Narain Thakur ...	584 0 0	204 0 0	These are resumed estates, and are settled with the proprietors.
2	8672	Chur Dolai	Gasan Chunder Dutt .. R. F	1,092½ 0 0	360 0 0	
3	9101	Chur Tillee within chur Mirzapoor	Ram Jai Rai, Raj Lukshi, Sibosundari Choudhorani and others .. ... R. F	17 0 0 884 7 8 8 14 0	384 7 0	The proprietary right to settlement will be sold
4	9675	Chur Dighaldi, pergunnah Utter Sahpoor.	Srimoti Sonamoni, Komal Kamini, Anundo Moyee, Chunder Kala, Rajnooni, Doya Moyi Choudharani, Jai Tara Dasya, Chundra and Kali Das Mookerjya and Mr. M. David ..	1,121 0 0	185 12 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 6th March 1879. D. R. LYALL, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 287, Act X of 1877, that the undermentioned estate in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of Government revenue on the estates Abad Taktabunia and Abad Chila, Nos. 4538 and 4540 respectively, in the Sundarbans portion of Backergunge district

Class.	Towji number.	Name of mehal	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount due.	REMARKS.
				Rs A. P.		
1st class ...	1720	1 anna 1¼ gandas 1 krant 5 tils share of pergunnah Chandradaip	Bhagawn Chandra Roy and Anandamayi Chaudhurani, executor and executrix on behalf of Golak Nath Roy Chaudhurani, minor.	9,046 15 1½	For Taktabunia No. 4538. Rs A. P. 5,761 12 0 For Chila No. 4540. Rs. A. P. 1,768 15 4 7,530 11 4	This entire share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Shahabad will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's Office of that district on the 20th day of March 1879, corresponding with 10th Chyet 1286 B.S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

CLASS II.—*Temporarily-settled Estates.*

No. 923.—Mehal Karmi, pergunnah Chowsa; sudder jumma Rs. 935; recorded proprietors Bukshi Ramyad Sinha, &c. The estate is a temporarily-settled one. Excepting the shares of other proprietors, with whom separate account has been opened under section 10 of Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, being 12 annas out of entire mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 701-4-0, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 94-15-0.

CLASS I.—*Permanently-settled Estates.*

No 1529.—Mehal Karoundia, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,528-15-8, recorded proprietors Mussamut Saraswati Kunar, mother and guardian of Bhekh Narayan Sinha and Imam Bux Khan, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. With the exception of the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened, and from whom the revenue is realized separately under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 472-12-5¾, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 24-10-8¾:—

				Shares.
				As
Mouza Saitha,	pergunnah Chainpore...			16
				B. C. D.
,, Khaira,	ditto	ditto	..	133 5 11
				As.
,, Inchao,	ditto	ditto	...	16
,, Kekarha,	ditto	ditto	...	16
,, Pipri,	ditto	ditto	...	1 an. 4 p.
,, Baghi,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Baghi,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Pipra Ghat,	ditto	ditto	...	3
,, Pipra,	ditto	ditto	..	3
,, Karoundia,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Hemrajpore,	ditto	ditto	...	8
,, Zamin Kasba Chainpore, pergunnah Chainpore			...	8

			Shares.
			As.
Mouza Pipri,	pergunnah Chainpore		8
,, Koraichouba,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Patti Chaitha,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Patti Ganesh,	ditto	ditto ..	8
,, Sirsi,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Kashah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Mahbubpur,	ditto	ditto ..	8
,, Chandaila,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Rai Beldih,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Lahra Jairampore,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Pounra,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Kushah Kiyari,	ditto	ditto ...	8
,, Chak Bhugwat,	ditto	ditto ...	8

No. 1688.—Mehal Rupan attached to mehal Muhertha, pergunnah Chainpore; sudder jumma Rs. 1,058-2-2; recorded proprietors Haliwant Sinha, &c. The estate is a permanently-settled one. Excepting the shares the details whereof are given below of proprietors with whom separate accounts have been opened under section 11, Act XI of 1859, the shares of the above-named proprietors, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 267-2-8 18 krant, will be put to auction for arrears of Government revenue amounting to Rs. 4-15-5¾:—

Mouzah Mahertha,	pergunnah Chainpore	...	..	2 kulam 16 annas.
,, Naraon,	,,	ditto ...	.	2 ,, 16 ,,
,, Chhapri	,,	ditto ...	...	2 ,, 16 ,,
,, Rupin	,,	ditto ...	...	1 anna 8 pie 5 krant.

SHAHABAD COLLECTORATE, the 4th February 1879. J. MOOKERJEE, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Friday, the 28th day of March 1879, corresponding with Bengali 15th Chaitree 1285, and with Amli 16th Chaitree 1286, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Consecutive number	Number of Register A.	Towjee number	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates	Rs A. P	Rs A P.
1	92	58	Angoosh, in pergunnah Rajgurh.	Jogobundhoodas Gogendro Mohapatro, Dinobhundoo Chowdry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhyea, Umeshchurn Bundopadhyea, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Shreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Shreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendro Nath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhry, Mohendro Nath Paul, and Radhakristo Dass	732 7 5	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 52-5-1 As also exclusive of the share of Radhakrishna Dass, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 104-10-2	156 15 3	..
				The remaining joint share of Jogobundhoodas Gojendro Mohapatra, Dinobundhoo Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhyo, Ramchurn Bundopadhye, Umeshchurn Bundopadhye, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Sreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Sreemuttya Jima Devee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendronath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	575 8 2	8 8 11
2	230	1557	Kattapal, in pergunnah Khurgopore	Kartieram Paul, Khettro Mohun Paul, Dwarikanath Paul and Koonjo Behary Roy.	1,030 0 0 Including Road Fund	0 2 0
3	300	187	Balgobindopore, *alias* Gopalpore, in pergunnah Amersee	Modhoosoodun Singh, Anundo Loll Roy, Gungaram Myti, Kooraram Roy, Sheebnaran Roy, Sreemutty Noteefon Beebee, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altab Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, and Chandoomoney.	603 9 9	...
				Exclusive of the share of Noteefun Bibi, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altaf Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the Government revenue of which is Rs 112-13-0; exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Singh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 47-0 3; and exclusive of the share of Chandmoneer, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, he land revenue of which is Rs 75-10-10 ..	235 8 1	..
				The remaining joint share of Anundalall Roy and Gangaram Myti will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	307 12 11	90 9 8
				As also the remaining share of Kooraram Roy and Sheebnaran Roy, which has a separate account, and which will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	60 4 9	0 1 6
4	400	259	Ghaseerambar, *alias* Kooldiha, in pergunnah Khandar.	Lokhinarandas Mohapatro Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komulkamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manikram Khatooa, Jorunjoy Mullick, Krishna Prosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Ballubram Khatooa, Ajodhyaram Khatooah, Koralychurn Dutt, Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Dass, Manoram Khatooah, Seetanath Ghosh and Romanath Ghosh, minors.	502 5 10	.
				Exclusive of the share of Manoram Khatooah, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 83-2-7. As also, exclusive of the share of Sitanath Ghose and Ramanath Ghose, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is Rs 32 8-8 ...	115 11 3	.
				The remaining joint share of Lakhinarandas Mohapatro, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komul Kamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manicram Khatooa, Joymejoy Mullic, Krishnaprosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Bollub Khatooah, Ajodhyaram Khatooah, Koralychurn Dutt and Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Das, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	386 10 7	4 2 3
5	413	271	Barbansee, in pergunnah Khandar	Lokhicharn Sutputty, Golok Chunder Dutt, Manicram Pal, Brojomohun Mohapattro Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Das, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapattro, Issuramoney Debya, Norahory Mabaric, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Goorooprosad Mabaric, Bhubun Chundro Bundopadhye, Gungnaraun and Soroopnarain Myti, Matongini Dassy, m ther and guardian of Taroknath Myti, Bholanath Myti, Khoyrat Ally, Sham Raoot, Ukhoynaran Janah Sreemuttya Sarnomoney, Nobinchundro Nag, Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rambhamoney, Pilothomamoney, Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indranaran Meyeekap Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, Radhachurn Singh, Indronarain Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul.	19,156 13 1	. ..
				Exclusive of the share of Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Dass, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapatro and Issuramoney Debya, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is	Rs. A. P 3,254 5 8	
				Exclusive of the share of Norohury Maric, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is ..	389 14 8	
		Ditto	ditto	of the share of Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Guruprosad Maharic, ditto ditto ..	1,233 13 0	
		Ditto	ditto	of Bhubun Chandra Bondopadhye, ditto ditto	66 0 0	
		Ditto	ditto	of Gunganarain, Soroopnaran Myti, and Matongini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti and Bholanath Myti, ditto ditto ..	2,347 10 10	
		Ditto	ditto	of Khyrat Ally and Sham Raoot ditto ditto ..	54 11 7	
		Ditto	ditto	of Ukhoynaran Janah, ditto ditto	248 10 8	
		Ditto	ditto	of Sreemuttya Soorjomoney, ditto ditto	16 15 11	
		Ditto	ditto	of Nobinchundro Nag, ditto ditto	4,734 8 9	
		Ditto	ditto	of Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rombamoney, Tilothomamoney, ditto ditto	164 4 7	
		Ditto	ditto	of Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indronaran Meyeekap, Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, ditto ditto	341 1 3	
		Ditto	ditto	of Radhachurn Singha, ditto ditto	426 10 11	
		Ditto	ditto	of Indronaran Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul, ditto ditto	441 13 11	
				The total of the revenues of the shares which will not be sold is .. .	13,490 8 9	....
				The remaining joint share of Brojomohun Mohapatro, Lokheechurn Satputty, Golokchunder Dutt, Manicram Paul, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	666 4 4	81 15 11
6	490	317	Baichageriah, *alias* Keshrombha in pergunnah Datonchour.	Chowdhry Jogabundhoo Das, Gosendromohapatro, Dinobundho Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetol Churn Pottaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn, Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bondopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Kashinath Dutt and Mohendronath Paul.	1,393 6 5	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 184-12-5	184 12 5	.....
				The remaining joint share of Chowdery Jugobundhoo Das, Gujendro Mohapatro, Dinabundhoo Chowdery, Hurryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetolchurn Potlaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bandopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Brojonath Dutt, and Kashinath Dutt will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	1,108 10 0	13 8 6
7	951	540	Doorah, in pergunnah Sabung	Bongaidhur Ponda, Modhoosoodun Bera, Ramchand Kur and Modhoosoodun Bera	820 13 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramchand Kur, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5 As also exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Mana which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5	260 6 10	.....
				The remaining joint share of Bongshidhur Ponda and Modhoosoodun Bera will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	260 7 0	9 1 11
8	1530	858	Kanpore in pergunnah Gogneshur	Rajhullub Chowdhry, Roshikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee, Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanathr Mittor, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee, Golokemoney Chowdhray, Ukhoynaran Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee.	806 7 8	.....

Consecutive number	Number of Register A.	Touzee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Name of proprietor	Sudder jumma	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold
				Permanently-settled Estates—concluded	Rs A P	Rs A P
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur	Exclusive of the share of Rajbullub Chowdhry, Rishikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoy Naran Myti, and Sreenibash Paharee which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 362 3-6 Exclusive of the share of Ukhoy Naran Myti, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 105-1 5 Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Myti, ditto ditto, „ 66 9-9 Ditto ditto of Sreenibash Paharee, ditto ditto, „ 33 9-10 ... The remaining share of Golokmoney Chowdhuranee, which will be sold for arrears of revenue	537 10 6 268 13 2	8 6 6
9	1703	938	Khelar, *alias* Bonpatna, in pergunnah Kismut Naraingurh	Gunjanaran Singh, Noranaran Singh, Haronaran Singh, Noroharee Maharee, Sreemutty Peary money Dossy, Sreemutty Adhurmoney Debya, Rozhoonathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, Sitanathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, and Sreemutty Isurymoney Debya	3,430 8 7	240 11 2
10	1754	962	Khetropal, *alias* Chuck Bhage, pergunnah Amersee	Bhaubut hundro Mundle, Bharutchundro Mundle, and Choudhury Jonmejoy Mullick	3,153 9 7	24 3 8
11	1777	969	Laloah, *alias* Bolbhudropore, pergunnah Amersee	Shreenarain Bera	934 13 1	317 15 11
12	1880	1035	Moninathpore, pergunnah Protabbhan	Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassenneesa Bibi, minoress, Bhagbutchunder Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti Chundermohun Myti, Lal Mohun Bhunya, Neel Mohun Bhunya, Gopinath Bhooja, minor's father and guardian, Moocheeram Bhunya, and Bhogurath Prodhan	687 5 8	4 8 7½
				Temporarily-settled Estates.		
13	1969	203	Mongalpore, pergunnah Pottaspore	Choudhury Gopendronundon Dass Mohapatro, Anundolal Roy, and Kashinath Mitter Chowdhury Exclusive of the share of Kashinath Mitter Choudhury which has a separate account and will not be sold the revenue of which is The remaining joint share of Choudhury Gopendronundundas Mohapatro and Anundololl Roy, will be sold for arrears of land revenue	2,069 7 0 525 15 8 1,543 7 4	.... 353 6
14	1971	205	Mockrampore, pergunnah Pottaspore	Anundololl Roy and Horoshailol Bhokut . ..	1,346 0 0	346 14 2
				Permanently-settled Estates		
15	2047	1124	Nankar Bajapti, pergunnah Majnamutta.	Seebosoondary Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondori, heirs of Gunganaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Sorenkee, Seetalprosad Roy, Rajbliochun Sutputty, Sreemutty Denomoyee Deby, mother of Lokheenaran Bondopadhye, and Ramnidhi Coondoo Exclusive of the share of Ramnidhi Coondoo, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold the revenue of which is Rs 703 12-5 The remaining joint share of Seebosoondary Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondory, heirs of Gunganaran Mitter, Seetalprosad Soorongee, Sitalprosad Roy, Rajbliochun Sutpoty and Sreemutty Dinomoyee Deby, mother of Lokhinaran Bondopadhye, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	2,133 5 4 703 12 5 1,429 8 11	... 22 4 7
16	2143	1176	Palpara, pergunnah Amershi	Sreemuttya Bhodro Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Roy Josomunto Roy, Lokhinaran Roy, Huryuran Roy, Bicharan Myti, Ahollya Deyee, mother of Boidonath Pall minor, Mothooramohun Roy, Moocheeram Saha, Jeetram Roy, Rotnomeyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy minor, and Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, Seetaram Dass, Sreemuttya Beechonmoney Deyee aunt of Koonurnaran Roy and others, minors, Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Roy, Gourmohun Gossami, Norosingnaran Myti, Tarasprosad Roy and Guruprosad Myti	815 4 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Sitaramdas, Sreemuttya Bechonmoney Dayee, aunt of Koonurnaran Roy, minor, Sreemuttya Binodmoney Doyee, mother of Koonurnaran Rai Nothur and Gourmohun Gossami, which has a separate account and which will not be sold Rs 28-12-9 Ditto ditto of Norosingnaram Myti ditto ditto, Rs 87-9-11 Ditto ditto of Tarasprosad Roy ditto ditto, „ 100-10 11 Ditto ditto of Guruprosad Myti ditto ditto, „ 140 9 0 The remaining joint share of Sreemuttya Bhodra Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Roy, Josomunto Roy, Lokhinaran Roy, Hurynaran Roy Becharan Myti, Ahilla Deyee, mother of Boidanath Paul, minor Mothoormohun Roy, Moocheram Saboo Jitram Roy, Sreemuttya Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy, minor, Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, will be sold for arrears of land revenue	316 10 7 498 10 3	69 8 6
17	2434	1332	Rampore *alias* Rampore Sonepore, pergunnah Beerkool	Messrs John Comparton Abott Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bordopadhye Annundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye minor, Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassenneesa Bibi, minoress Chundrohurn Sasmul	5,175 11 4	..
				Exclusive of the share of Messrs John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bordopadhye and Sreemutiya Anundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 2 720-6 11 Also exclusive of the share of Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassenneesa Bibi minor, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 535 14 0 The remaining share of Chandrohurn Sasmul which has a separate account, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	3,256 4 11 1,920 6 5	..... 399 15 10
18	2853	1600	Agur, pergunnah Chunderoona	Nobokrishna Mookhopadhye, minor's attorney Joykrishna Mookhopadye, Rajkrishna Mookhopadhye, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, Shamanath Roy Choudhury, and Mr Debrin, manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury and Sateendronath Roy Choudhury, minors the heirs of the late Prannath Choudhury Exclusive of the share of Mr Debrin Manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury Girijanath Roy Choudhury and Soteendronath Roy Choudhury, minors and heirs of late Prannath Roy Choudhury, which has a separate account, and will not be sold, the revenue of which is The remaining joint share of Joykrishna Mookopadhye, attorney of Nabokrishna Mookopadhye minor, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, and Shamanath Roy Choudhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	10,829 5 11 721 15 4 10,107 6 7	.. . 269 4 9

The 21st February 1879. T. D. BRIGHTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collector, for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 26th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

No. 17.—Dehi Alfa, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietors Santiram Roy and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs 8,670-5-3 and police Rs 96-3-7. The share of Santiram Roy and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs 4,046-2-3 and police Rs 44-14-8, will be sold for recovery of Rs 13-8-11 on account of Government revenue The share of Bama Sundary Burmania, mother and guardian of Keshtonath Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs 4,624-3, police Rs 51-4-11, for which separate accounts were open, will be exempted from sale.

No 40—Taraf Batyee, pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor Thakomoni Debia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 8,805-7-2 and police Rs. 110-13-5 The share of Shakhimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs 8,302-0-8 and police Rs 41-9-1, for which a separate account was opened in No 40-41, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 591-5-3 on account of Government revenue.

No. 258.—Kismut pergunnah Jaypore (eight annas), pergunnah Jaypore; recorded proprietors Kassinath and Omanath Roy Chowduri and others; sudder jumma Rs. 7,406-8-7, and police Rs. 83-15. The share of Kassinath and Omath Roy Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,481-5-1, and police Rs. 16-12-6, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 424-9. The share of Jadabinda Nath Rai Chowdhuri and others, sudder jumma Rs. 5,925-3-6, and police Rs. 67-2-6, for which separate account was opened, will be exempted from sale.

No. 338.—Mouzah Maj Rudh, pergunnah Sajial, recorded proprietor Chota Rakhal Chandra Bundoopadhya; sudder jumma Rs. 2,951-6-3. The share of Chota Rakhal Chandra Bandeopadhya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-10-2, for which a separate account was opened in No. 338-4, will be sold for Rs. 71-3-10 on account of Government revenue.

No. 432.—Mouzah Raj Nagore, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietor Sukhemoni Dabia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 579-3-2 and police Rs. 6-9-3. The share of Shukimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 289-9-7, and police Rs. 3-4-6½, for which separate account was opened in No. 432-1, will be sold for Rs. 0-13-1 on account of arrears of revenue.

No. 3192.—Kismut Bhur Phuttayjungpore, pergunnah Bhur Phuttayjungpore; recorded proprietor Sital Chandra Ghose and others; sudder jumma Rs. 2,433-1-0. The share of Sital Chandra Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 985-4-3, will be sold for Rs. 512-13-8, and the share of Punchanun Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,169, for which separate account was opened in No. 3192-1, will also be sold for Rs. 563 on account of arrears of revenue. The share of other proprietors will be exempted from sale.

NUDDEA COLLECTORATE, the 20th February 1879. W. H. M. GUN, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rungpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Chaitro 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th January 1879.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.

Class.	Number on touji.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Arrears for which to be sold.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	5	Mouja Karpura and others, Chukla Fatehpur.	Nobin Chundra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Chaudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri, himself and executor of Abdur Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chaudhuri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed Ataulla, Abdul Jalil Mea, Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing, Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor.	2,544 8 9	122 10 8	The joint share of Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing and Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor, of this estate, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 638-11-11, will be put up to sale; excluding the joint portion of Nobin Chandra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Choudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri himself and executor of Abdor Rajjuk Abu Mahamed Chauduri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed and Abdul Jalil Meah, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 1,905-12-10 in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.
3	255	Mouja Dhulgari and others in Lut Hossinpur, share 6 annas, pergunnah Barobilu.	Khajeh Mahamed Ehia Chaudhuri.	1,070 15 0	42 11 8	Entire mehal.

RUNGPORE COLLECTORATE, the 21st February 1879. J. J. LIVESAY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Sarun will be put up to public and unreserved sale, at the Collector's office of that district, on Thursday, the 20th March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chayet, 1286 F. S., for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879, instead of the 12th January 1879, which was a Sunday.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estates.

Serial number.	Towji number.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Names of proprietors.	Government revenue of entire estate.	Government revenue of the shares which will be sold for arrears of revenue.	Arrears of revenue due from the estate.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	314	Eksar, pergunnah Bal	Ram Persad Narain and others ...	818 11 0	317 13 6	28 13 11½
2	325	Umdha Phakooli, pergunnah Bal ...	Ram Govind Sahoo and others ...	1,040 0 0	1,040 0 0	153 9 5
3	414	Bharhopur Fatehpur, pergunnah Bal	Darap Narain Singh and others ...	1,964 13 6	1,720 4 2	4 1 11½
4	650	Kops, pergunnah Bal	Rusuldad Khan and others	967 0 3	967 0 3	7 8 3
5	725	Mirzapur, pergunnah Bal	Ram Kuner and others	1,142 7 5½	472 14 8½	19 13 4½
6	815	Pojheya Tandwa, pergunnah Bal ...	Asanish Jehan and others	693 5 4½	693 5 4½	0 15 8½
7	944	Tajpur, pergunnah Bal	Benarsi Lal, Binda Lall and others	1,331 6 5	286 2 2	34 14 2½
8	1367	Pachenukhi Surangpur, pergunnah Bara	Shin Sahai Singh, Mooktnath Persad and others	568 8 6½	568 8 6½	1 0 0
9	1421	Rampur Chand, pergunnah Bara ...	Jet Gir, Juba Lall, and others ...	671 6 10	581 6 10	4 15 9½
				Malkana.	Malkana.	
				560 9 2	470 9 2	
				110 13 8	110 13 8	
10	1458	Sadatpur, pergunnah Bara	Raghunandan Singh and Bissessar Singh	936 1 7	44 14 10	3 10 8
11	1458	Ditto ditto	Jadunanduu Singh and Mussamut Imirta Kuner	936 1 7	22 7 5	0 12 5
12	2081	Bakhraur, pergunnah Dungsi ...	Mussamut Moti Kuner	1,625 0 6	288 10 10	7 12 0
13	2380	Chhap Sudersen, pergunnah Goah ...	Rituburan Singh Kunja Roy, Shin Sahai Roy, Shin Dinal Singh and others	821 5 4	285 3 8½	8 12 9
14	2604	Mirzapur, pergunnah Goah	Rass Narain, Gopal Sahai and others	1,706 10 8	568 10 10½	0 15 8
15	2604	Ditto ditto	Gudar Singh	1,706 10 8	987 15 9½	4 5 7½
16	3086	Manopur, pergunnah Kasmar ...	Sudisht Narain Singh and others ...	715 11 9	179 1 7½	7 7 2
17	3118	Nawdiha, ditto	Alekh Misser and others	1,565 14 8	813 8 4½	1 1 10
18	3129	Qasim Chak, ditto	Ram Anugrah Singh and others ...	546 10 0	373 5 4	3 11 4½

SARUN COLLECTORATE, the 22nd February 1879. R. H. PAWSEY, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 29th March 1879 for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
First class ...	1739	Five annas 6¾ gandas share of Khaje Nur Taluq.	Wazedonnessa Khatun and others	2,525 3 1½	432 7 2½	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	1914	Half anna share of Tappeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Ishwar Chandra Roy and others.	1,959 3 11	45 9 11	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	1918	Twelve annas 10½ gandas 2 kants and 3 tils share of taluq Ram Deb Sen, Tippeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Bhagawan Chandra Bhattacharjee and others.	1,401 3 3	151 10 3½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	2048	Char Kalmi Mahal	Emdat Ali Munshi and others.	1,846 10 8	302 8 0½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3432	Taluq Rudra Nariyan Das ...	Mathura Nath Mukhapadhya and others.	603 3 2½	103 0 0½ Due for kist 28th Sept. 1878. Rs. A. P. 1,049 12 10½ Due for kist 12th Jan. 1879.	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3842	Fourteen annas of 18½ gandas share rendered into 16 annas of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Govinda Mala Choudurani	4,403 5 4½	Rs. A. P. 1,747 14 4 2,797 11 2½	The entire 14 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	3843	Thirteen gandas share of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Raj Coomar Roy	3,601 1 1½	Rs. A. P. 1,249 14 1	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4532	Osat Taluq Hari Prasad Roy in Abad Dehpur pergunnah Ratnadi Kalikapu.	Syama Charan Samaddar, hissa 11 annas.	1,195 8 1	154 11 0	This 11 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4546	Padma *alias* Ramjanpur ...	Mir Majjam Hasen Chaudhuri and others.	4,914 0 0	4,914 0 0	The proprietory right of the settlement holders Mir Majjan Hasen Choudhuri and others will be sold.
				Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 2,947 8 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 29 10 0	Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 1,737 10 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 26 15 6	
Ditto ...	5198	Kakra with Rampura ...	Abdul Choban Miya and others, 6 annas shareholders.	2,977 2 0	1,764 9 6	The 6 annas share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Moorshedabad will be put to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 21st March 1879, corresponding with 8th Choitro, 1285 B.S.

Serial number.	Class.	Number on towji.	Names of mehals and pergunnahs.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
					Rs. A. P.	
1	First class	9	Kismut Kasipore, pergunnah Kasipore.	Shama Charan Bhutto, Chunder Mukhi Dossa, Esan Chunder Roy, Gunesh Lall Roy, Shama Soondary Chowdhurani, Radha Charan Sen, Khatter Nath Banerja, Nitokali Debya, Brojo Kay Banerja, father and guardian of the minor Shatesh Chunder Banerja.	8,074 3 0	In this mehal the share of Gunesh Lall Roy, 4 annas 9 gundas 3 kag 1 til, will be sold, sudder jumma of which is Rs. 2,250-5-1.
2	Ditto ...	72	Dehi Gangada, pergunnah Gunkar.	Prankrishto Banorja, Bonowari Lall Mundul and Srish Chunder Mundul.	2,661 10 9	The whole mehal will be sold.
3	Ditto ..	455	Kismut Suktipore, pergunnah Plassy.	Hurry Mohun, Khetter Nath, Radha Krishto, Gopni Krishto Mookerja, Shakhimony Debya, Syud Atwar Rohamun, Syud Abdool Fattah, Khabira Bebee, Taliba Bebee, Fatama Bebee, mother and guardian of Mohamed Moosa, Syud Mohamed Taha, Rohimunnessa Bebee, Syda Bebee, and Sridam Chunder Sen.	2,403 10 3	Of this mehal, excluding 5 annas 3 gundas 1 kora and 1 kranti of the mehal, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 776-3-0, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Boida Nath Mookhapadhya, the remainder, 10 annas 16 gundas 2 coras and 2 kranti, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 1,627-7-8, in the name of Hurry Mohun Mookapadhuya and others, will be only sold.
4	Ditto ...	474	Kismut Mouzah Sha Hossenpore, pergunnah Kourprotap.	Abdool Barkat, Fusla Ahamed, Golam Asraf, Mohamed Kutub Chowdhuri, Chowdhuri Akramul Hak, Chowdhuri Esamal Hak, Nadirunnessa Bebee, herself and mother and guardian of Atahar Ally, Sadari Meha, Nutfunnessa Bebee, guardian of Syud Zinal Abdin, and Syud Nadir Ally.	584 4 4	The whole mehal will be sold.
5	Ditto ...	515	Taraf Ahogoon, pergunnah Shahajadpore.	Kali Doss Ghose, Krishtojibun Ghose, Rakhal Doss Ghose, Debendro Chundra Ghose, himself brother and guardian of Shoshebhuson Ghose, minor, Kylash Chunder Ghose, Krishto Kissore Ghose, and Rosomoi Debya.	884 13 0	In this mehal only 14 annas share, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 774-3-3, which is held in the name of Kristojibun Ghose and others, will be sold, and remaining portion 2 annas, bearing a sudder jumma of Rs. 110-9-8, for which separate account has been opened in the name of Kali Doss Ghose, will stand in Kali Doss Ghose's name.

MOORSHEDABAD COLLECTORATE, BERHAMPORE, the February 1879. T. M. KIRKWOOD, *Covtd. Depy. Collr. in charge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Durbhunga will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 29th day of March 1879, corresponding with 12th Chait 1286, at 12 o'clock on Thursday, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

Serial No.	Towji No.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jummah of the whole mehal.	Sudder jummah of the share to be sold.	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1	48	Matiaour Mahabulpur, pergunnah Balagach.	Gunesh Lal, Dabi Pershad, Shital Pershad, Kishen Pershad, Bishun Prashad, Gopal Lal, Jhamuck Lal, and Ratun Kooer.	1,738 14 3	80 11 3	0 1 11
2	50	Bhograjpore and Ram Chunderpore Dasraha appertaining to mehal Ram Chunderpore, pergunnah Balagach.	Bhairo Sahay and Bujrung Sahay, *5g.* share	1,765 6 0	17 6 3	2 2 6
3	55	Malkalipore Buzurg, pergunnah Balagach.	Baboo Bikroo Singh, Baboo Bikoo Singh, Baboo Bhakatoo Singh, and Baboo Jitoo Singh.	5,437 5 4	69 5 0	11 6 8
	1471	Kumar Gawan, pergunnah Jakhur.	Ishwar Deo, *14g, 2d. 8r. 3pers.*	774 9 9	34 10 6	4 5 4
	1522	Lahari pergunnah Jubdi ...	Mussamut Hunsmani Bahooaseen mother and guardian of Harkh Dhari Singh, minor, *8a. 11g 1kt.*	2,460 10 8	1,311 7 9	7 10 4
*6	3097	Mooreyaro, pergunnah Saraisa	Dianut Hossein, Baijnath Khan, Man Khan, Juggur Math Khan, Ganesh Khan, Mahinder Khan, Dharun Khan, Zorawar Khan, Baukan Khan, Shamul Khan, Bunyad Khan, Mangal Khan, Faquir Khan, Bikaoo Khan, Bhoogra Khan, Chutter Dharee Khan, Keheo Khan, Ram Sahay Khan, Achumbhit Khan, Omrao Khan, Mussamut Madhooker Koer, herself and guardian, Shew Sahay Singh, Daokh Harun Singh, Deehoo Khan, Bhairo Khan, Shew Deyal Khan, Lall Bohary Panday, Manoher Khan, Pahalwan Khan, Runjeet Khan, Sarwan Khan, Bhekhdhary Khan, Bahadoor Khan, Buljeet Khan, Rasbehary Khan, Pahulwan Khan, Runjeet Singh, Sheo Sahay Singh Pandey, Ram Ajadhia Prosad Pandey, Dowlut Khan, Shekhari Khan, Busti Khan, Ram Dehul Khan, Gauri Khan, Bunsi Khan, Nirghin Khan, son of Roopun Khan, Lachumon Khan, Rajbunsi Khan, Hunsraj Khan, Choolay Khan, Ram Damun Khan, Bochaye Khan, Naik Khan, Adhar Khan, Siromun Khan, Boodhu Ray, Domee Roy.	675 11 9	259 13 7	9 3 4
7	6742	Pakra Mahisary, pergunnah Saraisa.	Bharasi Singh, Dario Singh, Aghori Singh, Birjial Singh, Mussamut Shamrood Koer, Mussamut Hira Koer, Mussamut Ram Koer, Pur Deep Sahay himself and guardian of Madhoo Sahay minor, Aghori Roy, Sheikh Rahumut Ally, Dariao Singh, Hanooman Singh, Halkhori Singh, Aghori Singh, and Bhai Singh, son of Pur Deep Narain Singh.	780 13 10	197 12 4	9 5 7

DURBHUNGA COLLECTORATE, the 14th February 1879. HERBERT MOSLEY, *for Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, the undermentioned estates in the district of Gya will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 18th Choyt 1286 F.S., for arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Description of mehal.	Number of rent roll.	Number of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Amount of arrear for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
Permanently settled.	1171	Ganharpur Sinduari, &c., pergunnah Kahar.	Dainut Roy, Munshi Syud Ameer Ally, Mussamut Nasiran, Rupchand Sahoo, Bajnath Singh, Ramnath Singh, *alias* Sita Ram, Bishun Sahay Singh, and Ishri Pershad Singh.	6,105 12 0	1 6 0	Ijmal share, sudder jumma of which is Rs. 2,415-11-0, will be sold.
Ditto ...	2367	Jakhay, &c., Dah Kalam Mosoomay, mehal Boodhura, pergunnah Pachrookhi.	Tikait Hukum Narain Singh, Mewa Lal, Behari Lal, Tilukdhari Lal, Mussamut Karimumnissa at present in possession and Sokhi Chand, Towakal Singh, Milan Singh, Budhu Singh, Dabee Singh and Roghoobar Singh, Zurpeshgidars.	602 0 0 Land revenue, 596 0 0 Road cess, 6 0 0	3 0 0 Land revenue, 0 14 0 Road cess, 2 2 0	The whole estate is to be sold.
Ditto ...	2625	Dayrgaon, &c., pergunnah Samai.	Roy Nawazi Lall, Roy Jaswant Lal, Tulshi Ram for himself and guardian of Foteh Narain, Moorat Singh, Goordyal Singh, Girwar Singh, Dhaka Singh, Samodhi Singh and Darshun Singh.	2,239 13 0	62 9 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 543-10-0, will be sold.
Ditto ...	3224	Kundil Talooka, pergunnah Sherghoty.	Baboo Sikunder Ally Khan, Syud Habibul Hosnain, Mussamut Foshilnissa *alias* Chhoko, Goorsahai Sobu, Sukhdeo Sahay, Nasnmanik Kooer, Gunput Lal, Chaman Sahoo, Chait Lal, Khirodhar Padhia, *alias* Ghinoo Padhia, for himself and guardian of Solnarain Padhia, *alias* Dawan Padhia minor brother, Abdul Ally Khan, Mussamut Thakooro Koer, Lachhi Mahton, Saheb Ally Khan, Mussamut Nuaniran Bibee, Mussamut Zamiran Bibee, Jahangir Baksh Khan, Mussamut Zaemeh *alias* Armani, Mussamut Gofoor Jan Beebi, Goshain Mohun Giraud Mohesh Dutt.	2,303 5 0	8 10 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 762-10-0, will be sold.
Ditto ...	3513	Karma Missir, &c., pergunnah Siris.	Sheo Saran Singh, Sarun Narain Singh, Jagger Nath Singh, Khaja Ally Reza, Moulvie Fazal Hossain, Mirza Dost Mohamad, father and guardian of Mussamut Mariam and Mussamut Jhoona Kooer.	842 1 0	8 13 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 584-13-0, will be sold.

GYA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 4th March 1879. E. J. BARTON, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, answering to 13th Chaitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

No. in towjee.	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
	First Class Permanently-settled.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
12	Zemindari hisha 1 anna, pergunnah Attia, excluding the shares separated under Act XI of 1859 as shewn below.	Girish Chandra Roy Chowdhuri and others ...	148 4 3	28 14 0
	Pergunnah Attia, hisha 1 gd. 3 cra.	Moulvi Abdul Rashid Khan, manager and guardian on behalf of minors Najabali Chowdhuri and Malik Bebi.	61 7 8	.....
	Pergunnah ditto, hisha 7 gundas	Hari Charan Mazumdar	245 15 3	.....
	Pergunnah ditto, hisha 1 anna, excluding the share separated under Act XI of 1859.	Bhagaban Chandra Roy and others	247 1 10	.....
		Total ...	702 13 0	28 14 0

MYMENSINGH COLLECTORATE, the 1st March 1879. N. S. ALEXANDER, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Noakholly will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Choitro, 1285 B.S., for the arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Number of towjee.	Names of estates.	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma. Rs. A. P.	Balance. Rs. A. P.
205	Pergunnah Dandra, share 3 annas.	Kazi Mohomed Monraddy and Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and guardian of Srimuti Mahomuda Khatoore, minor, Chandranath Chowdry, Radhamohun Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterjee, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Srimute Akramanassa, Srimuti Najumanessa, minors, and Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abunasar Mahomed Esahaq	2,420 4 10	1,758 1 11
		Improvement Fund ...	24 0 0	10 2 8
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Chandranath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	605 1 3	
		Improvement Fund ...	6 0 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Radha Mohon Rai, share 3 annas 10 gundas	378 2 9	
		Improvement Fund ...	3 12 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Najumanessa, minors of Roazuddin Munshi, managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji, share 1 anna	151 4 4	
		Improvement Fund ...	1 8 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Abu Esof, Mahomed Israel, Abu Mahomed, Ubedullah, share 2 annas 3 cowries 1 krant	303 13 6	
		Improvement Fund ...	3 1 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abu Nasar Mahomed Esahaq, minor, share 1 anna 19 gundas 2 krant ...	296 3 9	
		Improvement Fund ...	2 15 0	
206	Pergunnah Dandra, share 1 anna 18 gundas 2 cowries ½ krant.	Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and father and guardian of Srimuti Mohomed Khatoon, Srimuti Sarafanessa, self and mother and guardian of Abu Esof Mahomed Israel and Abu Nasar Mohomed Esahaq, Srimuti Wakia Banu, guardian of Ubedulla, Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, Radhamohon Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterji, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Nozumanessa, minors	3,267 0 11	4,596 7 1
		Improvement Fund ...	33 0 0	48 15 3
		Separate account opened in the name of Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	816 12 3	
		Improvement Fund ...	8 4 0	
Ditto	ditto	in the name of Radhamohon Rai, share 2 annas 10 gundas	510 7 3	
		Improvement Fund ...	5 2 6	
Ditto	ditto	in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa, Nozumanessa, minors of Roazuddin Munshi, whose estate is managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji ...	204 3 1	
		Improvement Fund ...	2 4 0	

NOAKHOLLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 24th February 1879. A. MANSON, *Offg. Collector.*

Notice.

THE following list of rates of rent to be charged from the 1st April next on goods left on the Custom House wharf is published for general information :—

List of Articles subject to Wharf Rent by the package.

Names of Articles.	Description of Package	Rs. A. P.
Beer	Whole pipe, butt, or puncheon	1 8 0
Do.	Half pipe or hogshead	0 12 0
Do.	Quarter pipe	0 6 0
Wines	Butt or pipe	4 0 0
Do.	Half pipe or hogshead	2 0 0
Do.	Quarter pipe	1 0 0
Do.	Chests, above 12 dozen	1 0 0
Do.	Ditto of 12 dozen, or above 6 dozen	0 12 0
Do.	Ditto of 6 „ or above 3 „	0 6 0
Do.	Quarter chest or 3 dozen	0 4 0
Do.	All boxes under 3 dozen and above 1 dozen each	0 2 0
Do.	1 dozen box	0 1 6
Spirits	Per pipe	4 0 0
Do.	„ hogshead	2 0 0
Do.	In bottles. Case of 1 dozen	0 2 0
Do.	Above 1 and under 3 dozen	0 3 0
Do.	3 dozen...	0 4 0
Do.	Above 3 and under 6 dozen	0 6 0
Do.	6 dozen	0 8 0
Glass or earthenware ...	In large casks	2 0 0
Ditto or provisions	„ tierces	1 8 0
Ditto ditto ...	Large crates containing 12 dozen bottles	0 12 0
Ditto ditto ...	Small „ 8 or 6 dozen bottles, more or less	0 8 0
British piece-goods ...	Per case, above 12 dozen size	1 0 0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of 12 dozen or above 6 dozen	0 12 0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of 6 „ or „ 3 „	0 6 0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of 3 „ or less	0 4 0
Ditto ditto ...	„ bale	0 12 0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of smaller size	0 8 0
Twist of all sorts ...	„ „ of 400 or 500lb	0 12 0
Ditto	„ „ of smaller size	0 8 0
Canvas	„ bale	0 6 0
Silk	„ bale	0 12 0
Silk piece-goods	„ case	0 12 0
Indigo ...	„ chest	0 12 0
Cotton, hemp, jute, and safflower.	„ bale of 300lb	0 8 0
Shellac and lacdye ...	„ chest	0 8 0
Vermillion	„ box	0 4 0
Arsenic	„ box	0 6 0
Brass leaf	„ box	0 4 0
China paper	„ case	0 4 0
Cassia, camphor ...	„ case	0 6 0
Sugarcandy	„ tub	0 1 0

Names of Articles.	Description of Package.	Rs.	A.	P.
Tea	Per whole chest	0	4	0
Do.	,, smaller box	0	2	0
Salmon, herrings, or other fish	,, keg	0	1	0
Turpentine, linseed, or other vegetable oils.	,, jar	0	4	0
Gunnies	,, large bale	1	0	0
Ditto	,, smaller bale	0	12	0
Cow hides	,, bale	1	8	0
Ditto	,, smaller bale	1	0	0
Goat skins	,, bale	1	0	0
Tin plates	,, box	0	1	0
Bricks	,, 1,000	2	0	0
Copperas	,, tierce or barrel	1	0	0
Cement	,, barrel	0	6	0
Soda	,, cask	0	8	0
Vinegar	,, ,, (beer rate)	0	12	0
Candles	,, box	0	2	0
Window glass	,, case	0	2	0
Crown ditto	,, box (piece-good rate)	0	4	0
Flour	,, cask	0	8	0
Butter	,, cask or keg	1	8	0
Beer	,, case	0	6	0
Stoves	,, each	0	0	3
Brimstone	,, cask	0	12	0
Ditto	,, smaller cask	0	6	0
Nails	,, keg of 1 cwt.	0	2	0
Cork	,, bag	0	2	0
Tar and pitch	,, barrel	0	8	0
Beads	,, cask	1	0	0
Water casks (empty) ...	,, puncheon (beer rate)	1	8	0
Hams and cheese	,, piece	0	1	0
Oil	,, cask	0	12	0
Patch leaf	,, bale	0	12	0
Provisions	,, tin, large size	0	2	0
Ditto	,, ,, small ,, ...	0	1	0
Almonds	,, bag of one maund each	0	2	0

List of Articles subject to Wharf Rent by the weight.

Names of Articles.	Per cwt. Rs.	A.	P.
Metals	0	1	6
Cutch	0	1	0
Sugar, rice, and seeds	0	1	3
Betelnut	0	1	6
Cloves	0	3	0
Ginger or turmeric	0	1	6
Paint	0	2	0
All cordage	0	2	0
Rosin or dammer	0	3	0
Red wood	0	1	6
Rattan	0	3	0
Coppra	0	3	0
Alum and aloes	0	1	6
Chalk	0	1	6
Coffee, pepper, cummine seed, anniseed, cardamoms, almonds, raisin, wet and dry dates.	0	3	0
Gambier	0	1	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	0	6	0
Quicksilver	0	6	0
Bazar cowries	0	3	0

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 12th March 1879. J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 12th Mar. 1879.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund	18,95,975	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office .. ... Rs. 96,08,543 0 11 / Ditto at Branches . ,, 1,25,87,349 4 4	2,21,95,892	5	3
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches ...	2,51,66,899	11	6
Bank Post Bills, &c.	8,44,989	10	2
Sundries ,, ...	8,82,103	11	5
Rupees ...	7,09,85,860	0	4

ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	73,22,068	8	0
Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	55,22,095	11	0
Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ...	73,08,586	3	1
Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches	2,28,96,301	10	11
Balances with other Banks	9,52,806	4	3
Bullion	....		
Dead Stock	9,79,458	1	1
Stamps	7,167	8	6
Sundries	1,95,158	11	9
	4,51,83,662	10	7
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office ...Rs. 80,88,259 0 1 / Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... ,, 1,77,13,938 11 8	2,58,02,197	11	9
Rupees ...	7,09,85,860	0	4

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL, Calcutta, *the 13th March* 1879.

W. WESTLAND, *Offg Chief Accott. and Dy. Secy.*

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

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Statement of Government Promissory Notes enfaced for payment of Interest in London, under deduction of amount retransferred to India, and outstanding in the Books of the Bank of Bengal on the 28th February 1879.

PARTICULARS.	3½ per cent. Loan of 1853-54.	4 PER CENT. LOANS								4½ PER CENT. LOANS				Transfer Loan of 1879, seven Shillings Sterling per cent. Portion.	5 per cent. Debenture for 15 years, repayable June 1882.	5 per cent. Loan of 1856-57.	5½ per cent. Loan of 1859-60.	Total amount.
		of 1824-25.	of 1829-29.	of 1832-33.	of 1835-36.	of 1842-43.	of 1854-55.	Transfer of 1865.	Reduced 4 per cent. Loan of 1879.	of 1870.	of 1871.	of 1878.	Transfer Loan of 1879, 4½ per cent Portion.					
Balance of 15th February 1879 ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,03,200	2,29,44,500	1,11,51,100	1,96,32,400	3,04,87,500	39,34,800	3,36,000	51,81,200	4,11,04,900	51,500	34,01,000	76,800	1,17,23,200	15,46,76,525
Stock transferred to London ..	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	25,000	.....	.....	.....	64,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000
6½ per cent. Stock transferred to 4½ per cent. Stock in London ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64,000
ADD—																		
Amount enfaced at Madras between 16th and 28th February 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	.... .	.....	.....	.....	2,100
Ditto at Bombay between 16th and 28th February 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	83,500	2,000	3,000	.. ...	500	.....	1,15,000	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,09,000
Ditto at Calcutta between 16th and 28th February 1879 ...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,29,000	15,200	4,97,100	10,000	88,800	.. ...	51,000	11,77,900	.....	31,000	.....	.....	20,98,200
TOTAL ...	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,03,200	2,32,57,300	1,11,68,300	2,01,34,600	3,05,23,500	40,22,100	3,36,000	53,47,200	4,23,51,800	51,500	34,32,000	76,800	1,17,23,200	15,70,68,925
DEDUCT—																		
Amount written off in the London Registers	...	.... .	...	... ..	1,000	36,500	10,900	1,000	84,100	2,200	.....	10,000	55 000	. ...	31,000	.....	2,36,200	4,67,200
Balance on 28th February 1879 .	55,600	38,506	2,346	14,45,973	31,02,200	2,32,20,800	1,11,58,100	2,01,33,600	3,04,38,400	40,19,900	3,36,000	53,37,200	4,23,96,800	51,500	34,01,000	76,800	1,14,87,000	15,66,01,725

NOTE.—From 9th June 1867 to 31st Dec. 1878—Enfaced from India 3,144 lakhs; retransferred from London 2,942 lakhs.

„	1st Jany.	1879	to	15th Jany.	1879	„	„	8	„	„	„	12 „
„	16th „	„	to	31st „	„	„	„	13	„	„	„	8 „
„	1st Feb.	„	to	15th Feb.	„	„	„	8	„	„	„	7 „
„	16th „	„	to	28th „	„	„	„	24	„	„	„	4 „
								3,197				
								2,973				2,973 „
Balance against India ...								224 „				

PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE, BANK OF BENGAL,
Calcutta, the 14th March 1879

R. HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships
1879.			
Mar. 4	1 Case, H K S	Paul Tambaci & Son	S. S. Orion.
„ 4	1 Sheet Iron, no mark or W L	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 4	2 Bars Angle Iron, J or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 4	4 Cakes Spelter, D R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 4	1½ Cakes Spelter, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 4	1 Parcel, S. & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 4	1 Basket Rivets, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 5	10 Cases, 151 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	S. S. Queen Victoria.
„ 5	7 Cases, 24 in a diamond, bottom A L	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 5	1 Case, addressed	W. P. Cooper, Messrs. Begg, Dunlop & Co.	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, B H. & Co. in a diamond	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, 494 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	2 Cases, 317 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, C S D in a triangle	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	7 Cases, 320 in a diamond, top C. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	2 Bales, E in a diamond, bottom G S	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, 582 in a diamond, top H G	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	2 Casks, H C. D. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Cask, 122 in a diamond, outside H. G. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, H C G	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	6 Plates Iron, D in a diamond, bottom F or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	4 Bundles Nail Rod, X X in blue or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	499 Bundles Wire, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, 522 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Cask, 529 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	2 Casks, 575 in a diamond, top M A	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Cask, M O R, bottom B	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	3 Casks, P C N T in a cross within a diamond ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 8	1 Case, S C D in a diamond...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	2 Chest Tea, addressed	Captain Argel ...	S. S. City of Carthage.
„ 7	108 Packages, B C D in a diamond, bottom H. S. K. & Co.	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 7	2 Bars Round Iron, no mark, or K. L. M. & Co. ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	2 Bars Angle Iron, M E C or no mark ...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	76 Pieces Bar Iron, no mark or broad arrow I S R ..	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	6 Pieces Iron Column, no mark or broad arrow I S R	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	1 Bar T Iron, broad arrow, State Railway, or no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	8 Casks, J. H. F. & Co	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	25 Kegs, L S G D in a cross	Ditto ...	Ditto.
„ 7	2 Bags Coffee, no mark	Captain Argel ...	Ditto.
„ 7	1 Iron Frame, W in a diamond, bottom J ...	Order ...	Ditto.
„ 7	1 Case, N S M G in a diamond, outside W C S K...	Ditto ...	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 15th March 1879. (872—1) W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned:—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
428	O 35—32759	100	J. Sterrat.
	„ —11494	100	
429	O 39—80148	10	Messrs. John Dill & Co.
	„ 44—09019	10	
430	O 72 19409	1,000	Chinta Ram Muddiar.
431	„ 70—01033	500	Chand Shaw
	O 35—48778	100	Adam Mohomed.
432	„ —60240	100	
	O 35—26182	100	Monsuffrit Ram.

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes	Value.	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
433	„ 34—25093	100	Suruth Pundit.
	L 94—95028	100	
434	O 34—03463	100	Sheik Torab.
436	L 47—33223	20	Sewdeo Prosad.
437	O 35—44067	100	Khooddee Ram Dutt.
438	„ 43—94741	10	A. Burrows.
	„ —59201	10	
440	„ 27—91014	500	Bustee Ram and Bissumbhor Nath.
441	L 92—94847	50	Abdul Kadir.
442	O 34—81817	100	Gotee Ram Maniek Ram.
443	„ 30—10507	50	S. Moorhead.
	„ —10508	50	
444	„ 70—07865	500	Superintendent A. Younan, Calcutta Police.
446	O 42—03352 to „ —03411	10 each	Cohen Brothers & Co.

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
446	L 93—89976 to „ —89979	50 each	Cohen Brothers & Co.
	O 25—41477 to „ —41480	20 each	
	O 42—03220	10	
	„ —03221	10	
447	O 30—22441	50	Annoda Prasad Mukerjee
	„ —22437	50	
450	„ 34—92257	100	Meeah Khow.
	„ —65719	100	
451	„ 30—27454	50	B Mauger.
452	„ 26—54820	20	Dwarkanath Roy.
	„ —54821	20	
453	O 43—44272	10	Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore.
	„ 18—43265	10	
	L 27—51426	5	
	O 40—99770	10	
	„ 41—01190	10	
	„ 18—32370	10	
	L 99—32474	10	
	O 18—40744	10	
	„ 41—38554	10	
	„ 16—65974	10	
	L 74—21335	10	
	O 8—24583	10	
	„ 43—63578	10	
	„ 19—39851	10	
	„ 18—41085	10	
	„ 39—05509	10	
	L 91—64041	20	
	O 19—77767	10	
	„ 1—37778	10	
	„ 19—03094	10	
	„ 11—00704	10	
	„ 19—95406	10	
	„ 18—32501	10	
	„ 42—34223	10	
	„ 5—19801	10	
	„ 20—55711	20	
	„ 15—58301	10	
	„ 41—98460	10	
	„ 43—44270	10	
	„ 5—23922	10	
	„ 39—15156	10	
	„ 19—88928	10	
	„ 43—44290	10	
	„ —44268	10	
	„ —44269	10	
	„ 9—47965	10	
	„ 40—28002	10	
	„ 10—61137	10	
	„ 43—44289	10	
	„ —44288	10	
	„ —44266	10	
	„ —44267	10	
	„ 24—68964	20	
	„ 10—20678	10	
	„ 41—00823	10	
	„ 18—62815	10	
	L 4—57625	10	
	„ 95—24453	10	
	O 13—57504	10	
	„ 40—94741	10	
	„ 19—76416	10	
	„ 39—53974	10	
	„ 23—04318	20	
	„ 22—65663	20	
	„ —47652	20	
	„ 23—43594	20	
	„ 43—44265	10	
	L 96—63624	10	
	„ 98—01301	10	
	O 43—44263	10	
	„ —44264	10	
	„ 41—66616	10	
	„ 14—05737	10	
	„ 18—66914	10	
	„ 4—70465	20	
	„ 21—93443	20	
	„ 7—77211	10	
	„ 17—89088	10	
	„ 18—2579	10	
	„ 40—2492	10	

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
453	O 10—85408	10	Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore
	L 95—83217	10	
	O 9—26424	10	
	L 42—70739	10	
	O 11—59038	10	
	„ 43—44261	10	
	„ 39—00617	10	
	„ 43—44262	10	
	„ 40—09726	10	
	„ 18—82063	10	
	„ 25—36747	20	
	„ 23—95770	20	
	„ —55614	20	
	„ —76862	20	
	„ 42—71909	10	
	L 31—88272	5	
	O 42—61443	10	
	„ 14—00031	10	
	„ 5—45387	10	
	„ 19—74875	10	
	„ 17—50929	10	
	„ 11—17023	10	
	„ 42—80794	10	
	„ 15—91120	10	
	„ 13—99113	10	
454	A 85—68523	500	Jodu Nath Das.
	„ —61833	500	
455	O 29—96329	1,000	Jagger Nath Balmukund.
456	O 72—02549	1,000	Rammadauh Chatterjee.
457	O 39—16007	10	S. Narain Singh.
	„ —98892	10	
	„ 41—76563	10	
	„ 43—03812	10	
	„ 42—72050	10	
	„ 40—59773	10	
458	L 44—96760	10	Post-Master-General, North-Western Provinces.
459	L 93—81298	50	Gobinda Chunder Patra
460	L 29—76384	5	Mrs. E. Durnford.
	„ 22—49228	5	
	„ 43—85084	10	
461	„ 92—84708	50	Superintendent of Police, Backergunge.
	„ —99042	50	
462	„ —86049	50	Meer Sodan.
464	O 35—75066	100	R. Williamson.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

485	„ 25—67783	20	Rutty Kant Mozoomdar
	„ 23—38442	20	
486	L 28—32016	5	Shew Golam Panday.
488	O 41—80286	10	Juggo Bundhoo Chatterjee.
	L 29—37237	5	
489	O 34—72185	100	Purroshotum Dutt.
	„ —28535	100	
490	„ 42—96704	10	Jogendro Nath Mitter.
	„ —28003	10	
491	„ 19—22967	10	Tripurah Churn Doss.
492	„ 43—47626	10	Gopaul Chunder Mookerjee.
493	L 37—60851	20	Prosono Coomar Roy
	„ 17—15878	5	
494	O 14—31387	10	District Traffic Manager, S. P. and Delhi Railway, Mooltan
495	„ 35—18014	100	Hakeem Mogurreb Hossein
496	„ 18—63349	10	Juggut Ram Mookerjee
497	„ 24—07280	20	Nuffer Chunder Ghose
498	„ 52—57224	20	Nogendro Nath Mitter.
499	„ 27—72212	500	R. Hildebrand.
500	„ 42—88034	10	Charu Chunder Mookerjee.
501	„ 34—77897	100	Kader Nath Bannerjee.
502	L 77—14581	20	Juggernath Marwaree
503	„ 42—77586	10	Abinash Chunder Dutt.
	„ —77579	10	
504	O 19—89673	10	Imamuddeen.
505	L 13—45191	20	Purno Chunder Banerjee.
506	O 44—56983	10	Mrs. F. Hill.
	„ —43959	10	
	„ —27742	10	
	„ 43—38660	10	
	„ —02934	10	
	„ 26—31085	20	
	L 54—81636	5	

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant
		Rs	
507	O 35—30213	100	Nundo Lall Sett.
508	„ 14—41210	10	Eshan Chunder Mookerjee.
	„ 6—19063	10	
	„ 10—33980	10	
	„ 9—29712	10	
	„ 14—46721	10	
	„ 9—05568	10	
	„ 12—70460	10	
509	„ 16—69391	10	Gobind Behary Audhicaree.
510	„ 27—95347	500	The Post-Master General, N. W. P.
511	„ 13—34336	10	Nundo Lall Kur.
512	O 35—11432	100	D. F. Stuart.
513	O 35—36800	100	Jew Lall Ram
	„ —49354	100	
514	L 28—28337	5	Woopendro Nath Ghose.
515	O 42—27661	10	Dabudeen Bachosputty.
	O 24—46947	20	
516	O 26—02209	20	Jamasjee Nusserwanjee, Bombay.
	„ 25—25334	20	
517	O 35—05145	100	Keshub Lall Dutt.
	„ 34—78941	100	
	„ 35—05146	100	
	„ 33—40901	100	
	„ 35—05142	100	
	„ —05148	100	
	„ —05141	100	
518	„ 13—65999	10	Koylash Chunder Mookerjee.
519	O 35—48643 to „ —48647	at 50 each.	Treasury Officer, Bhagulpore.
	„ 30—05617 to „ —05636	at 20 each.	
	„ 25—85027 to „ —85051	at 10 each.	
	O 44—29236 to „ —29265	at 5 each.	
	L 54—69971 to „ —70000	at 5 each.	
520	L 87—34315	10	E. M. Bensley.
521	O 19—16229	10	Revd. John R. Hill.
	„ —16230	10	
	„ —16231	10	
	„ —16232	10	
522	„ 41—95986	10	The Oriental Bank Corporation.
523	„ 22—06318	20	Mothur Mohun Mukerjee.
524	L 93—47826	50	Tameezdeen.
	O 25—45558	20	
525	L 44—54681	10	Guroo Das Ganguli.
526	A 95—96263	10	Nundo Lall Sen.
527	L 11—33761	5	Aubinash Chunder Sen.
528	O 21—07148	20	Messrs. W. L. Atkinson & Co.
	L 28—90189	5	
	„ 25—90116	5	
529	„ 30—10789	5	O. T. Robello.
530	O 44—12306	10	Komola Kanto Nyaruttna.
531	L 94—15785	100	Ram Chunder.
532	„ 30—31697	5	Pestonjee Dhunjeebhoy Daivar.
533	„ 71—68826	10	C. C. Flanagon.
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy.
	„ —57898		
274	L 62—25338	10	Amrit Nath Jhah.
	„ 58—04832		
275	L 30—92353	5	W. C. Nicholls.
	„ 30—92354		
276	O 25—39948	20	Madar Mullick.
	„ —39943		
277	O 25—02538	20	Gate Clerk of Zoological Garden.
	„ 21—62168		
278	L 43—27262	10	Rakhal Das Coar.
	„ —27261		
279	O 18—12944	10	Bonomaly Seal.
	„ —12943		
	L 34—24425	10	
	„ 32—73675		
280	O 22—02702	20	Doorga Churn Goopta.
	„ —02756		

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
281	O 16—10369	10	Koonja Lall Bissesur Das.
	„ —10396		
	L 43—25678	10	
	„ —25638		
	A 97—28981	10	
	„ —28982		
282	O 13—95319	10	Chief Pay-Master, E. I. Railway.
	„ —95329		
283	L 59—12541	10	
	„ —12542		
	L 59—12543	10	Gunga Ram.
	„ —12544		
285	A 71—57308	20	Chota Lall.
	„ —46382		
286	O 14—32864	10	Behary Lall Daw.
	„ —32865		
287	L 20—73204	5	Taraprosono Gupta.
	„ 25—12525		
288	O 19—87851	10	Messrs. Lloyd & Co.
	„ —87850		
	L 73—37637	10	
	„ —37635		
	L 11—33594	5	
	„ —33595		
289	L 12—16963	10	Mohendro Nath Neighy.
	„ —16964		
290	O 42—57353	10	Hurro Chunder Chatterjee.
	„ 43—73369		
291	„ 16—57359	5	Kristo Lall Sen.
	„ —57321	5	
292	O 14—90200	10	Jogendra Nath Bagchee.
	„ —90199	10	
294	L 1—07813	10	Radhica Prosad Chatterjee.
	„ —07812	10	
335	L 65—53888	20	Chief Pay-Master, E. I. Railway, Calcutta.
	„ —53883		

R. A. STRENDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 11th March 1879.

For Sale.

One second-hand single-poled Tent, measuring sixteen feet square, with a necessary tent and a pál. Apply to the Superintendent of the Bengal Secretariat Press.

Notification.

THE right of selling Court Fee and Non-judicial Stamps at this Collectorate and Court Fee Stamps only in the High Court during the official year 1879-80, commencing on the 1st day of April 1879, will be put up to auction at the Town Hall on Monday, the 24th March 1879. The Collector does not bind himself to accept the highest offers which are made, but reserves the discretion to select the best qualified persons from among those who make reasonably fair offers. The vendors who may be appointed will be allowed the usual discount on all stamps purchased by them from the Collector's Office.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, the 7th March 1879.

THE public are informed that licenses for the sale of Court Fee and Non-judicial Stamps will be issued by this Office for any part of Calcutta (except at this Collectorate and the High Court, where there are *salaried* vendors). Persons desirous of becoming stamp vendors may apply for licenses on or before the 1st day of April next.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, No. 5, CHURCH LANE,
the 6th March 1879.

Notice.

THE Stationery Store will be closed for the annual stock-taking from the 16th to the 31st March 1879, both days inclusive, *during which period no stationery can, under any circumstances, be issued.* The alteration in time herein announced is rendered necessary by Government requiring the submission of the annual report on the Stationery Department one month earlier than hitherto.

JOHN B. ROBERTS, *Superintendent.*

GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE, 5, CHURCH LANE,
the 21st February 1879.

Notice.

THE Zemindary Dak Cess of the district of 24-Pergunnahs for the year 1879-80 is fixed at the rate of seven annas and eleven pie (0-7-11) per cent. of the sudder jumma payable by each estate. The amount due for the first half-year should be paid into the district treasury on or before the 2nd June, Monday, and that for the second half-year on or before the 16th December, Tuesday, 1879.

W. S. WELLS, *Magts. of 24-Perghs.*

ALIPORE, the 17th March 1879.

UNDER Section 37, Act IV (B.C.) of 1870, and with the sanction of the Government of Bengal and the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, Baboo Rakhal Dass Haldar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on special duty under the Chota Nagpore Tenures' Act II (B.C.) of 1869, is appointed to act as Manager of the Chota Nagpore estate during the absence, on leave, of Major N. Lowis or until further orders, on a net salary of Rs. 875 per mensem, including contribution to the Pension Fund.

J. F. K. HEWITT, *Offg. Commr.*

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, CHOTA NAGPORE,
The 10th March 1879.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sál beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 " " 2-12 "
23 " " 2-14 "
24 " " 3 "

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at " 2-4 "
Under 7 feet, at " 2 "

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers, &c.*, special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in-charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,

SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*

The 1st June 1877.

WANTED a Record-keeper for the Bogra Collectorate. Monthly salary Rs. 40, rising to Rs. 60. Applications, on or before the 28th instant, to be sent, with copy of testimonials, to the Collector of Bogra.

F. WYER, *Collector.*

BOGRA COLLECTORATE, the 12th March 1879.

Notice.

WANTED a Head Clerk for the Small Cause Court, Midnapore; salary Rs. 100. Security to the amount of Rs. 500 will have to be given. Applications shall be received up to 31st March 1879, and must contain the age of the applicant.

JADU NATH ROY,
Judge of Small Cause Court, Midnapore.

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer and Registrar of Carts and Carriages for the Beauleah Municipality on a salary of Rs. 100 per mensem. None need apply who has not passed the examination for the post of Overseer in the Public Works Department. Applicants to send certificates of character and past services on or before the 30th instant. A security of Rs. 750 required.

MOHENDRA NATH BOSE,
Depy. Magistrate and Secretary.

BEAULEAH MUNICIPAL OFFICE, the 10th March 1879.
(865—2)

Wanted,

BY the District Road Cess Committee of Dinagepore, a District Engineer possessing the qualifications of an Assistant Engineer of the Public Works Department, on a salary of Rs. 400 per mensem, rising by biennial increments of Rs. 50 to a maximum of Rs. 500, provided that the salary will rise at once to Rs. 500 on the District Engineer becoming qualified as an Executive Engineer. Travelling allowance will be given in accordance with the rules of the Public Works Department. Applications, with copies of the necessary certificates and testimonials, to be sent to the undersigned.

H. W. GORDON, *for Chairman.*

DINAGEPORE MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, the 7th March 1879.
(864—2)

Wanted,

FOR the district of Mymensingh, a District Road Engineer to act for six months during the absence, on sick leave, of the substantive District Engineer. Candidates must send in their applications by 20th March at latest.

N. ALEXANDER, *Chairman,*
Road Cess Committee.

MYMENSINGH ROAD CESS OFFICE, the 4th March 1879.
(855—6)

Road Cess Works—District Rungpore.

TENDERS are requested for the supply of teak timber of various scantlings. Apply before end of current month, stating rates and particulars, to

C. H. RINGWOOD, C.E., *Dist. Engr., Rungpore.*

RUNGPORE, the 5th March 1879. (854—2)

The Dehing Company, Limited.

THE Third Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 4, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 26th day of March 1879, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' report, declaring a dividend for season 1878, and for the consideration of such other business as may be brought forward.

JOHN ELLIOTT & Co., *Managing Agents*

CALCUTTA, the 12th March 1879. (873—2)

Bishnauth Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-first Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Monday, the 31st March current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' report, passing the accounts to 31st December 1878, declaring a dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAMSON, MAGOR & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 17th March 1879. (875—2)

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 103, Clive Street, on Thursday, the 27th day of March instant, at one o'clock afternoon, to consider the Directors' report, which will then be submitted, pass the accounts to 31st December 1878, declare a dividend, and transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

BALMER, LAWRIE & Co.,
Managing Agents.

CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879. (862—3)

Borsillah Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 103, Clive Street, on Thursday, the 27th day of March instant, at noon, to consider the Managing Director's report, which will then be submitted, pass the accounts to 31st December 1878, and transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

BALMER, LAWRIE & Co.,
Managing Directors and Secretaries.

CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879. (863—3)

Chandypore Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Twelfth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office, No 4, Commercial Buildings, on Tuesday, the 25th day of March 1879, at 3 P.M., to receive the Directors' report, pass the accounts to 31st December last, and transact any other business that may be brought forward.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from 12th to 25th instant, both days inclusive.

G. M. STRUTHERS & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 12th March 1879. (861—2)

Kalacherra Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 4, Commercial Buildings, on Thursday, the 27th day of March 1879, at 3 P.M., to receive the Directors' report, pass the accounts to 31st December last, and declare a dividend.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from 12th to 27th instant, both days inclusive.

G. M. STRUTHERS & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 12th March 1879. (860—3)

Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Holta Tea Company, Limited.

THE Twelfth Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Holta Tea Company, Limited, will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 11, Hasting's Street, Calcutta, on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive the Directors' report, to pass the accounts for the year 1878, and to transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board

GRINDLAY & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879. (859—1)

AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bengal Coal Company, Limited, will be held on Saturday, the 26th of April 1879, at the registered Office of the Company, at 27, Dalhousie Square, in the town of Calcutta, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider the means to be adopted for improving the mode of transport from certain of the collieries of the Company to the railway wharves, and to pass resolutions providing for the outlay necessary for such improved mode of transport as may be agreed upon.

By order of the Board,

H. H. MACLEOD, *Superintendent.*

CALCUTTA, the 22nd January 1879. (774—4)

Calcutta Jute Mills Company, "Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given that the Tenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 3, Fairlie Place, Calcutta, at noon, on Thursday, the 27th March 1879, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' Report and passing the Accounts for the half-year ending 31st December 1878, electing Directors and Auditor, and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought forward.

The share transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 14th to the 27th March 1879, both days inclusive.

By order,

A. R. MCINTOSH & Co., *Agents and Secretaries*

CALCUTTA, the 31st December 1878. (777—3)

Amluckie Tea Company, Limited.

THE Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 12, Mission Row, on Saturday, the 22nd instant, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Managing Agent's report, passing the accounts for the season ending 31st December last, and transacting such other business as may be brought forward.

The Share Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 7th to 22nd idem, both days inclusive.

BEGG, DUNLOP & Co., *Managing Agents*

CALCUTTA, the 6th March 1879. (852—2)

Bank of Bengal.

THE Directors have made the following changes in the Bank's establishment:—

Mr. T Dyson, to be Agent of the Patna Branch.

Mr. E Fishbourne, to be Acting Agent of the Agra Branch.

Mr. E. J Birch, to be Acting Agent of the Allahabad Branch, *vice* Mr. H. T. Balfour, appointed Accountant at Rangoon Branch.

Mr. E M. Slater, to be Acting Agent of the Cawnpore Branch, *vice* Mr. H B. Sterndale, who has obtained leave to Europe.

R. HARDIE, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

CALCUTTA, the 14th March 1879. (868—1)

Notice or Citation.

UNDER SECTION 250, INDIAN SUCCESSION ACT, 1865.

IN the matter of the estate of MRS. LUCY DECOURCY, deceased.

WHEREAS an application under the Indian Succession Act, 1865, for letters of administration to the estate of Mrs. Lucy DeCourcy, late of mehal Dharhara, pergunnah Harawut, zillah Bhagulpore, has been made by Mr. M. D. DeCourcy, son of the deceased, and whereas Saturday, the 26th April 1879, has been fixed for the hearing of this case, notice is hereby given that any person having any interest in the administration of the estate of the said deceased, may, if he desire, appear in this Court on the said 26th day of April 1879, and show cause why the application of the said applicant should not be granted.

Given under my hand and seal of this Court.

J. M. LOWIS, *District Judge*

BHAGULPORE DISTRICT JUDGE'S COURT,
The 11th March 1879. (869—1)

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the twenty-ninth day of March next, at noon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court made in suit No. 192 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, wherein Juggobundo Shaw and Sasheemohun Shaw are plaintiffs and Kantonauth Shaw, Nobodeep Chunder Shaw and Boistum Churn Shaw are defendants, and dated the third day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven the following property, namely—

Lot 1.—All that upper-roomed, brick built dwelling-house, formerly No. 63-5, now No. 84, together with the piece or parcel of land or ground thereunto belonging containing by estimation two and a half cottahs, more or less, and situate, lying, and being at Sova Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say—on the south by the house of Kistohurry Mullick; on the north by the house of Roop Chund Shaha; on the west by public drain; and on the east by a lane.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court in its original jurisdiction or at the office of Messieurs Pittar and Wheeler, Attorneys for the plaintiffs at No. 7, Council House Street, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT ORIGINAL JURISDICTION,
The 7th March 1879. (866—1)

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the 22nd day of March next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, at noon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court, made in suit No. 449 of 1876 [wherein Rustomjee Ruttonjee is plaintiff and Woomesh Chunder Mookerjee is defendant], and dated the 24th day of August 1876, the following property:—

Lot No. 1.—*All* that undivided half part or share of him the said Woomesh Chunder Mookerjee of and in all and singular all that messuage, house, or tenement or hereditament, and the piece or parcel of land or ground on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation about 14 cottahs, be the same a little more or less, situate at and being No. 17, Comboleatollah Street, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded in manner following, that is to say,—on the north by the

house and land and premises of Baboo Kistohurry Mookerjee; on the south by the house and land of Baboo Ram Chunder Mookerjee; on the east by another portion of land and a tank, the property of the said Woomesh Chunder Mookerjee; and on the west by Comboleatollah Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court in its original jurisdiction, or at the office of Mr. C. F. Pittar, Attorney for the plaintiff, at No. 7, Council House Street, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

C. F. PITTAR, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

CALCUTTA, HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, the 25th February 1879. (841—1)

In the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.

IN the matter of the Indian Companies Act, 1866, and of the Bengal Iron Works Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court was, on the 13th day of March 1870, presented to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal by James Jardine Paterson, a member of the mercantile firm of Jardine, Skinner & Co, of Calcutta, a contributory of the said Company; and that it has been directed that the said petition shall be heard before the said Court on the next motion day after advertisements published for a sufficient time (which day will be the 27th day of March 1879), and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Advocate or Attorney for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same on application to the said Court on payment of the charges for the same.

ROBERTS MORGAN & Co.,
of 1, *Hastings' Street, Calcutta,*
(876—1) *Attorneys for the Petitioner.*

LOST.—Government Promissory Note No. 5157 of the 4 per cent. of 1842-43, for Rs. 700, in the name of the late Russickmoney Dossee, by whom it was never endorsed to any one. Payment has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal. Application will be made for issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietress (my late wife). (858—3) BHOOBUNESSUR BOSE.

Execution Case No. 7 of 1879.

Ramachari Shyami, decree-holder, *versus* Rajeswari, *alias* Khoodoomony Chowdhoorany, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 15th April 1879 at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs. 2,189-4-8 due to decreeholder. Particulars may be known at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Turruff Kolabariah, turruff Bajitpore, mouzah Joyrampore *mai dare*, mouzah Moshimpore, included in Hudadurgapore situate in pergunnah Gowas, division Jellinghee, entered in the putni sherista of decreeholder in the name of judgment-debtor as durputnidar on a durputni jumma of Rs. 2,324-10-6.

MENU LAL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge.*

The 14th March 1879. (871—1)

Execution Case No. 5 of 1879.

Harek Chand Golecha, decree-holder, *versus* Peroo Biswas, judgment-debtor.

IN the above case the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 15th April 1879, at the Moorshedabad Civil Court for the realization of Rs. 6,120-7-11, due to decreeholder. Particulars may be learned at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Five annas six gundas two kurrahs and two krantties share of kismath Habeebpore, situate in pergunnah Akbarshahee, division Raghunathgunge, under the Sub-Registrar of Jungypore, entered in Moorshedabad Collectorate towji No. 1024, in the name of Jaffur Khan and others, on a sudder jumma of Rs. 97-1-2.

MENU LAL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge.*

The 14th March 1879. (877—1)

Execution Case No. 142 of 1878.

Joogulkissore Khetri and others, decreeholders, *versus* Gopilal Pauray and Jogobundhu Roy, judgment-debtors.

IN the above case the properties mentioned below will be put up to sale on the 15th April 1879 at the Moorshedabad Civil Court, for the realization of Rs 943-11 due to decreeholders. Particulars may be learned at the office of the undersigned.

Lot No. 1.—Eight annas share of Dehee Barasimulia, Shazadpore, Jotisunder, Dolonia, Nawab Jagir and others, situate in pergunnah Gonkur, division Raghunathgunge, under the Sub-Registrar of Jungypore, turruff Bejoypore, mai madafath, situate in division Mirzapore, under the Sub-Registrar of Jungypore, belonging to judgment-debtor Jogobundhu Roy, whose name is entered as durputnidar on a durputni jumma of Rs. 3,400.

Lot No. 2.—Dehee Mohurapore, Bulluvpore, Birnagar, Serampore, Noruttumpore, Konukpore, mai parajath and madafath, situate in pergunnah Rajshahye, division Palsha, under the Sub-Registrar of Nalhati, entered in the zemindari sherista of the Rajah of Nashipore, in the name of judgment-debtor Gopilal Pauray as putnidar, on a putni jumma of Rs. 4,196.

Lot No. 3.—Turruff Dangapara, mouzah Shaikdanga, Bongsea, Jagoory, mai madafath and parajath, situate in pergunnah Koomerprotap, entered in the name of judgment-debtor Gopilal Pauray as putnidar in the zemindari sherista of the Rajah of Nashipore, on a putni jumma of Rs. 811.

MENU LAL CHATTERJEE, *Sub. Judge*

The 12th March 1879. (870—1)

IT is hereby notified that the undersigned intends to apply for enrolment as Vakeel of the High Court, Calcutta.

(810—4) HARI CHURN MITRA, M.A., B L.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. John Wienholt in our firm ceased on the 21st instant.

WIENHOLT BROTHERS.

4, LYON'S RANGE, 26th February 1879. (835—3)

I, SREEMUTTY RUNGUNMONEY DOSSEE, the executrix and trustee of the will of Cassy Nauth Mullick, deceased, under the provisions of section 31 of Act II of 1874, have this day assigned and transferred to Falkiner Sandes Collis, the Officiating Administrator-General of Bengal, and the Administractor-General for the time being, all the estate, effects, and interest vested in me by virtue of the Probate granted to me by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 20th day of June 1864.

SREEMUTTY RUNGUNMONEY DOSSEE.

CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879. (856—2)

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," Section 42, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the late Edward Hinder formerly a Bengal Pilot, deceased, who died at Patersham, in the colony of New South Wales, and letters of administration of whose property and credits were duly granted to John Aikman, Esquire, the Agent in Calcutta of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, one of the constituted Attorneys of Edward Robert Hinder, one of the Executors of the deceased, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction, are hereby required to send in such claims to the said John Aikman within one calendar month from this date, and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the said time the assets of the said estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard being had to the claims of which notice shall then have been received by the said John Aikman, who will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim no notice shall have been then received by him. Dated this 3rd day of March 1879.

TROTMAN & WATKINS, *Attorneys.*

CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879. (843—3)

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of SAUL DAVID, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

A. Carapiet, *Attorney.*

In the matter of CALLYDOSS BOSE, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 3rd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of GEORGE NICHOLAS, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter, and that, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liabilities for debts, claims, and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of the filing of his petition for relief.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 11th day of March 1879

In the matter of JAMES MURRAY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs 8,655-12-7 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 5 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of HURRYNARAIN KERTTRY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,723-14-4 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 3 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of FREDERICK THOMAS STRAW, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 3,045-8-9 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 5 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of MICHAEL SULLIVAN, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 182-12-9 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 5 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of SYED AMEER ALLY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 606 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 2 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of HORATIO BARLOW BRADFORD, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 103-0-3 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 4 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of ALFRED RITZ, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 690-13-5 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of annas 12 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of CORNELIUS CHEEVER BANCROFT, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 499-13-8 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of annas 3 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of GEORGE NICHOLAS, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,882-4-3 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 9 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of MUGNEERAM, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs 1,483-3-10 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 3 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the

said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of ANDREW HENRY SMITH LEISK, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 343 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 100 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B, Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of EDWARD CHARLES VANCUTSEM, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 495-3-5 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 3 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of HENRY WALLACE RONALDSON, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 98-0-11 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs 3 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of NOBIN CHUNDER DEY, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 670-14-9 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 10 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of ISSER CHUNDER MILL, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 1,896-14-6 to and amongst all the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 4 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent and such claims as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of JAMES CALDER, GEORGE JAMES GORDON, and JOHN STORM, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 31st day of October 1870 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of WILLIAM NOEL BOGOT, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of CALLYDOSS DOSS, NURSINGPERSAUD DOSS, WOOMA CHURN DOSS, JUGGESSUR DOSS, and SUBBESSUR DOSS, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 17th day of December 1873 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of JOACHIM HAYWARD STOEQUELER, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of JOHANNES STEPHEN JORDON, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

In the matter of WILLIAM MELVILLE, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of DAVID DUFF, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of February 1869 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter MICHAEL SCHLATTER, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of WILLIAM HUNTER SMOULT, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvent may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of HAMILTON ANSTRUTHER and WILLIAM BURNETT MACTAVISH, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of December 1876 to the 28th day of February last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of JOHN LYALL, the elder, JOHN RENNIE, JOHN LYALL, the younger, and COLVIN WILSON MACRAE, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of April 1869 to the 28th day of February last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of DONALD CLUNES GORDON and ALEXANDER STEWART, Insolvents.

On Tuesday, the 4th day of March instant, an account of the receipts and disbursements of the Official Assignee from the 1st day of May 1869 to the 28th day of February last was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk, and it was ordered that Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, be appointed for the further hearing of this matter for the purpose of making a dividend.

☞ Any creditor or other person interested who may intend to establish or oppose any claim upon the estate of the said Insolvents may attend and be heard, having given notice to the Chief Clerk three clear days before the day of hearing.

A. B. Miller, *Official Assignee.*

IN the matter of JOSEPH AUGIER, formerly of No. 55, Wellington Square, South, in the Town of Calcutta, at present of No. 5, Chandney Choke First Lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, carrying on the business of a Mechanical Engineer, Gas Fitter, Plumber, Drainage Contractor and Builder, in Calcutta aforesaid, and lately proprietor of a dancing saloon at No. 55, Wellington Square, aforesaid, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 7th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of JOSEPH AUGIER, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of LEWIS VAUGHN MANLY, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 10th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of LEWIS VAUGHN MANLY, of No. 64, Bow Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant in employ with the East Indian Railway at Howrah, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 10th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of GOPAUL CHUNDER BOSE, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 5th day of February last, it was ordered that the Insolvent Gopaul Chunder Bose do stand committed to the custody of the Sheriff of the town of Calcutta and the Superintendent of the Presidency Jail at Calcutta for a period of six months, to be computed from the date of this order, and that after the expiration of the said six months he be released from the custody of the said Sheriff and Superintendent; and it was also ordered that the said Insolvent do amend his schedule by inserting the properties alleged to have been sold in 1860 to Rakhal and the property and bricks alleged to have been sold in 1870 to Polin and Khetter; and it was further ordered that the hearing of the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 12th day of August next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to obtain his personal discharge.

Pittar and Wheeler, *Insolvent's Attorneys.*

Swinhoe, Law & Co., *Opposing Creditors' Attorneys.*

IN the matter of JAMES HORSBURGH HUTCHISON, of No. 19, Radha Bazar Street, in the town of Calcutta, carrying on business at No. 19, Radha Bazar Street aforesaid, as a produce broker under the style or firm of "L. W. Toulmin & Co.," and also carrying on business at the Canal Road, Tangra, in the suburbs of Calcutta, as a tanner and currier under the style or firm of "Erskine & Co.;" formerly and from the year 1864 to the year 1868 carrying on business first at No. 44, and afterwards at No. 19, Radha Bazar Street aforesaid, as a produce broker in partnership with Lawrence William Toulmin, under the said style or firm of "L. W. Toulmin & Co.;" afterwards and from the year 1868 to 1871 carrying on the said business of a produce broker at No. 19, Radha Bazar Street aforesaid, in partnership with the said Lawrence William Toulmin and Thomas Carritt under the same style or firm of "L. W. Toulmin & Co.;" afterwards and from the year 1871 to the 31st December 1876, carrying on the same business of a produce broker in partnership with the said Thomas Carritt under the same style or firm of "L. W. Toulmin & Co.;" and also carrying on the said business of a tanner and currier at Canal Road, Tangra, aforesaid, in partnership with the said Thomas Carritt under the said style or firm of "Erskine & Co.," an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 7th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee

Dignam and Robinson, *Attorneys.*

IN the matter of JAMES DYCE NICOL, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

C. T. Geddes, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of BROJONAUTH SEAL, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad-interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 25th day of March instant, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 18th day of March 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P. M.	19th Mar.	*Chanda.*
Madras and Ceylon	6 ,,	20th ,,	*Kasari Hind.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	21st ,,	*Pachumba.*
Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo and Rangoon.	6 ,,	23rd ,,	*Commilla.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	24th ,,	From Bombay.

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 21st March 1879.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 20th March 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 17th March 1879.

Notice.

FIVE Bullock Train packages originally despatched from Dehra Dun to the address of E. T. O'Connor, Esq., Howrah, are lying undelivered in the Bullock Train Godown. It is hereby notified that if, after the expiration of three months from the date of this advertisement, the said packages are not removed from the Calcutta Bullock Train Godown, they will be sold by public auction, and the proceeds credited to Government.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post Master.*

CALCUTTA GENL. POST OFFICE, the 12th March 1879.

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,,	5 ,,	
	8 ,,	7-30 A.M.	
	2 P.M.	1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included ...	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,,	7-15 ,,	
	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Pubna, Kishnagur, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of		Weekdays { 7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
		Sundays .. { 7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 3 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		HOURS AT WHICH THE BRANCH POST OFFICE DESPATCHES TO THE GENERAL POST OFFICE ARE EFFECTED. 1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	REMARKS.
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3-0	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baag Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-57	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-20	4-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	3-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Balaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-27	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	REMARKS.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar C.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E.	8-50	1-20	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Napit Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-22	4-52	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-35	1-15	4-35	
* Allipore A.	8-50	1-30	4-50	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*

CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 4th Mar. 1879.

FOR one month from the 15th March the Post Master of Calcutta will receive applications for express passenger dâks between Umballa and Simla. A printed copy of the rules can be obtained from the Post Master on application.

G. J. HYNES,
for Director-General of the Post Office of India.

The 6th March 1879.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 18th March 1879.

Adjee, —.
Agar, G.
Agmues, Thomas.
Allen, Mrs. A.
Allen, A. J.
Allen, R. C.
Arratoon, L.
Arson, G.
Anger, F. W.
Aviet, J.
Baker, J.
Barnes, T.
Barton, Mrs.
Bason, E.
Bava, M.
Beards, H.
Bennet, W.
Boote, T.
Brown, Mrs.
Brooks, G.
Brown, J. E.
Brown, J. P.
Boileau, C. S.
Boswell, W. A.
Bowden, E. J.
Carrel, Monsieur.
Chalrel, J. W.
Churcher, D.
Coakley, Miss A.
Cockey, E. N.
Coidell, Mr. J. H.
Cooper, F. S.
Cowell, J. H.
D'Cruize, J.
D'Silver.
Elliot, Miss.
Evans, J. M.
Fernandez, H.
Fitch, F.
Gardiner, Mrs.
Haldar, N. L.
Hammand, R.
Hanlon, Mrs. E.
Haywood, E.
Horbe, M.
Ingram, T. D.
Johnston, W. H.
Kingham, J. S.
Knott, Mrs.
Lall, R.
Lane, W. J.
Lawrie, J.
Little, A.
Lemarchand, —.
Lewis, T.
Lyon, A. G.
Macleod, Miss Kate.
Malcolm, T.
Manwell, C. S.
Manuel, E. A.
Murray, Mrs. M.
Nicol, A. N.
Paul, Mrs. S.
Ponting, W.
Raymond, B.
Rigby, M. M.
Rebeiro, Mrs. C.
Rollo, Mrs.
Rosenthal, Dr. S
Russell, Revd. W. H.
Ruthenbush, P.
Schoeneman.
Showers, Major-Genl. C. L.
Spence, Mrs. R.
Steen, W.
Taylor, Cecil.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

A. B. C.
Addington, E.
Anderson, A.
Bailey, F. A.
Barron, J.
Beaver, P.
Beck, R. A.
Bennett, J. T.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Blagdon, G.
Boileau, Capt. L.
Broner, W. J.
Bridgnell, J. M.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.

Letters marked "Care of Post-Office, to be kept till called for."

Byrne, Mrs. E. M.
Cameron, Mrs. Ewer
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chamberlain, C. E.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Chapman, J.
Conte Graziano.
Craig, E. R.
Cummins, Mrs.
Davison, W.
Denton, J.
DeFonseka, F. H.
Dumbol, T.
Eales, E. F.
E. F. W.
Evans, G.
Fraser, A.
Fryr, R. J.
Furguson, D.
Gage, W. Quintin
G. C. T.
G. E. F.
Goddard, Edward.
Goldney, Lieut. F. C N.
Greaves, W.
Greer, H.
Gruiblander, Esphir
Guldediben, George
Hellstrom, Miss
Holmes, D. F.
Hughes, J. W.
Hutchinson, Miss F.
Innes, T. E. D.
Janney, L. R.
Kennedy, R.
Lackerstein, N.
Mackentyre, A.
Man, G. O.
Manuel, W.
Martin, Thomas.
Mayne, E. G.
McNaught, T.
M. C., Mrs.
Mitchell, C.
Moore, Miss
Murray, J.
Murray, Mrs., care of T. J. Murray.
M. S. W.
Nairne, A.
Nelson, H. R.
Nicolay, Mrs.
Nuthall, Major H.
Palmer, Mrs. C.
Patterson, R.
Payne, Bob
P. D, C.
Perrin Mari, Monsieur.
Renaud, M. D.
Sanders, Mrs.
Shaw, Dr. F. C.
Saunders, W. M.
Simpson, —.
Skelton, Phillip.
Smith, W.
Smith, R.
Stuart, Mrs. E.
Thomason, Col.
Thomas, Thomas.
Walker, Mrs.
Webster, David
West, Mrs. E.
Williams, Col. J. M.
White, Mrs. M.
Whitliam, Dr. R.
X.
Younger, John.

Newspapers.

Blair, R. W.
Davison, W.
Renaud, A.

Registered Letters.

Carrel, F. LeV.
Langford, A.
Johnston, W. H.
Roseinthal, Dr.
Smith, Mrs. E.
Stevenson, David.
Trevor, Major, R.E.
William, Thomas, Capt.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 7th March 1879.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water.	REMARKS.
BHAGIRUTTEE.	Ft. In.	
Entrance below Chourasia...	3 6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	3 0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3 0	Lalkhandiar and Radhanughur.
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2 9	Aurizpore.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2 6	* Juggernath and Kidderpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	2 9	Dewangunge.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.		
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5 6	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3 0	Dabeepore and Hurriramporo.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3 0	Modeopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3 0	Issurchunderpore.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 10th March 1879, above zero, 11½ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.

BERHAMPORE, the 10th March 1879.

* 2' 6' exists only for a short distance of 20 feet in two spots, elsewhere 3 feet; and boats drawing over 3 feet can easily pass.

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water report shewing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee rivers for the week ending Friday, the 14th March 1879.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water.		Remarks.
Bhagiruttee.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance below Chourasia...	4	0	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	3	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	6*	Dufferpore.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	6*	Juggernathpore and Kidderpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	2	6*	Dewangunge.
Jellinghee and Byrub.			
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	6	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3	0	Peerozpore and Hurrirampore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	0	Modoopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea	3	0	Issurchunderpore.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 17th March 1879, above zero, 10¼ inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
BERHAMPORE, the 17th March 1879.

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List of Books for Sale

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Acts of the Legislative Council of India.

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[First publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 8th March, 1879, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. III OF 1879.

An Act to authorize the destruction of Useless Records.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the destruction or other disposal of useless records, books and papers in Courts and Revenue-offices; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title. Local extent. Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Destruction of Records Act, 1879": it extends to the whole of British India; and it shall come into force at once.

Power to High Court to make rules for disposal of records, &c.

2. The High Court may, from time to time, make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books and papers belonging to or being in the custody of such High Court, or the Courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction subordinate thereto, as the High Court may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

So far as regards his own Court, the Court of Small Causes in Rangoon and the Courts of the Magistrates within the local limits of his ordinary civil jurisdiction, the Recorder of Rangoon shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be a High Court.

Similar power to Presidency High Courts with respect to documents in Insolvency Courts and Administrator General's office.

3. Each of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay may from time to time make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books and papers belonging to or being in the custody of

(*a*) the local Court for the relief of Insolvent Debtors held under the provisions of the eleventh and twelfth of Victoria, chapter twenty-one,

(*b*) the local Administrator General,

as the High Court may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

Similar power to Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority.

4. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may from time to time make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books and papers belonging to or in the custody of the Revenue Courts and offices as it may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

Rules when to have force of law.

5. All rules made under this Act shall, after being confirmed by the Local Government and sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, be published in the local official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Validation of rules as to destruction of documents.

6. All rules and orders heretofore made by a Local Government, a High Court or a Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority for the

destruction or other disposal of useless records, books and papers belonging to or in the custody of any Court or Revenue-office shall be deemed to have had the force of law from the date on which they were made, and all such rules now in force shall continue to have the force of law until they are rescinded by rules made under this Act; and no suit or other proceeding shall be instituted, maintained or continued against any person for the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of any records, books or papers in accordance with any such rules or with any order made by a Local Government, High Court or Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority.

Bar of suits.

7. In this Act "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority" means, in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the territories respectively under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces—the Board of Revenue: in the Presidency of Bombay, outside Sind and the limits of the town of Bombay—a Revenue Commissioner: in Sind—the Commissioner: in the Panjáb—the Financial Commissioner; and elsewhere—the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office.

Interpretation-clause.

8. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the destruction of any document which, under the provisions of any law for the time being in force, is to be kept and maintained.

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9. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column.

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(*a*).—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1875	The Central Provinces Laws Act, 1875.	In section eight, clause (*c*), the last twenty-one words.
XVIII of 1876	The Oudh Laws Act, 1876.	In section thirty-nine, clause (*c*), the last eighteen words.

(*b*).—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY IN COUNCIL.

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[First Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 13th March, 1879, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

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SCHEDULES.

An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Railways in India.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to Railways in India; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Railway Act, 1879:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India and, so far as regards subjects of Her Majesty the Empress of India, to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her said Majesty;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force on the first day of July, 1879.

Repeal of Acts.

2. On and from that day, the Acts specified in the first schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed.

All rules made, notifications published and powers conferred under any of such Acts, or any enactment thereby repealed, shall (so far as they are consistent herewith) be deemed to have been respectively made, published and conferred under this Act.

Nothing in the Carriers Act, 1865, shall apply to carriers by railway.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Railway."

"Railway" means a railway for the public conveyance of passengers or goods.

It includes—

(*a*) all land within the fences or other boundary-marks prescribed under section fifty-two;

(*b*) all lines of rail, sidings or branches worked over for the purposes of, or in connection with, a Railway;

(*c*) all stations, offices, warehouses, fixed machinery and other works constructed for the purposes of, or in connection with, a Railway;

(*d*) all vessels and rafts used for the purpose of carrying on the traffic of a Railway.

In section four, "Railway" includes a railway under construction, and in the remaining part of this section and in the following sections (namely), six, eight, sixteen, twenty-five, thirty, thirty-three, thirty-four, forty to forty-six (both inclusive), fifty-two and fifty-three, "Railway" includes a Railway under construction and a Railway not used for the public conveyance of passengers or goods:

"Railway-administration" means in the case of a Railway worked by Government or a Native State, the Manager of such Railway, and in the case of a Railway worked by a Company or private individual, such Company or individual:

"Railway-administration."

"Railway-servant" means any person employed by a Railway-Administration, to perform any function in connection with a Railway,

"Railway-servant."

and in section twenty-five, last clause, sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, thirty-eight, and forty-two includes any person employed to perform any such function by any other person in execution of a contract into which he has entered with a Railway-Administration.

4. It shall be lawful, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, to use on every Railway locomotive engines or other motive power, and carriages and wagons to be drawn or propelled thereby.

Right to use locomotives.

CHAPTER II.

DUTIES OF THE RAILWAY-ADMINISTRATION.

5. No Railway or portion or extension of, or addition to, a Railway shall be opened for the public conveyance of passengers until the Railway-Administration has given to the Governor General in Council notice in writing of the intention of opening the same and until an officer appointed by the Governor General in Council to inspect such Railway, portion, extension or addition has, after inspection thereof, reported in writing to the Governor General in Council that in his opinion the opening of the same would not be attended with danger to the public using the same.

Railway when to be opened.

6. Every Railway-Administration shall, within forty-eight hours after the occurrence upon the Railway of—

Accidents to be reported.

(*a*) any accident attended with loss of human life or serious injury to person or property,

(*b*) any accident of a description usually attended with such loss or injury, and

(*c*) any accident of any other description which the Governor General in Council may, from time to time, direct to be notified,

give notice thereof to the Local Government;

and the Station-master nearest to the place at which the accident occurs, or, where there is no Station-master, the officer in charge of the section of the Railway on which the accident occurs, shall without unnecessary delay give notice in writing or by telegraph of such accident to the nearest Magistrate, and to the officer in charge of the Police-station in the jurisdiction of which the accident occurs or to such other Magistrate and Police-officer as the Local Government from time to time appoints in this behalf.

7. Every Railway-Administration shall make up and deliver to the Governor General in Council a return of accidents occurring in the course of the public traffic upon the Railway, whether attended with personal injury or not, in such form and manner, and at such intervals of time, as the Governor General in Council from time to time directs.

Returns of accidents.

8. Every Railway-Administration shall make general rules for the following purposes (that is to say):

General rules for working Railway.

(*a*) for regulating the mode in which, and the speed at which, carriages and wagons used on the Railway are to be moved or propelled;

(*b*) for regulating the maximum number of passengers which each carriage and compartment may carry, and the mode in which such number shall be denoted thereon;

(*c*) for regulating the provision to be made for the accommodation and convenience of passengers;

(*d*) for declaring what shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Act, dangerous goods; and

(*e*) generally for regulating the travelling upon, and the use, working and management of, the Railway;

and may, from time to time, alter any such rules.

Any such rule may contain a provision that any person committing a breach of it shall be liable to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or, in default of payment of such fine, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

Penalty for breach of rules.

No such rule shall take effect unless it is consistent with this Act and until it has received the sanction of the Governor General in Council.

All rules made under this section shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and shall be otherwise notified to the Railway-servants and the public in such manner as the Governor General in Council, from time to time, directs.

Notification of rules.

The Governor General in Council may at any time cancel any such rule.

Power to cancel rules.

9. An abstract of this Act, and a copy of the Time-tables and Tariff of charges which may, from time to time, be published for any Railway by any Railway-Administration, shall be exhibited in some conspicuous place at each station of such Railway, so that they may be easily seen and read.

Copy and translation of Act, &c., to be shown at stations.

All such documents shall be so exhibited in English and in the principal vernacular language of the district in which the station is situate, and in such other language, if any, as the Governor General in Council may direct.

CHAPTER III.

CARRIAGE OF PROPERTY.

10. Every agreement purporting to limit the obligation or responsibility imposed on a carrier by Railway by the Indian Contract Act, 1872, sections 151 and 161, in the case of loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, property

Special contract limiting liability.

shall, in so far as it purports to limit such obligation or responsibility, be void unless—

(*a*) it is in writing signed by, or on behalf of, the person sending or delivering such property, and

(*b*) is otherwise in a form approved by the Governor General in Council.

No liability for loss of gold, silver, &c., unless value declared and increased charge accepted.

11. When any property mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed is contained in any parcel or package delivered to a carrier by Railway, the carrier shall not be liable for loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, such property, unless at the time of delivery the value and nature thereof have been declared by the person sending or delivering the same, and an increased charge for the safe conveyance of the same, or an engagement to pay such charge, has been accepted by some Railway-servant specially authorized in this behalf.

When any property of which the value and nature have been declared under this section has been lost, destroyed or damaged, or has deteriorated, the compensation recoverable for such loss, destruction, damage or deterioration shall not exceed the value so declared.

No liability for unbooked luggage.

12. A carrier by Railway shall in no case be answerable for loss destruction or deterioration of or damage to any passenger's luggage, unless a Railway-servant has booked and given a receipt for the same.

Plaintiffs not required to prove negligence.

13. In any suit against a carrier by Railway for compensation for loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, property delivered to a Railway-servant, it shall not be necessary for the plaintiff to prove in what manner such loss, destruction, deterioration or damage was caused.

Lien for money due for carriage, &c., of property.

14. If any person fails to pay on demand any sum due by him to a carrier by Railway for conveyance of any property by Railway, or for the custody of any property or for demurrage or wharfage in respect of the same, the Railway-Administration may detain the whole or any part of such property or, if the same have been removed from the Railway, any other property of such person then on such Railway or thereafter coming into the possession of the Railway-Administration;

and may also sell by public auction, in the case of perishable property at once, and in the case of other property on the expiration of at least fifteen days' notice thereof published in one or more of the local newspapers or, where there are no such newspapers, in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct, sufficient of such property to produce the sum payable as aforesaid, and all charges and expenses of such detention, notice and sale, or, if such person fails to remove from the Railway within a reasonable time any property so detained, the whole of such property;

and may, out of the proceeds of the sale, retain the sum so payable, together with all charges and expenses aforesaid, rendering the surplus, if any, of such proceeds, and so much of the property (if any) as remains unsold, to the person entitled thereto;

or such carrier may recover any such sum by suit.

Written account of property to be given on demand.

15. The owner or person having the care of any property which has been carried upon any Railway, or is brought into any station or warehouse for the purpose of being carried upon a Railway, shall, on demand by any Railway-servant appointed in this behalf by the Railway-Administration, deliver to him an exact account in writing signed by such owner or person of the quantity and description of such property.

Dangerous goods.

16. No passenger shall take with him on a railway, and no person shall deliver or tender for carriage upon any Railway, any dangerous luggage or goods without giving notice of their nature to a Railway-servant, or, in the case of luggage or goods delivered or tendered for carriage, distinctly marking their nature on the outside of the package containing the same.

Any Railway-servant may refuse to carry upon a Railway any luggage or parcel which he suspects to contain dangerous goods, and may require such luggage or parcel to be opened to ascertain the fact previously to carrying the same;

and in case any such luggage or parcel is received for the purpose of being carried upon a Railway, any Railway-servant may stop the transit thereof until he is satisfied as to the nature of its contents.

CHAPTER IV.

CARRIAGE OF PASSENGERS.

Passengers on payment of fares to be furnished with tickets.

17. Every person desirous of travelling on a Railway shall, upon payment of his fare, be furnished with a ticket specifying in English and the principal vernacular language of the district in which the ticket is issued, the class of carriage for which, and the place from and place to which, the fare has been paid, and the amount of such fare;

Tickets to be shown and given up on demand.

and every passenger shall, when required, show his ticket to any Railway-servant duly authorized to examine the same, and shall deliver up such ticket upon demand to any Railway-servant duly authorized to collect tickets.

Fares and tickets at intermediate stations.

18. At the intermediate stations, the fares shall be deemed to be accepted and the tickets furnished only upon condition that there be room in the train for which the tickets are furnished.

Preferential right of ticket-holders.

In case there is not room for all the passengers to whom tickets have been furnished, those who have obtained tickets for the longest distance shall have the preference; and those who have obtained tickets for the same distance shall have the preference according to the order in which they have received their tickets:

Proviso.

Provided that all officers and troops of Her Majesty on duty, and all other persons on the business of the Government who, by virtue of any contract with the Government or, in the case of a Railway worked by Government, of any direction of the Governor General in Council, are entitled to be conveyed on a Railway in preference to, or in priority over, the public, shall be entitled to such

preference and priority without reference to the distance for which, or the order in which, they have received their tickets.

Any passenger to whom a ticket has been furnished at any station and for whom there is no room shall, on returning the ticket within a reasonable time after its issue, be entitled to have his fare at once refunded.

Fares to be prepaid.

19. Except with the permission of the Railway-Administration or of such officer as it appoints in this behalf, no person shall enter any carriage used on any Railway for the purpose of travelling therein without having first paid his fare and obtained a ticket.

Power to remove persons suffering from infectious disease.

20. Any passenger found suffering from an infectious disease in a railway-carriage or in any place on a railway may, if his remaining in such carriage or place is likely to spread the infection of such disease, be removed from such carriage or place by any railway-servant;

any passenger so removed who has paid his proper fare to or at the place at which he is so removed, shall be entitled, on returning his ticket, to have such fare refunded.

CHAPTER V.

OFFENCES AND PROCEDURE.

(A).—Offences by the Railway-Administration.

Penalty for opening railway in contravention of section 5.

21. Any Railway-Administration opening, in contravention of section five, any Railway, or any portion or extension of, or addition to, a Railway, shall forfeit to Government the sum of one thousand rupees for every day during which the same continues open in contravention of that section.

For omitting to report accident.

22. Any Railway-Administration omitting to give notice as required by section six, shall forfeit to Government the sum of one hundred rupees for every day during which such omission continues.

For not sending return of accidents or making rules under section 8, or exhibiting copy under section 9.

23. Any Railway-Administration failing to deliver any return mentioned in section seven within fourteen days after the same ought to be delivered, or to make or notify any rules as required by section eight, or to exhibit any abstract or copy mentioned in section nine in manner required by that section, shall forfeit to Government the sum of fifty rupees for every day during which such failure continues.

(B).—Offences by Railway-servants.

For omitting to give notice of accident.

24. Any Station-master or other person omitting to give notice as required by section six, shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For drunkenness or breach of duty.

25. Any Railway-servant who is in a state of intoxication whilst actually employed upon a Railway in the discharge of any duty,

or who negligently omits to perform his duty,

or who performs the same in an improper manner,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees;

or if the duty in any of the cases aforesaid be such that the negligent omission or improper performance thereof would be likely to endanger the safety of any person travelling or being upon such Railway, such servant shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.

For endangering the safety of persons.

26. If any Railway-servant, in the discharge of his duty endangers the safety of any person—

(*a*) by disobeying any general rule sanctioned and published and notified in the manner prescribed by section eight; or

(*b*) by disobeying any rule or order not inconsistent with the general rules aforesaid, and which such servant was bound by the terms of his employment to obey, and of which he had notice; or

(*c*) by any rash or negligent act or omission,

he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

For receiving bribes.

27. Every Railway-servant shall be deemed a "public servant" within the meaning of sections 161, 162, 163, 164 and 165 of the Indian Penal Code.

Amendment of Penal Code, section 161.

In the definition of legal remuneration contained in the said section 161, the word "Government" shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to include any employer of a Railway-servant as such.

For compelling passengers to enter carriages already full.

28. Any Railway-servant who compels or attempts to compel any passenger to enter a carriage or compartment containing the maximum number of passengers denoted thereon in accordance with a rule made and notified under section eight, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

(C.)—Offences by Persons generally.

For not giving account of goods or giving false account.

29. Any person required under section fifteen to give an account of the quantity and description of any property who neglects or refuses to give such account,

or who wilfully gives a false account,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to five rupees for every maund (of 3,200 tolahs) of such property; and such fine shall be in addition to any charge to which such property may be liable.

For taking dangerous goods on Railway or delivering such goods without notice.

30. Whoever, in contravention of section sixteen, takes with him any dangerous goods on a Railway, or delivers or tenders any such goods for the purpose of being carried upon a Railway, shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

For travelling without ticket or not showing or delivering up ticket.

31. Any passenger travelling on a railway without a proper ticket, or having such a ticket and not showing or delivering up the same when so required under section seventeen, shall be liable to pay the fare of the class in which he is found travelling, from the place whence

the train originally started, unless he can prove that he has travelled a less distance only, in which case he shall be liable to pay the fare of the class aforesaid only from the place whence he has travelled.

Every such fare shall, on application by a Railway-servant to a Magistrate, and on proof of the passenger's liability, be recoverable from such passenger as if it were a fine, and shall, when recovered, be paid to the Railway-Administration.

For evading payment of fare.

32. Any person who defrauds, or attempts to defraud, any carrier by Railway—

(*a*) by travelling, or attempting to travel, on any Railway without having previously paid his fare;

(*b*) by riding or attempting to ride in or on a carriage, or by a train, of a higher class than that for which he has paid his fare;

(*c*) by using or attempting to use a ticket on any day for which such ticket is not available;

(*d*) by continuing his journey in or upon any carriage beyond the place to which he has paid his fare, without previously paying the fare for the additional distance;

or who, in any other manner whatever, attempts to evade the payment of his fare,

For altering ticket.

or who wilfully alters or defaces his ticket so as to render the date, number or other material portion thereof illegible,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and shall also be liable to pay the fare (if any) which he ought to have paid; and such fare shall be recoverable in manner provided by section thirty-one and shall, when recovered, be paid to the Railway-Administration.

For entering carriage in motion.

33. Any passenger who gets into or upon, or attempts to get into or upon, or quits, or attempts to quit, any carriage upon any Railway, while such carriage is in motion, shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees;

For riding on the steps.

and any passenger who rides, or attempts to ride, on the steps, or any other part of a carriage, upon any Railway, except on those parts which are intended for the accommodation of passengers,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For riding on engine, tender, &c.

34. Any person who, without the permission of the Railway-Administration, rides or attempts to ride upon any locomotive-engine or tender upon any Railway; or in or upon any vehicle not appropriated to the carriage of passengers,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For smoking.

35. Any person who, without the consent of his fellow-passengers, if any, in the same compartment, smokes in or upon any Railway-carriage, except in a carriage or compartment specially provided for the purpose, shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees;

and any person who persists in so smoking (except as aforesaid) after being warned by any Railway-servant to desist may, in addition to incurring the liability above-mentioned, be removed by any Railway-servant from any such carriage, and from the premises of the Railway, and where he has paid his fare and obtained a ticket, shall forfeit such fare and ticket.

For intoxication or nuisance.

36. Any person who is in a state of intoxication, or who commits any nuisance or act of indecency in any Railway-carriage, or upon any part of any Railway;

or who wilfully and without lawful excuse interferes with the comfort of any passenger, or extinguishes any lamp in any Railway-carriage,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees; and may be removed by any Railway-servant from any such carriage, and also from the premises of the Railway, and where he has paid his fare and obtained a ticket, shall forfeit such fare and ticket.

For entering carriage or room reserved for females.

37. If any carriage, compartment, room or place be reserved by the Railway-Administration for the exclusive use of females, any male person who without lawful excuse enters such carriage, compartment, room or place knowing the same to be reserved as aforesaid, or remains therein after having been informed of its having been so reserved, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees,

and may be removed therefrom, and also from the premises of the Railway, by any Railway-servant,

and, where he has paid his fare and obtained a ticket, shall forfeit such fare and ticket.

For obstructing Railway servant in his duty.

38. Whoever wilfully obstructs or impedes any Railway-servant in the discharge of his duty, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For entering carriage already full.

39. Any passenger wilfully entering a carriage or compartment containing the maximum number of passengers which has been denoted thereon in accordance with a rule made and notified under section eight, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For removing signals or injuring carriage, &c.

40. Any person who without authority or reasonable excuse makes, alters, shows, hides, removes or extinguishes any signal or light upon any Railway, or upon any engine, carriage, wagon or other vehicle upon a Railway,

or who negligently damages any engine, carriage, wagon or other vehicle belonging to a Railway, or any warehouse, building, machine, fence or other thing so belonging,

or who needlessly interferes with the means of communication provided in any train between the guard and the engine-driver or passengers,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For trespass.

41. Any person who unlawfully enters upon a Railway shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees; and if any person so entering

For refusing to leave on request.

refuses to leave such Railway on being requested to do so by any Railway-servant, or by any other person on behalf of the Railway-Administration, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and may be

immediately removed from such Railway by such servant or other person as aforesaid.

For cattle-trespass within Railway-fences.

42. The owner or person in charge of any bulls, cows, bullocks, calves, elephants, camels, buffaloes, horses, mares, geldings, ponies, colts, fillies, mules, asses, pigs, rams, ewes, sheep, lambs, goats and kids straying on any Railway provided with fences suitable for the exclusion of such animals, shall be punished with fine which may extend to ten rupees for each animal, in addition to any amount that may be recovered under the Cattle Trespass Act, 1871.

For wilfully driving cattle on fenced Railway;

Whenever any such animals are wilfully and unlawfully driven, or knowingly and unlawfully permitted to be, on any Railway provided with fences suitable for the exclusion of such animals,

on unfenced Railway.

and whenever any such animals are wilfully driven, or knowingly permitted to be, on any Railway not so provided, otherwise than for the purpose of lawfully crossing the Railway, or for any other lawful purpose,

the person in charge of such animals, or if he cannot be identified, then the owner of the said animals, shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees for each animal, in addition to any amount that may be recovered under the same Act.

Recovery of fines and payment of compensation.

All fines imposed under this section may, if the convicting Magistrate so direct, be recovered in manner provided by section twenty-five of the said Cattle Trespass Act, 1871, and may be appropriated in whole or in part in compensation for loss or damage proved to his satisfaction.

Amendment of Act I of 1871, ss. 11 and 26.

The expression "public road" in sections eleven and twenty-six of the same Act shall be deemed to include a Railway. And any Railway-servant may exercise the powers of seizure provided by the said section eleven.

For opening or not properly shutting gates.

43. Whoever knowing or having reason to believe that any engine or train is approaching along a Railway opens any gate which the Railway-Administration has set up on either side of the Railway across any road for the use or accommodation of any person, or passes or attempts to pass, or drives or takes, or attempts to drive or take, any vehicle, animal or other thing, across the Railway;

and whoever at any time, in the absence of a gate-keeper, omits to shut and fasten such gate as soon as he and any vehicle, animal or other thing under his charge have passed through the same,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For minors obstructing line or throwing stones at train.

44. Whenever any minor under twelve years of age unlawfully—

(*a*) places or throws, or attempts to place or throw, upon or across a Railway any wood, stone or other thing, or

(*b*) removes or displaces, or attempts to remove or displace, any rail, sleeper, spike, key or other thing belonging to the permanent way of a Railway, or

(*c*) throws or causes to fall, or attempts to throw or cause to fall, against, into or upon any engine, tender, carriage or other vehicle used upon a Railway, any wood, stone or other thing,

such minor shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and the convicting Magistrate may, in his discretion, direct either that the minor, if a male, shall be punished with whipping, or that the father or guardian of the minor shall, within such reasonable time as the Magistrate may fix, execute a bond binding himself, in such penalty as the Magistrate may direct, to prevent the minor from repeating such offence.

The amount of such bond, if forfeited, shall be recoverable as if it were a fine.

Any person neglecting or refusing to execute a bond when required under this section so to do shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For wilful act or omission endangering persons on Railway.

45. Whoever wilfully does any act, or wilfully omits to do what he is legally bound to do, intending by such act or omission to endanger, or knowing that he is thereby likely to endanger, the safety of any person travelling or being upon any Railway, shall be punished with transportation (or in the case of an European or American, penal servitude) for a term of not less than seven years or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to ten years.

For rash or negligent act.

46. Whoever rashly or negligently does any act, or omits to do what he is legally bound to do, and such act or omission is likely to endanger the safety of any person travelling or being upon a Railway, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.

Disobedience of omnibus, &c., drivers to Railway-servants.

47. Every driver or conductor of an omnibus, carriage or other vehicle shall, while in or upon any station-yard or other premises forming part of a Railway, obey the reasonable directions of any Railway-servant duly authorized in this behalf; and every person offending against this section shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

(*D*).—*Arrest of Offenders.*

Arrest for offences punishable under this Act of offender whose name is unknown, &c.

48. If any person commits any offence punishable under this Act and there is reason to believe that he will abscond or his name and address are unknown, and he refuses to give his name and address, or there is reason to believe that the name or address given by him is incorrect, any Railway-servant or Police-officer, or any other person whom such Railway-servant or Police-officer may call to his aid, may, without any warrant or written authority, arrest and detain such offender until he can be taken before a Magistrate or give sufficient security for his appearance before such Magistrate, or is otherwise discharged by due course of law.

Arrest for offences against certain sections.

49. Every person committing any offence mentioned in sections eight, twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, forty-four, forty-five and forty-six may be arrested without any warrant or written

authority by any Railway-servant or Police-officer, or by any other person whom such servant or officer may call to his aid;

and every person so arrested shall, without unnecessary delay, be taken before a Magistrate authorized to punish him or to commit him for trial.

(E).—Jurisdiction.

Magistrates having jurisdiction.

50. No Magistrate other than a Presidency Magistrate and a Magistrate whose powers are not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class shall try any offence under this Act.

Any person committing any offence against this Act or the rules made under it, shall be triable for such offence in any place in which he may be found or which the Local Government may, from time to time, notify in this behalf, as well as in any other place in which he might be tried under any law for the time being in force.

*Place of trial.

Every notification under this section shall be published in the local official Gazette and a copy thereof shall also be exhibited in some conspicuous place at each of such Railway-stations as the Local Government may direct, so that it may be easily seen and read.

(F).—Saving of other Criminal Laws.

Saving of prosecutions under other laws.

51. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to prevent any person from being arrested, prosecuted or punished under any other law for any act or omission which constitutes an offence against this Act or the rules made under it:

Provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

CHAPTER VI.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Power of Government to make rules as to fences, gates and bars.

52. The Governor General in Council, or the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, from time to time, make rules requiring—

(*a*) that boundary-marks or fences be provided for any Railway or any part thereof, and for roads constructed in connection therewith;

(*b*) that gates or bars be erected at places where any Railway crosses a road on the level; and

(*c*) that persons be employed to open and shut such gates or bars;

and may by such rules determine what kind of fences shall, for the purposes of section forty-two, be deemed to be suitable for the exclusion of cattle,

and direct that any Railway-Administration wilfully neglecting or violating any rule made under this section, shall forfeit to Government a sum not exceeding five hundred rupees for every such neglect or violation, or, when such neglect or violation is continuous, for every day during which it continues.

Power to declare Local Government in respect of any Railway.

53. The Governor General in Council may, from time to time by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare what Government or other Authority shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Act, the Local Government in respect of the whole or any part of a Railway.

Power to extend Act to steam-tramways.

54. The Governor General in Council may, by notification, extend this Act or any portion thereof to any tramway worked by steam.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

ACTS REPEALED.

(See section 2.)

Number and year.	Title.
XVIII of 1854 ...	An Act relating to Railways in India.
XXXI of 1867 ...	An Act to render penal certain offences committed by servants of Railway Companies.
XIII of 1870 ...	An Act to apply the provisions of Act No. XVIII of 1854 to Railways belonging to, or worked by, Government.
XXV of 1871 ...	An Act to amend the Railway Act.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 11.)

(*a*) Gold or silver, coined or uncoined, manufactured or unmanufactured;

(*b*) plated articles;

(*c*) cloths and tissue and lace of which gold or silver forms part;

(*d*) precious stones, jewellery, trinkets;

(*e*) watches, clocks or time-pieces of any description;

(*f*) Government securities;

(*g*) Government stamps;

(*h*) bills of exchange, hundís, promissory notes, bank-notes, orders or other securities for payment of money;

(*i*) maps, writings, title-deeds;

(*j*) paintings, engravings, lithographs, photographs, carvings, sculpture and other works of art;

(*k*) glass, china, marble;

(*l*) silks in a manufactured or unmanufactured state, and whether wrought up or not wrought up with other materials;

(*m*) shawls;

(*n*) lace;

(*o*) opium;

(*p*) ivory, ebony, sandalwood, sandalwood-oil;

(*q*) musical and scientific instruments.

D. FITZPATRICK,
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Proceedings of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations.

Saturday, the 8th March 1879.

Present:

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL, *presiding*,
The Hon'ble C. T. BUCKLAND,
The Hon'ble H. L. DAMPIER,
The Hon'ble A. MACKENZIE,
The Hon'ble J. O'KINEALY,
The Hon'ble SYED AMEER ALI,
The Hon'ble MOULVI AMEER HOSSEIN,
The Hon'ble RAJAH PRAMATHA NATHA ROY, BAHADOOR,
The Hon'ble BABOO MOHINI MOHAN ROY,
The Hon'ble A. B. INGLIS,
The Hon'ble BABOO KRISTODAS PAL, RAI BAHADOOR, C.I.E.,
and
The Hon'ble J. B. KNIGHT, C.I.E.

STEAM BOILERS AND PRIME-MOVERS.

THE HON'BLE MR. O'KINEALY moved that the report of the Select Committee on the Bill to provide for the periodical inspection of steam boilers and prime-movers attached thereto in the Town and Suburbs of Calcutta and in Howrah be taken into consideration in order to the settlement of the clauses of the Bill, and

that the clauses of the Bill be considered for settlement in the form recommended by the Select Committee. His Honor the President would remember that the Bill, as it originally stood, was in charge of their colleague Mr. Cockerell, who, on his departure to Europe, placed the Bill in MR. O'KINEALY's hands. The principle which he understood guided Mr. Cockerell in dealing with the Bill was to limit Government interference to an extent that would be necessary to the proper inspection of boilers and prime-movers attached thereto. He trusted the Council would see that the Select Committee had dealt with the matter in the same spirit. Under Section 4 the Lieutenant-Governor had power to make rules and to change them from time to time to suit circumstances. Under Section 9 any person dissatisfied with the orders passed in connection with any boiler or prime-mover might appeal from such order. The appeal might either be on matters of detail or of considerable importance. The Committee had therefore provided that the appellant be authorized to elect the tribunal that should hear his appeal. In small matters the appeal might be laid before an expert appointed by the Government; in matters of importance, the question would be tried by a trained Judge, assisted by two experts. So that in every way facility was given for the fair determination of the matters to be decided. One provision in the amended Bill seemed somewhat novel. If the Inspector made an unjust order, and the order was set aside on appeal, the Government must pay the cost of the appeal. On the other hand, if a person preferred an appeal from an order without just cause, and the appeal was dismissed, the appellant must bear the cost. The members of the Committee considered it fair and just that such a clause should be framed to prevent the passing of ill-considered and hasty orders on the one part and needless appeals on the other.

The motion was agreed to, and on the motion of MR. O'KINEALY the Bill was passed.

ENHANCEMENT OF RENT BY SETTLEMENT OFFICERS.

THE HON'BLE MR. DAMPIER said Act III of 1878 was so lately passed by this Council that its legal history would probably be fresh in the minds of hon'ble members. They would remember that up to twenty years ago the determination of the share of the public in the produce of the land, that is, the State's demand of land revenue, and the determination of the share of the produce which should be paid by the cultivator, that is, rent, went hand in hand. The settlement officer, before assessing the amount of revenue to be demanded, ascertained and recorded what would be the fair rental of the estate, and what might fairly be demanded from the ryot, and the Settlement Regulation of 1822 recognised these rents as determined by the settlement and required the civil courts to respect them. Under this arrangement the practice went on smoothly enough, and some persons would say that all parties were contented and happy. Twenty years ago Act X of 1859 was passed. Nothing was further, he believed, from the intention of the framers of that Act than to interfere in any way with the right of the executive Government to determine the share of the produce or land revenue demand which it should take. But while passing clauses for the protection of the ryot, the Legislature laid down that the ryot's rent should not be enhanced except by a certain procedure and upon certain specific grounds. Hon'ble members were aware that Act X of 1859 was answerable for a good many things which were never contemplated. An officer the other day, while conducting a survey in Durbhunga, was having a conversation with the ryots, who were giving him the history of what had passed of late years. They said that everything was going on quietly. But about ten years ago disturbances took place in which a manager's bungalow was burnt down, and so on, and this they described as "Act das utha." Now the officer to whom they were speaking knew that Act X had been in force many years before the occurrences to which they referred, so he asked them what they meant by "Act das utha." His interlocutor explained that "Act das bulwa hai"—"Act X means a general row." Another bystander, however, condescendingly corrected the first speaker by explaining: "Act das yih hai kih hum malguzári nahin denge!" Act X is this, that "I won't pay my rent!"

The ryots generally had now discovered that this phase of Act X applied to settlements of land revenue. They had gradually found out, or it had been found out for them, that the effect of these protective clauses of Act X of 1859 was to deprive of all validity the rents which had been recorded as demandable by settlement officers. Having found out that, they proceeded to act on the principle, and refused to pay where a higher rent than they had previously paid was recorded by the settlement officer as being fairly demandable from them. Then this followed; the zemindars whose estates were under re-settlement said—"You ask us to pay a higher amount of revenue because the value of the land and the produce has increased. But how are we to pay increased revenue unless we can get the ryots to pay us in proportion, and they won't do that unless we go through the dilatory process of the courts. We get no help from the settlement officer's finding, and without it it takes us two or three years to establish enhanced rents, if we succeed even then: you cannot expect us, under these circumstances, to enter into engagements to pay higher revenue for our estates." Then they threw the management of their estates on the hands of the revenue officers, standing aloof themselves, and receiving only a stipulated cash payment as proprietary allowance. Here was a deadlock approaching. Recognizing that, this Council last year passed Act III of 1878, the object of which was to throw, as it were, the dead weight on the side of the settlement officer's finding as to the proper rents to be paid. No finality was given to their finding, but it was to be presumed that the rent fixed by a settlement officer was fair and equitable, the onus being thrown on the ryot, who was bound to institute a suit to contest the finding within two months if at all. Mr. Dampier was now speaking entirely in the public interests, and not in those of any one class of the public. This Act III of 1878 was passed entirely in the interests of the public revenues, which were being endangered. Since the Act was passed some very large settlements had been brought to a conclusion, the rates had been confirmed, and it only remained to get the ryots to agree to the enhanced rents. The general ground for enhancement was the very great general rise in the value of produce. When the settlement officer began to take advantage of the provisions of Act III of 1878, and to write out notices of enhancement, he found that according to the conditions imposed upon him by the Act, he was pulled up short. He found that in order to draw up such notices of enhancement as would be admitted as valid by the civil courts, he must do what was practically impossible, namely, analyse the holding and rent of each individual ryot and its origin, and in his enhancement notice say—"The rent you are now paying was fixed in such a year; at that time it represented such a proportion of the value of the produce of the land (say one-fourth); now the value of the produce has since then doubled, and I call upon you to pay double your present rent, which will bear the same proportion to the present value of produce as your rent when last fixed bore to the then prevailing value of produce." Well, where was the settlement officer to find these facts? The zemindar, at that particular moment, was against him. Until the ryot's rents were established, the demand of Government revenue could not fairly be raised upon him. And it was obviously the ryot's interest not to give any information at all. And even if the zemindar were inclined to act on the best faith, he was not in a position to furnish the required information. The zemindars generally did not keep their papers so systematically as to enable the Collector to pick out from them the required specific information regarding each ryot's holding. Here was another deadlock. Every expedient had been tried to get over it without legislation, but they had failed, and nothing remained but for Mr. Dampier, as representing the Revenue Department, to ask the permission of the Council to introduce this measure.

Amongst other things, Act III of 1878 limited the grounds upon which settlement-officers may record enhanced rents, to those specified in Act X of 1859. The provisions of Act III of 1878 having thus been found absolutely unworkable, and the public revenues seriously endangered thereby, a remedy had been devised in the present proposal. The settlement officer had in his hands in most cases the record of the last settlement, and found recorded in them what proportion of the value of produce then prevailing was taken

as the basis of the rates on which the rents were calculated. It was therefore proposed, while adhering to the general idea of a rise in rents proportionate to the rise in value of produce (which had sprung out of the Rent Law of 1859), that the proportion which would be taken as the basis of comparison should be the general proportion between the rates of rent as fixed at the preceding settlement, and the value of produce then prevailing; instead of applying the comparison separately to the rent of each individual ryot. Under the proposed Bill it would not be necessary to specify that each individual ryot's rent was fixed in such a year, at such an amount, which then bore such a proportion to the value of the produce

The Bill also provided that it should not be necessary to specify the previous area of the holding in an enhancement notice. It might be said, if you have the settlement papers, why not specify the area as it was at the last settlement and compare it with that now held? In fact holdings as they were now, were in 9 out of 10 cases actually unidentifiable with those which existed about 30 or 40 years ago at the time of the last settlement. The holdings of the last settlement had been divided by inheritance, added to by purchase, diminished by sale, and changed in every possible way; so that a holding as it was now held by one individual man, although he might be the son of a father who was recorded as the ryot at the last settlement, was not the same as the holding at that time. Nevertheless the last changes might have taken place more than 12 years ago, and so the ryot might have acquired an occupancy right in what he now actually held. These were the reasons on which the Government was obliged to ask the Council to pass a measure which would allow a settlement officer to enhance rents on calculations founded on the general rates adopted at the previous settlement, and not in proportion to the particular rent which was fixed for any particular holding at the last settlement.

With these remarks he begged to move for leave to bring in a Bill to amend Bengal Act III of 1878 (an Act to define and limit the powers of settlement officers with respect to enhancement of rent).

The Hon'ble Kristodas Pal said he generally concurred with the remarks of the hon'ble mover of the Bill. He fully recognised the difficulty which under the existing law existed in the way of the settlement of rents, whether as regards Government estates or private estates. But there were one or two points in connection with the Bill which he wished to bring to the notice of the Council. He observed that under section 1 of the Bill the rules of enhancement, as laid down in Act X of 1859, would be practically abrogated. He fully admitted that those rules as interpreted by the High Court had now become to all intents and purposes unworkable; and that consequently the enhancement of rent under the guidance of those rules had come to a deadlock. But if the Council thought it necessary to abrogate those rules, he was of opinion that it ought to be done openly and not in a covert way; for while this Bill retained section 2 of Act III of 1878, it introduced a proviso which practically superseded that section. He for one would fully and absolutely recognise the principle laid down in the Bill without reference to the specific ground contained in section 17 of Act X of 1859. Then, with regard to the principle on which rent was to be enhanced or settled under the Bill, he observed that the mover had adopted the principle of proportion of the gross value of produce. He for one considered that a fair and equitable principle. He thought it was a step in advance towards the solution of the great Rent problem, but he would take the liberty to suggest that in no case should the increase of rent be more than double the existing rent. Proceeding upon the principle laid down in the section, the rent might in any case be trebled or quadrupled. But he did not think it would be fair to enhance rent to more than double the current rent. It might be said, as indeed it was pointed out by the hon'ble mover in his opening remarks, that a settlement having been made 30 or 40 years ago, the ryots had been gradually encroaching on other lands not belonging to them, and thus possessed more lands than they were lawfully entitled to, and consequently the old rent bore no fair relation to their liability. In that case Baboo Kristodas Pal would suggest, for the consideration of the hon'ble mover, the propriety of defining a share of the produce as the measure of the rent payable by the ryot, whether it be one-third or one-fourth, just as the hon'ble council might consider fair and equitable.

Once this share was declared, the gross value of the produce might be calculated and made the basis for the settlement of rent. But whatever course might be followed, Baboo Kristodas Pal thought that in no case should the enhanced rent be more than double the existing rent, or more than one-third or one-fourth of the gross value of produce. And, lastly, once the rent was settled, the ryot should be allowed rest or immunity from the pains and troubles of an enhancement suit for a reasonable period. The settlement, in his opinion, should be allowed currency for ten years, and the ryot protected from molestation or interference for enhancement of his rent during that period.

The motion was put and agreed to.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier applied to the President to suspend the rules for the conduct of business to enable him to move that the Bill be read in Council.

His Honor the President observed that generally he objected to suspend the rules of the Council, but he thought that in this case it was desirable that they should try and get the Bill forward one stage. There appeared to be no objection to the principle of the Bill, and objections to the detail he thought would better be considered in Committee. He therefore suspended the rules.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier then moved that the Bill be read in Council, and in doing so he would proceed to remark on the form of the Bill. It had been suggested that the Act which this Bill proposed to amend was such a short one, and the amendments in proportion were so long, that it would be better to repeal the Act at once and re-enact it in an amended form. He quite agreed to that himself, but he deliberately did not frame the Bill in that shape because, in the form in which he had drawn it, the points of change were more prominently brought to notice. But he did think, if the Select Committee agreed, that it would be better to pass this measure as an entirely new Act.

With reference to the remarks of the hon'ble member opposite (Baboo Kristodas Pal), who said that the Bill abrogated section 2 of Act III of 1878, Mr. Dampier would not say "abrogated," because it left those grounds of enhancement in full force which were contained in Act X of 1859. But the Bill undisguisedly laid down a new ground of enhancement which would be held to be sufficient for the purposes of settlement officers. It made a fourth ground as it were of enhancement, and in doing so the Government had tried to follow the spirit of the Rent Law and of the decisions passed on it. The idea of the proportion between the rent and the produce of the land to be retained in enhancing rents was altogether the child of Act X of 1859. It was not proposed to let the settlement officer do as he liked. Then the hon'ble gentleman said that under the Bill a ryot might be called upon to pay four times the rent he was previously paying. As a matter of principle, Mr. Dampier thought that this objection could not be supported. If the ryot now had the use of land of which the value was fourfold the value of the land which he held at the last settlement, why should he not pay four times the former amount for the use of it? But in reducing principles to action allowance must be made for friction. Say the rents of ryots on an estate were fixed 30 or 40 years ago. Perhaps they pressed a little hardly when they were fixed; but gradually, as the value of produce rose, the pressure had been getting lighter and lighter. With that the ryot's habits of life, his wants, and his social status had been gradually rising; and it would be a hardship suddenly to reduce him to his old status. Any ordinary settlement officer would give full weight to that and many similar considerations before raising the ryots' rents to the full extent of the rise in the value of produce: whether a Civil Court Judge might properly exercise any such mitigating discretion when called on to apply the legal rule of proportion against the ryot was more doubtful.

Then as to paying one-fourth or one-third of the value of the produce, and enacting that the amount of rent should in no case exceed that proportion. Speaking for himself individually, as he had no opportunity of learning what His Honor's views on this point might be, he should have no objection to some such specified limit being introduced in the Bill.

As to the next suggestion, that the ryot's rent once fixed should not be liable to enhancement until after the expiration of ten years, or some other fixed period, every one to whom he had ever spoken on the subject agreed to the expediency of adopting such a rule.

The Hon'ble Syed Ameer Ali said that it seemed to him that this Bill changed the entire spirit of Act III of 1878, which was passed only a year ago. He was therefore inclined to agree with the hon'ble member on his left (Baboo Kristodas Pal) in thinking that it would be better to rescind the Act altogether, and pass the Bill as a substantive measure. With reference to the Bill itself, he was not prepared to offer any objection to its principles, but he was of opinion that section 3 would certainly press heavily upon the ryots. The ryots, as a general rule, were poor and ignorant, and not always in a position to express their views and feelings respecting any legislation affecting them as a body, and therefore it was especially necessary that any objection from their point of view should be submitted to the Council. Now, section 3 of this Bill declared that the enhancement of the rent should be in proportion to the increase in the value of produce, as it seemed to him, not with reference to any particular holding, but generally in and about the adjacent lands. If he remembered rightly the provisions of section 17 of Act X of 1859, and section 18 of the Bengal Act VIII of 1869, the enhancement could be claimed if the value of the produce, or the productive powers of the land held by the ryots, had increased. It might so happen that in a particular case the land with reference to which enhancement was attempted to be made might have deteriorated since the time of the last settlement, whilst the productive capacity of the adjacent lands might have increased. In that case the settlement officer, proceeding on the basis of a general increase in the value of produce, would enhance the rates of the particular holding in question, and the unfortunate ryot would be thereby materially prejudiced. He thought, therefore, that some restrictions ought to be imposed on the discretion of the settlement officers regarding the standard which should be taken for the enhancement of rent with reference to the value of produce. The increase in the value of produce should be with reference to the particular holding in respect of which enhancement was claimed. He hoped this principle might be borne in mind in Select Committee.

The Hon'ble Mohini Mohun Roy said it appeared to him that under the existing law, as contained in Bengal Act VIII of 1869, it was not necessary, in cases of enhancement on the ground that the value of the produce had increased, to show that the value of the produce of a particular holding had increased. It was quite sufficient to prove that the value of a particular article of produce had increased in the locality. So far as the principle was concerned, he did not think the provisions introduced in this Bill in amendment of section 5 of Act III of 1878 did in effect alter the law of enhancement as contained in Act X of 1859 or Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869. There was another reason for which he thought he ought to lend his support to the Bill. Before the passing of Act X of 1859 there was a provision in the Regulation VII of 1822 that the proceedings of the settlement officer should be final and binding on all parties, and some time after Act X of 1859 was passed that was considered to be the law. It was not till 1869 or 1870 that the question was first raised that Act X of 1859 having introduced a provision that in all cases of enhancement of rent it was necessary to serve notice of enhancement before enhancement could be demanded, the rates fixed by settlement officers in the settlement of Government estates could not be final. And he thought that in this matter the question of the enhancement of rents of ryots in Government estates should be placed on a more practical basis than what had been laid down in Act X of 1859 and Act VIII (B.C.) of 1869.

The Hon'ble Mr. Dampier said in reply that the hon'ble member opposite (Syed Ameer Ali) considered that the value of produce should be compared with the value of the produce of the actual holding. That was really objecting to the whole principle of the Bill. The principal reason for the introduction of this Bill was that it could not be found what the holding was at the time of the last settlement, that there was no means of tracing the land of each ryot, but if it were possible to compare holding with holding, that comparison would of course be taken into consideration.

The motion was then agreed to, and the Bill referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Hon'ble Mr. Mackenzie, the Hon'ble Mr. O'Kinealy, the Hon'ble Mr. Syed Ameer Ali, the Hon'ble Kristodas Pal, the Hon'ble Mohini Mohan Roy, and the Mover, with instructions to report in three weeks.

DRAINAGE IN BENGAL.

THE HON'BLE MR. DAMPIER moved for leave to bring in a Bill to facilitate drainage in Bengal on the model of Bengal Act V of 1871, "the Hooghly and Burdwan Drainage Act." That Act was well known to officials and landholders in this neighbourhood, and the object of the Bill was to take advantage of the experience which they had had in the working of the Act in Hooghly and Burdwan, and to have a measure applicable to any part of Bengal for the carrying out of any drainage scheme which might be considered necessary by the Lieutenant-Governor, to be worked out by the engineering officers of the Government, with the consent of not less than one-half of the proprietors whose lands would be reclaimed and improved, and who would eventually have to pay the cost of the work.

The motion was put and agreed to.

MANAGEMENT OF INLAND STEAM VESSELS.

The HON'BLE MR. INGLIS begged to move for leave to bring in a Bill to provide for the proper management of certain inland steam vessels. Although the Bill stood in his name, he ought to explain that Government accepted the responsibility of introducing the measure, and that he took charge of it at the request of His Honor the President. He understood that the need for such a Bill partly arose out of the intention to make pilotage on the Hooghly compulsory. Until lately, the public were under the impression that all vessels navigating the Hooghly were bound to employ a pilot. The High Court, however, in a recent case, decided that this view was incorrect. It was the intention of Government to remove all doubt on the subject by extending the provisions of section 38 of the Indian Ports Act, 1875, making pilotage compulsory on the river Hooghly below Calcutta, and therefore a special enactment, such as he now moved for leave to bring in, was needed to meet the case of inland steamers. It was proposed that commanders of such steamers, if duly certificated, should be held to be pilots for the purposes of section 38 of the Indian Ports Act, in respect of their own vessels. The alternative to this would be for Government to provide for such vessels a special establishment of pilots at Channel Creek, where inland steamers enter and leave the Hooghly. Apart, however, from the question of expense, which was a sufficient obstacle in itself to the adoption of such a plan, inland steamers being by law subject to the Carriers Act, their commanders and owners, with due regard to the interests of the public, should be relieved of responsibility in the same way that commanders of sea-gonig vessels were when a pilot was on board. Fears had been expressed that the examination of commanders of inland steamers, with a view to the granting of certificates, might be so strict as to prevent some of them, who had much practical experience, from passing. This fear he believed to be quite groundless, but in any case, he was assured that length of service and character would be taken into account in granting certificates, quite as much as a man's ability to answer any questions that might be put. The Bill would provide for the trial and punishment of certificated commanders when guilty of incompetency or misconduct; and in view of the fact that no law short of the Penal Code could at present reach them, this seemed to be necessary. It was proposed to put commanders of inland steamers on the same footing in this respect as commanders of sea-going steamers; so that both would be subject to the jurisdiction of the Marine Court empowered under the Indian Merchant Shipping Act, 1875, to enquire into charges of incompetency or misconduct. This would not, he believed, be objected to by the parties affected.

He should think, indeed, that owners of inland steamers, as well as commanders, would, in the end, derive benefit from the measure. The Council would doubtless be glad to receive any suggestions regarding the Bill from those who had a special knowledge of the subject. Government, he was sure, wished to frame a measure that would work satisfactorily, and he had little doubt that if leave were given to bring in this Bill, the Council would be able so to frame it.

The motion was put and agreed to.

COURT OF WARDS.

The HON'BLE MR. BUCKLAND said he had not had time to give notice of the motion he was about to make, the object of which was to move that the Bill to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards, as revised by the Select Committee, be referred back to the Committee for further consideration and report. The fact was that the amended Bill was published in last week's Gazette with the view of giving information as quickly as possible to the officers in the mofussil of the proposed changes in the law. At that time his hon'ble colleague Mr. Dampier was on duty out of Calcutta, and since his return to Calcutta he had expressed a wish to give the Committee the benefit of his practical experience in the administration of the Wards' Department in the further consideration and amendment of the Bill, and the Select Committee were equally desirous of having his valuable experience. MR. BUCKLAND therefore moved that the Bill be referred back to the Select Committee, and that the Hon'ble Mr. Dampier's name be added to the Committee.

The motion was agreed to.

The Council was adjourned to Saturday, the 15th instant.

LIBERALITY OF BABOO RAMESHWAR PRASAD N. SINGH.

No. 256, dated Calcutta, the 17th March 1879.

From—C. W. BOLTON, Esq., Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, General Department,

To—The Director of Public Instruction.

I AM directed to acknowledge the receipt of your endorsement No. 1637 of the 7th March 1879, and its annexure, reporting that a splendid house is being built for the accommodation of the Chatra Middle Class English School at the cost of Baboo Rameshwar Prasad N. Singh, of Muksudpur, in the district of Gya.

2. In reply I am to request that you will convey to Baboo Rameshwar Prasad N. Singh the thanks of Government for his liberality. This correspondence will be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

No. 1637, dated Fort William, the 7th March 1879.

Memo. by—A. W. CROFT, Esq., Director of Public Instruction.

COPY of the following forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the General Department for information.

Extract of paragraph 8 *from the Report of the Deputy Inspector of Schools, Hazaribagh, No.* 464, *dated the* 10*th February* 1879.

A splendid house is being built for the Chatra Middle English School at the cost of Baboo Rameshwar Prasad N. Singh, zemindar of Muksudpur, in the district of Gya. The Baboo has paid the munificent sum of Rs. 3,000 for the purpose. This is the gentleman who spent about Rs. 30,000 to capture alive three man-eating tigers, and to kill many more that infested the Hazaribagh to Ranchi road, and obtained a gun and a rifle from Government in recognition of his services a few months ago.

No. 3472.

Memo. by—A. W. GARRETT, Esq., Inspector of Schools, Presidency Circle.

COPY forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for information.

Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 15th March 1879.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.		
	Western Districts		
	Burdwan Div.		
1	Burdwan, Mar. 15 '79	Nil	Weather—dry. No change in state and prospects of crops.
2	Bankoora, „ 15 „	0·14	Weather—hot. Sugarcane giving good outturn. Indigo promises fairly. Cases of small-pox still frequent.
3	Beerbhoom, „ 15 „	Nil	Hot season now set in. Nothing to report about crops.
4	Midnapore, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. State and prospects of crops favourable.
5	Hooghly, „ 15 „	0·39	Weather—generally clear. A sharp thunder-storm on 12th. Few crops on ground. Fever and cholera still prevail.
	Howrah, „ 17 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Nothing particular to remark regarding state and prospects of crops
	Central Districts.		
	Presidency Div.		
6	24-Pergunnahs, Mar. 15 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. No crops to report upon; prices of food-grain continue very high. Public health in general good.
7	Nuddea, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—clear and hot. Winter crops nearly all harvested; outturn only fair and below average.
	Ranaghat ...	0 25	
	Bongong ...	0·44	
8	Jessore, „ 15 „	0·17	Weather—hot. Storm on evening of 12th. Winter harvest nearly all gathered in. Rain wanted for spring sowings of indigo.
9	Moorshedabad, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—warm. *Rubbi* crops being reaped. Lands being ploughed for *aus* and *aman dhan* Indigo and mulberry in fair state.
	Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Div.		
10	Dinagepore, „ 14 „	Nil	High westerly winds. Weather somewhat cloudy. Most of spring crops harvested. Lands being prepared for *boro* and *bhadoi dhan*.
11	Rajshahye, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—hot during day, but still cool at night. Rain wanted for *boro dhan*.
12	Rungpore, „ 14 „	Nil	Strong dry, westerly winds blowing daily. Prospects of crops unchanged, but rain wanted. Small-pox prevails in Bagdogra sub-division.
13	Bogra, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Crops fair; rain would benefit them. Health of district good.
14	Pubna, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Mornings cloudy. A south-west wind during day. Rain required for *cheena* and rice at Serajgunge.
15	Darjeeling, „ 14 „	Very slight.	Sunshine strong. Westerly wind during latter part of week. No crops of importance.
16	Julpigoree, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—rapidly getting hotter; rain wanted. Tobacco, the only crop now on land, doing well. Ground being prepared for *bhadoi dhan* sowings.
	Cooch Behar, „ 13 „	Nil	East winds in morning changing to west winds in afternoon. Prospects of all cold-weather crops good. Country very dry. Public health generally good.

	No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL—(*Continued.*)				
		Eastern Districts.		
Dacca Divs.	17	Dacca, Mar. 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. State and prospects of crops good.
	18	Furreedpore, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—fair and hot. State and prospects of crops fair. Rain much wanted.
	19	Backergunge, „ 13 „	Nil	Weather—very hot and dry. Prospects not favourable in consequence of drought. Rain expected soon. No fall in prices.
	20	Mymensingh, „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—hot for time of year. State and prospects of crops good. A little rain wanted.
	21	Tipperah, „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—hot with occasional storms. Rain wanted. Cold-weather crops being harvested; outturn fair. Ploughing in progress. A hail-storm passed over station on evening of 12th, killing 17 persons and wounding 10.
Chittagong Divs.	22	Chittagong, „ 13 „	Nil	Weather—cloudy now and then, otherwise seasonable. Some cold-weather crops collected. Land being prepared for *pasia aus*. Small-pox still prevalent in Cox's Bazar.
	23	Noakholly, „ 13 „	Nil	Mornings foggy; afternoons windy and cloudy. State of *rubbi* crops getting bad for want of rain.
	24	Chittagong Hill Tracts, „ 11 „	0·42	Weather—very hot. A fall of rain on 5th. *Jûm* cutting still continues. Rain improved prospects of chilly and other spring crops.
		Hill Tipperah, „ 12 „	Nil	Weather—dry and warm. State and prospects of crops unchanged.
BEHAR.				
Patna Div.	25	Patna, Mar. 15 '79	Nil	Nights still cool, days hot. State and prospects of crops unchanged.
	26	Gya, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Maximum reading of thermometer in shade 99·6°. *Rubbi* crops ready and in some places being cut. Prices of food-grains a little easier. Health of plough-cattle good.
	27	Shahabad, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—getting warm. About three-fourths of *rubbi* harvested; outturn good on the whole. Small-pox still prevalent.
	28	Durbhunga, „ 15 „	Very slight.	Weather—fair. *Rubbee* crops being reaped. Indigo sowings in progress. Prices stationary. Health of people good.
	29	Mozufferpore, „ 15 „	Nil.	Weather—warm with west wind. Reaping of *rubbi* crops commenced. Public health good.
	30	Sarun, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—appreciably warmer. High west wind and dust-storms during middays. Cold-weather crops being everywhere cut; outturn expected to be eight annas. Poppy-heads being tapped. Indigo sowings still going on. Mango in blossom, and promises a fair harvest. Prices (rice excepted) fallen. Public health good.
	31	Chumparun, „ 15 „	Nil	Cool nights; hot days. Strong west winds blowing during day. Clouds hanging about. State and prospects of crops good.
Bhagulpore Division.	32	Monghyr, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—hot; west winds. Gram crop a bad one. Other crops good.
	33	Bhagulpore, Mar. 15 „	0·08	Weather—hot and cloudy. State and prospects of crops excellent.
	34	Purneah, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—hot and dry. West wind. State and prospects of crops good.
	35	Maldah, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—fair. State and prospects of crops satisfactory. Prices somewhat lower. Health improving.
	36	Sonthal Pergha. „ 16 „	Nil	Weather—cool for the season. State and prospects of crops as before.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
ORISSA.			
Orissa Divn. 37	Cuttack ...	.....	Return not received.
Orissa Divn. 38	Pooree, Mar. 13 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. *Sarad* rice harvest completed. *Dalua* looking well. Common rice sells at 15½ to 21 Calcutta seers per rupee. Miscellaneous crops promising.
Orissa Divn. 39	Balasore, „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—hot and dry. Rain required for ploughing for next crop. Public health fair.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Mar. 14 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable; cloudy on 14th. Harvesting of wheat and barley crops commenced. Prospects of crops favourable.
41	Lohardugga, „ 15 „	Nil	Weather—getting hot; west winds occasionally. No change to report at head-quarters. Prospects of *rubbi* crops in Palamow less favourable than was anticipated. Prices stationary.
42	Singbhoom, „ 14 „	Nil	Weather—very warm during week, but sky clouded on 14th Nothing to report about crops.
43	Manbhoom, „ 15 „	0·01	Weather—warm and seasonable. Few crops on ground doing well. If weather holds up, *mohwa* harvest ought to be first-rate. District fairly healthy. Cholera disappeared from town.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 23rd Feb. to 1st March 1879.	Rain from 2nd to 8th March 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879. Inches.	Rain from 1st January 1879. Up to date.	Remarks
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Burdwan.	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	1·16	8th March	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	2·30	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	1·24	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	2·09	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	ditto	2·47	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	1·13	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	ditto	0·92	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	ditto	1·08	ditto	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	1·74	ditto	
		Roypore	ditto	ditto	1·79	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	ditto	2·63	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	ditto	0·86	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	ditto	0·04	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	ditto	1·35	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	ditto	0·06	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
		Saugor Island	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	ditto	0·21	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	0·38	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	0·28	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	ditto	0·09	ditto	
	24-Pergunnahs ...	Baraset	ditto	ditto	0·16	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	ditto	0 12	ditto	
		Satkhira	ditto	ditto	0·09	ditto	
		Barrackpore	ditto	ditto	0·02	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	ditto	0·58	ditto	
		Kishnaghur	ditto	ditto	1·56	ditto	
		Bongong	ditto	ditto	1·04	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	ditto	3·35	ditto	
	Nuddea	Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	3·33	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	ditto	1·80	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	ditto	1·25	ditto	
		Jessore	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Jessore	Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	1·93	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	1 90	ditto	
		Berhampore	ditto	ditto	1·84	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	1·87	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	1·20	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Jungypore	ditto	ditto	0·78	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	1·29	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	1 07	ditto	
		Kandee	ditto	ditto	1·71	ditto	
Rajshahye.	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	0·47	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	1·03	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	ditto	Not recd.	1·38	1st March	
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	0·91	ditto	
	Rajshahye	Baulcah	ditto	Nil	1·48	8th March	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	1·61	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	0·71	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	0·54	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	0·71	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	2·20	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	0 93	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	1·31	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	ditto	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	1·97	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	0·46	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	0·47	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	0·39	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	2·05	ditto	
		Buxa	ditto	Not recd.	0·91	1st March	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	1·26	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	ditto	Nil	0·58	8th March	
		Dinhatta	ditto	ditto	0 68	ditto ...	From 2nd February.
		Mathabhanga	ditto	ditto	0·58	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
		Mickligunge	ditto	ditto	0 74	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.

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BENGAL—*continued.*							
	Eastern Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Dacca.	Dacca ...	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	0·70	8th March	
		Dacca... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	0·75	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	1 35	ditto	
	Furreedpore ...	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	1·31	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	1 61	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	0 02	ditto	
	Backergunge ...	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoonkhally	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Mymensingh ...	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	0 83	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	1·11	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	1·02	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	0 73	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong ...	Chittagong Telegraph Office	ditto	0 06	0 24	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail ...	ditto	0·09	0 45	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	ditto	Nil	1 21	ditto	
	Noakholly ...	Noakholly	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	ditto	0 05	ditto	
	Tipperah ...	Comillah	ditto	ditto	0·13	ditto	
		Chandpore	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	ditto	1·15	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill... ...	ditto	0 42	0·65	ditto	
		Ruma	ditto	Nil	1 08	ditto	
	Hill Tipperah ...	Agurtolla	ditto	ditto	1·04	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna ...	Patna	ditto	ditto	1 37	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	0 48	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	1·04	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	1 29	ditto	
	Gya ..	Gya	0 04	ditto	0·35	ditto	
		Nowadah	Nil	ditto	0·05	ditto	
		Aurungabad	0 08	ditto	0 31	ditto	
		Jehanabad	Nil	ditto	0 68	ditto	
	Shahabad ...	Arrah	ditto	ditto	1·33	ditto	
		Sasseram	0·01	ditto	0 99	ditto	
		Buxar	0 23	ditto	0 82	ditto	
		Bhubooah	Nil	ditto	2·50	ditto	
	Mozufferpore ...	Mozufferpore	Not recd	Not recd.	1·03	22nd Feb.	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	ditto	ditto	0·49	ditto	
	Durbhunga ...	Durbhunga	Nil	Nil	1·33	8th March	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	1 48	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	1·48	ditto	
	Sarun ...	Chupra	ditto	ditto	0·78	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	0 31	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	Not recd.	ditto	0·11	ditto ...	Not received, 16th Feb. to 1st Mar.
	Chumparun ...	Mottharee	Nil	ditto	0 29	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	0·02	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr ...	Monghyr	ditto	ditto	1·28	ditto	
		Begoosera	ditto	ditto	0·87	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	0 65	ditto	
	Bhagulpore ...	Bhagulpore	ditto	ditto	1 27	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	ditto	1·30	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	0 55	ditto	
		Sonburea	ditto	ditto	0 62	ditto	
	Purneah ..	Purneah	ditto	ditto	0·94	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	1 41	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	1 51	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs ...	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	0·99	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	ditto	1·40	ditto	
		Deoghur	ditto	ditto	0·65	ditto	
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Pakour	Not recd.	ditto	0 20	ditto ...	Not received, 23rd Feb. to 1st Mar.
		Godda	ditto	ditto	0·70	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.

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					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack	0·07	0·47	0·54	8th March	
		Jajpore	Nil	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pooree	Pooree	ditto	1·38	1·38	ditto	
		Khurdah	ditto	0·14	0·14	ditto	
	Balasore	Balasore	0·33	Nil	0·33	ditto	
		Bhadrack	1·25	ditto	1·25	ditto	
		Jellasore	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Sorah	1·08	ditto	1·08	ditto	
		Chandbally	0·36	ditto	0·36	ditto	
		Barupudda	0·10	ditto	0·20	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	Nil	ditto	0·80	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh	Hazareebagh Jail	ditto	ditto	0·60	ditto	
		Hazareebagh Dispensary	0·03	ditto	0·75	ditto	
		Pachamba	Nil	ditto	1·49	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	0·35	ditto	
		Mowdie Hills	ditto	ditto	0·70	ditto	
	Lohardugga	Ranchee	1·26	ditto	1·74	ditto	
		Palamow	Nil	ditto	0·31	ditto	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	ditto	ditto	1·16	ditto	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	ditto	ditto	0·96	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	ditto	1·06	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet	Sylhet	ditto	0·43	0·92	ditto	
	Sibsagar	Sibsagar	0.03	Not recd.	2·23	1st March	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	1·85	ditto	
	Burmah	Akyab	ditto	Nil	Nil	8th March	
	Rajpootana	Alwar	ditto	ditto	1·50	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	ditto	0·55	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 15th March 1879.

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Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 9th to 15th March 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. * Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Alipore.	Mar. 9th	10	29·985	30·007	82·1	74·7	69	S W by W	7·0	...	FK	*o*
		16	29·840	29·861	88·7	76·2	54	S W	7·3	...	CS	*o*
	10th	10	29·949	29·971	83·7	74·9	64	W N W	5·8	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·827	29·848	92·2	67·3	22	N W by W	6·2	...	.....	*b*
	11th	10	29·914	29·935	84·7	72·2	52	W by S	4·5	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·779	29·800	92·8	69·9	27	N W	6·5	...	.....	*b*
	12th	10	29·797	29·818	86·9	76·2	59	S W by S	9·0	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·642	29·663	90·7	81·0	65	S by W	14·0	...	.....	*b*
	13th	10	29·781	29·802	84·7	77·7	72	N N E	3·0	...	C	*o*
		16	29·696	29·717	91·0	71·1	29	N W	5·2	...	.....	*b*
	14th	10	29·871	29·892	88·4	71·4	40	S E by E	4·0	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·788	29·809	88·7	71·5	41	N E	6·3	...	PK, P	*o, g*
	15th	10	29·853	29·874	84·7	77·2	70	S W by W	6·3	...	.....	*b*
		16	29·709	29·730	89·5	79·6	63	S by W	10·7	...	CS, C	*o*
Saugor Island.	Mar. 9th	10	29·993	29·999	84·7	78·8	75	S W	9	...	.....	*Clouds low, moving rapidly with scud.*
		16	29·868	29·874	83·7	78·8	79	S	3	...	.....	*Ditto ditto.*
	10th	10	29·969	29·975	85·2	79·8	78	W N W	12	...	.....	*Ditto ditto.*
		16	29·843	29·849	84·7	78·8	76	S S E	8	...	.....	*b, o*
	11th	10	29·939	29·945	82·7	77·8	79	S W	8	...	.....	*b, o*
		16	29·808	29·814	84·7	79·8	79	S	8	...	.....	*b, o*
	12th	10	29·832	29·838	84·2	79·3	79	S S W	13	...	.....	*b, o*
		16	29·689	29·695	85·8	80·3	78	S S W	16	...	.....	*b, o*
	13th	10	29·799	29·805	87·3	80·8	74	W S W	16	...	.....	
		16	29·710	29·716	87·3	80·3	73	S S E	8	...	.....	
	14th	10	29·882	29·888	85·8	79·8	76	S S E	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
		16	29·791	29·797	84·7	79·3	77	S	8	...	.....	*b, o*
	15th	10	29·878	29·884	84·7	79·8	79	S W	11	...	.....	*b, o*
		16	29·738	29·744	85·8	80·8	80	S	16	...	.....	*b, o*
Chittagong.	Mar. 9th	10	29·943	30·036	81·9	74·7	71	Calm	5	...	.....	
	10th	10	29·918	30·006	81·4	75·7	76	Calm	5	...	.....	*b, o*
	11th	10	29·837	29·930	81·9	75·7	75	S	5	...	.....	
	12th	10	29·801	29·894	82·4	75·7	72	S	5	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	13th	10	29·762	29·853	84·4	77·2	71	S E	8	...	.....	
	14th	10	29·838	29·930	84·4	76·7	69	E	7	...	.....	
	15th	10	29·847	29·940	81·9	78·3	85	S S W	5	...	.....	*o, threatening weather.*
Akyab.	Mar. 9th	10	30·003	30·025	82·5	67·6	40	E	4	...	.....	*b*
	10th	10	Not	received.								
	11th	10	30·935	30·957	84	74·7	63	N	4	...	.....	*b*
	12th	10	30·878	30·900	81·0	74·7	73	E	5	...	.....	*b*
	13th	10	30·876	30·898	83·0	76·7	78	E	3	...	.....	*b*
	14th	10	30·904	30·925	85·0	81·8	86	E	2	...	.....	*b*
	15th	10	30·913	30·934	88·1	79·8	68	S S W	2	...	.....	*b*
Fatehgarh.	Mar. 9th	10	29·987	30·002	86·3	77·3	65	S W	9	...	.....	*b*
	10th	10	29·954	29·969	85·3	77·3	68	W S W	9	...	.....	*Nor'-wester.*
	11th	10	29·937	29·952	84·3	79·3	79	S W	6	...	.....	*Foggy.*
	12th	10	29·838	29·853	87·3	79·3	69	S S W	7	...	.....	*b*
	13th	10	29·796	29·811	88·3	78·3	62	W S W	10	...	.....	*b*
	14th	10	29·874	29·889	86·3	77·3	65	S E	7	...	.....	*b*
	15th	10	29·882	29·897	87·3	79·3	69	S W	7	...	.....	*Thunder and lightning at distance.*
Vizagapatam.	Mar. 9th	10	29·907	30·028	85	77	68	W	3	...	.....	*b, o*
	10th	10	29·968	29·999	85	76	64	W N W	3	...	.....	*b, o*
	11th	10	29·930	29·961	85	76·5	66	W N W	3	...	.....	*b, o*
	12th	10	29·883	29·914	86·5	70·0	40	W N W	3	...	.....	*b*
	13th	10	29·821	29·852	87	68·5	35	W N W	4	...	.....	*b*
	14th	10	29·887	29·918	88	71	40	W S W	3	...	.....	*b*
	15th	10	29·889	29·920	87	74	53	S W	4	...	.....	*b*
Cocanada.	Mar. 9th	10	29·926	29·966	86·5	72·5	48	S S W	7	...	.....	*b, o*
	10th	10	29·939	29·979	85·5	74	56	N W	6	...	.....	*b, o*
	11th	10	29·922	29·962	85	73	51	N	6	...	.....	*b, o*
	12th	10	29·882	29·922	86·5	72·0	47	N	6	...	.....	*b, o*
	13th	10	29·856	29·896	86·5	78·5	69	S W	5	...	.....	*b, o*
	14th	10	29·886	29·926	85·5	80·5	80	N E	5	...	.....	*b, o*
	15th	10	29·885	29·926	84·5	80·0	81	E	6	0·50	.....	*b, o*

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
The 15th March, 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 9th to 15th March 1879.

Month.	Date	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
March	9th	145·2	29·894	79·1	89·8	17·4	72·4	74·5	0·795	72·3	80	Till 8 A.M. S S W, till midnight chiefly S W.	156	Nil	Day partially cloudy, night clear, *f* and *w*.
„	10th	146·7	·877	80·6	93·2	18·1	75·1	72·7	·697	68·5	67	Till 8 A.M. S W by W, till 2 P.M. chiefly N through W and N W, till 8½ A.M. W N W through N W, till midnight S S W through W and S W.	137	„	Morning cloudy, day and night clear, *o* and *w*.
„	11th	151·0	·839	80·1	94·1	23·4	70·7	72·4	·693	68·3	67	Till 9 A.M. S S W, till noon W S W, till 5 P.M. chiefly W by N, till midnight chiefly S W.	111	„	Chiefly clear, *f* and *w*.
„	12th	149·6	·718	81·1	96·1	21·1	75·0	75·5	·810	72·9	76	Till 6½ P.M. chiefly S W, till midnight E S E through W, N and E.	240	„	Evening cloudy, rest clear, *f*, *w*, *o*, and *lr*.
„	13th	149·5	·741	80·3	94·7	23·6	71·1	72·4	·689	68·1	66	Till 5 A.M. E S E, till noon N N E through S, W and N, till 4 P.M. chiefly N W through N, till midnight N by E.	83	„	Chiefly clear, *w*.
„	14th	149·7	·821	79·0	93·5	22·5	71·0	69·0	·612	64·7	61	Till 6 A.M. chiefly N N W, till 11 A.M. S E by E through N, N E and E, till 4½ A.M. chiefly N E through E, till midnight S S W through E, S E and S.	119	„	Afternoon cloudy, rest clear, *o*, *g*, *d*, *p*, *t*, and *l*.
„	15th	146·1	·766	81·0	91·7	19·6	72·1	77·2	·881	75·4	83	Till 8 A.M. S S W, till noon chiefly S W, till 6½ A.M. chiefly S S W, till midnight S through W, N and E.	167	„	Morning cloudy, day and night chiefly clear, *o* and *g*.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days		29·808
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...		29·839
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days		80·2
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...		79·4
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days		25·4
The maximum temperature during the seven days		96·1
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days		71
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...		68
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 9th to 15th March 1879		Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office		0·21
The total fall from 1st January to 15th March 1879		0·21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office		2·31

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

o overcast; *g* gloomy; *d* drizzling rain; *p* passing showers; *t* thunder; *l* lightning; *lr* lightning reflection; *w* strong wind; *f* fog; *w* dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 17th March 1879.

HENRY F. BLANFORD,
Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH, BENGAL.

ORISSA CIRCLE.

Statements showing the total amount of Traffic and Tolls on the Canals for the month of January 1879.

Kendrapara Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—39 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate		Tonnage of boats		Ton mileage	Tollage	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		* Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
65	Paddy	13,312	26,624	21,419	764	31,027	644 4 0	.....
37	Rice	11,495	45,580	18,458	660	26,208	553 4 0	.....
7	Spices	1,289	24,780	2,320	83	2,982	80 0 0	.....
28	Jaggery	3,640	18,100	6,429	229	5,236	134 8 0	.....
18	Dry fish	1,022	5,100	2,712	96	3,782	97 8 0	.....
3	Copper	700	21,000	1,259	44	1,848	48 0 0	.....
2	Gram	160	450	409	14	546	14 4 0	.....
2	Cotton thread	500	12,500	1,093	39	1,618	42 0 0	.....
9	Til seed	510	2,450	1,128	40	1,680	40 12 0	.....
5	Gallnuts	1,600	1,600	2,393	85	3,570	83 8 0	.....
15	Sleepers	6,300	21,475	10,140	366	15,372	385 12 0	.....
22	Salt	3,260	16,300	5,855	210	4,674	131 12 0	.....
1	Cotton	100	1,000	206	7	112	4 0 0	.....
1	Jute	100	500	181	6	90	3 8 0	.....
2	Clothes	392	13,840	607	22	469	15 8 0	.....
1	Flax	150	150	277	10	120	8 4 0	.....
1	Ghooting lime	100	25	356	13	520	9 12 0	.....
1	Kharee	150	330	289	10	420	11 0 0	.....
1	Stone mill	200	50	400	14	140	4 0 0	.....
2	Tiles	500	63	834	30	1,200	32 0 0	.....
4	Hides	1,325	13,250	1,861	67	1,411	64 12 0	.....
9	Timber	1,680	5,915	3,035	108	3,704	102 4 0	.....
1	Turmeric	200	1,000	831	12	504	13 0 0	.....
1	Gunny-bags	50	300	172	6	252	4 8 0	.....
28	Piece-goods, &c., of Messrs. Bullock, Wellsted & Co.	.....	.....	25,150	898	35,920	734 0 0	.....
9	Passengers (12 in number)	.....	.....	452	16	634	14 0 0	.....
178	Empty boats	.....	.....	19,108	681	24,021	475 7 9	.....
453	Total	48,585	2,32,382	1,26,854	4,530	1,68,090	3,731 7 9	0 4·3
585	Total of same month last year	83,534	3,51,542	1,42,200	5,074	1,81,334	1,968 6 7	0 1·9
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
19	Passengers (521 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	213 7 10	.....
5	Bamboos (29,330 in number)	.....	807	.....	.....	.....	112 10 6	.....
	Timbers (11 in number) in one raft	.....	44	.....	.....	.....	4 9 0	.....
24	Total	.....	851	.....	.....	.....	329 11 4	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	1,434	.....	.....	.....	143 2 4	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
20	Laterite stone	5,608	85	9,257	331	4,760	90 12 0	.....
2	Timbers	504	1,638	832	28	538	8 0 0	.....
1	Tools, &c	300	500	525	19	798	21 0 0	.....
1	Miscellaneous	100	500	207	7	294	8 0 0	.....
8	Firewood	2,700	270	3,847	137	5,754	150 0 0	.....
25	Empty boats	.....	.....	4,527	163	4,570	120 12 0	.....
57	Total	9,212	2,993	19,175	685	16,714	398 8 0	0 4·6
7	Total of same month last year	2,000	31	4,242	151	5,144	59 2 0	0 2·0
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
2	Bamboos (8,800 in number)	.....	162	.....	.....	.....	38 8 0	.....
43	Boats passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
45	Total	.....	162	.....	.....	.....	38 8 0	.....
59	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
477	Private, including miscellaneous	48,585	2,33,233	1,26,854	4,530	1,68,090	4,061 3 1	.....
102	Government stores, including miscellaneous	9,212	3,155	19,175	685	16,714	437 0 0	.....
579	Grand total	57,797	2,36,388	1,46,029	5,215	1,84,804	4,498 3 1*	.....
651	Grand total of same month last year	85,534	3,53,007	1,46,442	5,225	1,86,478	2,170 10 11	.....

* Of this, Rs. 850-14-4 is the total toll collection of Gobri Canal Locks, and Rs. 3,647-4-9 is the collection of Kendrapara Canal Locks.

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	3,916 0 1
Amount of tollage for the month	4,498 3 1
Total	8,414 3 2
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	4,539 10 3
Balance at the end of the month	3,874 8 11

High Level Canal, Range I.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—37 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P
11	Paddy	1,470	2,940	2,058	106	3,568	66 10 6	
22	Rice	8,207	12,828	6,423	229	7,799	188 11 3	
13	Salt	2,280	14,400	3,138	112	3,808	90 0 0	
2	Jaggery	175	875	258	9	306	6 12 0	
1	Hides	48	480	96	3	102	2 4 0	
3	Gram	52	78	104	4	128	3 0 0	
4	Salt-fish	275	2,750	554	20	646	15 12 0	
1	Saroo	20	40	47	3	46	0 8 0	
3	Sundries	100	150	196	7	238	5 4 0	
2	Straw	75	23	180	6	54	1 12 0	
4	Gingelly	322	1,288	647	23	567	14 4 0	
1	Timber	62	201	125	4	88	2 8 0	
3	Sleepers	586	2,344	1,172	42	1,423	34 8 0	
2	Gyals	290	200	582	21	706	16 8 0	
12	Passengers (128 in number)			1,914	68	2,182	57 11 6	
61	Empty boats			6,833	244	7,635	174 8 0	
143	Total	8,962	38,597	25,227	901	29,296	700 10 0	0 4·8
269	Total of same month last year	18,231	49,396	50,914	1,819	56,765	710 4 5	0 2·4
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
	Demurrage on boats						2 2 0	
	Total						2 2 0	
	Total of same month last year							

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

35	Laterite stone	8,811	138	17,623	629	620	175 4 0	
64	Rubble stone	15,793	246	31,588	1,128	1,128	315 0 0	
1	Portland cement	500	1,000	816	29	986	24 0 0	
3	Shutters, &c.			1,892	68	2,278	56 8 0	
1	Engine, &c.			504	18	612	15 0 0	
88	Empty boats			15,126	540	5,557	174 12 0	
191	Total	25,104	1,384	67,549	2,412	11,190	759 8 0	1 1·0
5	Total of same month last year	36	360	1,293	46	1,420	18 10 9	0 2 5
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
4	Boats passed free							
4	Total							
	Total of same month last year							

ABSTRACT.

143	Private, including miscellaneous	8,962	38,597	25,227	901	29,296	702 12 0	
195	Government stores, including miscellaneous	25,104	1,384	67,549	2,412	11,190	759 8 0	
338	Grand total	34,066	39,981	92,776	3,313	40,486	1,462 4 0	
	Deduct amount erroneously charged to Mr. Kriens, Asst. Engineer, during December 1878.						6 0 0	
							1,456 4 0	
274	Grand total of same month last year	18,267	49,756	52,207	1,865	58,185	728 15 2	

MEMO.

	Rs. A P
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,301 4 3
Amount of tollage for the month	1,456 4 0
Total	2,757 8 3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,765 12 9
Balance at the end of the month	991 11 6

Taldunda Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—27 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
2	Jaggery	429	2,574	594	21	531	5 15 2	.....
1	Paddy	138	150	198	5	50	1 15 9	.....
20	Rubbee	7,841	274	13,345	477	3,337	66 11 9	.....
1	Timber	158	30	250	9	108	2 8 0	.....
22	Passengers	.....	.....	9,047	323	969	46 9 0	.....
30	Empties	.....	.....	6,317	225	2,706	35 10 10	.....
76	Total	8,566	3,028	29,751	1,060	7,701	159 6 6	0 3·9
23	Total of same month last year	3,280	3,267	7,163	255	3,841	17 14 9	0 0·9
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	20 logs	.....	105	.....	.....	.....	7 8 0	.....
...	5,800 bamboos	.....	115	.....	.....	.....	14 8 0	.....
...	504 passengers	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 13 11	.....
...	Total	.....	220	.....	.....	.....	24 13 11	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	442	.....	.....	.....	25 13 6	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
...	Nil.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14	Total of same month last year	2,576	98	6,510	232	3,487	16 4 8	0 0·8
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Nil.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
..	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	Total of same month last year	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	5 13 4	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
76	Private, including miscellaneous	8,566	3,248	29,751	1,060	7,701	184 4 5	.....
...	Government stores, including miscellaneous	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
76	Grand Total	8,566	3,248	29,751	1,060	7,701	184 4 5	.....
37	Grand total of same month last year	5,856	3,877	13,673	487	7,328	65 14 1	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	97 5 11
Amount of tollage for the month	184 4 5
Total	281 10 4
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	142 10 2
Balance at the end of the month	139 0 2

High Level Canal, Range II.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—12½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

14	Paddy	2,260	4,520	4,615	165	2,081	88 8 0	.....
9	Rice	677	2,709	1,557	56	735	29 8 0	.....
8	Salt	1,800	9,000	4,063	145	1,021	79 8 0	.....
4	Gingelly	357	1,428	716	26	276	18 8 0	.....
1	Jaggery	85	425	170	6	72	3 0 0	.....
9	Passengers (66 in number)	.....	.....	1,242	45	505	25 8 8	.....
46	Empty boats	.....	.....	4,907	178	1,651	111 10 0	.....
91	Total	5,179	18,081	17,535	621	6,391	349 2 8	0 10·5
...	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Timbers (26 in number)	.....	104	.....	.....	.....	4 14 0	.....
..	Total	.....	104	.....	.....	.....	4 14 0	.....
..	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

High Level Canal, Range II—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate		Tonnage of boats.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
70	Rubble stone	16,235	254	32,513	1,161	13,932	634 0 0	.....
2	Laterite stone	1,190	19	2,380	85	1,020	47 0 0	.....
1	Timbers	500	1,200	1,020	36	432	23 12 0	.....
3	Firewood	596	60	1,193	43	516	23 8 0	.....
42	Gravel	10,308	288	20,711	740	4,440	403 0 0	.....
110	Empty boats	.....	.....	21,070	774	7,524	409 8 0	.....
228	Total ...	28,829	1,821	79,487	2,839	27,864	1,540 12 0	0 10·6
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
91	Private, including miscellaneous	5,179	18,185	17,835	621	6,391	354 0 8	.....
228	Government stores, including miscellaneous	28,829	1,821	79,487	2,839	27,864	1,540 12 0	.....
319	Grand total ...	34,008	20,006	96,822	3,460	34,255	1,894 12 8	.....
...	Deduct amount erroneously charged against Assistant Engineer Mr. Kriens during December 1878.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 0 0	.....
							1,890 12 8	
...	Grand total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Memo.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	... 491 6 0
Amount of tollage during the month	... 1,890 12 8
Total	... 2,382 2 8
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	... 736 7 0
Balance at the end of the month	... 1,645 11 8

High Level Canal, Range III.

Length of Canal open—6½ miles.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

3	Paddy	140	280	277	10	130	5 0 0	.....
1	Rice	40	100	95	3	21	1 8 0	.....
1	Jaggery	85	425	170	6	102	3 0 0	.....
4	Empty boats	.....	.....	301	11	105	5 6 0	.....
9	Passengers (31 in number)	.....	.....	1,242	44	715	22 14 9	.....
37	Total ...	265	805	2,085	74	1,073	37 12 9	0 6·8
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

3	Kurkutcha	600	10	1,040	37	37	20 0 0	.....
2	Sand	350	6	606	23	132	12 0 0	.....
0	Empty boats	.....	.....	1,356	48	327	26 0 0	.....
10	Total ...	950	16	3,002	108	496	58 0 0	1 10·5
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
17	Private, including miscellaneous ...	265	805	2,085	74	1,073	37 12 9	.....
10	Government stores, including miscellaneous	950	16	3,002	108	496	58 0 0	.....
27	Grand total ...	1,215	881	5,037	182	1,569	95 12	.....
...	Grand total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Memo.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	... 259 7 0
Amount of tollage for the month	... 95 12 9
Total	... 355 3 9
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	... 264 7 0
Balance at the end of the month	... 90 12 9

SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.

Midnapore Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—53 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS.		Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo.	Mds.	Tons.			

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

		Mds	Rs				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
33	Betel-leaves	1,123	6,144	4,305	.....	.....	21 0 [illegible]	.....
5	Betel nuts	340	3,306	1,105	.....	.....	9 7 9	.....
1	Bricks and tiles (150 in number)	20	30	175	.....	... ..	0 10 6	.....
1	Bamboos (100 in number)	40	12	70	.....	... ..	0 3 0	.....
41	Brass and copper, and their manufactures	4,845	1,80,750	12,685	.....	.. ..	110 15 0	.....
19	Coal and coke	3,265	1,702	6,905	.....	.....	68 10 6	.....
6	Cotton, raw	370	7,400	1,300	.....	.....	11 6 0	.....
14	Cocoanuts (45,600 in number)	772	1,389	1,940	.. ...	.. ...	21 3 0	.....
48	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)	4,530	[illegible]	14,040	..	... ..	125 10 6	.....
15	Cotton piece-goods (European)	2,243	1,87,480	5,475	... ..	. ..	73 1 0	.....
11	Cotton ditto (Indian)	280	7,825	1,870	.....	... ..	15 12 3	.....
19	Curd	1,153	2,310	4,010	... ..	.. ..	33 0 0	.....
1	Cattle (2 in number)	10	20	70		... ..	0 [illegible] 9	.....
1,053	Empty boats	.....	...	71,970	. .	.	650 4 8	.....
20	Earthenware	1,361	528	3,620	... ..	... ..	15 1 0	.....
8	Firewood	375	113	1,325	.....	.....	7 0 6	.. ...
13	Fruits and nuts of all kinds	1,010	2,220	2,720	... ..	.....	36 4 0	.....
63	Gram and pulse	5,270	19,700	15,270	... .	... ..	131 5 3	.....
2	Gunny bags (200 in number)	45	50	200	.. .	.....	3 0 0	.....
1	Glassware	100	1,000	300	.....	.....	2 10 0	.....
1	Gunny cloths (pieces 150)	50	...	125	.....	... ..	0 7 6	.....
2	Horns	200	5,000	625	.. ..	.....	5 7 6	.....
8	Hides of cattle, untanned (10,650 in number)	1,570	22,450	3,275	... ..	.....	47 1 6	.....
2	Iron and its manufactures	150	1,500	525	... ..	.....	4 9 6	.....
4	Indigo	650	70,000	1,450	.....	.....	22 1 0	.....
13	Indigo seeds	3,112	30, 0	6,375	...	.....	90 13 6	.....
27	Jute, raw	4,145	15,755	8,975	. ..	.....	36 6 6	.....
1	Lime and limestone	50	47	125	.. ..	.....	0 7 6	.....
1	Liquor	10	1,000	60	..	.....	0 8 3	.....
48	Mustard	6,495	25,981	15,275	.....	.....	124 4 0	.....
74	Miscellaneous	4,225	10,497	13,900	.....	.....	123 5 5	.....
4	Oil cake	395	1,540	970	.....	.....	3 10 6	.....
2	Oil	70	600	360	.....	.....	3 14 0	.....
4	Other fibres, raw	975	1,170	2,425	.....	.....	21 2 0	.....
1	Ditto, manufactured	300	3,000	675	.....	.....	14 5 6	.....
10	Other saline substances	900	1,401	[illegible]	.....	.....	2 15 0	.....
1,302	Passenger boats	..	..	64,475	.....	.....	595 12 6	.....
451	Paddy	39,297	60,360	75,720	.....	.....	1,223 3 3	.....
390	Rice	76,878	2,35,868	1,39,510	.....	.....	1,434 2 9	.....
7	Silk, raw	245	51,650	1,[illegible]5	.....	.....	11 3 6	.....
84	Salt	27,425	1,00,670	49,475	.....	.....	543 9 0	.....
28	Straw (443 kahuns)	4,449	1,259	12 [illegible]	.....	.....	50 8 6	.....
25	Sand	7,050	705	12,125	... ..	.....	45 7 9	.....
9	Stone plates	645	2,050	1,515	. ..	.....	16 15 0	.....
1	Stamp paper	20	2,000	100	.....	.....	0 14 6	.....
35	Sugar, unrefined	3,276	10,907	7,335	.....	.....	71 3 9	... ..
37	Sál piles (1,425 in number)	3,238	4,867	3,100	... ..	.....	39 11 3	.....
4	Spices	650	4,800	1,475	.....	... ..	21 5 6	.....
19	Timber (106 in number)	1,243	2,720	1,445	.....	.. ...	35 3 9	.....
46	Tobacco	5,340	34,665	13,150	.....	.....	135 2 6	.....
27	Vegetable and other kinds of provision	1,090	2,[illegible]0	3,480	.....	.....	30 9 6	.....
20	Wheat	1,680	5,570	4,900	... .	... ..	58 14 3	.....
4,109	Total	2,21,195	18,10,203	5,08,285	21,367	3,98,798	6,[illegible]3 7 6	0 3
4,641	Total of same month last year	2,96,514	13,77,063	7,89,275	28,188	5,87,050	9,613 14 3	0 3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (9,428 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	179 6 9	.....
...	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...	20 3 3	.....
15	Boats passed free	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Total	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	193 10 0	.. ...
10	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	253 13 9	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

27	Bricks (186,700 in number)	18,670	2,778	23,000	.....	.....	243 0 0	.....
4	Coal	2,523	788	4,025	.....	..	35 3 6	.....
1	Portland cement	10	80	40	.....	..	0 2 0	.. ...
1	Stores	20	200	80	.....	...	1 11 6	.....
1	Bamboos (40 in number)	15	5	60	.....	... ..	0 4 0	.....
2	Ghoonting	350	63	675	.....	.. .	0 [illegible] 0	.....
39	Empty boats	.....	... .	9,590	.....	.. ..	84 12 3	.
75	Total	21,590	3,960	42,470	1,517	24,433	375 6 6	.....
28	Total of same month last year	8,710	3,130	37,130	611	7,763	131 4 3	. ..
	MISCELLANEOUS.			Nil				
...	Total	... ..	... ..	..	.....	.. .	.	... .
...	Total of the same month last year	.....	.....	. . .	.....	.....	0 1 0	.....

Midnapore Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	ABSTRACT.	Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
4,124	Private, including miscellaneous	2,23,195	13,19,203	5,98,280	21,367	3,95,708	6,425 1 6	.....
75	Government stores, including miscellaneous	21,590	3,909	42,470	1,517	24,455	375 6 6	.....
4,199	Grand Total ...	2,44,785	13,23,113	6,40,750	22,884	4,20,163	6,800 8 0	.....
4,679	Grand total of same month last year ...	3,05,224	13,80,202	8,06,405	28,799	5,94,812	9,099 1 3	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	650 13 0
Amount of tollage for the month	6,800 8 0
Total ...	7,451 5 0
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	4,807 9 9
Balance at the end of the month	2,643 11 3

Hidgellee Tidal Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—29 MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

34	Betelnuts	13	258	215	.....	.....	2 7 6	.....
20	Cocoanuts (34,069 in number)	619	822	2,310	.....	.....	24 8 3	.....
5	Coal	1,600	438	3,000	.....	.....	20 10 0	.....
5	Cloth, or cotton piece-goods (European) ...	282	10,700	1,255	.....	.....	16 3 6	.....
1	Cotton, twist and yarn (European)... ...	18	1,000	60	.....	.....	1 1 6	.....
723	Empty boats	.....	.....	52,875	.....	.....	491 0 9	.....
1	Earthenware	5	4	40	.....	.....	0 7 0	.....
1	Firewood	5	1	20	.....	.....	0 3 6	.....
7	Ghooting or lime stone...	550	116	1,025	.....	.....	7 0 9	.....
1	Goran wood	100	48	275	.....	.....	1 14 3	.....
4	Hental wood	450	220	1,300	.....	.....	13 4 0	.....
2	Hemp	200	1,000	500	.....	.....	3 7 0	.....
121	Miscellaneous	4,488	35,539	14,130	.....	.....	185 9 3	.....
3	Mats (2,100 in number)	220	1,050	985	.....	.....	6 12 3	.....
31	Mustard	1,176	4,802	4,420	.....	.....	47 3 9	.....
1	Oil-cake	10	10	60	.....	.....	0 6 6	.....
4	Ooloo grass (178 kahuns)	518	209	1,275	.....	.....	8 12 3	.....
46	Passenger boats	.....	.....	3,280	.....	.....	36 6 0	.....
403	Paddy	44,020	66,236	36,635	.....	.....	1,052 8 6	.....
4	Potatoes	27	60	90	.....	.....	1 9 9	.....
1	Plant	16	32	100	.....	.....	0 11 0	.....
385	Rice	40,042	1,14,485	79,525	.....	.....	727 7 3	.....
41	Straw (354 kahuns)	5,660	718	11,050	.....	.....	75 15 6	.....
11	Sand	1,220	28	2,425	.....	.....	17 12 3	.....
2	Soondry pile	70	140	425	.....	.....	3 14 6	.....
2	Spices	22	1,072	300	.....	.....	2 10 0	.....
3	Sugar, refined	16	198	220	.....	.....	3 15 6	.....
1	Skins (700 in number)	50	2,500	125	.....	.....	0 13 9	.....
1	Sugar, unrefined	2	8	40	.....	.....	0 11 3	.....
14	Salt	2,840	10,875	5,825	.....	.....	40 6 3	.....
13	Timber (350 in number)	2,235	4,230	1,003	.....	.....	58 0 0	.....
15	Tobacco	101	724	1,145	.....	.....	15 7 6	.....
10	Tamarind	94	217	815	.....	.....	7 2 3	.....
1,883	Total	1,06,074	2,57,740	2,76,810	9,886	1,63,285	2,856 2 6	0 3·3
774	Total of same month last year ...	30,839	59,495	86,760	3,098	50,034	877 2 6	0 3·3
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Passengers (172 in number)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 9 6	.....
...	6 rafts of 45 timber	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8 3 3	.....
...	Demurrage, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20 1 6	.....
1	1 raft of 325 bamboos	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	0 13 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34 11 3	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2 11 3	.....

(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.

3	Ghooting or lime stone	600	48	1,100	.....	.....	7 9 0	.....
1	Sand	100	.....	175	.....	.....	1 8 3	.....
1	Miscellaneous	200	.....	200	.....	.....	1 6 0	.....
3	Empty boats	.....	.....	240	.....	.....	1 10 0	.....
8	Total ...	900	48	1,715	61	674	11 13 3	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ABSTRACT.

1,883	Private, including miscellaneous	1,06,674	2,57,740	2,76,810	9,886	1,63,285	2,890 13 9	.....
8	Government stores, including miscellaneous	900	48	1,715	61	674	11 12 3	.....
1,891	Grand Total ...	1,07,574	2,57,788	2,78,525	9,947	1,63,959	2,902 10 0	.....
774	Grand total of same month last year ...	30,839	59,495	86,760	3,098	50,034	879 13 9	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	649 7 6
Amount of tollage for the month	2,902 10 0
Total ...	3,552 1 6
Amount credited in the accounts of the month	2,672 15 3
Balance at the end of the month	879 2 3

SONE CIRCLE.

Arrah Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—65 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons.	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE.							
		Mds.	Rs.				Rs. A. P.	A. P.
1	Rice	25	96	54	1	20	0 6 6	.....
1	Paddy	100	100	196	7	140	1 6 9	.....
15	Salt	5,800	29,000	7,377	263	14,484	153 2 6	.....
15	Sugar (Goor)	1,700	8,500	3,158	112	4,360	46 15 6	.....
6	Ghee	1,000	20,000	1,553	55	2,160	23 7 0	.....
16	Sessamum seeds (til)	1,500	7,500	2,423	86	3,440	174 9 9	.....
2	Castor seeds	200	600	432	15	920	9 13 6	.....
1	Calcutta stone	700	21	890	31	1,798	9 9 0	.....
2	Lime	400	80	547	19	1,044	11 7 9	.....
3	Grass	50	7	366	13	208	2 3 0	.....
1	Bale	200	50,000	337	12	960	9 12 0	.....
2	Coops (Ghee)	100	25	198	7	560	5 4 0	.....
6	Coal	3,600	1,503	3,151	112	2,280	24 0 9	.....
23	Passenger	.....	.....	1,623	57	2,584	29 6 3	.....
20	Empty	.....	.....	2,974	106	2,976	18 11 9	.....
							519 14 3	
	Deduct excess charged in November 1878 ... Rs. 98 6 9						102 6 9	
	Deduct excess charged in December 1878 ... Rs. 4 0 0							
	Total ... Rs. 102 6 9							
117	Total	15,375	1,17,433	25,279	896	37,934	417 7 6	0 2
120	Total of same month last year	19,930	40,796	23,835	1,030	23,213	540 0 0	0 4·4
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Rafts of bamboos and bullahs (No. 1,34,001)	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	27 6 6	.....
...	Total ...	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	27 6 6	.....
..	Total of same month last year ...	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	34 15 6	.....
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
1	Almirah	100	75	225	8	464	4 14 9	.....
153	Rubble	60,000	1,800	60,273	2,152	3,432	178 3 0	.....
4	Pipe	1,000	100	1,441	51	816	16 4 3	.....
2	Bridge	100	500	311	11	176	1 14 0	.....
1	Derrick	275	300	375	13	754	8 3 3	.....
1	Seeso seeds	50	50	82	2	32	0 7 6	.....
1	Mahogany trees	31	31	131	4	232	1 0 3	.....
1	Seeds of teak	50	50	131	4	232	0 15 0	.....
2	Rails	900	4,500	1,188	41	205	7 0 6	.....
3	Iron	700	3,500	1,028	36	2,088	21 14 0	.....
1	Engine	330	800	477	17	986	10 6 3	.....
1	Timber	330	500	497	17	986	10 6 3	.....
7	Empty	.....	.....	1,013	36	1,402	10 2 9	.....
1	Iron barge of Dehree Workshop Division ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 0 0	.....
							286 11 9	
	Add less charged in December 1878	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1 4 0	.....
179	Total ...	63,866	12,206	67,141	2,392	11,805	287 15 0	0 4
60	Total of same month last year	10,569	10,583	17,253	617	13,856	174 7 3	0 2·4
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
...	Rafts of timber (40 in number)	.....	4,000	.....	.....	.....	22 8 0	.....
...	Total ...	.....	4,000	.....	.....	.....	22 8 0	.....
...	Total of same month last year ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	ABSTRACT.							
117	Private, including miscellaneous	15,375	1,17,433	25,279	896	37,934	444 14 0	.....
179	Government stores, including miscellaneous	63,866	12,206	67,141	2,392	11,805	310 7 0	.....
296	Grand Total ...	79,241	1,29,639	92,420	3,288	49,739	755 5 0	.....
180	Grand total of same month last year ...	30,499	51,379	40,088	1,647	37,069	749 6 9	.....

MEMO.

	Rs. A. P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	1,204 12 5
Amount of tollage for the month	755 5 0
Total ...	1,960 1 5
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,616 10 0
Balance at the end of the month	433 7 5

Western Main Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—22 MILES.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	APPROXIMATE		TONNAGE OF BOATS		Ton mileage	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile
		Weight of cargo.	Value of cargo	Mds	Tons			
	LOCAL TRAFFIC.							
	(1) PRIVATE							
		Mds	Rs				Rs A P	A P.
5	Ghee	825	16 500	1,150	52	1,152	20 13 6	.. ..
19	Ied	8,975	35,500	11,750	419	10,894	103 14 6	
2	Do.	325	1,500	5 5	18	396	4 4 3	.....
2	Empty boats	.		125	4	88	0 8 0	
28	Total ..	10,025	53,500	13,850	493	12,730	194 8 3	0 29
50	Total of same month last year ..	5,525	20,175	11,500	410	10,054	146 14 0	0 28
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
7	Ashlar stone	175	8	525	18	72	2 3 0	.. ..
1	Ditto	25	1	75	3	15	0 5 0	... ..
1	Table and chair	25	10	75	3	42	0 9 9	..
1	Ditto	15	10	75	3	42	0 9 9	
1	Earthen pots	25	10	75	3	42	0 9 9	.
11	Empty boats			350	13	102	1 5 6	..
22	Total ..	275	39	1,175	43	375	5 10 9	0 29
260	Total of same month last year	31,150	1 502	63,125	2,254	12,400	400 3 0	0 62
	ABSTRACT.							
28	Private, including miscellaneous . .	10,025	53,500	13,850	493	12,730	194 8 3	.....
22	Government stores, including miscellaneous	275	39	1,175	43	375	5 10 9	.....
50	Grand Total ..	10,300	53,539	15,025	536	13,105	200 3 0	. ..
310	Grand total of same month last year ..	36,625	21,750	74,625	2,664	23,460	547 1 0	..

MEMO.

	Rs	A.	P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	75	2	3
Amount of tollage for the month	200	3	0
Total ...	275	5	3
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	218	0	0
Balance at the end of the month	57	5	3

Patna Canal.

LENGTH OF CANAL OPEN—86½ MILES.

LOCAL TRAFFIC.

(1) PRIVATE.

3	Rice	850	1 950	1,127	48	1,726	121 8 0	.. ..
47	Other food	5,077	24 535	10,132	361	25,740	251 12 3	
89	Til	8 529	23,885	12,711	451	32,096	336 12 0	.....
3	Other seeds	240	1 020	454	16	667	7 2 3	.
5	Clothing	503	2,500	741	26	1,639	16 2 0	. ..
2	Staples of manufacture	80	165	608	21	310	3 8 8	.. ...
29	Building materials	6,078	567	11,904	424	31 052	170 6 0	..
2	Fuel	504	236	914	3	186	0 14 6	.....
10	Cooking utensils	1,750	920	3,291	118	9 571	90 9 6	..
46	Miscellaneous	3,051	19,715	7,430	227	10,185	140 1 6	.. ..
93	Empty boats	...	.. ...	8,105	287	16,070	85 3 4	.
2	Passenger boats	. ..	.. ...	197	7	124	1 4 0	.
6	Engine	.. ..	.	1 020	58	4 826	48 7 0	.
25	Iron rails (1,051 in number)	. .	14,210	10,515	.375	31,255	317 15 6	..
312	Total ...	27,647	89,703	70,119	2,448	1 68,024	1,501 10 10	0 13
171	Total of same month last year ...	11,054	50,140	33,470	1,193	69 907	687 8	0 13
	MISCELLANEOUS							
...	Bamboos and bullahs (3 6,923 in number)	.... .	4,572	...	.. ...		175 14 5	
..	Passengers (15 in number)	. .	.	.. ..	.		3 1 0	..
...	Demurrage of one boat	. .			.		1 4 0	
.	Total ...	...	4 572	...		.. ..	179 .3 11	.
...	Total of same month last year ..	.... ..	5,125	..			215 5 6	. ...

Patna Canal—continued.

Number of boats.	Nature of cargo.	Approximate Weight of cargo.	Approximate Value of cargo.	Tonnage of boats. Mds.	Tonnage of boats. Tons	Ton mileage.	Tollage.	Rate of toll per ton mile.
	(2) STORES AND MATERIALS FOR IRRIGATION WORKS.							
6	Ashlar	417	13	2,500	89	3,472	20 11 0	.....
36	Rubble	6,707	206	13,454	482	20,554	111 6 3	.....
30	Bricks	6,550	140	8,784	314	1,952	67 12 0	.....
2	Rubble-pitching	950	95	1,462	52	2,606	16 12 0	.....
2	Lime	100	15	188	6	90	0 9 0	.....
1	Other building materials	15	3	43	1	12	0 2 3	.....
2	Coal	500	250	765	27	2,120	11 1 3	.....
1	Miscellaneous	.....	.....	248	8	556	5 4 6	.....
1	Tools and plant	100	300	248	9	9	1 12 0	.....
55	Empty boats	.....	.....	5,673	199	6,174	30 9 3	.....
138	Total	15,339	1,031	33,365	1,187	37,554	271 15 6	0 1·2
362	Total of same month last year	40,737	11,148	86,811	3,096	89,421	1,223 0 0	0 2·6
	MISCELLANEOUS.							
8	Steamers passed free	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	Boats ditto	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
12	Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
170	Total of same month last year	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

ABSTRACT.

313	Private, including miscellaneous	27,047	94,275	70,119	2,443	1,68,924	1,680 14 9	.....
150	Government stores, including miscellaneous	15,339	1,031	33,365	1,187	37,554	271 15 6	.....
463	Grand total	42,386	95,306	1,03,484	3,630	2,06,478	1,952 14 3	.....
703	Grand total of same month last year	52,691	50,413	1,20,281	4,291	1,59,418	2,124 13 7	.....

MEMO.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Unrecovered balance on the 1st of the month	481	13	7
Amount of tollage for the month	1,952	14	3
Total	2,434	11	10
Amount credited in the accounts for the month	1,459	13	9
Balance at the end of the month	974	14	1

ABSTRACT.

Canals.	Tollage of the year 1878-79. During the month.	Tollage of the year 1878-79. To end of month.	Tollage of the year 1877-78. During the corresponding month.	Tollage of the year 1877-78. To end of corresponding month.	Remarks
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
ORISSA CIRCLE.					
Kendrapara	4,498 3 1	26,502 2 7	2,170 10 11	17,578 13 2	
High Level, Range I	1,456 4 0	8,888 0 8	728 15 2	5,496 14 0	
Taldunda	184 4 5	1,318 5 1	65 14 1	1,253 1 8	
High Level, Range II	1,890 12 8	3,321 11 7	.....	.....	
Ditto, ditto III	95 12 9	571 14 10	.....	.....	
Total Orissa Circle	8,125 4 11	40,562 0 9	2,965 8 2	24,257 12 10	
SOUTH-WESTERN CIRCLE.					
Midnapore	6,800 8 0	65,339 1 2	9,999 1 3	84,274 0 0	
Hidgellee Tidal	2,902 10 0	46,392 13 6	879 13 9	58,022 11 9	
Total South-Western Circle	9,703 2 0	1,11,731 14 8	10,878 15 0	1,42,296 11 9	
SONE CIRCLE					
Arrah	755 5 0	8,081 11 3	749 6 9	10,546 2 2	
Western Main	200 3 0	1,003 7 9	547 1 9	3,018 4 9	
Patna	1,052 14 3	14,859 7 8	2,124 13 7	3,976 7 5	
Total Sone Circle	2,008 6 3	23,944 10 8	3,421 6 1	17,540 14 4	
GRAND TOTAL	20,786 13 2	1,76,238 10 1	17,265 13 3	1,84,095 6 11	

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Joint-Secy. to the Government of Bengal,

P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

The 4th March 1879.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, IRRIGATION BRANCH.

Areas leased for Irrigation up to 31st January 1879.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Supply of water in the Canals.			Five-year leases.		Three-year leases.				Annual leases				Sugarcane		Grand Total up to end of the month.				Grand total of corresponding period of last year.	Rainfall.			Remarks.
						Khurreef.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.		Khurreef.		Rubbee.									Inches during the month.	Inches during 1878-79.	Average of ten previous years of the same period.	
			Estimated full discharge in cubic feet per second.	Average discharge in cubic feet per second throughout the month.	Estimated discharge utilized	Leased during January.	Leased up to end of January.	Leased during January.	Leased up to end of January.	Leased during January.	Leased up to end of January.	Leased during January.	Leased up to end of January.	Leased during January.	Leased up to end of January.	Leased during January.	Leased up to end of January.	Khurreef.	Rubbee.	Sugarcane.	Total.					
						Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.	Acr	Acr.	Acr.	Acr.				
Orissa	Cuttack	Kendrapara	1,269	323·97	...	...	32,518	...	.	...	...	...	.....	73	563	...	33	32,518	573	33	33,114	28,991	...	43·66	.....	
		Pattamundee	..	..	.	...	9,815	...	...	..	...	...	. ..	. ....	471	...	...	9,815	471		10,286	903				
		High Level, Section I.	675	104·17	...	...	12,875	...	...	...	...	...	... ..	57	63	...	9	12,875	62	9	12,946	10,982				
		Toldunuah	1,300	64·27	...	...	9,285	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	380	...	119	9,284	380	119	9 784	8,657				
		Machgong	630	42·18	...	..	23,338	...	...	...	...	...	...	. ..	383	...	119	23,338	383	119	23,840	20,245				
		Gobri	.	...	...	..	... .	...	...	...	...	...	.....	....	85	...	6	.	85	6	91	23				
		Total of the month .	..	..	...	.	67,831	..	..	...	..	.	.	130	1,944	..	286	67,831	1,944	286	90,061	69,680	..	.	.. .	
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	....	.. .	...	...	. ...	.	...	...	..	.	66,944	1,657	2,540	3	196	66,944	2,340	196	69,680	.	..		.. ..	
South-Western	Midnapore ...	Midnapore	875	102	.	16	49,610	...	...	...	...	...	699	.....	... ..	...	..	49,309	.....	...	49,309	14,605	..	50 44	9 years 52 37	
	Howrah ...	Panchkoorah	300	Nil		.	5,956	...	...	.	..	..	133	.....	...			6,089	.	...	6,089	2,817	..	40 44	8 years 53 54	
		Total of the month	..	..		16	54,566	...	..	...	...	...	832	.	... .		...	55,398	...		55,398	17,422	...			
		Total of the corresponding month of previous year	..	... .	..		.... .	..	...	.	...	...	17,422	.....	..	...	...	17,422	.....	.	17,422	..	..		.	
Sone	Shahabad ...	Main Western	4,342	1,009	1,009	...	.	..	1,069	255	235	..	13,934	13,816	14,222	3,623	5,830	15,003	16,507	5,830	37,399	102,506	0·01	21·09	40·03	
	Gya and Patna ...	Arrah	1,660	729	727	...	... ..	...	774	35	35	...	51,581	6,287	19,304	5,694	5,924	52,355	19,139	5,924	77,618	120,580	.	31·83	38 19	
		Patna	1,466	448	400	..	... ..	...	379	..	160	.	4,986	3,800	6,170	246	283	5,065	6,330	283	11,978		.	34 15	37 34	
		Total of the month ...	.	..			...	...	2,222	320	430	...	70,501	23,933	41,696	9,559	12,037	72,723	42,176	12,037	126,996	223,086	...		.	
		Total of the correspond.ng month of previous year		.....	...		.	.	...	...		...	85,759	4,751	126,454	299	10,877	85,755	126,454	10,877	223,086	...	..		....	
		Grand total of the month ..	.....	.		16	142,397	..	2,222	320	430	..	71,333	24,685	43,640	9,559	12,373	215,952	44,120	12,373	272,445	310,188	..	.	.. ...	
		Grand tota of the correspouding month of previous year	.....	...	..	...	.....	...	..	...	...	..	170,121	6,408	128,994	302	11,073	170,121	128,994	11,073	310,188	...	...	...	.....	

The 17th March 1879.

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Reports of Fluctuation of Traffic on the East Indian Railway for four weeks ending 22nd February 1879.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY, TRAFFIC MANAGER'S OFFICE, JAMALPORE, THE 13TH MARCH 1879.

Remarks on Traffic of East Indian Railway for four weeks ending 22nd February 1879.

THE approximate figures for the period are as follow:—

	Coaching.		Goods.		Total.
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs.	Rs.
1879	631,547	8,07,189	67,91 958	22,77,326	31,44,515
1878	611,434	8,57,018	66,25,434	22,28,739	30 85,757
Increase	20,113	10,171	1,66,524	48,587	58.758
Decrease	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

The coaching traffic has been improved by the movement of pilgrims throughout the month of February. Very large numbers have travelled to and from Baidyanath—Bankipore for Gya and Benares.

In merchandise there is a slight increase of 2 51 per cent in weight lifted and 2 per cent. in earnings.

With the exception of grain seeds and downwards coal, there has been an increase in the generality of staples carried.

The principal items which call for remarks are—

Increases.

Coal, up.	Government stores.	Piece-goods.
Cotton.	Juggree.	Foreign Railway materials.

Decreases.

Coal, down.	Hides.	Seeds.
Edible grains and pulses.	Opium.	

Increases.

Coal, up ... . Mds. 1,97,152 Rs. 68,791

Increased demand from foreign lines to replenish stocks has caused this improvement.

Large despatches have been made from the Kurhurballee collieries to Benares, Gazeeabad, and Jubbulpore.

Cotton ... ... Mds. 1,25,431 Rs. 2,16,536

Enquiry for this staple continued during February, and it will be seen that the amount of freight earned is large.

Government stores . ... Mds. 10,746 Rs. 27,954

This includes both Ordnance and Commissariat stores, which continue to be despatched for the troops on the frontier.

Juggree ... . Mds. 1,03,722 Rs. 1,843

The increase in weight as compared with the small increased earnings is accounted for by the short lead over the main line this year, the bulk of this traffic has gone in the direction of Bombay

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 36 304 Rs. 36,257

The up-country markets have been more active during the month, and despatches have continued from Howrah principally to Patna, Cawnpore, and Delhi.

Foreign Railway materials .. .. Mds. 1,05,864 Rs. 46,057

This increase has arisen from the carriage of material from Howrah to the Nalhati and Gya State Railways.

Decreases.

Coal, down .. .. Mds. 69,295 Rs 8,983

This represents 2,500 tons or about five train-loads during the month, and is only a decrease of 4½ per cent. on the weight carried in some period of 1878

Edible grains and pulses—

In tons the increases and decreases are as follow:—

	Increase.		*Decrease.*	
	Tons.	Rs.	Tons.	Rs.
Barley	.....	... ..	5,781	20,275
Oats	.....	.....	300	3,409
Rice	.... .	.....	13,310	1,83,007
Wheat	.....	.....	2,800	10,285
Pulses	.....	... .	24,125	1,07,873
Other grains	40 000	1,29,366	.....	...
Increase	40,000	1,29,366	.....	... .
Decrease	.....	.....	46,316	3,24,849

The net decrease being tons 6,316 (Rs. 1,95,483); but this is more than counterbalanced by the increase in cotton traffic, amounting to Rs. 2,16,536.

In "other grains" the improvement has arisen from the large quantity of edible grain carried this month towards Rajpootana and the Punjab, where scarcity was expected. This would have been considerably increased but for the inability of the Rajpootana State Railway to cope with the traffic which we were offering for Rajpootana early in February. The through booking of edible grain and all special class goods either *viâ* Delhi or *viâ* Agra is still prohibited, and this action on the part of the Rajpootana State Railway authorities has had a most depressing influence on the principal marts in the north-west and as a natural consequence on our receipts

Hides	Mds.	26,345	Rs 23,539
Opium	„	54,781	„ 63,927
Seeds	„	1,29,884	„ 75,485

The seed traffic has fallen off considerably owing to the crops last year having partially failed and the new crop not having yet come in. Cawnpore and Patna are the principal stations where this traffic has declined.

The train mileage for the period has been—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total.
1879	101,615	428,309	619,924
1878	186,620	447,795	634,416
Increase	4,995	.....	...
Decreases	.....	19,486	14,491

Earnings per train mile—

	Coaching.	Goods.	Total.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1879	4 8 5	5 5 1	5 1 2
1878	4 9 6	4 15 8	4 13 10
Increases	.....	0 5 5	0 3 4
Decreases	0 1 1	.....	.....

Jubbulpore line traffic—

	Coaching		Goods		Total
	No.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs	Rs.
1879	27,791	81,226	11,48,578	2,89,656	3,70,882
1878	29,959	89,070	5,93,706	1,67,274	2,56,344
Increases	.....	.....	5,54,872	1,22,382	1,14,538
Decreases	2,168	7,844	.....	.....	.....

In coaching the decrease is owing to fewer troop trains running this year as compared with last.

The increase in merchandize is in edible grains to Bombay.

The train mileage for the period has been—

	Coaching.	Goods	Total.
1879	21,500	77,069	98,569
1878	21,503	42,030	63,533
Increases	.....	35,039	35,036
Decreases...	3	.....	.....

Earnings per train mile—

Total decrease, Rs. 0-4-5.

N. St Leger Carter, *Traffic Manager.*

MAIN LINE.

Statement showing the Totals and Increases and Decreases of Staples during four weeks ending 22nd February 1879.

Staples	Weight.		Amount.		1879.			
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.	Increase.		Decrease.	
	Mds.	Mds	Rs.	Rs	Mds.	Rs.	Mds.	Rs
Beer, Commissariat	412	6,451	82	5,294	6,039	5,212	...	...
„ not Commissariat	5,061	4,619	6,498	5 354	...	...	442	1,144
Betel-nuts and leaves	5,422	14,152	3,361	13,564	8,730	10,203	.....	..
Boots and shoes	3,446	3,892	5,678	6,524	446	846	.....	..
Brass and brassware	13,108	13,328	8,292	8,535	220	43	.....	..
Bricks	27,956	5,892	3,242	1,076	.....	.....	22,064	2,206
Coal, up	3,29,034	5,26,186	1,45,943	2,14,734	1,97,152	68,791	...	.
„ down	15,03,967	14,34,672	2,05,279	1,90,296	...	.....	69,295	8,983
Copper and copperware	2,123	9,885	11,284	12,006	762	721	.....	... ..
Cotton	26,098	1,51,529	18,791	2,35,327	1,25,431	2,16,536	... .	...
„ twist	13,490	12,932	13,723	12,655	..	.....	558	1,068
Dyewood	3,071	5,597	3,164	4,963	2,526	1,799	....	.. ..
Empty coopahs and casks	6,074	5,797	4,305	4,226	..	.....	277	79
Firewood	19,207	28,263	261	481	9 056	220	.....	.....
Fruits	20,776	25,195	10,411	11,168	4,419	757	.. ...	..
Glass and glassware	4,561	6,412	6,317	6,259	1,851	.....	.....	58
Ghee and oil	45,998	36,684	37,907	33,493	....	.. ...	7,314	4,474
G B. T. packages	2,197	2,928	6,899	8,962	731	2,063	....	...
Government Commissariat stores	8,810	15,118	6,462	26,843	6,308	20,381	.....	.....
„ Ordnance stores	7,221	11,659	11,475	19,048	4,438	7,573	....	... ..
Barley	1,82,895	21,004	23,900	3,625	.....	...	1,61,891	20,275
Oats	12,047	3,695	4,255	846	....	.....	8,352	3,409
Grains, edible, & Rice	8,28,745	4,55,970	2,83,559	1,00,552	.. ...	.....	3,72,775	1,83,007
Pulses. Wheat	2,32,346	1,53,575	47,014	56,729	... ..		78,671	10,285
Other grains	4,85,145	16,03,398	1,85,475	3,14,841	11,98,253	1,29,366		
Pulses of all kinds	8,01,505	1,26,081	1,26,242	28,369	....	.....	6,75,514	1,07,873
Gunny	59,349	60,097	35,218	35,658	748	440	..	
Hides and horns	1,13,149	86,904	87,991	64,452	.....	.....	26,245	23,539
Indigo	4,869	2,036	7,208	3,417	.....	.....	2,853	3,791
Iron	63,162	61,530	56,159	64,539		8,380	1,612	.
Jaggree	2,00,824	3,04,546	49,030	51,782	1,03,722	1,843	...	.....
Lac	21,064	22 652	13,524	15,313	1,588	1,789	.. .	...
Minerals	71,142	76,905	10,573	9,253	5,763		.	1,320
Oil-cake	9,943	8,890	1,959	1,973	. ..	14	1,047	
Opium	55,841	610	64,392	465	...	.....	54,731	63,927
Paper	5,119	5,780	6,050	6,521	661		..	138
Piece-goods	90,286	1,26,590	90,921	1,33,178	36,304	36,257		....
Railway materials, construction account	14,265	18,326	590	471	4 061		.	119
„ „ foreign	43,008	1,48,872	59,180	1,05,237	1,05,864	46,057		
Roots	22,246	22,940	8,901	9,314	694	413	.. .	
Salt	3,55,023	3,57,487	98,237	96,396	31,864	...		1,841
Saltpetre	67,679	73,591	27,037	27,367		330	14,098	
Seeds	3,09,810	3,79,926	2,22,044	1,46 559		.....	1,29,884	75,485
Silk	2,499	2,301	3,472	2,795	...	.	198	677
Spelter	3,403	6,867	3,951	8,675	3,464	4,724	.	.
Spices	11,091	17,696	10,259	15,840	6,605	5,581	.. .	
Stones	52,441	51,717	7,416	9,084	..	1,668	724	
Sugar	58,566	57,091	16,511	18,775		2,264	1,475	
Tea	2,473	3,823	3,048	5,248	1,350	1,600		
Timber	38,278	32,709	20,430	15,059			5,569	4,471
Tobacco	25,561	22,608	14,408	13,350			2,753	1,148
Turmeric	7,237	8,141	3,464	5,912	904	2,448		..
Wines	6,083	5,826	13,361	12,395	..		257	971
Miscellaneous	1,25,406	1,26,689	1,28,770	1,38,557	1,283	9,787	...	...
Total ...	66,35,722	67,98,360	22,62,216	23,30,054	17,91,237	5,88,126	16,38,590	5,20,288

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th March 1879 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts.	Train Miles Run.		
	No. of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.			Coaching.	Merchandise.	Total.
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week	160,615	2,27,945 15 3	20,805 0 11	15,71,341 10	5,67,801 4 6	52,042 0 0	7,95,747 3 9	47,788	113,289½	161,077½
Or per mile of railway	.....	178 1 10	16 6 7	.....	443 10 11	40 13 5	621 12 9	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	1,325,574	18,44,951 0 0	169,120 10 3	1,38,96,512 10	49,00,069 10 10	449,998 1 1	67,54,020 11 7	406,514½	906,634½	1,313,149
Total for 10 weeks ...	1,486,189	20,72,897 0 0	190,015 11 2	1,54,67,853 20	54,76,870 15 4	502,046 10 1	75,49,767 15 4	454,302½	1,019,924	1,474,226½
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	165,784	2,48,309 8 5	22,767 2 4	16,28,503 0	5,98,030 3 0	54,819 8 8	8,46,308 11 5	48,193	112,128	160,321
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	194 1 3	17 15 10	.....	467 4 10	42 16 8	661 6 1	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,382,071½	19,78,491 11 5	181,398 8 2	1,46,86,784 10	54,67,476 6 2	501,185 6 8	74,46,308 1 7	455,627	1,071,129	1,526,756

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 8th March 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Rs. A. P.			
Total traffic for the week... ...	7,953	20,074 7 0	2,390 3 1	2,25,493 20	62,977 14 0	5,772 19 6	88,052 5 0	5,283½	10,139½	21,422½
Or per mile of railway	... ...	116 8 7	10 13 8	.....	281 7 5	25 16 0	393 0 0	.....	.....	.....
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	69,621	2,12,373 3 3	19,467 10 11	24,87,842 20	6,46,400 1 0	59,257 18 5	9,58,823 4 3	45,781	174,995½	220,776½
Total for 10 weeks ...	77,574	2,38,447 10 3	21,857 14 0	27,13,311 0	7,09,427 15 0	65,030 17 11	9,47,875 9 3	51,034½	191,134½	242,199
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year	8,226	28,628 1 0	2,624 4 10	1,08,383 20	33,007 6 0	3,108 3 6	62,535 7 0	4,903	6,175	11,078
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ...	.....	127 15 2	11 14 7	.....	151 8 5	13 17 10	297 7 10	.....	.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	77,877	2,26,822 5 9	20,792 1 0	14,19,367 30	4,05,215 5 0	37,144 13 11	6,32,030 10 9	49,315	94,294	143,799

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for Week ended 8th March 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts.
	Number of passengers.	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried.	Receipts.		
		Rs. A. P.	£ s. d.	Mds. s.	Rs. A. P	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total traffic for the week	42,477½	38,050 13 3	3,488 16 3	1,31,803 0	23,771 12 9	2,179 1 7	5,667 17 10
Or per mile of railway	268	239 11 11	21 19 6	830 10	149 11 11	13 14 7	35 14 1
For previous 9 weeks of half-year	351,692	3,24,814 0 7	29,777 7 4	13,52,002 31	2,35,999 10 1½	23,284 4 5	53,061 11 9
Total for 10 weeks ...	394,169½	3,62,903 13 10	33,266 3 7	14,83,805 31	2,,6,781 3 10	25,263 6 0	58,729 9 7
Comparison.							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	45,878	36,040 1 2	3,303 13 6	2,55,033 1	46,741 2 8	4,284 12 1	7,588 5 7
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	289	277 0 5	20 16 3	1,606 28	294 6 11	26 19 10	47 16 8
Total to corresponding date of previous year...	401,926½	3,13,720 9 0	28,757 14 5	24,03,406 16	4,84,833 6 7	44,443 1 3	73,2?0 15 3

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 5.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open.	Receipts for week ending		Total Receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1879.	Total decrease in 1879.
			2nd February 1878.	1st February 1879.	To 2nd February 1878.	To 1st February 1879.		
1879.		Miles.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1st February ...	Northern Bengal	219	7,061 0 0	20,087 0 0	20,742 0 0	82,644 0 0	62,402 0 0	.....
1st " ...	Tirhoot	83	9,002 0 0	10,096 0 0	32,121 0 0	42,338 0 0	10,217 0 0	.....
22nd " ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern ...	28	2,562 0 0	2,497 0 0	11,063 0 0	11,060 0 0	3.7 0 0	.....
1st " ...	[illegible]	27½	2,011 0 0	1,652 0 0	9,040 0 0	7,861 0 0	.....	1,179 0 0
	Total ...	356½	21,236 0 0	34,033 0 0	73,065 0 0	1,44,842 0 0	72,936 0 0	1,179 0 0

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PART I.

Orders and Notifications by the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, &c.

ORDERS BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

REVENUE AND GENERAL DEPARTMENTS.

No. 1955A.

GENERAL.—*The 19th March* 1879.—Mr. A. A. Wace, Officiating Inspector-General of Registration, is appointed to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Howrah, with effect from the date on which he may relieve Mr. J. C. Price.

Mr. F. W. Badcock, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Inspector-General of Registration during the absence, on leave, of Mr. J. A. Bourdillon, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he may relieve Mr. A. A. Wace.

The 19th March 1879.—Mr. A. W. Cochran, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is vested with special appellate powers under Section 87 of the Land Registration Act VII (B.C.) of 1876.

The services of Mr. S. Jacob, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India, Legislative Department.

Moulvi Mahomed Abdool Kadir, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Soopool, Bhagulpore, on leave, is posted to the district of Pubna.

The 20th March 1879.—Mr. C. W. Bolton, Officiating Under-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Mr. C. P. L. Macaulay.

The 22nd March 1879.—Moulvi Abdool Kurreem, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is transferred to Tipperah.

Moulvi Mahomed, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, on leave, is posted to Furreedpore.

Mr. D. W. M. Testro, C.S., reported his departure from India on furlough on the 11th instant.

Mr. H. S. Beadon, C.S., reported his departure from India on furlough on the 8th instant.

Mr. F. E. Pargiter, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, in charge of the Magoorah division of the Jessore district, is transferred to the 24-Pergunnahs, and is appointed to act as Commissioner of the Soonderbuns, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. A. D'B. Gomess, or until further orders.

Baboo Bogolanund Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Burdwan, is transferred to Jessore, and is appointed to have charge of the Magoorah division of that district.

Mr. E. M. Reily, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, on leave, is transferred to Burdwan.

The 24th March 1879.—The three months' privilege leave granted to Mr. A. W. Scanlan, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, under orders dated the 3rd December last, has been commuted by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to six months' leave on medical certificate.

Baboo Juggutbhundhoo Bhuttacharjee is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Dacca during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Obhoy Chunder Das, or until further orders.

Mr. J. Boxwell, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sonthal Pergunnahs, is allowed subsidiary leave for nine days, in extension of that granted to him under the orders of the 21st January last.

Baboo Gour Das Bysack, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870.

Baboo Bhoobunnessur Sing, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Nowada, Gya, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Purneah district.

Baboo Sant Prosad, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Gya, on leave, is transferred to the Sudder Station of the Rajshahye district.

Baboo Mohini Mohun Chuckerbutty, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Putuakhally, Backergunge, is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870 for the purpose of acquiring land for the lock-up at Putuakhally.

Mr. W. B. Oldham, Officiating Deputy Commissioner, Sonthal Pergunnahs, having assumed charge of his office on the forenoon of the 15th instant, the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him under orders of the 16th December last is cancelled.

The services of Baboo Rakhal Das Mookerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Barripore, 24-Pergunnahs, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Board of Revenue for employment in the acquisition of land for the East Indian Railway.

Baboo Rakhal Das Mookerjee is vested with the powers of a Collector under Act X of 1870.

Mr. E. R. Middleton, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to have charge of the Barripore Division of that district.

Moulvi Syed Mohomed Israil, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Rungpore, is allowed leave for three years under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Nobin Chunder Das, M.A. and B.L., is appointed to act, until further orders, as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, and is posted to Rungpore.

The 25th March 1879.—Mr. H. Beverley, Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Pergunnahs and Hooghly, is allowed leave for three months under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 2nd May next, or such date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. W. H. Verner, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge, 24-Pergunnahs and Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. H. Beverley, or until further orders.

Baboo Nobin Chunder Sen, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in charge of the Madaripore Division of the Furreedpore district, is allowed leave for one month under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 1st April next, or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Baboo Shoshi Sikur Dutt, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Furreedpore, is appointed to have temporary charge of the Madaripore Division of that district, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Nobin Chunder Sen, or until further orders.

Mr. D. M. Barbour, Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Financial Department, is allowed furlough for nineteen months under Section 12 of the Civil Leave Code, together with subsidiary leave for a period not exceeding fifteen days under Section 24(*a*) of the Code.

Kumar Barendra Krishna, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Midnapore, is allowed leave for one month under Section 12-2, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 2nd April next.

Baboo Ananda Prosad Ghose, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Orissa during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Koylash Chunder Ghose, or until further orders.

Baboo Prankissen Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Julpigoree, on leave, is posted to Cuttack.

Mr. A. C. Mangles, Commissioner, Chota Nagpore, on leave, is appointed to be Opium Agent of Behar, *vice* Mr. H. W. Alexander, deceased.

Mr. J. F. K. Hewitt, Officiating Commissioner, Chota Nagpore, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Mr. A. C. Mangles.

Mr. W. R. Larminie, Magistrate and Collector of Burdwan, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade, *vice* Mr. J. F. K. Hewitt.

Mr. A. Weekes, Officiating Magistrate and Collector, Chumparun, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Second Grade, *vice* Mr. W. R Larminie.

Mr. W. M. Clay is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade in Chumparun, *vice* Mr. A. Weekes, but will continue to act, until further orders, as Magistrate and Collector of Pubna in the Second Grade.

Mr. H. W. Gordon is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade in Dinagepore, *vice* Mr. W. M. Clay.

Mr. F. F. Handley, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Cuttack, acted as Magistrate and Collector, Cuttack, from the 15th February 1879 to the 8th instant, both days inclusive.

Mr. O. T. Barrow, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Pooree, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Khoordah Division of that district, during the absence of Mr. H. A. D. Phillips, or until further orders.

Mr. J. C. Price, Officiating Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Howrah, is vested with the powers of a Collector, under Act X of 1870, for the purpose of acquiring lands required for public purposes in that district.

The services of Mr. L. R. Tottenham, District and Sessions Judge, Nuddea, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Home Department.

Mr. P. D. Dickens, District and Sessions Judge of Dacca, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Nuddea, until further orders.

Mr. J. Tweedie, Additional District and Sessions Judge of all the districts of the Rajshahye division, is appointed to act as District and Sessions Judge of Dacca, until further orders.

Mr. H. W. Gordon, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dinagepore, is appointed to act as Additional District and Sessions Judge of all the districts of the Rajshahye division, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr. J. Tweedie, or until further orders.

The orders of the 18th instant, appointing Mr. A. R. Wigram to act as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Patna, are cancelled.

POLICE.—*The 20th March* 1879.—Major W. L. N. Knyvett, District Superintendent of Police, Purneah, is allowed subsidiary leave for thirty days, under Section 24(*a*) of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties.

Mr. C. P. Crouch, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Chittagong Hill Tracts, is allowed leave for four months, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he availed himself of it.

The 24th March 1879.—Mr. H. Dawson, Assistant Superintendent of Police, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from the 10th January 1879, the date on which he made over charge of his duties as Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Lohardugga.

Mr. J. F. Needham, Assistant Superintendent of Police, Backergunge, is appointed to act, until further orders, as District Superintendent of Police, Chittagong Hill Tracts.

The 25th March 1879.—Mr. W. Campbell, District Superintendent of Police, who reported his return from furlough on the 2nd instant, is appointed to act temporarily as District Superintendent of Police, Purneah, *vice* Major W. L. N. Knyvett.

The following officers are appointed to be probationary Assistant Superintendents of Police, and are posted to the districts mentioned—

Mr	H. S. Schurr	...	...	... Burdwan.
,,	E. W. Payne	...	...	... Midnapore.
,,	H. E. C. Paget	...	...	... Patna.
,,	T. J. Foster	...	...	... Moorshedabad.
,,	A. R. Wigram	...	...	... Patna.

ECCLESIASTICAL.—*The 21st March* 1879.—The Revd. F. W. Robberds is appointed to be Chaplain of Dum-Dum.

REGISTRATION.—*The 17th March* 1879.—Mr. J. B. Pratt, Special Sub-Registrar of Jessore, is transferred to Arrah.

Baboo Sunjeeb Chunder Chatterjee, Special Sub-Registrar of Burdwan, is transferred to Jessore.

The 24th March 1879.—Baboo Raj Kissen Banerjee, Special Sub-Registrar, Noakholly, is allowed leave for three months, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code.

Baboo Kristo Hurry Bose, Special Sub-Registrar, Chittagong, is transferred to Noakholly.

Baboo Radha Madhub Bose, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar of Ranchi, in the district of Lohardugga, *vice* Babbo Rash Behari Bose, deceased, with effect from the 18th February last.

EDUCATION.—*The 22nd March* 1879.—Baboo Rajendro Nath Roy, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, is appointed to be a member of the Gya District School Committee.

The 24th March 1879.—Mr. F W. Badcock, Officiating Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is appointed to be Secretary to the District School Committee of that district.

OPIUM.—*The 20th March* 1879.—Mr. J. C. Shaw, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, was in charge of the Basti division of the Benares Agency from the afternoon of the 20th January 1879 to the afternoon of the 12th ultimo.

Mr. H. J. Lloyd, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, is appointed temporarily to have charge of the Fattegarh division of the Benares Agency till relieved by Mr. C. M. Jerdon, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st ultimo.

Mr. C. Paterson, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, was in charge of the Fatehpur division of the Benares Agency from the afternoon of the 17th to the forenoon of the 27th ultimo.

Mr. G. M. Gregory, Assistant Sub-Deputy Opium Agent, was in charge of the Ghazipore division of the Benares Agency from the forenoon of the 20th to the forenoon of the 24th January 1879.

MEDICAL.—*The 18th March* 1879.—The services of Surgeon H. Whitwell are placed at the disposal of the Government of India, in the Military Department.

The 22nd March 1879.—Honorary Surgeon-Major P. A. Minas, Civil Medical Officer, Dehree, on leave, is appointed to be Civil Medical Officer of Furreedpore with effect from the 5th February 1878, *vice* Dr. Bholanath Bose, retired.

The 24th March 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Bussanto Kumar Sen, attached to the Calcutta Medical College Hospital, is allowed leave for one year, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code.

The 24th March 1879.—Assistant Surgeon Rakhal Das Ghose is allowed leave for fifteen months, under Section 9, Supplement F to the Civil Leave Code, in extension of that granted to him under orders of the 11th April 1878.

Surgeon A. Tomes, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Goalundo and Kooshtea, is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon of Backergunge, during the absence, on leave, of Surgeon-Major L. Cameron, or until further orders, with effect from the date on which he may be relieved of his present appointment by Dr. V. Richards.

Apothecary E. D. Grose is appointed to have charge of the Lock-Hospital, Jallapahar, with effect from the 6th December 1878, inclusive, *vice* Assistant Apothecary J. A. Antonio.

Surgeon A. Crombie, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Dacca, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Surgeon-Major J. Jones.

Surgeon R. D. Murray, Officiating Civil Surgeon, Chittagong, is confirmed in that appointment, *vice* Surgeon A. Crombie.

MUNICIPAL.—*The 12th March* 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor approves the re-election by the Commissioners of the Bankoora Municipality of Dr. R. L. Dutt, Civil Surgeon, to be their Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.

Baboo Bhoot Nath Mookerjea is re-appointed to be a Commissioner of the Baraset Municipality.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Baraset Municipality:—

Baboo Brindabun Chunder Chatterjee, Sub-Registrar of Baraset, *vice* Baboo Hari Nath Sen.

Baboo Kedar Nath Banerjee, Pleader, *vice* Baboo Russick Lal Banerjee.

The Lieutenant-Governor approves the election by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Baraset of Baboo Brindabun Chunder Chatterjee as their Vice-Chairman for the year 1879-80.

The 15th March 1879.—Rajah Khettra Mohun Singh is appointed to be a Commissioner of the Dinagepore Municipality, *vice* Baboo Girish Chunder Chuckerbutty, resigned.

Baboo Hem Chunder Mookerjee is appointed to be a Municipal Commissioner of the Sahebgunge Station, *vice* Baboo Rughoo Nath Marwari, resigned.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be Commissioners of the Mozufferpore Municipality:—

Mr. W. B. Hudson.
Baboo Iswari Charan Mookherjee.
„ Purna Chandra Mitter.
„ Romanath Bose.
Hafiz Sadat Ally.
Mr. H W. Stevens.
„ M. Wilson.

ROAD CESS.—*The 21st March* 1879.—The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Chittagong :—

Baboo Choitanyo Charan Dutt, Pleader
" Durga Dass Dass, ditto
" Kailas Chandra Dass, Zemindar
" Nittya Nando Roy, Zemindar and Merchant.

The 22nd March 1879.—Mr. H. Unwin, Executive Engineer, Cossye Division, is appointed to be a member of the Midnapore District Road Cess Committee, *vice* Mr. J. H. Apjohn, resigned.

The 24th March 1879.—Mr A. L. Harman, of the Jyalpore Indigo Factory, is appointed to be a member of the Sarun District Road Cess Committee, *vice* Baboo Ram Anugrah Narayan Singh, resigned.

The 25th March 1879.—Mr. John Gale, Indigo Planter, Paundoul, is appointed to be a Member of the Durbhunga Road Cess Committee, *vice* Mr. M. Gale.

The following gentlemen are re-appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Pooree :—

Adhikari Rasbehari Dass.
" Rughunandan Ramanug Dass
Baboo Akhil Nath Roy.
Rajah Gour Chandra Man Sing of Parikud.
Shaikh Jamiroodin Mahomed.
Khetrahar Bhugwan Ratsing.
Mahaut Naraian Dass.
Baboo Ram Chand Addi.
" Ram Gopal Chatterjee.

The following gentlemen are appointed to be members of the District Road Cess Committee of Pooree :—

Mahaut Keshab Ramanug Dass, *vice* Panda Ramkista Patgusi.
Pundit Sadasib Missra, *vice* Baidhur Mohapatra.

The following Notifications are republished from the *Assam Gazette* :—

No. 68.—*The 10th March* 1879.—Mr. T J. Murray, C.S., Assistant Commissioner, First Grade, is posted to the district of the Khási and Jaintiá Hills

No 69.—Furlough for one year, under Section 12, Chapter IV of the Civil Leave Code, with the usual subsidiary leave, is granted to Mr. T. J. Murray, C S., Assistant Commissioner, First Grade, Khási and Jaintiá Hills, with effect from the forenoon of the 10th instant, or from such subsequent date as he may avail himself of the same.

No. 78.—*Police.*—The Chief Commissioner has been pleased to make the following transfers :—

Mr G. J Cawley, District Superintendent of Police, Sibságar, to the Nága Hills district.
Mr. R. F. H Pughe, Officiating District Superintendent of Police, Nága Hills, to Sibságar.
Mr. J M. E. Gouldsbury, District Superintendent of Police, Darrang, to Nowgong.
Mr. G. H. P Livesay, Officiating Assistant Superintendent of Police, Nowgong, to Darrang.

No. 75.—*The 11th March* 1879.—Mr. W. C. Macpherson, C.S., Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, Third Grade, Sylhet, is transferred to the district of Cachar, and is placed in charge of the sub-division of Hailákándi, during the absence of Mr. G. W. Place, C S., on privilege leave, or until further orders.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 24th March 1879.—A plan and an estimate amounting to Rs. 12,000, for the construction of a landing stage for the convenience of passengers at Police Ghat, having been submitted by the Port Commissioners with their Vice-Chairman's letter, No. 3501, dated 11th February 1879, and approved by the Public Works Department of this Government, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the project under the provisions of Section 35 of Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by Section 234, Act V (B.C.) of 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Hazareebagh at a meeting, to extend to that municipality the provisions of Sections 264 to 270, and Sections 278 to 284, of the aforesaid Act.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg: Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th March 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 234 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased, in supersession of the notification dated the 10th August 1876, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, and on the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Municipality of Dacca made at a meeting, to order that all the provisions of Part VII, chapter II of the said Act, shall be in force in the said municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 20th March 1879.—In continuation of the notification dated the 19th November 1878, published at page 1224, Part I, of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th idem, and in the exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 3, Act VI (B.C.) of 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to direct that, from the 1st April 1879, the fees to be levied under the said section by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Dacca, for the cleansing of privies and public latrines within the municipality, shall be at the rate of 2 per cent. on the annual value of all holdings within the municipality.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1879.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by Section 314 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1876, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to confirm the bye-laws stated at foot of this notification, which were made by the Commissioners of the Municipality of Hazareebagh at a meeting convened expressly for the purpose, and of which due notice had been given, and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 315 of the same Act, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the penalties for breaches of the said bye-laws which have been declared by the Commissioners.

BYE-LAWS FOR THE HAZAREEBAGH MUNICIPALITY.

For Regulating the Time and Mode of Collecting the Taxes.

1. Every officer authorized to grant receipts shall be provided with a certificate of his authority to collect, and every such certificate shall bear the seal of the Municipality and the signature of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman. Every collecting officer, at the time of demanding payment, shall be bound to show this certificate if required.

2. Payment of purchase-money for property sold and delivery of such property shall be made immediately after the sale; and if the purchaser fail to pay the full amount of his bid, it shall be lawful for the distraining officer at his discretion to sell the property again on the same or any other day, and the former purchaser shall in such case be responsible to the Commissioners for any loss, and such loss shall be recoverable as a debt due to them.

For Regulating the Conduct of Persons Employed by the Municipality.

3. All persons employed by the Commissioners whose services may be no longer required shall be liable to discharge after receipt of previous notice of one month, or pay in advance for the period of one month; and no such person shall withdraw from the duties of his office without having given previous notice for the period of one month, on pain of forfeiture of one month's salary.

4. All persons now holding, or who may hereafter be appointed to, any office under the Commissioners shall, when required so to do, furnish good security to such amount as the Commissioners may from time to time fix; and any person failing to furnish such security within such time as the Commissioners may appoint shall be held to have thereby forfeited his appointment, and may be removed from office.

For Regulating the Disposal of Offensive Matter and Rubbish.

5. Every person within whose premises any animal may die shall, within six hours of its death, or, if its death occur at night, within two hours after sunrise, either remove at his own expense the carcass to such place as may be set apart by the Commissioners for the reception of the carcasses of animals, or report its death at the municipal outpost, depositing the expense of its removal at the rate fixed by the Commissioners. In cases where such person is not the owner of the animal, and the owner is known, the owner shall alone be responsible for the payment of such expense, which shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners. On information of such death being received, the carcass shall be removed by the Commissioners or their officers.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

6. No person shall deposit, or cause to be deposited, any carcass, or any part of a carcass, in any place other than such places as may from time to time be appointed by the Commissioners for the reception of such carcass.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

For the Regulation and Management of Privies.

7. Any owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises from which offensive matter is not removed by the said owner or occupier shall give free access to the servants of the Municipality to his house, land, or premises for the removal of any night-soil or filth within such hours as may have been fixed by the Municipal Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs 5.

8. Every sweeper employed by the owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises for the removal of offensive matter from such house, land, or premises shall be subject to the orders and control of the Municipal Commissioners in respect of the removal and disposal of such offensive matter.

Provided that such owner or occupier shall be responsible jointly with the sweepers so employed by him for the due observance of the laws, bye-laws, and orders of the Municipal Commissioners so far as regards the house, land, or premises owned or occupied by him.

9. Every person shall construct his privy above ground, and provide it with a suitable movable receptacle.

The penalty for infringement after notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

10. On receipt of a notice from the Municipal Commissioners, every owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in or on which any well-privy or other noxious or improperly constructed privy may be situated shall fill up, close, or otherwise alter the construction of the said privy as may be directed in the notice; and if the orders contained in the notice be not carried out within fifteen days, the Commissioners may fill up, close, or otherwise alter the said privy, and any expense incurred in so doing shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

11. No owner or occupier of any house, land, or premises in or on which any privy may be situated shall allow night-soil or filth of any kind to flow or be discharged from such privy into any drain, water-course, hollow, or excavation, *haur*, or any place containing waste and stagnant water.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

12. No person shall throw, deposit, or discharge any night-soil, sewage, or the contents of any drain, privy, or cesspool into any tank, water-course, or receptacle for water, or dispose of any of the abovementioned kinds of offensive matter in any other way than as the Municipal Commissioners may from time to time direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

13. The Commissioners may direct the use of lime, coal-tar, or other deodorant or disinfectant in any privy or premises if at any time it be certified by the Civil Surgeon to be necessary for the preservation of the public health, or for the prevention of infection or spread of disease: provided that the Commissioners shall be bound to supply such deodorants or disinfectants at cost price, which shall be recoverable as a debt due to the Commissioners.

For Regulating Traffic in the Streets.

14. No person shall, without the permission of the Commissioners, take an elephant or camel along any of the public roads within the limits of the municipality except by such routes as shall be fixed for the purpose by them.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

15. No person shall ride through the town a mare followed by a loose foal, and no person shall tie or fasten any animal so close to the high road, or in such a way that it shall have access to the road, so as to interrupt or interfere with traffic thereon.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5.

For Regulating or Prohibiting the use of Fire-balloons, &c., in the vicinity of Public Roads.

16. No person shall let off any fire-balloons, fire-works, fire-arms, or any missile in or near a public street without permission previously obtained from, and except within the hours prescribed by, the Chairman or Vice-Chairman.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

GENERAL BYE-LAWS.

17. Every person required in writing to furnish any schedule or return which the Commissioners may lawfully require him to furnish shall send such schedule or return to the office of the Commissioners within fifteen days from the date of the service of the requisition in the manner described in Section 367 of the Act.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5, and for each succeeding day that the omission is continued the penalty shall be a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 2.

18. No person shall so extend the roof of any house, or put, or cause to be put, on any house or other building any spout or anything intended for the discharge of water which shall be so placed that the water discharged therefrom shall be thrown or fall upon any public road or thoroughfare, and the Commissioners shall have power to take down and alter any such

projection or spout or other thing and to recover the costs as a debt due to the Commissioners, or to order the owner or occupier of such building to remove such spout or projection, or to effect the necessary alterations within fifteen days of service of notice.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5

19. No person shall construct, or place over, or by the side of, any public drain any bridge, platform, building, or structure of any kind except by, and with the written permission of, the Commissioners, and in such manner as they shall direct.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, and for continued infringement after notice, a fine not exceeding Rs 3 daily.

20. If any house, wall, or other erection, or any part thereof, fall upon any public highway or into any public drain, the owner of such house, wall, or erection shall remove it after notice within the time prescribed by the Commissioners.

The penalty for disobedience shall be a fine not exceeding Rs 10. The penalty for continued disobedience after the expiry of the time given in the notice shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 3 daily

21. No person shall prepare any channel, or convey water by any channel, across any public thoroughfare except in such manner as shall have been first approved by the Commissioners

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, and for continued infringement after notice a daily fine not exceeding Rs 2

22 No person shall steep in any tank, ditch, or hollow within municipal limits any jute, hemp bamboo, or other vegetable matter likely to render the water of such tank, ditch, or hollow offensive or noxious to persons residing or employed in the neighbourhood.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 5, and for continued infringement after notice, a daily fine not exceeding Rs 2.

23. The owner or occupier of any nullah, water-course, ditch, or drain, or of any portion thereof, shall keep such nullah, water-course, ditch, or drain, or portion thereof, free from filth, dense vegetation, or other obstruction.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, and for continued infringement after notice, a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 3.

24. No person shall picket animals, or collect carts, or form any encampment upon any public ground without the permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10, and for continued infringement after notice a daily fine not exceeding Rs. 2.

Of Graves, Grave-yards, Burning-grounds and Funerals.

25. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, a grave in any other place than that selected by the Commissioners for that purpose.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

26. No grave shall be re-opened for the reception of another corpse without the permission of the Commissioners.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 20.

27. No person shall build or dig, or cause to be built or dug, a grave which shall be at a less distance than two feet from any other grave.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs 20.

28. No person shall bury, or cause to be buried, any corpse, or part of a corpse, in a grave constructed of masonry in such a manner that the top of the coffin, or the body where no coffin is used, shall be at a less depth than five feet from the surface ground, or in a grave not constructed of masonry which shall be less than six feet deep.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

29 No person shall carry a corpse, or part of a corpse, through any highway unless it be decently covered and concealed from public view.

The penalty for infringement shall be a fine not exceeding Rs. 10.

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Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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NOTIFICATION.

The 24th March 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to vest Baboo Akhoy Kumar Sen, Deputy Collector, in temporary charge of the Dearah surveys and settlement, with the powers of a Collector under Regulation VII of 1822, Regulation IX of 1825, and Act IX of 1847, in the districts of Dacca, Furreedpore, Tipperah, and Backergunge, for the purpose of surveying and settling the Dearah lands in the aforesaid districts, and also under Section 4 of Act V (B.C.) of 1875 to appoint temporarily the said Baboo Akhoy Kumar Sen to be a Deputy Collector for the purpose of carrying out the survey under that Act of the Dearah lands in the above-mentioned districts

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st November 1879.—In continuation of the Notification dated the 12th November 1878, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 13th idem, it is hereby notified that the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to vest all officers of the Excise, Police, Customs, Salt, Opium and Revenue Departments, above the rank of peon or constable, in all the districts of Bengal, with the powers described in Section 14 of the Opium Act I of 1878 in their respective districts.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

The 25th March 1879.—The following Resolution of the Government of India in the Financial Department is published for general information.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 207.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA—FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

MINT AND CURRENCY.

Fort William, the 17th January 1879.

READ again—

(1) Resolution No. 3733, dated 12th December 1873, to withdraw from circulation all copper coin issued before Act XXI of 1835 came into force, which finds its way to the Government treasuries, or on Government account, to the Presidency Banks and their Branches.

Read the following papers :—

(2) A letter from the Government of Fort Saint George, submitting a proposal made by the Accountant-General, Madras, that some date be fixed, by notification or otherwise, after which "uncurrent copper coin of the old mintage shall not be received by the Government." The Government of Madras considers that sufficient notice should be given to the public, and the coins duly called-in before they are declared illegal.

(3) A telegram to the Accountant-General, Madras, No. 1493, dated 25th February 1878, forbidding the withdrawal of copper coins of British Mints, in good condition, of whatever date.

(4) A circular, No. 19, dated 1st March 1878, issued by the Accountant-General, Madras, to give effect to the instructions recited in para. (3).

(5) A letter from the Comptroller-General, No. 2382, dated 15th March, asking for copy of the orders justifying the circular by the Accountant-General, Madras, recited in para. (4).

(6) (*a*) A letter from the Accountant-General, Madras (enclosing one from the Secretary and Treasurer of the Bank of Madras), reporting that copper coins, bearing on one side the device of a pair of scales, and certain four-pie pieces, are not readily received by the public; and repeating his suggestion, recited in para. (2), that copper coin which is not legal tender under the Indian Coinage Act, 1870, should cease to be received in the public treasuries.

(*b*) A further letter from the same officer, calling attention to the foregoing letter, and pointing out that the Comptroller-General, in clause 4 of his circular No. 21 of the 6th March 1878, has already forbidden the receipt at public treasuries of any copper coin which is not legal tender under the Indian Coinage Act, 1870.

(*c*) A further letter from the same officer, calling attention to his letters hereinbefore recited, and submitting, as a specimen, a report from the Treasury Officer of Madura, to the effect that there is uncurrent copper coin (chiefly, it would appear, the aforesaid scale coins) to the value of Rs. 800-4-0 in his treasury which the public refuse to receive.

(7) A letter from the Accountant-General, Bombay, No. 1757R., dated 8th May, enquiring whether the orders upon which the circular instruction by the Accountant-General, Madras, recited in para. 4, was issued, are applicable to the Bombay Presidency.

(8) A demi-official letter to the Mint Master, Calcutta, No. 921, dated 24th July 1878, and his reply, containing particulars of the copper coins issued from time to time by the Bengal Mints.

(9) A demi-official letter to the Mint Master, Bombay, No. 922, dated 24th July 1878, and his reply, containing particulars of the copper coinage of the Bombay Mints.

(10) A demi-official to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, No. 923, dated 24th July 1878, and replies by the Accountant-General, Madras, containing details of the copper coinage of the Madras Mints.

(11) A demi-official letter to the Mint Master, Bombay, No. 47, dated 1st October, and his reply, showing the loss incurred by withdrawing copper coins.

Read again—

(12) Letter to the Comptroller-General, No. 2295, dated 16th August 1878, authorizing the receipt for full value from Mysore of Rs. 9,343 worth of copper coins of British coinage prior to 1835.

Read—

(13) Letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, No. 172N., dated 20th September, inviting attention to his letters recited in para. (6), and observing that, pending orders upon those letters, he will not move the said copper coin from Mysore.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General in Council is not prepared to call in any copper coin, the produce of British Mints, however old its date. Such a copper coin may not unreasonably be regarded as a metallic token equivalent to a promise on the part of the

British Government to accept the coin at the value placed on it when it was originally issued.

2. Any copper coin which can be recognized as the produce of a British Mint should therefore, be received freely as legal tender against the Government, or by the Presidency Banks in payment of Government dues—

(1) if it bears the designation of any existing legal-tender copper coin, or multiple, or sub-division thereof—then at its nominal value;

(2) if it bears some obsolete designation, such as "cash," "dabs," or "faluses" —then at the rate of a-quarter-of-an-anna for every hundred grains troy of its weight.

3. But His Excellency in Council is pleased to resolve, in supersession of all previous orders to the contrary, that, for the present, as an experimental measure, no copper coin coined before Act XXI of 1835 came into force shall be re-issued either by the Presidency Banks or from any Government treasury. The Comptroller-General should keep himself informed of the operation of these orders, and report if the quantity of copper coin withdrawn under them becomes inconveniently great. Meanwhile all such coins which come into the *ex-officio* possession of any Government officer or of the Presidency Banks, should be returned into store at the nearest depôt, or sub-depôt, established under Resolution No. 884, dated 14th June 1878.

4. The Comptroller-General will issue such orders as he may think fit for the effectual destruction of all such copper coins received at such depôts and sub-depôts; determining, in consultation with the Mint Masters, whether their destruction can be safely entrusted to the local officers, or whether the coin must be carried to the nearest Mint and there destroyed. In either case, the metal should be sold as old copper.

5. The Comptroller-General will also report, for the approval of the Government of India, the measures which he proposes to adopt for passing through the public accounts the cost of withdrawing such obsolete coins.

6. The Comptroller-General will also report annually the amount and particulars of copper coin of the coinages before 1835 withdrawn under these orders.

7. For the convenience of the Banks and Treasury Officers in giving effect to these orders, it is observed that only the following copper coins will henceforth be re-issued from any Presidency Bank or Government office:—

(1) Double-pice or Half-an-anna.
(2) Pice or A-quarter-of-an-anna.
(3) Half-pice or One-eighth-of-an-anna.
(4) Pie or One-twelfth-of-an-anna.

The coins to be thus re-issued are of two descriptions:

1*st*.—The device upon the obverse of those coined under Acts passed before Act XIII of 1862 is the armorial bearings of the East India Company with a year of the Christian era. Upon the reverse is a laurel wreath surrounding the designation of the coin in English and (except the older half-pice, which only bear the date 1853) Persian, and the words "East India Company" in English.

2*nd*.—The device upon the obverse of those coined under Act XIII of 1862 and later Acts is the effigy, name, and title of the reigning sovereign. Upon the reverse is a laurel wreath surrounding the designation of the coin in English over the word "India" and a year of the Christian era.

ORDERED, that this Resolution be distributed for information and guidance as follows:—

1.—To the several Departments of the Government of India.
2.—To the several Local Governments and Administrations.
3.—To the Comptroller-General and to the several Accountants-General and Deputy Accountants-General in independent charge.
4.—To the several Chiefs of Departments administered by the Government of India in the Financial Department.
5.—To the Presidency Banks.

R. H. HOLLINGBERY,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of India.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 15th March 1879.—Consequent upon reductions made in the police force of zillah Singbhoom, Chota Nagpore, the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following alterations, with effect from 1st July 1877, as regards the different police stations and outposts in pergunnah Dhulbhoom (commonly called Ghatshilla), in that zillah, viz:—

2. The police stations of Baharagoora in the south-east and Kalkapore in the north-west, together with the several outposts subordinate to them, have been formed into one general police station jurisdiction, with its head-quarters at Ghatshilla, in the centre of the pergunnah.

3. The outpost of Ghatshilla, formerly subordinate to the station of Kalkapore, has been abolished.

4. The head-quarters division of the new station of Ghatshilla will comprise the villages which came within the jurisdiction of the abolished outpost of Ghatshilla, together with the undermentioned villages belonging to the ghatwali tarafs of Pyragoori and Mohulia, which formed a part of the abolished station of Kalkapore.

5. The former head-quarters divisions of the abolished stations of Baharagoora and Kalkapore will, within their former respective limits as head-quarters divisions, become outposts of Ghatshilla station, with their head-quarters at Baharagoora and Kalkapore respectively, subject to the withdrawal from Kalkapore outpost of the tarafs of Pyragoori and Mohulia, which are transferred to the head-quarters division of Ghatshilla, as before mentioned.

6. The remaining outposts of the abolished stations of Baharagoora and Kalkapore will, with respect to the limits of their respective jurisdictions, remain intact as before, and become subordinate to the new station of Ghatshilla.

7. Subject to such alterations as are abovementioned, the following is the list of outposts which will be subordinate to the new police station of Ghatshilla:—

No. 1 Baharagoora.
„ 2 Kalkapore.
„ 3 Bhelaipahari.
No. 4 Kokpara.
„ 5 Atkosi.

List of villages in the ghatwali tarafs of Pyragoori and Mohulia which originally formed a part of the jurisdiction of station Kalkapore (abolished), but have been transferred to the immediate jurisdiction of the new station of Ghatshilla:—

Taraf Pyragoori.

No.	Names of villages.	Proprietors.	No.	Names of villages	Proprietors
1	Pyragooori ...	Ghatwali.	17	Chorrida ...	Ghatwali.
2	Neeschintpore ...	Ditto.	18	Khursi ...	Ditto.
3	Kuldeha ...	Ditto.	19	Chundra Rekha ...	Ditto.
4	Patmohulia ...	Ditto.	20	Bera Hatoo ...	Ditto.
5	Ooldah ...	Ditto.	21	Bagalgora ...	Rajah of Dhulbhoom.
6	Khuntadihi ...	Ditto.	22	Cholagora ...	Ditto.
7	Deoli ...	Ditto.	23	Baasal ...	Ditto.
8	Koolianna ...	Ditto.	24	Bamooria ...	Ditto.
9	Sigdi ...	Ditto.	25	Doobrajpore ...	Ditto.
10	Dighri ...	Ditto.	26	Kheddia ...	Ditto.
11	Joorisye ...	Ditto.	27	Khunta ...	Ditto.
12	Donkasye ...	Ditto.	28	Khal Kanali ...	Ditto.
13	Chottro ...	Ditto.	29	Soonderpore ...	Ditto.
14	Salboni ...	Ditto.	30	Mooria Joria ...	Ditto.
15	Banddi ...	Ditto.	31	Khoramgootoo ...	Ditto.
16	Belagoori ...	Ditto.	32	Nepariapore ...	Ditto.

Taraf Mohulia.

1	Kalimatti ...	Ghatwali.	21	Bindabanpore ...	Rajah of Dhulbhoom.
2	Ichra ...	Ditto.	22	Haludbani ...	Ditto.
3	Duldawli ...	Ditto.	23	Perrabad ...	Ditto.
4	Narsingpore ...	Ditto.	24	Churraea ...	Ditto.
5	Saspore ...	Ditto.	25	Goora Jorh ...	Ditto.
6	Mohulia ...	Rajah of Dhulbhoom.	26	Paharpore ...	Ditto.
7	Boro Bhil ...	Ditto.	27	Keshorpore ...	Ditto.
8	Jeresha ...	Ditto.	28	Bora Hollud Bani ...	Ditto.
9	Ghikuli ...	Ditto.	29	Dhall Dhuli ...	Ditto.
10	Hedul Jori ...	Ditto.	30	Etta Marh ...	Ditto.
11	Kankri Sole ...	Ditto.	31	Harmadihi ...	Ditto.
12	Thakar Bari ...	Ditto.	32	Mahato Band ...	Ditto.
13	Boitalpore ...	Ditto.	33	Shuk Marra ...	Ditto.
14	Jaggernathpore ...	Ditto.	34	Sirka ...	Ditto.
15	Boodpore ...	Ditto.	35	Dalea Pawni ...	Ditto.
16	Khalla Jarh ...	Ditto.	36	Roohidi ...	Ditto.
17	Gafoodihi ...	Ditto.	37	Amchooria ...	Ditto.
18	Chollagora ...	Ditto.	38	Matkoo ...	Ditto.
19	Dhoomkabera ...	Ditto.	39	Kamargora ...	Ditto.
20	Rajabassa ...	Ditto.	40	Dhall Dhuli 2nd ...	Ditto.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

The 24th March 1879.—The following Rules proposed for the lease of Waste Lands in the Sundarbans are published for general information. They will take effect from the 1st of May 1879, but will be subject to modification up to that date:—

DRAFT RULES FOR THE LEASE OF WASTE LANDS IN THE SUNDARBANS OF THE 24-PERGUNNAHS, JESSORE, AND BACKERGUNGE.

I.—LANDS AVAILABLE FOR LEASE.

Definition of waste lands.

1. The "waste lands" to which these rules apply include all ungranted and unoccupied land at the disposal of Government in the Sundarbans of the 24-Pergunnahs, Jessore, and Backergunge, which has not been declared reserved forest under the Forest Act.

Waste land available for grant.

2. In respect of the granting of leases for such lands the Commissioner of the Sundarbans shall exercise all the powers of a Collector of Land Revenue under Act XXIII of 1863, provided that before acting on an application for the lease of any land the Commissioner of the Sundarbans shall refer the application to the Conservator of Forests and ascertain that there is no objection in his department to the application being granted.

Government may by special order withhold lands from lease.

3. The Government reserves to itself the right of withholding any land from being leased by special order made at any time before the lease is finally given by the Sundarban Commissioner; in such cases all expenses deposited by the applicant for demarcation, survey, and advertisement under the following rules shall be refunded to him, together with the reasonable expenses of clearing any lines and erecting any temporary boundaries which he may have incurred with the permission of the Sundarban Commissioner, as provided in rule 10.

II.—APPLICATION AND PROCEDURE BEFORE ADVERTISEMENT.

Applications what to contain

4. Applications for leases shall be written on paper bearing a court fee stamp as required by law, and shall contain the following particulars:—

First.—The estimated area of the land applied for in standard bighas of eighty cubits square, with its character and description.

Second.—The situation of the land accurately ascertained, and described as fully as possible.

Third.—A rough sketch map of the lands applied for.

A form of application marked A is annexed to these rules.

Register of applications.

5. All applications shall be entered at once in a register, of which the form shall be prescribed by the Board of Revenue.

5(*a*). In the portion of the Sundarbans which has been declared "Protected Forest" under the Forest Act, no blocks of waste land which are altogether surrounded by ungranted and unoccupied land shall be leased under these rules. No block shall be given on lease which is not adjacent to land which has already been granted for the purpose of cultivation. All applications which do not comply with this rule shall be rejected.

Lots to be compact.

6. Every lot applied for must be compact, including no more than a single tract of land such as might be enclosed in a ring fence. If the land touches a navigable river, the river frontage must not exceed one-half the depth of the lot; but for special reasons the Board of Revenue may relax this condition.

Limitation of area of each lot.

7. No greater area of land than 5,000 standard bighas will be included in one lease except under special orders of Government. Nor will a smaller area than 200 bighas be leased unless the lot has distinct water boundaries on all sides. The sanction of the Board of Revenue shall be necessary to the lease of more than one lot to one applicant, or to the lease of a second lot to an applicant who already holds one. The Board may at its discretion allow such further leases to be given on being satisfied that the applicant is in a position to begin clearing and cultivating at once, and that he *bond fide* means to do so, provided that each application shall comprise no more than the prescribed maximum area.

Applications to be rejected if rules are not complied with.

8. On receipt of an application the Sundarban Commissioner shall satisfy himself that it complies with all requirements of these rules, and that the land is such as can properly be leased. Should he find that the lands are not available for lease, or that for any reason they ought not to be leased, or that the application does not fulfil the requirements of the rules, he shall reject the application, or in the latter case allow it to be amended. In no case shall any application be admitted without special sanction of the Board of Revenue for any land which any persons are found to be occupying or using.

Sundarban Commissioner to determine whether survey is required.

9. When no objection is known to exist against the lease being made, the Sundarban Commissioner shall determine whether a survey of the lands is required, or whether the maps and records of previous surveys available in his office are sufficient for the ready identification and demarcation of the boundaries on the ground.

Cost of demarcation of boundaries.

10. If no survey is required, and it is only necessary to demarcate the boundaries on the ground, the Sundarban Commissioner shall estimate the cost of such demarcation as well as the cost of clearing the lines and erecting temporary boundary marks, and shall call upon the applicant to deposit the same before a certain day, which shall be fixed with reference to the time at which the demarcation can conveniently be made. Provided, however, that it shall be optional with the said Commissioner to allow the applicant himself to clear the jungle and construct such temporary boundary marks as may be considered sufficient for the ready identification of the land, until the

permanent marks prescribed by article XIII of the "Terms of lease" shall be erected. If the applicant is allowed to clear the jungle and erect temporary landmarks, he shall enter into an agreement to do so within such reasonable time as shall be fixed by the Sundarban Commissioner.

Cost of survey.

11. Should the Sundarban Commissioner decide that a survey of the land is necessary, he shall call upon the applicant to deposit, before a day fixed for that purpose, the cost of survey in addition to the cost of demarcation, &c., as provided in the preceding rule. The cost of survey shall be calculated at the rate of four annas an acre on the area estimated in the application, or at such higher rate as may for special reasons be fixed in any case. The sum payable for survey shall be adjusted at the rate fixed per acre according to the actual area which may be ascertained by survey, a further payment being made by the applicant, or a refund being made to him, as may be necessary for adjustment.

Cost of notices to be deposited.

12. In addition to the cost of survey, demarcation, &c., the applicant shall be required to deposit a sum of Rs. 16 to cover the cost of issuing the notice prescribed by rule 17.

Application to be struck off on failure to deposit.

13. Should the applicant fail to deposit any amount required by the foregoing rules before the date fixed for that purpose, or should he fail to clear the lines or to demarcate the boundaries by the date fixed under rule 10, the application shall be struck off the file; an application so struck off may be re-admitted, but in that case the application shall be considered to have been made on the date of the application for such re-admission, and not on the date of the original application.

Refund of deposit.

14. After the deposit of fees, if for any reason the application should be struck off, or the survey abandoned, the applicant shall not be entitled to a refund of the sum deposited, except when lands are withheld from lease under rule 3. Refund may, however, be made at the discretion of the Sundarban Commissioner of any balance remaining in deposit after meeting all expenses incurred on the objects for which the deposit was made.

Agency for survey.

15. Surveys shall ordinarily be made by Government surveyors; if made by other agency temporarily employed for the purpose, they shall be tested by Government officers.

Surveys need not be minute.

16. Surveys need not be more minute or detailed than is necessary to ensure approximate ascertainment of area, but the boundaries must be very accurately and clearly defined.

III.—Issue of Notice of Lease.

Issue of notice.

17. When the land has been surveyed and demarcated, and the Sundarban Commissioner is satisfied that it may be leased, he shall issue a notice in the form B annexed to these rules announcing that an application has been made, and calling upon all persons who may have objections to make to appear before a date to be specified, which date shall not be less than three months from the date of the notice as provided in section I, Act XXIII of 1863.

Publication of notice.

18. The notice shall be published at the office of the Sundarban Commissioner, the office of the Board of Revenue, the office of the Collector of the District, at the Court of the District Judge, at the Sub-divisional Office, at the Moonsif's Court, and at the Police Station within the limits of which the lands are situate. A copy shall also be published in the Government Gazettes in English and in Bengali.

Notice to contain certain reservations.

19. In framing the notice the Sundarban Commissioner must be careful to state, as precisely as possible, all rights which will be reserved, such as water-ways and the strips of land along the banks of rivers and nullahs for towing-paths (*vide* article XI of the annexed terms of lease), which will be held available for the use of Government and the public use.

Disposal of claims to the land.

20. If, after the issue of the notice and before the lease has been sold, any claim be preferred or objection taken, the Sundarban Commissioner must proceed as directed in Act XXIII of 1863.

Action if claim is established.

21. If the Sundarban Commissioner shall consider that any claim or objection is established, he shall stay his proceedings for selling the lease as directed by section IV, Act XXIII of 1863, and make a special report to the Board of Revenue.

Arrangement may be made.

22. If the objection be such as can be got over by an arrangement without proceeding to formal trial under section VI of the Act, the Sundarban Commissioner may, with the sanction of the Board of Revenue, order the arrangement to be made, and in such case, or in case the claim or objection is eventually withdrawn or pronounced invalid, the Sundarban Commissioner may proceed, on the date specified in the notice, to sell the lease of the land.

IV.—Sale in case of more than one Application.

Sale to applicant.

22(*a*). If there is but one applicant for the land, it shall be sold to him at the upset price of one rupee an acre.

When more than one application is received for the same land.

23. Should there be more than one application for the same lands before the survey or demarcation fees have been deposited, and should the second application comprise the whole of the lands contained in the first, the Sundarban Commissioner shall put the lease up to auction on the day named in the notice, and shall sell it to the highest bidder; but no person shall be allowed to bid who has not made such application; and no bid shall be accepted which is not *bond fide* on behalf of such person. If the second application comprise a portion only of the land contained in the first, it shall be rejected.

Lease sold subject to conditions.

24. The lease, whether sold to the only applicant or by auction, shall be sold subject to the conditions contained in the terms of lease annexed to these rules and to those contained in the notice issued in form B.

Sale.

25. The purchaser of the lease shall be required to pay down at once a sum of 500 rupees, or the full amount bid for the lease if such amount be less than 500 rupees. In default of immediate payment the lease may be put up to re-sale at once or may be reserved for future sale.

Cancelment of sale in case of default of full payment of purchase-money.

26. The purchaser shall be required to pay in the balance of the purchase-money, if any, together with all fees for demarcation, survey, and advertisement which may be demanded by the Sundarban Commissioner, within one month of the day of sale. If he fail to do so, the sale shall be cancelled by authority of the Sundarban Commissioner, and the amount deposited under rules 11 and 12 shall be forfeited, and the land shall be available for lease to any other applicant.

V.—MISCELLANEOUS.

Lease to be granted.

27. After the conditions of this sale are fulfilled, the Sundarban Commissioner shall grant a lease of the lands in such form as may from time to time be prescribed by the Board of Revenue. He shall forward the lease for registration in the office of the Board, and will also cause it and its counterpart to be duly registered by the Registrar of Assurances.

Registers.

28. All leases of waste lands shall be recorded in a register to be kept in such form as the Board of Revenue may prescribe.

Board to issue certain orders.

29. The Board of Revenue shall as soon as possible after the publication of these rules—

I.—Prescribe forms of the register of applications as required by rule 5, and for the register of leases as required by rule 28.

II.—Issue a schedule specifying the rates of rents subject to which the different lots of land available for lease in the Sundarbans shall be leased, as provided in article II of the terms of lease.

III.—Prescribe forms for leases.

And may issue subsidiary rules.

30. The Board may issue any further subsidiary instructions for giving effect to these rules.

TERMS OF LEASE.

One-fourth of area revenue-free.

I.—One-fourth on the entire area leased shall be for ever exempted from assessment as an estimated allowance for unassessable area, such as that occupied by water-courses, creeks, tanks, roads, the space required for the construction of the lessee's embankments, dams, tow-paths, &c., and for irreclaimable waste land.

Rate of assessment.

II.—The remaining three-fourths of the area leased shall be held free of assessment for ten years, and shall be subject thereafter to such rent within the limits given below as may have been fixed and notified by the Board of Revenue for the land in question—

Table of rates of assessment.

TRACT.	PER BIGHA OF 80 CUBITS SQUARE.		
	From 11th to 15th year.	From 16th to 20th year.	From 21st to 40th year.
24-Pergunnahs, west of the Kalindi river	1 to 2 as.	2 to 4 as.	4 to 8 as.
24-Pergunnahs, east of the Kalindi river, and Jessore	0 pie to 1 an.	1 to 2 as.	2 to 4 as.
Backergunge	2 to 4 as.	3 to 6 as.	6 to 12 as.

Clearance condition.

III.—One-eighth of the entire area leased, as recorded in the lease, shall be cleared and shall be in a state fit for cultivation at the end of the fifth year, reckoning from the date from which the free term of the lease commenced. At any time after the expiration of the said year, the Sundarban Commissioner or any person authorized by him may enter upon the land and cause it to be measured for the purpose of ascertaining whether this condition has been fulfilled.

Forfeiture and re-lease.

IV.—On failure to comply with the above clearing condition the lessee shall forfeit all rights in the land under his existing lease, and the Government shall have the right of immediate re-entry. Provided that, if the lessee shall give up the said lease to the Sundarban Commissioner within one month of the date on which notice of such forfeiture shall be given to him, and shall demand a fresh lease, such fresh lease shall be given to him on the following conditions, namely, that the lessee shall forfeit all claim to continued revenue-free possession of the land, and shall at once pay revenue at the lowest rate fixed in the original lease, and shall continue to pay revenue at such rate for the remaining free term of the lease, and shall also pay revenue at a rate 20 per centum higher than that which was fixed in the original lease for each period up to the termination of the settlement.

Final forfeiture and resumption.

V.—In the event of the lessee failing to demand such lease, and to execute the corresponding agreement, the entire area comprised in the lease shall be resumed by the Government, which shall enter into possession at once, and the lessee shall forfeit all right and interest in the lands, both those which may still be uncleared and those which may have been cleared and brought into cultivation.

Instalments.

VI.—The amount of rent due on the land shall be paid according to the fixed instalments to the Collector of the district.

Recovery of arrears of rent.

VII.—All arrears of revenue due on the land shall be recoverable as arrears of revenue due on temporarily settled estates according to any law for the time being in force.

Re-settlement after 40 years.

VIII.—After the expiration of 40 years, reckoning from the date of the original lease, the lot shall be open to re-settlement for a period of 30 years on such terms as the Government shall think fit, provided that the assessment shall not be fixed higher than

the rate which would be paid by cultivating ryots in the neighbourhood for land growing the ordinary crops of the country, less 30 per centum to be allowed to the lessee to cover the risks and cost of collection, and to represent his profits. The above assessment shall be calculated on the area of the entire area leased, less the one-fourth which is exempted from assessment under article I of these rules.

Periodical re-settlements.

IX.—The land shall from time to time be subject to re-survey and re-assessment in accordance with the preceding rule after the expiration of 30 years from any re-settlement.

Reservation of rights of way, &c.

X.—The land shall be subject to all existing rights of way and water and other easements, and to any exceptions and reservations which may be particularized in the notice of sale of lease in form B annexed to the rules.

Tow-path reserved.

XI.—The right of using all streams and channels in any way navigable shall be reserved to the public, as also the use of a tow-path not less than 25 feet in width on each side of every such stream and channel.

Boundary dispute.

XII.—In the event of any boundary dispute arising between the lessee of any lot and the lessee of any adjoining lot already leased under these rules, or which may subsequently be leased, the lessees shall be bound to submit such dispute to the decision of the Commissioner of the Sundarbans. The decision of the Sundarban Commissioner shall be appealable to the Board of Revenue, and the decision of the Board shall be final and binding on the lessees. No lessee under these rules shall have any claim against the Government for compensation or damages in respect of land having been included in his lease which has already been included in some previous lease; but the lessee shall be entitled to proportionate reduction of the assessment in respect of any land covered by his lease which may subsequently be discovered not to have been available for lease.

Boundary marks.

XIII.—On being put in possession of a lot which has not been previously defined by permanent marks, the lessee shall, except where the boundary runs along a river or well-defined nullah or water-course, within three months, erect masonry pillars or platforms or such other landmarks as may be required, to the satisfaction of the Sundarban Commissioner, at each point where more than two lots or patches of waste or other properties meet, and large earthen mounds at every angle and at intervals of a hundred yards of the boundary line between such masonry pillars or platforms.

Neglect of lessee to erect boundary marks.

XIV.—If the lessee neglect to demarcate the lands as prescribed in the preceding rule, the Commissioner of the Sundarbans shall have the right of entry on the lands, and shall erect the landmarks hereinbefore described, and all costs incurred in that behalf, whether the actual costs of the landmarks, or the expenses incurred for clearing any jungle, or for supervision, or travelling expenses; and all charges whatsoever shall be recovered from the lessee by the law in force for the time being for the recovery of Government demands or the recovery of arrears of land revenue, as shall be decided upon by the Commissioner of the Sundarbans.

Land subsequently required for public purpose.

XV.—If any land leased under these rules should hereafter be required for any public purpose, such land, whether cultivated or uncultivated, may be resumed by Government on exempting the lessee from payment of the revenue assessed on the area required, and in the case of cultivated land by further payment of the reasonable cost of bringing the land under cultivation, and on payment of reasonable compensation for the value of any building, &c., which may stand on the lands.

Form A.

APPLICATION UNDER RULE 4.

To

THE COMMISSIONER OF THE SUNDARBANS.

Dated

SIR,

I APPLY for a plot of waste land in the Sundarbans under the rules for the lease of Sundarban waste lands dated the , and hereby bind myself to comply with all the requirements of the said rules.

2. The estimated area of the land is about bighas of the standard measure of 80 cubits square. The land is entirely covered with jungle and unoccupied, and to the best of my information and belief has not been leased out.

3. The land is in the Sundarbans of the district, and *is a portion of lot No. of Lieutenant Hodges' map.* Its boundaries are—

North,
East,
South,
West,

4. A rough sketch map of the lands is hereunto annexed.

Form B.

NOTICE UNDER RULE 17.

FORM OF NOTICE OF LEASE OF WASTE LANDS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the land specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed, and of which the plan is open to inspection at the office of the Commissioner of the Sundarbans, has been applied for by , and will be sold at 12 o'clock noon on the of unless meantime the sale is stopped or postponed in consequence of claims or objections under Act XXIII of 1863 (*to provide for the adjudication of claims to waste lands*), or owing to any other cause.

2. The lease of the land will be granted subject to the conditions which are specified below, as well as to the general Terms annexed to the rules for the sale of leases of waste lands in the Sundarbans of the 24-Pergunnahs, Jessore, and Backergunge, dated

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

DRAFT RULES FOR CULTIVATION LEASES OF PLOTS OF WASTE LAND NOT EXCEEDING BEEGHAS 200 IN EXTENT, IN THE SUNDARBANS OF THE 24-PERGUNNAHS, JESSORE, AND BACKERGUNGE.

IN the rules for the lease of waste lands in the Sundarbans of the 24-Pergunnahs, Jessore, and Backergunge, provision is made for leases of blocks of land not being more than 5,000 beeghas or less than 200 beeghas in area; it is further desired to give every facility to small settlers who may wish to take up and bring under cultivation plots of land of less than 200 beeghas in area, holding the same directly as tenants of the Government. With this object the following rules are laid down:—

1.—Cultivators who desire to bring plots of land into cultivation, and to hold the same directly from the Government, will be allowed to do so in the following lots:—

24-Pergunnahs.—Those parts of the "protected forest" area in which no embankments or other expensive works are required, provided that no lease will be given here without the consent of the Conservator of Forests.

Jessore.—The ungranted portions of lot 216 and lot 224.

Backergunge.—Dhullooa, Burgona, Karaibaria, part of Kalamagra, Chota Nishanberia, Aboogunj, Meethagunj.

2.—Applications for this purpose should be presented to the Sundarban Commissioner, and should specify—

(1) the name of the applicant and of his father;
(2) his residence;
(3) the area of land required, which must not be in excess of 200 beeghas;
(4) the situation of the land, giving any available landmarks;
(5) its present condition;
(6) that it is at present unoccupied;
(7) whether it is known ever to have been occupied, and, if so, by whom and when, and why it was abandoned.

3.—On receipt of such an application, the Sundarban Commissioner shall, if he sees no objection, give to the applicant an authority to take possession by any amalnamah in the annexed form A, guaranteeing a formal lease to the applicant if he shall bring the land under cultivation within two years.

4.—If the land or any part of it shall have been brought under cultivation within the term specified, the applicant shall be entitled to a lease of the land so brought under cultivation for 30 years. The conditions of the lease will be—

that the land shall be held free of rent for two years from the date of the lease;

that, from the beginning of the third year to the end of the thirtieth year, the lessee shall pay such rents for each period of years as are specified in the lease, which shall be fixed on the cultivated area with reference to the rates ordinarily paid for similar lands in the neighbourhood to grantees and other landholders by their ryots;

that, if available, an area of unreclaimed land, equal to the cultivated area, shall be included in the lease and reserved for cultivation by him;

that, in addition to the said unreclaimed land, the lessee shall be at liberty to bring under cultivation any quantity of land adjoining his holding which he may find *bond fide* unoccupied;

that the lessee's holding shall be liable to measurement at the expiration of the fifth year from the date of the lease, and again from time to time at the expiration of not less than five years from the date of the previous measurement; and that on each occasion all land found to be in his possession under cultivation in excess of the area originally assessed under the lease shall be assessed, but at no higher rates than were imposed on the land originally assessed under the lease;

that, at the end of the thirtieth year, and so at the end of every period of thirty years, the lessee shall be entitled to a fresh lease for a further period of thirty years, the rates of rent being similarly fixed on all lands which may then be found to be in his possession under cultivation, at such rates as are paid in the neighbourhood for similar lands by the ryots of grantees and landholders;

that the tenure shall be heritable and transferable, provided that notice of every transfer shall be given to the Sundarban Commissioner within one month of its occurrence.

Provided, however, that no holding shall be divided without the permission of the Sundarban Commissioner.

5.—The Board of Revenue shall, as soon as possible after these rules are issued, prescribe forms in which registers of amalnamahs and of leases granted under these rules shall be kept; and also a form of the lease to be granted under Rule 4.

Amalnamah.

FORM A REFERRED TO IN RULE 3.

Whereas , son of , inhabitant of having applied for the settlement of beeghas or thereabouts of land in the Government estate , within the boundaries roughly set forth hereafter, this amalnamah is given to him, empowering him to take possession of the lands at once, if

they be not already in the occupation of others, and to bring them into cultivation within the period of two years or earlier, of which notice in writing is to be given by the said When the lands are cleared a lease will be granted, on the terms and conditions specified below.

(*Here enter the conditions as in Rule 4 above.*)

Boundaries.

North, by
East, by
South, by
West, by

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th March 1879.—The following rules for regulating the transhipment of goods under the provisions of Sections 130 and 133 of the Sea Customs Act VIII of 1878, having been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, are published for general information. They will have effect from the 1st of April 1879 :—

Transhipment of Goods.

1. Applications for transhipment should be presented to the proper Officer of Customs before 8 P.M. on the day prior to that on which the transhipment is required, accompanied by the fees payable under Section 133 of the Act, on the following scale :—

For each transhipment between the hours of 8 A.M. *and* 5 P.M.

	Rs.	A.	
On any number of packages not exceeding four ...	1	4	per package.
,, five packages	6	0	
,, subsequent packages not exceeding 25 in number	0	6	per package.
,, any further number of packages	0	4	ditto.

2. When transhipments are not completed before 5 P.M., an additional fee of Rs. 4 will be charged.

3. *Chittagong.*—The transhipment fees payable are as follow :—

	Rs.	A.	
For single packages	0	8	per package.
,, goods in bulk	6	4	,, 100 maunds.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 14.)

Bay of Bengal—British Burma.

SUNKEN DANGERS BETWEEN ALGUADA REEF AND DIAMOND ISLAND.

Notice is hereby given that a recent examination of the approaches to the Bassein River, made by the Superintendent of Marine Surveys, exhibits five separate shoal ridges, on which are rocky patches with from 4 to 13 feet water on them, lying in a N.-E. and S.-W. direction between Alguada Reef and Diamond Island, Bassein River entrance.

The least water discovered was on the "*Hugh Rose Rock*," which lies N. N. E. ½ E., distant 2½ miles from Alguada Reef Lighthouse. This rock, on which the ship *Inchmarnock* struck in April 1877, has only from 3 to 4 feet water on it at low water.

Also that the Alguada Reef Lighthouse lies S. 9° 30′ W. (true), distant 15½ miles from the pagoda on Pagoda Point, and S.-W. by W., distant nearly three-quarters of a mile from the position at present assigned to it on the charts.

☞ Mariners are cautioned that the passage between Alguada Reef and Diamond Island is absolutely barred, and is most dangerous.

[*Bearings are Magnetic, except where otherwise noted. Variation* 2° 30′ *E in* 1879.]

By direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879.

This notice affects the following :—

British Admiralty Charts Nos. 152, 834, 823, 829, 830, and 70*b*.

Indian Marine Survey Charts, Nos. 134, 15*c*., and 15*d*; Tailor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 496.

If this notice is received on board ship, the substance of it should be inserted on the charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10*th March* 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 12 of Act VIII of 1878, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to declare that Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong, shall be a port for the carrying on of coasting trade with customs ports, and for no other purpose.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 10*th March* 1879.—It is hereby notified, under Section 6 of Act VIII of 1878, that the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division to be "Chief Customs Officer" in the port of Cox's Bazar, in the district of Chittagong.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

The 7th March 1879.—The following notification is published for general information.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AGRICULTURE, AND COMMERCE.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

(No. 12.)

Africa—East Coast.

DELAGOA BAY.

COCKBURN LIGHT-VESSEL, REMOVAL IN BAD WEATHER.

The Hydrographic Department of the British Admiralty has published the following information, received from Commodore F. W. Sullivan, C.B., C.M.G., Senior Officer, Cape of Good Hope, relative to the light-vessel placed on the western side of Cockburn shoal, Delagoa bay :—

On H. M. S. *Active* visiting Delagoa bay in November 1878, the light-vessel was not at her station. It was also reported that on the approach of bad weather, shelter is sought for the vessel in port Melville : reliance therefore should not at such times be placed on her being in position.

NOTE.—This light-vessel when in position forms the only safe mark for entering Delagoa bay at night; mariners are accordingly warned as to her probable removal in bad weather.

By Direction of the Government of India,

R. C. CARRINGTON, *Chief Civil Assistant,*
for A. DUNDAS TAYLOR, *Comdr. (late I. N.),*
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

MARINE SURVEY DEPARTMENT, CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879.

This notice affects the following :—

BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts, Nos. 2090 and 644; also Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, 1879; and Africa Pilot, Part III, 1878, pages 154 and 156; also Taylor's Sailing Directory, Vol. I, page 87.

If this notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

[Fourth Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 28th February 1879.—It is hereby notified that the head-quarters of the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division will be removed from Howrah to Chinsurah from 10th March 1879.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 25th March 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the expense of the Berhampore Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for a burning ghât in the village of Saidabad, pergunnah Chunakhâle, zillah Moorshedabad, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, measuring more or less 4 cottahs and 6 chittaks of standard measurement, bounded on the north by a lane running to the river Bhagirathi, on the east by a tank and land belonging to Kumar Durganath Roy of Kunjaghata, on the south by the land of Benwari Lal Gosami, and on the west by the river Bhagirathi, is required within the aforesaid village of Saidabad.

This declaration is made under the provisions of Section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

DECLARATION.

The 22nd March 1879.—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken up by Government at the expense of the Kishnaghur Municipality for a public purpose, viz. for a municipal road in the town of Kishnaghur, pergunnah Ukhra, in the district of Nuddea, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose two plots of land, measuring more or less 3 cottahs and 8 chittacks, are required.

Plot No. 1 (measuring 2 cottahs 8 chittacks) is bounded on the north by the Sen road, jumma land of Ram Lal Chandra, Makhum Lal Chandra, and others, and the municipal land lately purchased from Bankubehari Bonik and Mrinmayi Dassi; on the east by the High Street; on the south by the jumma land of Ram Lal Chandra, Makhum Lal Chandra, and others, the municipal land lately purchased from Bankubehari Bonik and Mrinmayi Dassi, and the jumma land of Pranhari Bonik; and on the west by the Sen road.

Plot No. 2 (measuring 1 cottah) is bounded on the north by the road on the south of Maharajah's moat, the municipal land lately purchased from Sahachari Moyrani; east by the above municipal land, the Sen road, and the jumma land of Bama Benini; on the south by the jumma land of Bama Benini; and on the west by the road on the south of the Maharajah's moat.

This delaration is made under the provisions of Section 6, Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

D. BARBOUR,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1956A.

The 20th March 1879.—Mr. S. Jacob, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Rungpore, is appointed, under the provisions of Section 34, Act II of 1869, to act as a Justice of the Peace within the territories under the Lieutenant-Governor's control.

The 21st March 1879.—Baboo Bhuputty Roy, Subordinate Judge, Burdwan, is allowed leave for forty-two days, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from such date as he availed himself of it.

Baboo Amirto Lal Paul, B.L., First Moonsif of Burdwan, is appointed temporarily to act as Subordinate Judge, Burdwan, *vice* Baboo Bhuputty Roy, with effect from such date as he joined that appointment.

Mr. Avinasa Chandra Mittra, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as a Moonsif of Burdwan, during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Amirto Lal Paul, or until further orders.

The 22nd March 1879.—Baboo Tarini Sunker Roy, Officiating Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Tipperah, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class.

Mr. W. D. Blyth, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, 24-Pergunnahs, is, under section 266 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, vested with the powers of hearing appeals from convictions by Magistrates of the Second and Third Class.

Mr. C. E. Perroux, Officiating Moonsif of Burrisal, in the district of Backergunge, is appointed to be a Moonsif of the Fourth Grade, and is confirmed in his present appointment, *vice* Baboo Mohendro Nath Bose, deceased.

Baboo Chundy Churn Sen, Moonsif of Julpigoree, is vested, under section 29 of the Bengal Civil Courts' Act VI of 1871, with the powers of a Judge of a Small Cause Court for the trial of suits cognizable by such Courts up to the value of Rs. 50.

The 24th March 1879.—Baboo Nobin Chunder Das, M.A. and B.L., who has, under separate orders of this date, been appointed to act as a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Rungpore, is vested with the powers of a Magistrate of the Third Class.

The 25th March 1879.—Baboo Mohendro Nath Ghose, L.L., is appointed to act as a Moonsif of Bishenpore, in West Burdwan, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Ramdya Ghose, or until further orders.

Baboo Ramdyal Ghose, Moonsif of Bishenpore, in West Burdwan, is transferred to Khurruckdeha in Chota Nagpore.

Baboo Parbutty Coomar Mitter, Moonsif of Khurruckdeha, is transferred to Bishenpore.

Baboo Parbutty Coomar Mitter is vested, under Section 29, Act VI (B.C.) of 1871, with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such Courts up to the amount of Rs. 50.

Baboo Gopal Chunder Banerjee, B L, is appointed to act as a Moonsif of Mohesrekha, in Hooghly, during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Shoshee Bhusan Mookerjee, or until further orders.

Baboo Kaderessur Roy, Subordinate Judge, Jessore, is promoted to the Second Grade of Subordinate Judges and Small Cause Court Judges, *vice* Baboo Judoonath Mullick retired.

Baboo Ram Coomar Pal Chowdhry, Subordinate Judge, Sylhet, is promoted to the Third Grade of Subordinate Judges and Small Cause Court Judges, *vice* Baboo Kaderessur Roy.

Baboo Upendro Chunder Mullick, B.L., Officiating Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Jessore, is appointed to be a Subordinate Judge and Small Cause Court Judge of the Fourth Grade, *vice* Baboo Ram Coomar Pal Chowdhry.

Mr. A. W. Cochran, Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Dacca, is vested with powers to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 222 of the Criminal Procedure Code, and with powers under section 521 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 21st March 1879.—With reference to the notification dated the 13th August 1878, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th idem, sanctioning certain rules under Clause 2, Section 190 of Act X of 1866, it is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor has sanctioned the following revised rule, and directs that it be substituted for that bearing the same number :—

14. The Registrar shall submit an annual report on the administration and working of his office, together with the following statements for the previous official year :—

(1) Showing the name and number in the register borne by each of the Joint Stock Companies registered, with their object, nominal capital, and date of registration.

(2) Showing the register number and names of Companies that have increased their capital.

(3) Showing the register number and names of Companies that have commenced winding up, have been finally dissolved, or are otherwise defunct, with their capital and dates of registration, winding up, or final dissolution.

(4) Showing the register number and names of literary, scientific, and charitable societies registered under Act XXI of 1860.

(5) Showing receipts of fees realized under Tables B and C, and the different sections which authorize the levying of fees.

(6) Showing, in order of registration, the number and names of Companies existing on the register on the 31st March of the preceding year, with their nominal and paid-up capital, and their profit or loss as per last balance sheet received, and date of such balance sheet.

(7) Showing result of prosecutions under the Indian Companies Act.

(8) A statement of expenditure.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th March 1879.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the abolition of the registration sub-district of Poopri, in the district of Mozufferpore, and the inclusion of its jurisdiction, comprising thanahs Poopri with outpost Sarsand, in the sub-district of Seetamarhee. This notification will take effect from the 1st April next.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 22nd March 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that under section 2 of Act II (B.C) of 1867, entitled an Act to provide for the punishment of public gambling and the keeping of common gaming-houses, the Lieutenant-Governor authorizes the extension, from the 1st April 1879, of the provisions of the whole of the said Act to the town of Julpigoree, of which the boundaries are given below :—

Boundaries.

On the north, a line drawn due east from the ditch on the north of the Bykuntpore zemindar's house to the bank of the Teesta and west of the old jail on the Karla Nuddee, and thence to the Silligoree road

On the south, a line drawn due west from the Teesta, about 200 yards south of the new Teesta and Pandaparah road.

On the east, the Teesta river.

On the west, a line drawn due south from that point where the northern boundary touches the Silligoree road, going outside the Mahoots' Bustees and police magazine and crossing the railway north of the Titalyah road to the Titalyah road, and thence to the tank west of Pandaparah, and thence to the western extremity of the southern boundary.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 25th March 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Lieutenant-Governor directs the extension of the provisions of Section 34 of Act V of 1861 to Saidpore, in the district of Rungpore.

This notification will take effect from the 1st April 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[First Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 24th March 1879.—It is hereby notified for general information that the provisions of the Indian Arms Act (XI) of 1878 are in force throughout the province of Bengal. The attention of all officers of Government, and of all manufacturers, dealers, and owners of arms and ammunition is hereby drawn to the provisions of the Act, to the notification and rules made by the Governor-General in Council, published in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 12th March 1879, and to the following supplementary rules and instructions issued by the Lieutenant-Governor :—

RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BENGAL.

1. The form of account prescribed by the local Government, in accordance with section 17(*c*) of Act XI of 1878 and Rule 11 of the rules of the Governor-General in Council is a simple debtor and creditor account, showing the number and quantity of each article in stock at the commencement of each month, the additions made to the stock during the month, and the sales effected in the month, with the names and addresses of the purchasers.

2. By rule 11 of the rules of the Governor-General in Council, Magistrates and police officers not below the rank of Inspector are empowered to enter and inspect any premises within their several jurisdictions in which arms or ammunition or sulphur are manufactured or kept, and every license-holder shall exhibit his stock and accounts to the inspecting officer. These inspections shall be made once a month, unless the license-holder shall voluntarily submit to the local (*i.e.* district or sub-divisional) Magistrate a monthly return in the form of account prescribed above. When the prescribed monthly return is regularly submitted, the inspections shall not necessarily be more frequent than once a quarter. The inspections shall be made without previous intimation being given to the license-holder, and a report of the inspection shall be made by the inspecting officer to the district or sub-divisional Magistrate.

The inspections prescribed in this rule shall ordinarily be made by police officers, but district and sub-divisional Magistrates should themselves frequently inspect the premises of licensed manufacturers and dealers in arms and ammunition.

In Calcutta the premises of each licensed manufacturer or dealer shall be inspected once a month, and the reports of the inspecting officers shall be submitted to the Deputy Commissioner of Police.

3. Monthly returns of the stock and sales of each license-holder shall be submitted by sub-divisional Magistrates to the District Magistrate in the form prescribed above. From these monthly returns quarterly statements shall be submitted by District Magistrates to Commissioners of divisions and the Inspector-General of Police. The Inspector-General of Police will submit to Government a complete quarterly return for the entire province, excluding the town of Calcutta. A similar quarterly return for Calcutta shall be submitted by the Commissioner of Police.

4. All arms, ammunition, or military stores deposited at a police station in accordance with the provisions of sections 14 and 16 of the Act, shall be at once sent to the Magistrate of the district in which the police station is situated, and in Calcutta to the Commissioner of Police. The Magistrate or Commissioner of Police shall then store the arms, &c., in a place of safety.

5. By section 25 of the Act, a search for arms, &c., may be made by or in the presence of a Magistrate, or of some officer specially empowered in this behalf. Police officers not below the grade of an Inspector are hereby empowered to conduct searches for arms under section 25.

6. All arms, ammunition, military stores, vessels, carts, baggage, animals, boxes, packages or bales, or other articles forfeited or confiscated in accordance with the provisions of the Act shall be disposed of by the District Magistrate at his discretion in one of the following ways:—

(*a*).—By sale by auction at the district head-quarters, provided that no arms, ammunition, or military stores shall be sold to any person or persons not exempted under section 27 of the Act, or licensed to deal in or possess the articles sold;

(*b*).—By breaking them up and then selling them if their value is below Rs. 20 and they cannot be otherwise disposed of;

(*c*).—By forwarding them to the arsenal at Calcutta.

In Calcutta the same discretion as to the mode of disposal of articles forfeited or confiscated shall rest with the Commissioner of Police.

7. When any person is convicted of an offence punishable under the Act, the court may grant rewards to those officers and persons who actually arrested the offender and seized the property in respect of which the offence was committed, and also to those who gave the information that led to the conviction of the offender. The rewards granted to the person or persons who arrested the offender and seized the property shall not ordinarily exceed one-half the sale proceeds of the confiscated articles, or one-half of their value when they are forwarded to the arsenal instead of being sold, together with half the fine realized from the offender. The rewards granted to the informer or informers shall not ordinarily exceed the other moiety of the sale proceeds or value of the articles confiscated, together with the other moiety of the fine realized. In special cases, when the seizure is important, or when the value of the articles confiscated and the amount of the fine realized are small, the Commissioner of the division, or in Calcutta the Commissioner of Police, may grant a sum not exceeding Rs. 200 as a reward or rewards to those persons through whose information or by whom the offender was arrested or convicted, or the articles seized. The articles confiscated by the court should be disposed of by the District Magistrate or Commissioner of Police, and the rewards paid as soon as possible after the period within which an appeal can be preferred expires, or the order of the court of first instance is confirmed, whichever may first happen. Fines imposed by the courts for offences punishable under the Act shall be realized according to the ordinary procedure of the criminal courts.

8. By section 28 of the Act every person employed upon any railway or by any public carrier is bound, in the absence of reasonable excuse, the burden of proving which shall lie upon such person, to give information to the nearest police officer regarding any box, package, or bale in transit which he may have reason to suspect contains arms, ammunition, or military stores in respect of which an offence against this Act has been or is being committed. Such persons, although legally bound to furnish the information required, are eligible for the rewards mentioned in the preceding rule.

9. All officers empowered to grant licenses under the Act and rules will be supplied with registers, and those registers must be kept written up to date. The registers will correspond with Forms II to IV and VI to XI appended to the rules issued by the Governor-General in Council. The license forms will be attached to counterfoils in the registers, and when granted the forms will be removed and the counterfoils alone will remain in the registers. Each page of registers Nos. II and IV will consist of three forms, one to be given to the license-holder, another to be forwarded to the place of consignment or to the place from which the articles covered by the license are to be exported, and the third for record in the register. Similarly each page of the register of licenses to go armed (IX) on a journey will consist of three forms, one for the license-holder, another to be forwarded to the Magistrate of the district where the journey ends, and the third for record in the register. On the back of the license to go armed on a journey should be an endorsement that the license is to be given up to the Magistrate of the district where the journey ends.

A general register shall also be kept for facility of reference, showing the name of each license-holder, his father's name, his residence, the form of the license, the date of issue, and the date on which the license expires.

10. Before any license is granted the Magistrate of the district or Commissioner of Police shall cause such enquiries as he may consider necessary to be made as to the character of the applicant and his fitness to receive a license. A fresh license shall not be granted to any person who has previously received a license unless he shall either return the old license or shall satisfy the Magistrate or Commissioner of Police that it has been destroyed.

11. The warehouse at Moyapore is hereby declared to be a warehouse for the deposit of ammunition under section 7 of Act XI of 1878. The premises of any licensed dealer in arms in Calcutta, licensed also as a private warehouse under section 16 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878, and approved of in writing by the Commissioner of Police, may be used as a place for the deposit of arms under section 7 of Act XI of 1878.

12. Rule 5 of the rules of the Governor-General in Council provides that no rifles, except rifles of such quality, or in such quantity as may reasonably be held to be intended for *bonâ fide* sporting purposes, shall be imported, save by the special order of the Governor-General in Council certified under signature of the Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department. Whether a rifle is or is not intended for *bonâ fide* sporting purposes will be decided in each case by the Commissioner of Police.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th March 1879.—Under Section 50, Act X of 1872, and in supersession of the notification of the 4th June 1877, published at page 683 of the *Calcutta Gazette* dated the 6th June 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor directs that any two or more of the Honorary Magistrates in the district of Cuttack, now or hereafter to be appointed under the orders of this Government in that district, or any one such Honorary Magistrate, or more than one of them, sitting with any salaried Magistrate appointed by the Magistrate of the district to preside at a meeting or meetings at Cuttack, shall form a Bench for the trial of offences occurring within the limits of the jurisdiction of the head-quarters sub-division of the district of Cuttack.

The Lieutenant-Governor also directs that when, under Section 51, Act X of 1872, these Benches exercise the powers of a Magistrate of the First Class, they shall also have power to try summarily all or any of the offences mentioned in Section 222 of the said Act; and that when, similarly, they exercise the powers of a Magistrate of the Second and Third Class, they shall also have power to try summarily all or any of the offences mentioned in Section 225 of the said Act.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 12th March 1879.—The Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the removal of the head-quarters of the Kandi Sub-Registry Office from Rasorah to Kandi, in the district of Moorshedabad. Baboo Ram Goti Banerjea is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Kandi, *vice* Baboo Gopi Kant Roy, resigned, with effect from the 30th November 1878.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 17th March 1879.—It is hereby notified that from the 1st January 1884 the number of appointments to the Government Service as Assistant Surgeons will be regulated by the requirements of the Medical Department, and that passed students of the Medical College will no longer have a claim to enter the service of Government as a matter of right.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Second Publication.]

NOTICE.

The 18th March 1879.—Whereas a certain newspaper, the *Some Prokash* (সোম প্রকাশ), contains words of the nature described in Section 3, Clause *a* of Act No. IX of 1878—

This is to give notice to all whom it may concern, and to give all such persons warning, according to the provisions of Section 6 of the said Act No. IX of 1878.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 27th February 1879.—In supersession of the notification dated 2nd April 1877, published at page 442 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 4th idem, the Lieutenant-Governor, under Section 7 of Act III of 1877, sanctions the undermentioned changes in the designations and jurisdictions of the Joint Sub-Registrars of Arrah and of Buxar and Sasseeram :—Baboo Ganga Nath Roy, Deputy Collector, in charge of the collection of water-rates in the Arrah division of the Sone Irrigation Circle, at present Joint Sub-Registrar within the executive sub-division of Arrah, will henceforth be designated Joint Sub-Registrar of the Arrah Irrigation Division, and will have jurisdiction over that part of the district of Shahabad which lies to the east of the river Kan, embracing all the tracts from which he collects water-rates; while Moulvie Mahomed-ul Nabi, Deputy Collector, in charge of the collection of water-rates in the Buxar division of the Sone Irrigation Circle, now Joint Sub-Registrar within the sub-divisions of Buxar and Sasseeram, will be called Joint Sub-Registrar of the Buxar Irrigation Division, and will exercise jurisdiction over the remaining portion of the district of Shahabad lying to the west of the river Kan. For the purposes of the Registration Act and Rules, these officers will be subordinate to the Registrar of Shahabad so far as the registration of security bonds executed by, or on behalf of, village head-men appointed for the collection of water-rates is concerned.

This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 7th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the transfer of thana Bhaturiya, at present comprised within the Registration Sub-District of Mantessar, to the Registration Sub-District of Culna, in the district of Burdwan. That portion of the notification dated 22nd July 1878, published at page 827 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 31st idem, which relates to thana Bhaturiya is hereby cancelled.

This notification will take effect from the 20th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

[Third Publication.]

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th March 1879.—Under the provisions of Section 5 of the Indian Registration Act III of 1877, the Lieutenant-Governor sanctions the under-mentioned changes in the jurisdictions of the Sub-Registrars of Contai and of Dantoon, in the district of Midnapore.

The Registration Sub-District of Contai will henceforth comprise thanas Contai, Raghunathpore, Egra, and Pataspore. The Registration Sub-District of Dantoon will comprise thanas Dantoon and Narayanghur. That portion of the notification dated 10th April 1878, published at page 345 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of 24th idem, which relates to the Registration Sub-District of Dantoon is hereby cancelled.

This notification will take effect from the 15th March 1879.

COLMAN MACAULAY,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

ESTABLISHMENT.

The 18th March 1879.

No. 66.—*Leave of absence.*—Major R. G. Smyth, R.E., Superintending Engineer (temporary rank), Second Grade, Officiating Superintending Engineer, North-Eastern Circle, is allowed privilege leave for two months and thirteen days under Civil Leave Code, Chapter VII, Section 32.

The 19th March 1879.

No. 67.—Mr. M. P. B. Duell, Executive Engineer, First Grade, Patna Division, availed himself of the twenty months' furlough to Europe granted* to him from the 10th March 1879.

* Bengal Government (Public Works Department) Notification No. 42 of 10th February 1879.

The 21st March 1879.

No. 68.—*Transfer.*—Mr. G. W. Vivian, Executive Engineer, Third Grade, is transferred from the Dacca Division to the Circular and Eastern Canals Division, in the interests of the public service.

No. 69.—*Leave of absence.*—Mr. J. C. White, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, attached to the Burdwan Division, is allowed privilege leave for fifteen days under Civil Leave Code, Chapter VII, Section 32.

The 24th March 1879.

No. 70.—The following order, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, is republished for information :—

The 21st March 1879.

No. 247.—*Arrivals.*—Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) C. T. Stewart, Royal Engineers, Superintending Engineer, First Grade, Bengal, Public Works Department,—Bombay, 12th March 1879. (Date of departure on furlough, 9th April 1877.)

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No. 71.—The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Public Works Department, are republished for information :—

The 18th March 1879.

No. 144.—The following temporary promotions are ordered in the Superior Accounts Establishment from the dates specified :—

* * * *

Mr. A. Wilson, Deputy Examiner, Second Grade, to Deputy Examiner, First Grade, from 7th March 1879.

The 19th March 1879.

No. 149.—Chapters I to XII of the revised or Fourth Edition of the Public Works Code are now ready for issue, and may be obtained on application to the Superintendent of Government Printing. Copies required for divisional offices and principal offices of the department and for subordinates, as provided for in Chapter IV—i—50 of the former, or Third Edition of the Public Works Code, will be supplied free of charge; to others requiring copies they will be issued on payment, at a rate to be fixed by the Superintendent of Government Printing†.

† Price Rs. 2-8, packing and postage 4 annas extra.

CIVIL BUILDINGS.

The 24th March 1879.

No. 72.—The declaration No. 37, dated 18th February 1878, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870 of the Government of India, relative to the acquisition of certain land for the construction of sub-divisional buildings in the village of Nowgong, in zillah Rajshahye, which was published at page 140 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 20th February 1878, is hereby cancelled.

(COMMUNICATIONS.)

The 24th March 1879.

No. 75.—*Declaration under Section 6 of Act X of* 1870 *of the Government of India.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for the construction of a tow-path along the north bank of the Tolly's Nullah, extending from Shamookpottah toll-house to Tehooriah, pergunnah Calcutta, zillah 24-Pergunnahs, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land, about 19,571 feet in length and 60 feet in width, measuring more or less 85 beeghas and 1 cottah of standard measurement, bounded on the north by Baboo Grish Chunder Mookerjee and Mr. Allyat Chinaman's land, south by the Tolly's Nullah, east by Shamookpottah toll-house, and west by Nanda Nandan Ghose's land, is required within the aforesaid pergunnah Calcutta.

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern.

A. CADELL, *Major-General*, R.E.,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept.

IRRIGATION.

NOTIFICATION—ESTABLISHMENT.

Dated 24th March 1879.

No. 86.—*Leave.*— Mr. A. Hayes, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, Cossye Division, is granted leave for six weeks to study the native languages, under Chapter II, Section IV, paragraph 28 of Public Works Department Code.

Dated 24th March 1879.

No. 87.—*Posting.*—Mr. G. A. G. Shawe, Assistant Engineer, Second Grade, is posted to the Dehree Workshop Division, which he joined on the afternoon of the 6th March 1879.

Dated 24th March 1879.

No. 88.—*Notification.*—The services of Baboo Medni Prosad Sing, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, which were placed at the disposal of this Department by the General Department of this Government in the orders published on page 186 of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 5th instant, are replaced at the disposal of that Department.

Dated 24th March 1879.

No. 89.—*Notification* —The following Notification of the Government of India, Public Works Department, is republished for information :—

"*No.* 157, *dated 21st March* 1879 —With reference to Public Works Department Notification No. 9 of the 4th January 1879, the services of Major J. G. Forbes, R E., Superintending Engineer, Second Grade, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, Irrigation Branch."

IRRIGATION.

Dated 24th March 1879

No. 90.—*Declaration.*—Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz. for retiring a portion of embankment No. 7 in the village of Sowai, pergunnah Barda, zillah Midnapore, it is hereby declared that, for the above purpose, a piece of land about 1,500 feet long, and a width varying from 220 to 280 feet, measuring 7 biggahs 17 cottahs and 11 chittaks, more or less, of standard measurement, cutting off an angle in the existing line of embankment which it joins at each end, is required in the aforesaid village of Sowai.

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act X of 1870 to all whom it may concern.

D. B. HORN, *Assistant Secretary,*
for Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
in the P. W. Dept., Irrigation Branch.

RAILWAY.

Dated 24th March 1879.

No. 20.—*Notifications.*—With reference to Government of India, Public Works Department Notification No. 146, of the 18th instant, Lieutenant G. F. Wilson, R.E., Assistant Engineer, First Grade (temporary rank), rejoined his appointment as Assistant Director of State Railways, North-Eastern System, and Assistant Secretary to Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Railway Branch, on the forenoon of the 21st March 1879

No. 21.—Lieutenant H. G. Kunhardt, R E, Executive Engineer, Fourth Grade (temporary rank), who has been officiating as Assistant Director and Assistant Secretary, is temporarily attached to the Office of Joint-Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, Railway Branch, and Director of State Railways, North-Eastern System, pending further orders.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E,
Offg.-Joint Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

CORRIGENDUM.

The 24th March 1879.

In Notification No. 15 of the 10th instant, *for* "3rd March 1879" *read* "2nd March 1879" as the date of return of Mr. J. Barrow from furlough.

F. S. STANTON, *Lieut.-Col.*, R.E,
Offg. Joint-Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal,
P. W. Dept., Railway Branch.

[Second Publication.]

DECLARATION.

The 14th March 1879 —Whereas it appears to the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal that land is required for a public purpose, viz. for extending the Dalsinghserai Station, Tirhoot State Railway, the land described below is needed for the purpose :—

A plot of land measuring 1 acre, or 1 beegha 4 cottahs 18 dhoors nearly by local measure, being part of a Mangoetope of Bharath Halwayi, part of arable land belonging to Mdsayi Kándú, and part of a plot of land under indigo cultivation, bounded on the north by indigo land of Keota Factory; on the east by the remaining portions of the above required land; on the south by the road leading to Dalsinghserai town; and on the west by the railway premises and land.

The plan of land required is open to inspection at the offices of the Collector of Durbhunga and the Executive Engineer, Tirhoot State Railway, at Mozufferpore, between the hours of 11 A M. and 5 P M. on all days, Sundays and holidays excepted.

This declaration is made, under Section 6 of Act X of 1870, to all whom it may concern

H. G. KUNHARDT, *Lieut.*, R.E.,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal, P. W. Dept, Railway Branch.

JAIL DEPARTMENT

No 2464, *dated the* 19*th March* 1879.—Surgeon H. W. Hill made over charge of the Monghyr Jail to Mr. C. A. Samuells, C.S., in the afternoon of the 6th March 1879.

A. S. LETHBRIDGE,
Inspector-General of Jails, Bengal.

HIGH COURT NOTICE.

HIGH COURT.—Original Side.

NOTIFICATION.

Dated the 20*th March* 1879.

MR. C. T. DAVIS, Chief Clerk, Original Side, has obtained one month's privilege leave, under the rules in Chapter VII of the Civil Leave Code, with effect from 24th instant.

By order,
R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

Sheriff's Office, the 19th March 1879.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Criminal Sessions of the year 1879 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William, and the places subordinate thereto, will be holden at the Court-house, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday, the Twenty-first day of April next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and so on from day to day until the said Session be over. And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who will prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said Sessions be then and there to prosecute.

E. C. MORGAN, *Sheriff.*

শরিফ আফিস, সন ১৮৭৯ সাল ১৯ মার্চ।

সকলকে সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে সুবে বাঙ্গালার ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন শহর কলিকাতার ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তা জন্য আগামি সন ১৮৭৯ সালের ২১ শে এপ্রেল সোমবার বেলা ১১ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেশিয়ানের কার্য্য শেষ না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতার হাই কোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে সন ১৮৭৯ সালের চতুর্থ ক্রিমিনেল সেশিয়ান বসিবেক এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদির বিরুদ্ধে ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবেক তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে ইতি।

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SMALL CAUSE COURT NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, under Section 14, Act XI of 1865, that, subject to the orders of Government, the Judge of the Small Cause Courts at Kooshtea and Chooadanga will, from April next until further notice, hold his sittings in those Courts as noted below :—

From 1st to 20th of every month at Kooshtea.
„ 21st to the end of the month at Chooadanga.

BULLORAM MULLICK, *Officiating Judge.*

KOOSHTEA SMALL CAUSE COURT, the 22nd March 1879.

TREASURY NOTICES.

MR. O. T. BARROW has been placed in charge of the Pooree treasury, and authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

CUTTACK, the 19th March 1879. A. SMITH, *Offg. Commissioner.*

BABOO BHOBOTOSH BANERJEE, Deputy Collector, has been placed in charge of Bankoora treasury, and is authorized to draw bills on other treasuries.

T. E. RAVENSHAW, *Commissioner.*

COMMR.'S OFFICE, BURDWAN DIVN., the 22nd March 1879.

EDUCATIONAL NOTICES.

Mookhtarship Examination, 1879.

THE following is the list of the candidates who were examined in the Bengali, Urdu, and Urya languages at the Mookhtarship Examination held in January last, and who have successfully passed such examination :—

Register number.	Names.
1	Rajkoomar Chowdry.
7	Onnoda Churn Sirkar.
10	Prokash Chunder Ghose.
13	Shita Nath Roy.
16	Lolit Kumar Indu.
20	Koonj Behari Audhicari.
21	Bepin Behari Ghosh.
29	Madan Gopal.
32	Mahadeo Pershad.
34	Bundi Lal.
35	Nowrangi Lal.
39	Quadir Ali.
54	Tarini Charan Shome.
55	Adhar Chandra Bose.
57	Umesh Chandra Mookerjee.
61	Issan Chandra Ghose.
62	Hara Nath Chanda.
63	Chintamani Das.
66	Dwarka Nath Acharji.
69	Madhub Chandra Moitra.
71	Rasaraj Mozumdar.
72	Kedaresvar Chakravarti.
74	Basual Charan Goon.
75	Mohesh Chandra Talookdar.
80	Sarat Chandra Chakravarti.
84	Daraka Nath Bhumic.
86	Bolo Hury Paul.
87	Shama Charan Gangopadhya.
89	Isvar Chandra Basu.
97	Anunda Mohun Basu.
110	Banwari Lal Das.
112	Jaher Ulla.
115	Umanath Guha.
122	Shoshi Bhusan Mookerjee.
123	Rajani Kanta Dutta.
125	Fuzler Rohoman.
130	Tota Ram.
132	Ram Lal.
151	Gurupudo Ghosh.
153	Kanti Chunder Rashi.
155	Akhoy Kumar Roy Chaudhury.
158	Jadu Nath Kurmokar.
159	Purna Chandra Mookerjee.
160	Ram Churn Chuckerbutty.
161	Rash Behary Ghosal.
164	Trailokyanath Bose.
165	Jadub Chandra Bose.
169	Chandrakant Banerjee.
172	Amarnath Mookhopadhya.
177	Nogendro Chunder Chatterjee.
178	Jogendronath Bundhopadhya.
182	Bhoirub Chunder Bhuttacharjee.
186	Gobindo Chunder Poramanick,
187	Gobindo Chunder Bundopadya.
190	Norendro Narain Bhuttacharjee.
191	Chunder Nath Banerjee.
197	Saroda Prosad Banerjee.
198	Nobin Chunder Rai.
200	Umesh Chandra Guha.
202	Bipro Das Chatterjee.
203	Brojonath De.
204	Ram Soonder Chakravarti.
210	Kala Chundra Chuckerbutty.
212	Goluk Chundra Biswas.
224	Devanath Mundul.
227	Noresh Chandra Ghosh.
229	Ukhowree Shewsurun Lal.
233	Mulik Brazuddin Ahmud.
238	Syud Mehdi Hosen Akber.
244	Sheikh Mahomed Zuhoorul Huq, *alias* Dumri.
245	Bunseedhur.
247	Syud Abdool Azim.
256	Syud Buzaet Hosein.
266	Seeboo Lal.
267	Mahomed Zuhoorul Huq.
275	Syud Mahomed Yusuf.
281	Syud Mahomed Yakoob.
282	Mahomed Zoolfikar Ali.
284	Sheikh Mehdee Hosein.
285	Jogul Kishwer Pandey.
289	Mulik Zuhoorul Huq.
290	Syud Urfan Ali.
297A	Sheikh Nadir Ali.
299	Moorly Dhur.
300	Mahabeer Pershad.
301	Ram Perkash Lal.
311	Gujraj Sahai.
312	Pares Nath Nandi.
325	Dina Nath Maulik.
333	Kailas Chandra Majumdar.
336	Banawari La lSaha.
342	Durga Charan Ghose.
346	Balbhadar Sahai.
347	Mohendar Purshad.
348	Bissessur Dyal.
350	Raghunandan Sahai.
351	Durga Purshad.
353	Bansdhari Sahai.
354	Abdul Ali.
355	Dabin Thakur.
356	Thakur Parshad.
359	Rambullub Sahai.
360	Ramkishun Lal.
361	Padaruth Lal.
362	Jadubuns Sahai.
365	Mahadeo Sahai.
371	Tanee Pershad.
374	Sewparsan Lal.
375	Bechun Lal.
379	Sheosurn Lal.
382	Farkhand Ali.
386	Shunker Sahai.
387	Bunmalee Sahai.
391	Abdul Karim.
393	Sifat Ulla.
394	Bango Chandra Sen.
407	Sheikh Mohiuddeen.
409	Sham Chunder Narain.
412	Sheikh Amirooddin Hossein.
413	Ishuree Proshad.
415	Sheikh Meahjan.
428	Rooder Pershad.
431	Sheikh Abdool Ruseed.
435	Sheikh Mahomed Oosman.
437	Lala Dabi Sahai.
438	Sheikh Abdul Furreh.
441	Rajbullub Sahai.
443	Sheikh Mahomed Woomur Daraz.
446	Syed Ali Hossein.
456	Srish Chunder Chowdhry.
459	Sree Narain Ghose.
462	Shoshibhusan Bose Roy.
465	Kailas Chandra Chakrobarti.
470	Promotho Nath Ghose.
477	Madhu Sudan Chakravarti.
478	Govid Prosad Sur.

The certificate will be sent to the District Judges through whom the candidates sent in their applications.

The list of the successful candidates at the Pleadership examination, and of the candidates for Mookhtarship who were examined in the English language, will be published hereafter.

E. J. TREVELYAN,

Secy. to the Board of Examiners for Pleadership and Mookhtarship.

The 22nd March 1879.

Subordinate Educational Service.

The 24th March 1879.—Baboo Ratna Mani Gupta, Head-Master, Mymensingh Zillah School (Class IV), is allowed leave for one month, under Rule 1, Section 31 of the Civil Leave Code, under the orders of Government dated the 12th March 1879.

Baboo Kali Kumar Guha, Second Master, Mymensingh Zillah School (Class VI), is appointed to act as Head-Master of the same school, and will officiate in Class IV of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on leave, of Baboo Ratna Mani Gupta, or until further orders.

Baboo Mohim Chandra Bose, Third Master, Mymensingh Zillah School (Class VII), is appointed to act as Second Master of the same school, and will officiate in Class VI of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Kali Kumar Guha, or until further orders.

Baboo Iswar Chandra Basu, Fourth Master, Mymensingh Zillah School (outside the graded list), is appointed to act as Third Master of the same school, and will officiate in Class VII of the Subordinate Educational Service during the absence, on deputation, of Baboo Mohim Chandra Bose, or until further orders.

A. W. CROFT,
Director of Public Instruction.

NOTIFICATIONS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 288B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fourth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-Room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 3rd April 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares „	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 8th and 18th April 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the Sale-Room will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 8th April 1879, and no Bank of Bengal receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 18th April 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so:—

DATES.	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 1st May 1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 2nd June „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th „ „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December „ ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total ...	20,000	20,000	40,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,
W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th February 1879.

No. 416B.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Fifth Sale of Opium, the provision of 1876-77, will be held at the Government Opium Sale-room, No. 2, Bankshall Street, on Thursday, the 1st May 1879, at 11 A.M., and will comprise 5,000 chests, viz.—

	Chests.
Behar Opium	2,500
Benares ,, ...	2,500
Total ...	5,000

2. The general conditions of the sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 21st November 1878, and published in the *Government* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on personal application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 6th and 16th May 1879 respectively, that is to say, no Bank of Bengal Receipts, Government Promissory Notes, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers in the sale-room, will be received after 4 P.M. of Tuesday, the 6th May 1879, and no Bank of Bengal Receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P.M. of Friday, the 16th May 1879.

4. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium will be brought to sale in the present year on or about the dates specified below. The Board of Revenue, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates should circumstances render it expedient to do so :—

Dates.		Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests	Total, about Chests
On or about Monday, 2nd June	1879 ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 2nd July	,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 5th August	,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 1st September	,, ...	2 500	2,500	5,000
On or about Tuesday, 30th ditto	,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Monday, 3rd November	,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
On or about Wednesday, 3rd December	,, ...	2,500	2,500	5,000
Total	...	17,500	17,500	35,000

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

W. H. GRIMLEY, *Secretary.*

BOARD OF REVENUE, L. P., FORT WILLIAM, the 25th March 1879.

Statement showing the Importation of Salt (private property) in bond and afloat on River Hooghly subject to Customs duty on the 15th March 1879.

	Government Golahs.	Private Golahs.	Afloat.	Total.
	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool Punga	4,35,715	22,284	4,17,604	8,75,603
French Kurkutch	26,746	.....	.....	26,746
Italian ditto	5,554	.....	.....	5,554
Bombay ditto	56,976	.....	.....	56,976
Arabian and Persian Gulfs Kurkutch and Muscat Rock ..	2,72,195	.....	1,081	2,73,276
Ceylon Kurkutch	38,186	.....	.....	38,186
Egyptian ditto	24,112	.. ...	.....	24,112
Total ...	8,59,484	22,284	4,18,685	13,00,453

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.,

J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 22nd March 1879.

The Calcutta Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 1879.

PART IA.

Orders and Notifications by the Government of India, &c.

[*Reprinted from the Gazette of India.*]

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Home Department, are republished for general information:—

NOTIFICATIONS.—PUBLIC.

Fort William, the 18th March 1879.

No. 659.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Commissioner of Salt Revenue, Madras Presidency, will take rank in the first class of the supplementary graded list published with the Warrant of Precedence for India in Home Department Notification No. 2032, dated the 1st November 1877, that is to say, under Article No. 62 of the said Warrant.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 15th March 1879.

No. 199.—Four months' leave of absence, under Clause 6, Supplement C to the Civil Leave Code, is granted to Mr. F. S. Collis, Officiating Administrator-General, Bengal, with effect from the 1st April next, or from any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of the same.

No. 200.—Mr. F. Clarke is appointed to officiate as Administrator-General, Bengal, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. Collis, or until further orders.

The 21st March 1879.

No. 209.—The Honourable E. G. Birch is permitted to resign Her Majesty's Bengal Civil Service with effect from the 18th proximo.

MEDICAL.

The 19th March 1879.

No. 203.—APPOINTMENT.—Surgeon-Major J. Jones, M.D., is confirmed in the appointment of Surgeon to the Presidency General Hospital, with effect from the 1st instant, *vice* Surgeon-Major J. Ewart, M.D., retired.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Financial Department, are republished for general information :—

NOTIFICATIONS.—ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

Fort William, the 21st March 1879.

No. 1375.—Ordered that the following be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information :—

FINANCIAL. INDIA OFFICE,

No. 45. *London, 6th February 1879.*

To His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council.

MY LORD,—I have to acquaint you that the rate of exchange for the adjustment of financial transactions between the Imperial and Indian Governments, for the year 1879-80, has been fixed, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, at one shilling and seven pence half-penny (1*s.* 7½*d.*) the rupee, and I have to request that you will give the necessary instructions for the due observance of this rate in respect of all transactions to which it is applicable.

I have the honor to be, &c.,

CRANBROOK.

POST OFFICE.

The 7th March 1879.

No. 1170.—Ordered that the following Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* :—

It has been brought to the notice of the Government of India, that articles liable to Sea Customs duty are frequently imported into India through the Letter Post and thus escape the duty to which they are liable. Such importations are in direct contravention of the Indian Post Office Act, 1866, Section 60 of which Act declares that any cover supposed to contain articles subject to Customs duty may be opened by the Post Office authorities after due notice to attend has been given to the addressee.

His Excellency the Governor General in Council desires to remind the public that the importation through the Letter Post of goods liable to duty is illegal, and to notify for general information that the provisions of Section 60 of Act XIV of 1866 will be strictly enforced.

Ordered, that this Resolution be communicated to the several Local Governments and Administrations, and for information and guidance to the Director General of the Post Office of India.

REVENUE—SEPARATE REVENUE—POST OFFICE.

The 21st March 1879.

No. 1403.—The International Postal Convention signed at Paris on the 1st of June 1878, having necessitated various changes in the postal rates and conditions respecting correspondence with places abroad, the Hon'ble the President in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Indian Post Office Act, 1868, is pleased to sanction the following revised rules, conditions, and postage rates in respect of articles transmitted by Foreign Post.

The new postage rates, rules and conditions shall have effect from the 1st April 1879, excepting those relating to Post Cards, regarding which a further Notification will be issued on the Cards in course of manufacture becoming available for use.

RATES OF POSTAGE AND CONDITIONS OF TRANSMISSION BY FOREIGN POST.

Definition of term "Foreign Post."

1. The term "Foreign Post" includes the posts under the control of the Government of India named below :—

India and the Straits	British India Steam Navigation Company *viâ* British Burmah. Opium Steamers direct to and from Calcutta.
India, China, and the United States of America *viâ* Hong-Kong ...	Opium Steamers *viâ* the Straits.
India and Ceylon ...	British India Steam Navigation Company. Coasting Steamers between Calcutta and Bombay.
India and Persia ...	British India Steam Navigation Company *viâ* Kurrachee and Persian Gulf.
India and Aden ...	British India Steam Navigation Company *viâ* Kurrachee.

It also includes the land post between India and Ceylon. Also all mails sent by private ships or vessels, whether from one Indian Post Office to another, or to and from places abroad. Also all mails sent by Her Majesty's British packets (Peninsular and Oriental Company), or by Colonial packets, or by the French mail packets, whether from one Indian Post Office to another, or to and from places abroad.

Foreign Correspondence by private Vessel.

2. Mails can be sent by any private vessel leaving a port in India, but only such classes of mails are forwarded as can be received under the postal regulations of the country of destination. Banghy parcels cannot be sent to any foreign country by private vessel.

Letters, &c., intended for despatch by private vessel should be marked as such by the sender, the name of the vessel being given if transmission by a particular vessel is desired. Letters, &c., not so marked may be forwarded by private vessel if there be no regular mail communication with the country of destination.

Letters, &c., intended for despatch by private vessel must be *fully prepaid* by stamps at the ordinary Indian inland rates, and they will be liable on delivery in any foreign country to such postage as may be chargeable under the regulations of that country. This rule does not, however, apply to correspondence sent by private vessel to Ceylon, Hong-Kong, Mauritius, Seychelles or the Straits, for which see those entries in the Foreign Post Schedule.

Letters, &c., cannot be registered by private vessel.

Route by which forwarded.

3. The route by which an article is intended to be sent should be marked on the upper left-hand corner of the address side, and when possible the instructions so given will be followed. An article marked for a particular route, but not fulfilling the conditions of that route (*e. g.*, in respect of compulsory prepayment of postage), will be treated as if not marked for any particular route. Articles not marked for any particular route will, as a general rule, be sent by the route which stands

first in the Schedule, except where there is a quicker despatch by some other route, or where the first route may involve special expenses (*e.g.*, by special train *viâ* Brindisi); or where it may require the compulsory pre-payment of a higher rate of postage than that which has been prepaid, or where the amount of postage paid may leave no doubt as to the route intended.

Correspondence from or to Aden or Zanzibar.

4. Correspondence passing direct between Aden and places abroad is ordinarily governed by the same conditions and is conveyed by the same routes as correspondence between India and places abroad: in cases where there are special conditions or routes applicable to correspondence from Aden, special mention thereof is made in the Schedule.

Correspondence from Aden to India or any Indian Post Office is charged at the rates shewn in the Schedule for correspondence from India to Aden. Zanzibar stands in the position of a branch office to Aden: correspondence to Zanzibar is governed by the conditions mentioned in the Schedule: and correspondence from Zanzibar is governed by the same conditions as if it were posted at Aden, unless it be addressed to Aden itself, when it is subject to ordinary inland rates and conditions.

Letters for Erzeroum and the interior of Armenia, West Arabia, Persia, Turkey, Asia Minor, Kashmir, Gilgit, Ladakh, Cabul, &c.

5. It is recommended that letters for Erzeroum and other parts of the interior of Armenia be addressed to the care of some agent at Samsoun or Trebizond.

Letters for Hodeida, Jedda, Mecca, Mocha or other places in West Arabia and Massowah (in Abyssinia) should be prepaid as far as Suez at the rate of postage prescribed for letters to Suez. From Suez they are forwarded to destination by Egyptian Post, or such opportunity as may offer. Any letter for Jedda or Mecca which may be specially marked by the senders for transmission *through Aden*, and prepaid at the rates of postage prescribed for letters to Aden, will be forwarded direct from Aden by the first private vessel.

Letters for Kiermanshah and Hamadan in Persia should be sent by the Indian inland post to the Indian Post Office at Bagdad, addressed to the care of some agent there: and letters for Teheran, Ispahan, Shiraz, Julfa or other places in Persia will be sent to the Persian Post Office at Bushire, which will forward them to destination.

Letters for such places in Turkey and Asia Minor or Syria, as have no British, Austrian or French Post Offices (see list of British, Austrian and French Offices in *Turkey* given in the Schedule), should be addressed to the care of an agent at the nearest port at which a British, Austrian or French Office has been established.

Letters and other articles for Kashmir are forwarded during the summer months (15th April to 1st November) through the Indian Post Office at *Murree*, and thence by Kashmir Post to *Srinagar*, where an Indian Post Office is maintained temporarily. During the summer, letters, &c., sent by this route are subject to the ordinary Indian inland rates of postage and to the ordinary rules as respects prepayment; but additional postage equal to half Indian postage is levied on delivery on behalf of the Kashmir Government. During the winter months, letters for Kashmir are forwarded to the Indian Frontier Post Office at Sialkot, and thence by Kashmir Post to Jummoo. This route is closed during the summer, when the Murree route is open.

Letters and other articles for Gilgit and Leh (Ladakh) are forwarded during the summer months (15th April to 1st November) through the Indian Post Office at Murree, and thence by the Kashmir post. During the winter months, letters for Gilgit and Leh are forwarded through the Indian Post Office at Sialkot, and thence by Kashmir post. The delivery at Leh is effected through an Indian Office at that place: but the transit to Leh is under the control of the Kashmir post. By either route, letters, &c., are charged on delivery by the Kashmir Government with postage equal to half Indian postage, in addition to ordinary Indian inland rates.

Letters for Cabul, *if fully prepaid* with ordinary Indian inland postage, are forwarded to the Indian Frontier Post Office at Peshawar, and there made over to the Postal Agent appointed by the Ameer of Cabul for delivery under local conditions and rates of charge. Mails are forwarded by the Agent towards Cabul about three times a week.

Addresses on Foreign Articles.

6. In the case of letters for places abroad, the name of the *country* (written clearly in large, well-formed characters), as well as the town or city, should be given in full. Attention to this rule will often assist in deciphering the name of the town or city, and will prevent the letter from being mis-sent when there are towns of the same name in different countries. The address of every letter to a place abroad should end with the name of the country. Names of foreign towns, cities or countries should be spelt in the address in the same way as in the Foreign Post Schedule: and the attention of foreigners is particularly directed to this point, as many of them are in the habit of spelling foreign names according to the foreign method. If the route by which the article is intended to be sent be given by the sender, it should be written on the upper left-hand corner, and if the name of the sender be given, it should be written on the lower left-hand corner.

Addresses on letters for Russia.

Letters, &c., for Russia should have, besides the name of the town, the name of the Province or Government in which they are situated; and further, the address must be plainly written. If these conditions be not complied with, the Russian Post Office declines to undertake the delivery of the correspondence.

Registration to places abroad.

7. Letters may be registered to those places abroad to which registration is available (*vide* Foreign Post Schedule), provided that the postage is fully prepaid, as well as the full amount of the registration fee shewn in the Schedule. Letters for places mentioned in clause 5 cannot be registered, except in the cases of those addressed to Srinagar and Leh, where Indian Post Offices have been established, or to Persia.

It is to be understood that registration to places abroad applies only to letters or packets prepaid at letter rates, except in respect of the United Kingdom and other countries belonging to

the Universal Postal Union (marked I in column 2 of Schedule), to which correspondence of all kinds may also be registered.

The sender of a registered article can obtain an acknowledgment of the delivery of such article, when addressed to a Union country (marked I in column 2 of the Schedule), by prepaying two annas in postage stamps in addition to the usual registration fee.

As stated in clause 2, letters, &c., cannot be registered by private vessel.

Registration of Initial Addresses to the United Kingdom forbidden.

No letter or other article addressed to initials, or to a fictitious name, and destined for the United Kingdom can be registered. Such articles, if tendered, will not be accepted for registration.

Transmission of dangerous or offensive substances prohibited.

8. The prohibition against the transmission of dangerous or offensive substances contained in paragraph 9 of Section II applies also to Foreign Post articles.*

Money, Jewels, &c., and articles liable to customs duty.

No letter or packet containing gold or silver money, jewels or precious articles, or any article liable to customs duty, may be sent through the post to places abroad. This does not apply to the Overland Parcel Post.

Newspapers, Books, &c., regarded as dutiable in the United States of America.

In the United States of America all imported newspapers and books are regarded as dutiable: but in the case of articles intended for the personal use of the addressee, the officers of the Post Office are authorised to exercise their discretion in admitting without duty unsealed packages of newspapers not exceeding 2 lbs. 3 ozs. in weight, as well as books and other articles of merchandise not exceeding a dutiable value of one dollar.

Newspapers.

9. Newspapers may be sent in packets as printed papers under clause 10, but if sent either singly or separately folded and tied in a bundle (the bundle being superscribed with the number of separate newspapers contained in it), they are conveyed at the privileged rate (prepayment compulsory) of postage shewn in the Schedule under the column headed "Each Newspaper."

Printed Papers and Legal and Commercial Documents.

10. The following conditions, &c., being those of the Universal Postal Union, apply generally to all countries, with the special exceptions mentioned in the Schedule opposite particular countries.

Attention is drawn to the limit of weight, *viz.*, 2 Kilogrammes or 4 lbs. 6 ozs. fixed for a packet of printed papers or legal and commercial documents. See Schedule and exception opposite the United Kingdom.

Under the head of "Printed Papers" are included newspapers and periodicals, stitched or bound books, pamphlets, music, visiting cards, address cards, proofs of printing with or without the manuscript relating thereto, engravings, photographs, drawings, plans, maps, catalogues, prospectuses, announcements and notices of various kinds, whether printed, engraved or lithographed or autographed, and in general all impressions or copies obtained on paper, parchment, or card board, by means of printing, lithography, or any other mechanical process easy to recognise, except the copying press.

The following articles are considered as "Legal and Commercial Documents," *viz.*, all deeds or documents, written or drawn, wholly or partly by hand, which have not the character of *an actual and personal correspondence*, such as papers of legal procedure, deeds of all kinds drawn up by public functionaries, way-bills and bills of lading, invoices, the various documents of insurance companies, copies or extracts of private deeds, written on stamped or unstamped paper, scores or sheets of manuscript music, manuscripts of works forwarded separately, &c.

NOTE.—*The definition of "Legal and Commercial Documents" given above is held to include such written articles intended for publication in Newspapers as are not of the nature of a personal letter as well as written descriptions or hand-sketches of places which are sent for publication; it is held also to include written letters of old date which have previously passed through the post and served their original purpose.*

Articles posted as "Legal and Commercial Documents" must be placed under bands or in an unclosed envelope. "Printed Papers" must be either placed under band, upon a roller, between boards, in a cover open at one side, or at both ends, or in an unclosed envelope, or simply folded in such a manner as not to conceal the nature of the packet, or, lastly, tied by a string easy to unfasten. An address card or a printed article presenting the form and consistency of an unfolded card may be forwarded without band, envelope, fastening or fold.

Printed papers may contain manuscript to the following extent:

(*a.*)—Signature of sender or designation of his name or of his firm, his rank, the place of origin, and the date of despatch;

(*b.*)—Dedication or compliments inscribed by the author;

(*c.*)—Simple marks drawing attention to certain passages;

(*d.*)—Prices added to stock or share lists, prices current or market reports;

(*e.*)—Quotations or corrections on proofs of printing or musical compositions.

* NOTE.—This rule is, however, modified as regards correspondence for *France* and *French colonies*, to which the following articles may be sent under the conditions named below, *viz.*:—(*a*) Liquids, or fatty substances easily melted, which must be enclosed in bottles hermetically sealed and afterwards packed in wooden boxes containing sufficient cotton, sawdust, or other absorbing material to retain anything that may escape from the bottle if it should be broken: the wooden box must be finally enclosed in a metal case. (*b*) Fatty substances not easily melted, such as resin, soft soap, &c., must be enclosed in a cover of linen, parchment, or wood, and finally placed in an outer cover of wood or metal. (*c*) Dry powders (if not dangerous) may be packed in two separate coverings, provided that nothing can escape to stain or damage other articles.

Articles dangerous, inflammable, explosive, or of bad odour, or in any way exceeding the limits of size or weight laid down in this section, will under no circumstances be transmitted. The articles specified must have no intrinsic value, and the smallest quantity necessary to serve as a sample should be sent.

Articles posted as "Printed Papers" or "Legal and Commercial Documents" which do not fulfil the foregoing conditions, or are not prepaid to the extent of one anna, at least, for "Printed papers," and two annas for "Legal and Commercial Documents," will not be forwarded.

NOTE.—*As an exception to the above rule, unpaid articles posted as "Printed papers" or "Legal and Commercial documents," and fulfilling all conditions except that of partial prepayment, will, when* addressed to the United Kingdom, *be forwarded, but will be liable on delivery to double the deficient postage.*

Samples of Merchandise.

11. The following conditions, &c., being those of the Universal Postal Union, apply generally to to all countries, with the special exceptions mentioned in the Schedule opposite particular countries.

Attention is drawn to the limit of size, *viz.*, 8 by 4 by 2 inches, and of weight, *viz.*, 8 ounces fixed for a packet of samples. See Schedule and exception opposite the United Kingdom.

Samples of merchandise are chargeable with the reduced postage under the following conditions:

(*a.*)—They must be placed in bags, boxes or envelopes removable, so as to admit of an easy examination of their contents.

(*b.*)—They must not have any saleable value, or bear any manuscript writing other than the name or the trade or firm of the sender, the address of the person for whom the packet is intended, a manufacturer's or trade mark, numbers and prices.

Samples not packed in accordance with these conditions, or not prepaid to the extent of one rate at least, will not be forwarded, nor will any of which the conveyance would be attended with inconvenience or danger.

NOTE.—*As an exception to the above rule, unpaid articles posted as "samples of merchandise," and fulfilling all conditions except that of partial prepayment, will, when* addressed to the United Kingdom, *be forwarded, but will be liable on delivery to double the deficient postage.*

Articles grouped in one despatch.

It is permitted to enclose in the same packet samples of merchandise, printed papers and legal and commercial documents, but subject to the following conditions:

(*a.*)—That each article taken separately shall not exceed the limits of weight and size applicable to it;

(*b.*)—That the total weight shall not exceed 4 lbs. 6 ozs. per packet;

(*c.*)—That the lowest amount prepaid shall be two annas if the despatch contains legal and commercial documents, and one anna if the despatch consists of printed papers or samples.

Unpaid or insufficiently paid correspondence which does not come under the conditions given in the Schedule.

12. Such correspondence will be returned to the sender through the Dead Letter Office. The sender has no claim to a refund of the postage originally paid, but, in the case of recent alterations of postage rates and conditions, the Post Master General (or officer exercising the powers of Post Master General) may exercise discretion in authorising such refunds in special cases.

Correspondence re-directed to places abroad.

13. Letters, &c., re-directed in India to places abroad will be sent forward chatged with the Non-Union postage (if any) due at the time of re-direction, no extra claim being raised for the re-transmission so far as the Indian Post Office is concerned. The postage levied in the country of destination will be governed by the regulations of that country. Letters, &c., re-directed to the United Kingdom or countries served through it will, if originally received from such countries, be forwarded by the route by which they came: and in other cases by the route *vid* Brindisi.

This rule does not apply to articles re-directed by Overland Parcel Post.

Correspondence received from places abroad.

14. Post cards received from countries of the Union (marked I in Schedule) will be delivered in India as paid letters.

By routes marked I.

Unpaid and insufficiently paid letters and insufficiently paid printed papers, &c., received from *any country of the Union* (marked I in Schedule), will be charged on delivery with double the deficient postage. Fractions of half an anna will be raised to half an anna. Letters from the Portuguese Offices of Goa and Diu are charged at Indian inland rates without regard to any stamps which may be affixed to them. Unpaid printed papers, &c., received from the United Kingdom (or exceptionally received from other places), will be charged at double the rates fixed for the prepayment of similar articles going in the opposite direction.

Letters received in Aden from Zanzibar by British Packet are subject to the ordinary Indian inland rates and conditions.

By routes marked II.

Letters received from any *Non-Union Country through a Union Country* (routes marked II in Schedule) as unpaid or insufficiently paid, will be charged with double the deficient postage. Fractions of half an anna will be raised to half an anna.

Any articles other than letters which may be exceptionally received from such places either unpaid or insufficiently paid will be charged in the same manner.

By routes marked III.

Letters and other articles received from *Ceylon, Hong-Kong, Mauritius, Seychelles* or *the Straits by private vessels* (marked III in Schedule) are all received fully prepaid and delivered without charge.

Letters and other articles received from *any place* (except Ceylon, Hong-Kong, Mauritius, Seychelles or the Straits) *by private vessels* are charged with ordinary Indian inland postage at prepaid rates, according to weight in tolas, together with (in the case of letters) one anna each, being the sum paid to the Commander of the vessel.

By routes marked IV.

Letters, newspapers, and packets are all received fully prepaid (and are delivered without charge) from the places and by the routes marked IV in the Schedule, *viz.:*

Australia by British Packet.

East Africa (*i. e.*, Cape, Delagoa Bay and Natal) by British Packet through Aden.

Unpaid or insufficiently paid letters exceptionally received from Australia or other places in the same category are charged at the rates shewn in the Schedule for similar articles sent from India.

Re-direction of articles received from places abroad.

15. Prepaid articles received from places abroad, and re-directed after arrival in India to another place in India, will not be charged with any additional postage on account of such re-direction. The exemption contained in this clause applies to overland parcels.

An article re-directed from a Union Country to India will be treated in India as follows:—(1) *if originally fully prepaid* to its first address, it will be charged with the difference between the postage already paid, and the postage which would have been required for prepayment from the country of origin direct to its destination in India. (2) *if originally unpaid or insufficiently prepaid*, it will be charged as if it had come direct from the country of origin as an unpaid or insufficiently paid letter.

The rule contained in this clause does not apply to overland parcels.

Addresses on letters, &c., for passengers on board.

16. Letters posted in India for delivery to persons on their way to or from India should preferentially be addressed to the care of the local agent of the vessel or company to which the vessel belongs, full particulars being given of the name, &c., of the vessel (describing it as outward bound or homeward bound); if the addressee is travelling by one of the mail steamers (P. and O. Company), it may be sufficient to give the port of departure (Brindisi, Southampton, Calcutta or Bombay) of the steamer, with the time-table date of such departure and port of destination: for example, "A. B., passenger by outward Mail Steamer, Southampton (24th March) to Calcutta," care of &c., &c., &c., &c.

It is recommended that the name and address of the sender be written on the lower left-hand corner of the letter, preceded by the word "from," so as to save the opening of the letter in the Dead Letter Office in case of non-delivery, and it is recommended also that all such letters be fully prepaid.

If a letter be posted in India *vid* Bombay to the address of a passenger proceeding from Calcutta or Madras by a steamer of the P. and O. Company timed to reach Aden or Suez at or about the same time as the mail steamer which carries the letter from Bombay, it may be addressed as follows:

Name of Addressee.

Passenger by Calcutta Mail Steamer (here enter name of vessel if known or Calcutta date of departure).

Care of Marine Travelling Post Office, Bombay.

N. B.—Full pre-payment at Southampton rates is compulsory.

Such letters will be made over to the Marine Post Office on leaving Bombay, and will be left at Aden for delivery, if the Bombay mail steamer precedes the Calcutta steamer, or be taken on for delivery through the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Agency at Suez if the Calcutta steamer has preceded. The delivery at Suez will be effected on board the Calcutta steamer as soon as possible after the arrival of the Bombay steamer.*

Other subjects connected with Foreign Post.

17. The following references are given to other subjects connected with the Foreign Post which are treated of elsewhere:—

Overland Parcel Post ...	See rules immediately following the Schedule.
Special rates for letters of soldiers and seamen.	See rules coming after the above.
Official correspondence with places abroad.	See Section headed "Official Correspondence" (last clause).

* NOTE.—These letters will be delivered through the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Agency as the local Post Office at Suez is closed from 11 A. M. to 3 P. M. daily.

SCHEDULE OF RATES.

Containing the Rates of Postage chargeable in India upon Letters, Newspapers, &c., addressed to places abroad, and forwarded by Mail Packets or other organised Posts.

The maximum size of any articles is 2 feet in length by one foot in breadth or depth, except samples which may not exceed 8 inches in length by 4 and 2 inches in breadth and depth. Where no special conditions as to weight are given, the maximum weight of printed papers or legal or commercial documents is 4 lbs. 6 oz. and of samples 8 oz. For definition of printed papers, legal and commercial documents and samples, see Clauses 9 to 11 of remarks preceding this Schedule.

The registration and acknowledgment fees (see Clause 7 of remarks preceding this Schedule) as well as the postage must, in all cases of registration, be prepaid in full by stamps; full prepayment is in every case compulsory for newspapers sent as such, *i. e.*, at the privileged rates quoted for newspapers; full prepayment is also compulsory for packets of printed papers, &c., addressed to Non-Union Countries; and the prepayment of at least one rate is compulsory for like articles addressed to Union Countries (except the United Kingdom).

Full prepayment is also compulsory both for letters and other articles when addressed to Countries (Union or Non-Union) by routes marked "C" in the Schedule.

Post cards can only be sent to Union places marked I in column 2.

Where the means of conveyance from India is not specified in column 1, it is always *by British Packet, i. e.*, P. and O. Co.

Where the description of the route in column 1 contains no mention of a particular Indian Office, the mails are sent *viâ* Bombay, or from Aden in the case of correspondence posted at Aden.

The name immediately following the word "through" in column 1 is that of the country or office to which the mails are consigned by the Indian Post Office.

"*Via* C. M." in column 1 means that the route is *vid* Calcutta or Madras, according to the locality where posted.

For further explanations, &c., see the remarks preceding this Schedule.

COUNTRIES, &c. I. denotes a Union Country, II. a Non-Union Country served through a Union Country, and III and IV. countries or routes not coming under the above description. See remarks preceding the Schedule about the treatment of correspondence received from places abroad. (c) denotes compulsory prepayment. (No) means that no registration is available.		Each letter.		Each Post Card.	Printed papers, including books, &c.		Legal and Commercial Documents. Each packet.				Samples. Each packet.
		Per ½ oz.	Registration Fee.		Each newspaper per 4 oz.	Each packet per 2 oz.	Not exceeding 4 oz.	Not exceeding 6 oz.	Not exceeding 8 oz.	Per 2 oz. additional.	Per 2 oz.
		A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
ACCRA (*British*), See *Gold Coast* under *Africa West Coast* (*British possessions*).											
ADELAIDE (SOUTH AUSTRALIA). See *South Australia* under *Australian Colonies*.											
ADEN (*Indian Post Office*)—											
Via Bombay	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
From Zanzibar—Indian inland rates. See also Clause 4 of remarks preceding this Schedule.											
Overland parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
ADRIANOPLE (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
AFRICA—*Spanish possessions* on Northern Coast of, and on West Coast of, Morocco.—See *Spain*.											
AFRICA, West Coast, *British possessions* (Accra, Gold Coast Lagos, Senegambia and Sierra Leone)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
AFRICA, West Coast, *French, Portuguese* and *Spanish possessions* (*viz., French*, Senegal and its dependencies and Gabon; *Portuguese*, Cape de Verd and its dependencies, Bissau and Cacheu, St. Thomas, Prince's Island, Ajuda and Angola; *Spanish*, Islands of Fernando Po, Annobon and Corisco in Gulf of Guinea)—											
Via Brindisi through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
AJUDA. See *Africa, West Coast* (*Portuguese possessions*).											
ALLEPPO (SYRIA). See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											
ALEXANDRETTA (TURKEY IN ASIA, South Coast). See *Turkey*.											
ALEXANDRIA. See *Egypt*.											
ALGERIA (NORTH AFRICA, *French*). See *France*.											
ALPES, MARITIMES AND VAR (FRANCE). See *Italy*.											
AMAR. See *Philippine Islands*.											
AMBA. See *West Indies* (*Dutch*).											
AMERICA, NORTH. See *United States*.											
AMIRANTE ISLANDS. See *Mauritius*.											
AMOY. See *China*.											
ANDORRA REPUBLIC. See *Spain*.											
ANGOLA (GUINEA). See *Africa, West Coast* (*Portuguese possessions*).											
ANNOBON (GULF OF GUINEA). See *Africa, West Coast* (*Spanish possessions*).											
ANTANANARIVO. See *Madagascar*.											
ANTIGUA. See *West Indies* (*British*).											
ANTIVARI (ALBANIA, TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
ARABIA, WEST (*except places named*). See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5)	II										
ARGENTINE REPUBLIC (SOUTH AMERICA)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
ARMENIA (*except places named*). See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											
ASCENSION (SOUTH ATLANTIC, *British*)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c9	*No*	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c7	*No*	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
ASIA MINOR (*except places named*). See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											

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N. B.—It is not certain when the Overland Post-cards in the course of manufacture will be available in India;—and the provisions relating to them will come into force on such date as the Post-cards become available.

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For further explanations, &c., see the remarks preceding this Schedule.

COUNTRIES, &c.		Each letter. Per ½ oz.	Each letter. Registration Fee.	Each Post Card.	Printed papers, including books, &c. Each newspaper per 4 oz.	Printed papers, including books, &c. Each packet per 2 oz.	Legal and Commercial Documents. Each packet. Not exceeding 4 oz.	Not exceeding 6 oz.	Not exceeding 8 oz.	Per 2 oz. additional.	Samples. Each packet. Per 2 oz.
AUSTRALIAN COLONIES (*British*), *viz.*—		A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
Fiji Islands, New South Wales, New Zealand, Queensland, South Australia, Tasmania, Victoria and Western Australia—											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) and Melbourne	IV	c6	4	...	1	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
Via Taticorin and Melbourne											
Additional route for the following:—											
Fiji Islands, New South Wales, Queensland and Victoria—											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) and Singapore ...	IV	c6	4	...	1	1½	3	4½	6	1	1½
Via Rangoon or Moulmein *by Indian Packet* through *Singapore*											
AUSTRIA (including the principality of LIECHTENSTEIN and HUNGARY)—											
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Trieste—											
Via Bombay and Trieste											
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
AUSTRIAN OFFICES in TURKEY. See *Turkey*.											
AZORES (NORTH ATLANTIC. *Portuguese*). See *Portugal*.											
BAGDAD (TURKEY IN ASIA)—											
Indian Post Office, *viâ* Bombay or Karachi	I		Ordinary inland rates.								
From Aden *via* Bombay or Karachi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
BAHAMAS. See *West Indies* (*British*).											
BALEARIC ISLANDS (MEDITERRANEAN. *Spanish*). See *Spain*.											
BANCA, ARCHIPELAGO of, (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
BANKOK (SIAM)—											
Same as for *Straits*, except that prepayment is compulsory and no registration available	II										
BARBADOES. See *West Indies* (*British*).											
BATAVIA (JAVA, *Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
BELGIUM—											
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I	3	4	1	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
BERMUDA (NORTH ATLANTIC, *British*)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane* ...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board* ...											
BEYROUT (SYRIA). See *Turkey*.											
BILLITON (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
BIOUW, ARCHIPELAGO of, (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
BISSAU. See *Africa, West Coast* (*Portuguese possessions*).											
BOLIVIA (SOUTH AMERICA)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c14	*No*	...	3	3	6	9	12	3	3
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c12	*No*	...	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
BOMBAY (from Aden). See *India*.											
BONAIRE. See *West Indies* (*Dutch*).											
BORNEO. (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
BOURBON. See *Réunion*.											
BOURGAS OR BURGHAS (TURKEY IN EUROPE, Coast of Black Sea). See *Turkey*.											
BOWEN (QUEENSLAND). See *Queensland* under *Australian Colonies*											
BRAZIL, EMPIRE of, (SOUTH AMERICA)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
BRISBANE (QUEENSLAND).—See *Queensland* under *Australian Colonies*.											
BRITAIN. See *United Kingdom*.											
BRITISH COLUMBIA (NORTH AMERICA). See *Canada*.											
BRITISH OFFICES IN TURKEY. See *Turkey*.											
BUCHAREST. See *Roumania*.											
BURNOS AYRES. See *Argentine Republic*.											
BUNDER ABBAS (PERSIAN GULF) ...	I		Ordinary inland rates.								
BUSHIRE (PERSIAN GULF)											
BUSSORAH OR BUSREH (TURKISH ARABIA) ...											
Indian Post Offices *via* Bombay or Karachi ...											
From ADEN *Via* Bombay or Karachi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
CABUL. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
CACHEU. See *Africa, West Coast (Portuguese possessions)*.											
CAIFA OR KAIFA (SYRIA). See *Turkey*.											
CAIRO. See *Egypt*.											
CALCUTTA (from Madras)—											
By British Packet	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By French Packet											
CALIFORNIA (NORTH AMERICA). See *United States of America*.											
CAMBODIA. See *French Colonies in Asia, &c.*											
CANADA, DOMINION of, (*British*), including British Columbia, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Vancouver's Island—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
CANARY ISLANDS (NORTH ATLANTIC, *Spanish*). See *Spain*.											
CANDIA (CRETE, TURKEY). See *Turkey*.											

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		Per ½ oz.	Registration Fee.		Each newspaper per 4 oz	Each packet per 2 oz.	Not exceeding 4 oz.	Not exceeding 6 oz.	Not exceeding 8 oz.	Per 2 oz. additional.	Per 2 oz.
		A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
CANEA (CRETE). See *Turkey.*											
CANTON. See *China.*											
CAPE DE VERD and its dependencies (NORTH ATLANTIC, *Portuguese*). See *Africa, West Coast (Portuguese possessions).*											
CAPE OF GOOD HOPE and NATAL (SOUTH AFRICA, *British*)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	9	5	...	2½	2½	5	7	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	7	5	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
Via Bombay to Aden (or from Aden), and thence by *Zanzibar line* (or from Zanzibar)	IV	c 8	4	...	1	1	3	4½	6	1½	1½
CAPE TOWN. See *Cape of Good Hope.*											
CARIACOU. See *West Indies (British).*											
CAROLINA ISLANDS (SPANISH—OCEANIA). See *Phillippine Islands.*											
CASHMERE OR KASHMIR. See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											
CAVALLA OR KAVALA (TURKEY IN EUROPE, South Coast). See *Turkey.*											
CELEBES (DUTCH). See *Netherlands India.*											
CEYLON (*British*)—											
Via Calcutta, Madras or Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet* through *Galle*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet* through *Galle*											
By Land Post, through *Kankesanturi*	I	c 2	4	1½	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
By Indian Packet, through *Galle* or *Colombo*	I	c 2	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By Private Vessel (including the Steamers for Australia which are not under contract as far as Galle)	III	c 2	*No*	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
CHEFU. (China). See *China.*											
CHILI (SOUTH AMERICA). See Argentine Republic.											
CHINA—											
Hong-Kong (*British*) and Macao (*Portuguese*)—											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Hong-Kong*											
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Hong-Kong*	I	c 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Hong-Kong*											
By Private Vessel	III	c 3	*No*	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
British Post Offices at Amoy, Canton, Foochow, Hankow, Haiphung or Hanhoi, Kiung Chow (or Hoihow), Ningpo, Shanghai, and Swatow, and Japanese Post Offices at Chefu, Chinkiang, Newwang, Kiu-Kiang, Tientsin and Fusampo (Corea)—											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Hong-Kong*											
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Hong-Kong*	I	c 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Hong-Kong*											
Other places. Same routes, rates, and conditions as for Amoy, &c., except that registered letters cannot be sent.											
CHINKIANG (CHINA). See *China.*											
CHIO OR TCHESME (TURKEY IN ASIA, West Coast). See *Turkey.*											
COLOMBO. See *Ceylon.*											
COMORO ISLES. See *Mayotte and dependencies.*											
CONSTANTINOPLE. See *Turkey.*											
CORISCO (Gulf of Guinea). See *Africa, West Coast (Spanish possessions).*											
CORSICA (*French*). See *France.*											
COSTA RICA and GUATEMALA (CENTRAL AMERICA)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c 14	*No*	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c 12	*No*	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
CUBA. See *West Indies (Spanish).*											
CURACOA. See *West Indies (Dutch).*											
CYPRUS (*British*)	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
DAMASCUS (SYRIA). See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											

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COUNTRIES, &c.		Each letter.		Each Post Card	Printed papers, including books, &c.		Legal and Commercial Documents Each packet.				Samples. Each packet.
							Not exceeding				
		Per ½ oz	Registration Fee.		Each newspaper per 4 oz	Each packet per 2 oz.	4 oz	6 oz	8 oz.	Per 2 oz additional	Per 2 oz.
		A	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A
DARDANELLES (TURKEY). See *Turkey*.											
DEDE-AGATSCH. See *Turkey*											
DELAGOA BAY—											
Via Bombay to Aden (or from Aden), and thence by *Zanzibar line* (or from Zanzibar)	IV	c 8	4	...	1	1	3	4	6	1½	1½
DEMERARA (BRITISH GUIANA, SOUTH AMERICA). See *Guiana* under *West Indies (British)*.											
DENMARK—Including Iceland and Faroe Islands—											
Via Brindisi, through *Germany*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
DIU (*Portuguese*)	I	...	Ordinary inland rates.								
DOMINICA. See *West Indies (British)*.											
DURAZZO (ALBANIA, TURKEY IN EUROPE) See *Turkey*.											
DUTCH EAST INDIES. See *Netherlands India*.											
ECUADOR and NICARAGUA (SOUTH AMERICA)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c14	*No*	...	3	3	6	9	12	3	3
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c12	*No*	...	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
EGYPT † See *foot-note*—											
Through *Egyptian Post Office, Suez*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
ENGLAND. See *United Kingdom*.											
ERZEROUM See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											
FALKLAND ISLANDS (SOUTH ATLANTIC, *British*)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By *French Packet* through *Agent on board*											
FAROE ISLANDS. See *Denmark*.											
FERNANDO PO (GULF OF GUINEA.) See *Africa, West Coast (Spanish possessions)*.											
FIJI ISLANDS. See *Australian Colonies*.											
FINLAND—Grand Duchy of. See *Russia*.											
FOOCHOW. See *China*.											
FRANCE including ALGERIA and the PRINCIPALITY OF MONACO—											
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
FRENCH COLONIES in ASIA and OCEANIA, *viz.*:—											
MARQUISES ISLANDS, NEW CALEDONIA and dependencies, SAIGON, including FRENCH AGENCIES in CAMBODIA and TONQUIN, TAHITI, and the ARCHIPELAGO under French Protectorate—											
Via C. M (or from Aden) *by French Packet* throught *Agent on board*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
FRENCH OFFICES IN TURKEY. See *Turkey*.											
FUSAMPO (COREA). See *China*											
GABON. See *Africa, West Coast (French possessions)*.											
GALLE. See *Ceylon*.											
GALLIPOLI (DARDANELLES). See *Turkey*.											
GEELONG (VICTORIA). See *Victoria* under *Australian Colonies*.											
GERMANY including HELIGOLAND—											
Via Brindisi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
GIBRALTAR (*British*) —	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
GILGIT. See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5)											
GOA (*Portuguese*)	I	...	Ordinary inland rates.								
GOLD COAST See *Africa, West Coast (British possessions)*.											
GREAT BRITIAN. See *United Kingdom*.											
GREAT COMORO. See *Mayotte and dependencies*											
GREECE—											
Through *Egyptian Post Office, Suez*											
Additional route from Aden only—	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By French Packet, through *Agent on board* ...											
GREENLAND (*Danish*)—											
Via Brindisi, through *Germany*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
GRENADA. See *West Indies (British)*.											
GUADALOUPE and its dependencies. See *West Indies (French)*.											
GUADUR (MEKRAN COAST)—											
Indian Post Office, *via* Bombay or Karachi	I	Ordinary inland rates.									
From Aden *via* Bombay or Karachi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
GUATEMALA (CENTRAL AMERICA). See *Costa Rica*.											
GUIANA (*British, Dutch* and *French*)—											
See *West Indies (British, Dutch* and *French*).											
HAILUNG See *China*.											
HAMADAN (PERSIA). See *Persia*.											
HANKOW See *China*.											
HANOI (TONQUIN). See *China*.											
HAWAII—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c 6½	*No*		3	3	6	9	12	3	3
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c 4½	*No*		2	2	4	6	8	2	2

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† Letters addressed to Upper Egypt beyond Assiout cannot be registered or sent unpaid.

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Full prepayment is also compulsory both for letters and other articles when addressed to Countries (Union or Non-Union) by routes marked "C" in the Schedule.

Post-cards can only be sent to Union places marked I in column 2.

Where the means of conveyance from India is not specified in column 1, it is always *by British Packet, i. e.*, P. and O. Co.

Where the description of the route in column 1 contains no mention of a particular Indian Office, the mails are sent *via* Bombay, or from Aden in the case of correspondence posted at Aden.

The name immediately following the word "through" in column 1 is that of country or office to which the mails are consigned by the Indian Post Office.

"*Via* C. M." in column 1 means that the route is *via* Calcutta or Madras, according to the locality where posted.

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		A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
HAYTI or ST. DOMINGO—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c 14	*No*	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c 12	*No*	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
HELIGOLAND (EUROPE, *British*). See *Germany*											
HIOGO. See *Japan*.											
HOBART TOWN (TASMANIA). See *Tasmania* under *Australian Colonies*.											
HODEIDA. See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											
HOIHOW or KIUNGCHOW. See *China*.											
HOLLAND. See *Netherlands*.											
HONDURAS (CENTAL AMERICA)—											
British—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c 5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane* ... ... Additional route from Aden only— *By French Packet* through *Agent on board*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Foreign—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c 5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane* ... ... Additional route from Aden only— *By French Packet* through *Agent on board* ...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
HONG-KONG (*British*). See *China*.											
HUNGARY. See *Austria*.											
ICELAND. See *Denmark*.											
INDIA (from Aden)	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
INEBOLI (TURKEY IN ASIA, Coast of Black Sea). See *Turkey*.											
IONIAN ISLANDS. See *Greece*.											
ISPAHAN (*Persia*). See *Persia*.											
ITALY AND SAN MARINO (Republic). *Via* Brindisi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
JAFFA (SYRIA). See *Turkey*.											
JAMAICA. See *West Indies* (*British*).											
JANINA (ALBANIA, TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
JAPAN. † See foot-note.											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Hong-Kong*	I	c 3	4	1	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet*, (Opium Steamer), through *Hong-Kong*											
Via C. M. or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Hong-Kong*											
JAVA (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
JEDDA. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
JERUSALEM (SYRIA). See *Turkey*.											
JALFA (PERSIA). See *Persia*.											
KAIFA or CAIFA. See *Turkey*.											
KARACHI (from Aden). See *India*.											
KASHMIR or CASHMERE. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
KAVALA or CAVALLA. See *Turkey*.											
KERMAN SHAH (PERSIA). See *Persia*.											
KIUKIANG (CHINA). See *China*.											
KIUNG CHOW or HOIHOW. See *China*.											
KUSTENDJIE (TURKEY IN EUROPE, Coast of Black Sea). See *Turkey*.											
LABUAN (near BORNEO, *British*)—											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Singapore*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	4	1	1	
Via C. M. and Rangoon or Moulmein *by Indian Packet*, through *Singapore*											
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Singapore*											
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Singapore*											
LADAKH. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
LAGOS (TURKEY IN EUROPE, South Coast). See *Turkey*.											
LAGOS. See *Africa West Coast* (*British possessions*).											

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† Letters can be registered only to Hiogo, Nagasaki, and Yokohama.

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COUNTRIES &c		Each letter. Per ½ oz	Each letter. Registration Fee	Each Post Card	Printed papers including books, &c. Each newspaper per 4 oz	Printed papers including books, &c. Each packet per 2 oz	Legal and Commercial Documents Each packet. Not exceeding 4 oz	Not exceeding 6 oz	Not exceeding 8 oz	Per 2 oz additional	Samples, Each packet. Per 2 oz.
		A.	A.	A.	A	A.	A.	A	A.	A	A
LARNAKA (CYPRUS, MEDITERRANEAN). See *Cyprus.*											
LATAKIA (SYRIA). See *Turkey.*											
LEH (LADAKH). See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
LAHEJ (NEAR ADEN). See *Aden*											
LICHTENSTEIN, Principality of. See *Austria*											
LIBERIA—UPPER GUINEA—REPUBLIC—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	*c* 5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—*By French Packet* through *Agent on board*											
LINGA (PERSIAN GULF)—											
Indian Post Office, *via* Bombay or Karachi	I	Ordinary inland rates									
From Aden *via* Bombay or Karachi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
LUXEMBOURG—											
Via Brindisi, through *Germany*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
LUZON. See *Phillippine Islands.*											
MACAO (*Portuguese*). See *China.*											
MADAGASCAR—											
For St Marie, See *Réunion.*											
For Majunga See *Mayotte.*											
For Tamatave (H B M Consulate), Antananarivo (capital), and other places on the East Coast—											
Via Bombay and Aden (or from Aden) *and thence by French Packet* through *Mauritius*	II	*c*3	*No*	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By Private vessel through *Mauritius*	II	*c*3	*No*	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
MADEIRA (NORTH ATLANTIC, *Portuguese*)—											
Via Brindisi through *United Kingdom**	I	*c*5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—*By French Packet* through *Agent on board*											
MADRAS (from Calcutta)—											
By British Packet	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By French Packet											
MADURA (*Dutch*) See *Netherlands India.*											
MAHE (SEYCHELLES) See *Mauritius.*											
MAJORCA (BALEARIC ISLANDS, *Spanish*). See *Spain.*											
MAJUNGA. See *Mayotte and dependencies.*											
MALACCA (*British*). See *Straits Settlements.*											
MALTA (*British*)	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
MANDALAY (AVA)—											
Indian Post Office, *via* Rangoon	I	Ordinary inland rates.									
MANILLA (LUZON). See *Phillippine Islands.*											
MARIANA ISLANDS (SPANISH—OCEANIA). See *Phillippine Islands.*											
MARQUISES ISLANDS. See *French Colonies in Asia, &c.*											
MARTINIQUE. See *West Indies* (*French*).											
MASSOWAH. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
MAURITIUS (INDIAN OCEAN, *British*), including Seychelles, Rodrigues and the Amirante Islands—											
Via Bombay to Aden, and thence *by French Packet* ...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By Private vessel	III	*c*3	*No*	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
For Soldiers' letters—See page 61.											
MAYOTTE and dependencies—											
(*French, including Great Comoro and Majunga*)—											
Via Bombay to Aden (or from Aden) and thence by *Zanzibar line* through *Mayotte* ...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
MECCA. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
MELBOURNE (VICTORIA), See *Victoria* under *Australian Colonies*											
MERSINA (TURKEY IN ASIA, South Coast). See *Turkey*											
MEXICO (NORTH AMERICA)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	*c*5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane* ...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
MINDANAO. See *Phillippine Islands.*											
MINORCA (BALEARIC ISLANDS, *Spanish*) See *Spain.*											
MIQUILON and ST. PIERRE (*French Colonies in America*)—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	*c*5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
MITYLENE (ÆGEAN SEA, TURKEY). See *Turkey*											
MOCHA. See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
MOLDAVIA. See *Romania.*											
MOLUCCAS. ARCHIPELAGO of, (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India.*											
MONACO, Principality of See *France.*											
MONTENEGRO—											
Via Brindisi through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
MONTEVIDEO (*Uruguay*). See *Paraguay.*											

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						Not exceeding				
	Per ½ oz.	Registration Fee		Each newspaper per 4 oz.	Each packet per 2 oz.	4 oz.	6 oz.	8 oz.	Per 2 oz additional.	Per 2 oz.
	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
MONTSERRAT. See *West Indies (British)*.										
MOROCCO—Postal Establishments of Spain on the Western Coast of— See *Spain*.										
MOZAMBIQUE—(*Portuguese*)— *Via* Bombay to Aden (or from Aden) and thence by *Zanzibar line* through *Mozambique*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
MUSCAT (ARABIA)— Indian Post Office, *via* Bombay or Karachi	I		Ordinary inland rates.							
From Aden, *via* Bombay or Karachi	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
NAGASAKI. See *Japan*.										
NASOBA (FIJI ISLANDS). See *Fiji Islands* under *Australian Colonies*.										
NATAL (AFRICA, East Coast, *British*). See *Cape of Good Hope*.										
NETHERLANDS (HOLLAND)— *Via* Brindisi, through *Germany*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.										
NETHERLANDS INDIA or DUTCH EAST INDIES, including Archipelago of Banca, Billiton, Borneo, Archepelago of Bionw, Celebes, Madura, Java, Archipelago of Moluccas, New Guinea (Papua), Sumatra and Islands of Sunda— *Via* Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Singapore* ... ... *Via* C. M. and Rangoon or Moulmein *by Indian Packet*, through *Singapore* ... ... *Via* Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Singapore* ... ... *Via* C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Agent on board*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
NEVIS. See *West Indies (British)*.										
NEW BRUNSWICK (NORTH AMERICA, *British*). See *Canada*.										
NEW CALEDONIA and dependencies. See *French Colonies in Asia, &c.*										
NEW FOUNDLAND (NORTH AMERICA, *British*)— *Via* BRINDISI, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via BRINDISI, through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
NEW GUINEA, North-West part of, (PAPUA, *Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.										
NEW SOUTH WALES. See *Australian Colonies*.										
NEW-WANG (CHINA). See *China*.										
NEW ZEALAND. See *Australian Colonies*.										
NICARAGUA (CENTRAL AMERICA). See *Ecuador*.										
NINGPO. See *China*.										
NORWAY— *Via* Brindisi, through *Germany*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.										
NOSSIBE (*French*)— *Via* Bombay to Aden (or from Aden) and thence *by Zanzibar line* through *Nossibe*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
NOVA SCOTIA (NORTH AMERICA, *British*) See *Canada*.										
ORDOU. See *Turkey*.										
PALAWAN. See *Philippine Islands*.										
PANAY. See *Philippine Islands*.										
PARAGUAY (SOUTH AMERICA)— *Via* Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c 10	*No*	...	3½	3½	7	10½	14	3½	3½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c 8	*No*	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
PENANG (*British*). See *Straits Settlements*.										
PERIM. See *Aden*.										
PERSIA (except Indian Offices)	I	2	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
NOTE.—*Correspondence from India for Indian Post Offices in the Persian Gulf and Turkish Arabia, viz., Bagdad and Bussorah (Turkey in Asia), Bunder Abbas, Bushire and Lenga (Persian Gulf), Guadur (Mekran, Beloochistan), Muscat or Muscate (Arabia), is conveyed at ordinary Indian Inland rates.*										
From Aden through *Karachi* or *Bombay*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1

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	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
PERTH (WESTERN AUSTRALIA). See *Western Australia* under *Australian Colonies.*										
PERU (SOUTH AMERICA)—										
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	0 5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane* ...										
Additional route from Aden only	I 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
By French Packet through *Agent on board*										
PHILIPPOPOLIS (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey.*										
PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, (*Spanish*, including Amar, Luzon, Mindanao, Palawan and Panay), Carolina Islands (*Spanish*), and Mariana Islands (*Spanish*)—										
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet* through *Singapore*										
Via C. M. and Rangoon or Moulmein *by Indian Packet* through *Singapore*										
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Singapore*	I 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet* through *Agent on board*										
PIATRA (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey.*										
PORTO RICO OR PUERTO RICO. See *West Indies* (*Spanish*).										
PORT SAID. See *Egypt.*										
PORTUGAL, including AZORES—										
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*										
Additional route from Aden only—										
By French Packet, through *Agent on board*	I 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
PREVESA (ALBANIA, TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey.*										
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND (NORTH AMERICA, *British*). See *Canada.*										
PRINCE'S ISLAND (GUINEA, AFRICA). See *Africa, West Coast Portuguese possessions.*)										
QUEENSLAND (AUSTRALIA.) See *Australian Colonies.*										
RETIMO (CRETE, TURKEY). See *Turkey.*										
REUNION, OR BOURBON AND ST. MARIE IN MADAGASCAR (INDIAN OCEAN,) *French*—										
Via Bombay to Aden (or from Aden) and thence *by French Packet*, through *Agent on board*	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
RHODES (SPORADES, TURKEY). See *Turkey.*										
RIO DE JANEIRO. See *Brazil.*										
RODOSTO. See *Turkey.*										
RODRIGUES. See *Mauritius.*										
ROUMANIA (MOLDAVIA AND WALLACHIA)—										
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
RUSSIA, including FINLAND—See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 6.)										
Via Brindisi, through *Germany*	I 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
RUSTCHUK (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey.*										
SABA. See *West Indies* (*Dutch*).										
SAIGON (COCHIN CHINA. (*French*). See *French Colonies in Asia, &c.*										
ST. CHRISTOPHER'S OR ST. KITT'S. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
ST. CROIX. See *West Indies Danish*).										
ST. DOMINGO OR HAYTI. See *Hayti.*										
ST. EUSTATIUS. See *West Indies* (*Dutch*).										
ST. HELENA (SOUTH ATLANTIC, *British*)—										
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II 14	5	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton through *United Kingdom*	II 12	5	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
ST. JEAN. See *West Indies* (*Danish*).										
ST. KITT'S OR ST. CHRISTOPHER'S. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
ST. LUCIA. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
ST. MARIE (MADAGASCAR). See *Reunion.*										
ST. MARTIN. See *West Indies* (*Dutch*).										
ST. PIERRE. See *Miquilon.*										
ST. THOMAS (GUINEA, AFRICA). See *Africa, West Coast* (*Portuguese possessions*).										
ST. THOMAS. See *West Indies* (*Danish*).										
ST. VINCENT. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
ST. VINCENT (CAPE DE VERD). See *Africa, West Coast* (*Portuguese possessions*).										
SALONICA (TURKEY IN EUROPE, South Coast). See *Turkey.*										
SALVADOR OR SAN SALVADOR (CENTRAL AMERICA)—										
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I 05	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*										
Additional route from Aden only—										
By French Packet, through *Agent on board* ...	I 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
SAMSOUN (TURKEY IN ASIA, Coast of Black Sea). See *Turkey.*										
SAN MARINO (REPUBLIC). See *Italy.*										
SANDWICH ISLANDS (NORTH PACIFIC). See *Hawaii.*										
SANTI-QUARANTA. See *Turkey.*										
SARDINIA. See *Italy.*										
SENEGAL and its dependencies. See *Africa West Coast* (*French possessions*).										

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The registration and acknowledgment fees (see Clause 7 of remarks preceding this Schedule), as well as the postage must, in all cases of registration, be prepaid in full by stamps; full prepayment in every case compulsory for newspapers sent as such, *i. e.*, at the privileged rates quoted for newspapers; full prepayment is also compulsory for packets of printed papers, &c., addressed to Non-Union Countries; and the prepayment of at least one rate is compulsory for like articles addressed to Union Countries (except the United Kingdom.

Full prepayment is also compulsory both for letters and other articles when addressed to Countries (Union or Non-Union) by routes marked "C" in the Schedule.

Post-cards can only be sent to Union places marked I in column 2.

Where the means of conveyance from India is not specified in column 1 it is always *by British Packet*, *i. e.*, P. and O. Co.

Where the description of the route in column 1 contains no mention of a particular Indian Office, the mails are sent *via* Bombay, or from Aden in the case of correspondence posted at Aden.

The name immediately following the word "through" in column 1 is that of the country or office to which the mails are consigned by the Indian Post Office.

"*Via* C. M." in column 1 means that the route is *via* Calcutta or Madras, according to the locality where posted.

For further explanations, &c., see the remarks preceding this Schedule.

COUNTRIES, &c I, denotes a Union Country, II, a Non-Union Country served through a Union Country, and III and VI, countries or routes not coming under the above description. See remarks preceding the Schedule about the treatment of correspondence received from places abroad. (c) denotes compulsory prepayment. (No) means that no registration is available.		Each letter.		Each Post Card.	Printed papers, including books, &c.		Legal and Commercial Documents. Each packet.				Samples. Each packet.
							Not exceeding				
		Per ½ oz.	Registration fee.		Each newspaper per 4 oz.	Each packet per 8 oz.	4 oz.	6 oz.	8 oz.	Per 2 oz. additional.	Per 2 oz.
		A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.
SENEGAMBIA. See *Africa, West Coast* (*British possessions*).											
SERES (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
SERVIA—											
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I	.3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
SEYCHELLES (INDIAN OCEAN, *British*). See *Mauritius*.											
SHANGHAI. See *China*.											
SHIRAZ (PERSIA). See *Persia*.											
SICILY. See *Italy*.											
SIERRA LEONE. See *Africa, West Coast* (*British possessions*).											
SINGAPORE (*British*). See *Straits Settlements*.											
SMYRNA (TURKEY IN ASIA, West Coast). See *Turkey*.											
SOFIA (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
SOUTH AUSTRALIA. See *Australian Colonies*.											
SPAIN, including SPANISH POSSESSION on North Coast of AFRICA and on West Coast of MOROCCO, also BALEARIC ISLANDS and CANARY ISLANDS and Republic of ANDORRA—											
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
SRINUGGUR, OR SRINAGAR (*Cashmere or Kashmir*). See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).											
STRAITS SETTLEMENTS (*British*)—											
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Singapore* or *Penang*											
Via C. M. and Rangoon or Moulmein *by Indian Packet*, through *Singapore*, *Penang* or *Malacca*											
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Singapore*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Singapore*											
By Private Vessel	III	*c*3	*No*	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels. See rules following this Schedule.											
SUEZ. See *Egypt*.											
SULINA (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
SUMATRA, (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
SUNDA, ISLANDS of, (*Dutch*). See *Netherlands India*.											
SURINAM. See *West Indies* (*Dutch*).											
SWATOW. See *China*.											
SWEDEN—											
Via Brindisi, through *Germany*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overlands Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
SWITZERLAND—											
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
SYDNEY (NEW SOUTH WALES). See *New South Wales under Australian Colonies*.											
SYRIA See remarks preceding this Schedule (clause 5).											
TAHITI. See *French Colonies in Asia, &c.*											
TAMATAVE. See *Madagascar*.											
TANGIER (AFRICA)—											
Via Brindisi through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet through *Agent on board*											
TASMANIA OR VAN DIEMEN'S LAND. See *Australian Colonies*.											
TCHERNAVODA (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
TCHESME OR CHIO. See *Turkey*.											
TEHERAN (PERSIA). See *Persia*.											
TENEDOS (ÆGEAN SEA, TURKEY). See *Turkey*.											
TIENTSIN (CHINA). See *China*.											

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For further explanations, &c., see the remarks preceding this Schedule.

COUNTRIES, &c.	Each letter.		Each Post Card.	Printed papers including books, &c		Legal and Commercial Document, Each Packet.				Each packet
	Per ½ oz.	Registration Fee.		Each newspaper per 4 oz	Each packet per 2 oz.	Not exceeding. 4 oz.	8 oz.	8 oz	Per 2 oz additional.	Per 2 oz.
	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A.	A
TIMOR (OCEANIA, *Portuguese*)—										
Via Bombay (or from Aden) *by British Packet*, through *Singapore*...										
Via C. M. and Rangoon or Moulmein *by Indian Packet*, through *Singapore*										
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Singapore*...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. (or from Aden) *by French Packet*, through *Agent on board*										
TOBAGO. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
TONGUIN. See *French Colonies in Asia, &c.*										
TORTOLA. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
TREBIZOND (TURKEY IN ASIA, Coast of Black Sea). See *Turkey*.										
TRIESTE. See *Austria*.										
TRINIDAD. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
TRIPOLI (BARBARY)—										
Via Brindisi. through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
TRIPOLI (SYRIA). See *Turkey*.										
TULTSCHA (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.										
TUNIS (BARBARY)—										
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
TURKEY—										
British Offices at Beyrout, Constantinople and Smyrna.										
Austrian Offices at Adrianople, Antivari, Beyrout, Bourgas or Burghas, Caifa or Kaifa, Candia, Canea, Cavalla or Kalavala, Chio (Tchesme), Constantinople, Dardanelles, Dede-Agatsch, Durazzo, Gallipoli, Ineboli, Jaffa, Janina, Jerusalem, Kustendjie, Lagos, Mitylene, Philippopolis, Piatra, Prevesa, Retimo, Rhodes, Rustchuck, Salonica, Samsoun, Santi-Quaranta, Seres, Smyrna, Sofia, Sulina, Tchernaveda, Tenedos, Trebizond, Tultscha, Valona, Varna, Volo and Widdin.										
French Offices at Alexandretta, Beyrout, Dardanelles, Ineboli, Jaffa, Kustendjie, Lagos, Latakia, Mersina, Ordou, Rhodes, Rodosto. Salonica, Samsoun, Smyrna, Sulina, Trebizond, Tripoli in Syria, Tultscha and Varna.										
To any of the above through Egyptian Post Office, *Suez* ...										
Additional route from Aden only—	I	3		1½	1	1	2	3	4		
By French Packet, through *Agent on board*										
To any other places in Turkey (except Indian Offices) See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 5).										
Correspondence for Indian Post Offices in the Persian Gulf and Turkish Arabia, viz., Bagdad and Bussorah (Turkey in Asia), Bunder Abbas, Bushire and Linga (Persian Gulf), Guadur (Mekran, Beloochistan), Muscat or Muscate (Arabia), is conveyed at ordinary Indian Inland rates.										
TURK's ISLAND. See *West Indies* (*British*).										
UNITED KINGDOM. Maximum weight of packets of printed papers, legal and commercial documents and samples for the United Kingdom is 5 lbs. See Clause 7 and notes at end of Clauses 10 and 11 of remarks preceding this Schedule—										
Via Brindisi*	I	5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Southampton	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Overland Parcels—See rules following this Schedule.											
For Soldiers' letters—See page 61.											
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—See Clause 8 of remarks preceding this Schedule about prohibited transmission of dutiable books, &c., and about limits of weight and value—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *Italy*											
Via Bombay, through *Hong-Kong*											
Via Calcutta *by Indian Packet* (Opium Steamer), through *Hong-Kong*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Via C. M. *by French Packet*, through *Hong-Kong* ...											
UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA and VENEZUELA—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c14	*No*	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c12	*No*	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
URUGUAY—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	c14	*No*	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southampton, through *United Kingdom*	II	c12	*No*	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
VALONA (ALBANIA, TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
VANCOUVER'S ISLAND (NORTH AMERICA, (*British*). See *Canada*.											
VAN DIEMEN'S LAND OR TASMANIA. See *Australian Colonies*.											
VAR AND ALPES MARITIMES (FRANCE). See *Italy*.											
VARNA (TURKEY IN EUROPE, Coast of Black Sea). See *Turkey*.											
VENEZUELA (SOUTH AMERICA). See *United States of Colombia*.											
VICTORIA (AUSTRALIA). See *Australian Colonies*.											
VOLO (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey*.											
WALLACHIA. See *Roumania*.											
WELLINGTON (NEW ZEALAND). See *New Zealand* under *Australian Colonies*.											

* Special train to transit through Europe. The Post-card rate of 2 annas *via Brindisi* must be made up by attaching a ½-anna adhesive stamp to the Foreign Post-card.

The maximum size of any article is two feet in length by one foot in breadth or depth, except samples which may not exceed 8 inches in length by 4 and 2 inches in breadth and depth. Where no special conditions as to weight are given, the maximum weight of printed papers or legal or commercial documents is 4 lbs. 6 oz. and of samples 8 oz. For definition of printed papers, legal and commercial documents and samples, see Clauses 9 to 11 of remarks preceding this Schedule.

The registration and acknowledgment fess (see Clause 7 of remarks preceding this Schedule), as well as the postage must in all cases of registration, be prepaid in full by stamps; full prepayment is in every case compulsory for newspapers sent as such, *i. e.*, at the privileged rates quoted for newspapers; full prepayment is also compulsory for packets of printed papers, &c., addressed to Non-Union Countries; and the prepayment of at least one rate is compulsory for like articles addressed to Union Countries except the United Kingdom).

Full prepayment is also compulsory both for letters and other articles when addressed to Countries (Union or Non-Union) by routes marked "C" in the Schedule.

Post-cards can only be sent to Union places marked I in column 2.

Where the means of conveyance from India is not specified in column 1, it is always *by British Packet, i. e.*, P. O. and O. Co.

Where the description of the route in column 1 contains no mention of a particular Indian Office, the mails are sent *via* Bombay, or from Aden in the case of correspondence posted at Aden.

The name immediately following the word "through" in column 1 is that of country or office to which the mails are consigned by the Indian Post Office.

"*Via* C. M." in column 1 means that the route is *via* Calcutta or Madras, according to the locality where posted.

For further explanations, &c., see the remarks preceding this Schedule.

COUNTRIES, &c. I, denotes a Union Country. II. a Non-Union Country served through a Union Country, and III and IV, countries or routes not coming under the above description. See remarks preceding the Schedule about the treatment of correspondence received from places abroad (c) denotes compulsory prepayment (No) means that no registration is available.		Each letter.		Each Post Card.	Printed papers, including books, &c.		Legal and Commercial Documents. Each packet.				Samples Each packet.
							Not exceeding.				
		Per ½ oz.	Registration Fee.		Each newspaper per 4 oz.	Each packet per 2 oz.	4 oz.	6 oz.	8 oz.	Per 2 oz. additional.	Per 2 oz.
			A.	A.	A.	A.	A	A.	A.	A.	A.
WESTERN AUSTRALIA. See *Australian Colonies.*											
WEST INDIES (*British*)—											
Guiana, Jamaica and Trinidad—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c 5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane,* ...	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet, through *Agent on board*											
Others, *viz.* :—Antigua, Bahamas, Barbadoes, Cariacon, Dominica, Grenada, Montserrat, Nevis, St. Christopher or St. Kitt's, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Tobago, Tortola, Turk's Island—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	II	14	5	...	2½	2½	5	7½	10	2½	2½
Via Southamptom, through *United Kingdom*	II	12	5	...	1½	1½	3	4½	6	1½	1½
WEST INDIES (*Danish, Dutch, French* and *Spanish*) *viz* :—											
Danish—St. Croix, St. Jean and St. Thomas.											
Dutch—Amba, Bonaire, Curacoa, Dutch portion of St. Martin, Guiana or Surinam, Saba and St. Eustatius.											
French—Guiana, Guadeloupe and its dependencies and Martinique.											
Spanish—Cuba and Porto Rico—											
Via Brindisi, through *United Kingdom**	I	c 5	4	2	2	2	4	6	8	2	2
Via Brindisi, through *French Office, Modane*	I	3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
Additional route from Aden only—											
By French Packet, through *Agent on board*											
WHAMPOA. See *China.*											
WIDDIN (TURKEY IN EUROPE). See *Turkey.*											
YOKOHAMA. See *Japan.*											
ZANZIBAR. See remarks preceding this Schedule (Clause 4)—											
Via Bombay to Aden, and thence by *Zanzibar line* ...	II	c 3	4	1½	1	1	2	3	4	1	1
From Aden	II	c	Ordinary inland rates.								

* Special train transit through Europe. The Post-card rate of 2 annas *via Brindisi* must be made up by attaching a ½ anna adhesive stamp to the Foreign Post-card.

OVERLAND PARCEL POST.

N. B.—Information respecting parcels to India from Foreign countries can be had at the Post Offices of those countries. The British Post Office does not receive parcels for transmission to India (see below under United Kingdom).

The rules governing the despatch of parcels from the United Kingdom to India are, however, published in the British Postal Guide and exhibited in every British Post Office. Persons in India ordering goods to be sent out by Parcel Post may refer the sender to the above means of information about the transmission of parcels.

Parcels from the United Kingdom may be sent either paid or unpaid.

The rate charged for parcels of books from the United Kingdom, is 6*d.* per lb. The charge for other parcels from the United Kingdom is 1*s.* per lb.

(1).—Parcels are received at any Post Office in India (see note* at foot of this Statement respecting Aden) under the conditions and rates of charge mentioned below, for transmission to the following countries, *viz.* :—

Countries.	Rate of Charge per lb. or fraction thereof. Prepayment compulsory.	Remarks respecting special conditions, &c., applicable to particular countries.
	Annas.	
The United Kingdom ...	8	The prepayment carries the parcel as far as London: any additional charge which may become due on account of British custom duty or carriage beyond London being realised from the addressee. Parcels must not exceed £50 in value. Any parcel which on examination of the declaration at Bombay may be found to exceed this value will, instead of being forwarded by the Overland Parcel Post, be transferred to the Bombay Agency of the P. & O. S. N. Company for transmission independently of the Post Office, and subject to such regulations and charges on delivery as may be applicable thereto under the Company's regulations. (NOTE.—The Company's present charge is an *ad valorem* rate of 2 per cent., which does not include Marine or other Insurance.) The attention of the public is invited to the fact that the British Post Office has no connection with the Overland Parcel Post; all arrangements out of India are made by the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company, and enquiries proceeding from the United Kingdom should be addressed to that Company's Office, 122, Leadenhall Street, London, E. C.
Aden See note* at foot of this statement.		

* NOTE.—Parcels may be sent from Aden to the United Kingdom or from Aden to India (but not to other places) or from India to Aden under the same conditions as if sent from India to the United Kingdom, except that the address on the outer cover will be different (see Rule 4). On parcels from Aden containing Ostrich feathers, the rate charged is one rupee four annas per pound instead of eight annas.

Countries.	Rate of charge per lb or fraction thereof Prepayment compulsory.	Remarks respecting special conditions, &c., applicable to particular countries.
	Annas.	
Ceylon	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to destination. Should any custom duty become due, the amount will be charged on delivery. The route is *via* Tuticorin for Southern India and *via* Bombay for other parts of India: see Rule (4).
The Straits, *i. e.*,— Singapore ... Penang ... Malacca ...	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to destination. The ports of destination are free ports, so that no custom duty will be chargeable therein. The routes are by opium steamers (Jardine, Matheson, and Apcar), monthly through *Calcutta* to Singapore: by B I S. N. Company fortnightly through *Calcutta* or *Madras* or *Rangoon* to Singapore, Penang and Malacca: and by P. & O. S N. Company fortnightly through *Bombay* to Singapore and Penang: see Rule (4).
Germany	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to destination. Should any custom duty become due, the amount will be charged on delivery. *From Rule 3 it will be seen that second or duplicate, and in some cases triplicate, declarations of contents and value are required.* See also Rule 9, respecting compensation for damage or loss.
Austria-Hungary ...	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to destination. Should any custom duty become due, the amount will be charged on delivery. See also Rule 9, respecting compensation for damage or loss.
Denmark ...	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to the limit of German conveyance, a separate charge being made on delivery for conveyance beyond the German frontier, as well as for custom duty, should any become due. See also Rule 9, respecting compensation for damage or loss
Sweden ... Norway .. Switzerland ...	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to the limit of German conveyance, a separate charge being made on delivery for conveyance beyond the German frontier, as well as for custom duty should any become due. *From Rule 3 it will be seen that there must be also a second or duplicate declaration of contents and value.* See also Rule 9, respecting compensation for damage or loss.
France ... The Netherlands (Holland) ... Belgium ...	8	The prepayment carries the parcel to the limit of German conveyance, a separate charge being made on delivery for conveyance beyond the German frontier, as well as for custom duty, should any become due. *From Rule 3 it will be seen that there must be also a second or duplicate declaration of contents and value, and that the second or duplicate declaration should contain a statement of the weight (lbs. & ozs or tolas) of the contents, and should, if possible, be written in the French language* See also Rule 9, respecting compensation for damage or loss.

(2).—Every parcel should be securely packed in a closed cover or case, and should bear the name and address of the person in the United Kingdom or foreign country for whom it is intended. Parcels containing valuables should be sealed.

N B.—The public are specially warned against the use of flimsy covers for articles transmitted by the Parcel Post Heavy articles are sometimes sent with only paper covering, insecurely tied with string: friction in transit detaches this cover, and damage and loss ensue A covering of stout cloth or wax-cloth sewn at the edges is recommended; but if the contents are liable to suffer from pressure, boxes of wood or tin should be used.

(3).—Every parcel should be accompanied by a separate paper headed with the address of the parcel and containing a *declaration (clearly written) of its contents and value* under the signature of the sender. Below the signature the address of the sender should be given.

For the parcels addressed to—

The United Kingdom ... ... Ceylon ... ... Straits .. ... Austria-Hungary ... ... Denmark	Only one declaration as above described is required.
Germany	A second or duplicate declaration is also required for parcels under 5 pounds, and a triplicate declaration for parcels above that weight.
Sweden ... ... Norway ... ... Switzerland	A second or duplicate declaration is also required.
France ... ... The Netherlands (Holland) ... .. Belgium	A second or duplicate declaration is also required: and the sender is requested to enter in the declaration a statement of the weight (lbs. and ozs. or tolas) of the contents and to write the second or duplicate declaration, if possible, *in the French language*. Should he be unable to do so, the Bombay Post Office will attach to the second or duplicate English declaration a French rendering thereof, but the sender is warned of the delay which may result from this.

It is not deemed necessary to require exact adherence to any particular form of declaration, but the following specimen form may be useful to the senders of parcels.—

Specimen form of declaration.

Address of Parcel.
Thomas B. Smith,
114, Piccadilly,
London.

Contents.	Value. £ s. d.
1 Piece Puttoo cloth	2 0 0
1 Rampore chudder	2 10 0
TOTAL	4 10 0

I declare the above to be a true statement of the contents and value.

(Signed) A. R. ROBINSON,
Amritsar

N B —Declarations for parcels intended for France, the Netherlands or Belgium, should, in addition to the above, contain a statement of the weight (lbs and ozs or tolas) of the contents This may conveniently be done by adding the words "weight—lbs. - ozs." underneath the total value, and the words "and weight" at the end of the sentence containing the declaration.

(4).—The parcel so addressed, and the separate paper or papers above referred to, should then be enclosed in a *substantial outer cover*. This outer cover should be superscribed and addressed as follows:—

If addressed from India to Ceylon

Overland Parcel Post	*Postage stamp to be affixed.*
To The Post Master, Tuticorin or Bombay. *	

or

If addressed from India to the Straits.

Overland Parcel Post.	*Postage stamp to be affixed*
To The Post Master, Calcutta or Madras or Bombay or Rangoon †	

* *N. B.*—The address should be to Tuticorin if posted in Southern India, and to Bombay if posted in other parts of India.

† *N. B.*—The address to Calcutta or Madras or Bombay or Rangoon should be according to the locality of posting.

If addressed from Aden to the United Kingdom.

Overland Parcel Post	*Postage stamp to be affixed.*
To The Post Master, Aden.	

or

If addressed from India to the United Kingdom or to any other country (i. e., other than Ceylon and the Straits), or from Aden to India.

Overland Parcel Post.	*Postage stamp to be affixed.*
To The Post Master, Bombay.	

The outer cover must contain one parcel only. If more than one parcel be sent by the same sender, such parcel should be sent separately.

(5).—The parcel so made up must be *fully prepaid by means of postage stamps at the prescribed rate*, affixed to the *outer* cover, care being taken that the stamps adhere firmly.

(6).—The parcel so made up must not exceed 50 lbs. (25 seers) in weight, or 2 feet in length by 1 foot in breadth or depth. It will be received at any Post Office at the hours fixed for the receipt of ordinary banghy parcels, the usual receipt being given to the sender without reference to the mode of packing prescribed in the case of inland parcels for which receipts are claimed.

(7).—On arrival at the Indian sea port town of address, the Post Master will take off the outer covering, and forward the inside parcel and the accompanying declaration or declarations to the country of inside address.

(8).—It is forbidden to send in these parcels opium or any liquid, or any substance or material of a dangerous, damaging, or offensive kind.

(9).—In the case of parcels for or from Germany or Austria-Hungary, and the foreign countries served through Germany, compensation will be given by the responsible Post Office to the sender for loss or damage sustained in transit (cases of *sea risk* or of *vis major* or of the *own negligence of the sender* in respect of packing or otherwise excepted). Such compensation will in no case exceed 1½ rupees for each lb. weight or fraction thereof in respect of parcels forwarded from India, and 3 marks or 1¼ florins for each 500 grammes or fraction thereof in respect of parcels from Germany or Austria-Hungary. Should the sender desire it, the compensation will be paid to the addressee instead of to himself.

SPECIAL RATES FOR FOREIGN LETTERS OF SOLDIERS AND SEAMEN.

Classes entitled and rates of charge.

(1).—Subject to the subjoined Regulations, Non-Commissioned Officers, Band Masters, Army School Masters (not being Superintending or 1st Class School Masters), Army School Mistresses, Private Soldiers, or Seamen belonging to Her Majesty's ships, can send, and receive letters by British Packet for a postage of 9 pies; but if any such letters are sent wholly or partly by the post of a foreign country, they are subject in addition to the foreign postage, whatever that may be. Thus the postage by British Packet to the undermentioned countries (including the British Packet charge of 9 pies) is as follows:—

(1) To the United Kingdom	*Via* Southampton, 9 pies ... ... *Via* Brindisi, 3 annas 6 pies ..	Pre-payment optional.
(2) To countries or places served through the United Kingdom ..	Same as above; but if the place be *foreign* (not British), the letter will be liable to additional foreign postage on delivery.	Pre-payment optional.
(3) To any British or Indian office served direct by British or Indian packets, *viz*:—Aden, Australian Colonies, Bankok (through Singapore), Bombay, Calcutta, Cape Colony, Ceylon China (through Hong Kong), Cyprus, Delagoa Bay, Fiji Islands, Gibraltar, Hong-Kong, Japan (through Hong-Kong), Labuan, Macao (through Hong-Kong), Madras, Malta, Natal, Straits and Zanzibar	By British or Indian Packet or by land post to Ceylon, 9 pies.	Pre-payment compulsory.
(4) To any Union country served direct by British or Indian Packet	2 annas	Pre-payment compulsory.
(5) To Mauritius or the Seychelles	By British Packet as far as Aden, and thence by French Packet 2 annas.	Pre payment compulsory.

Conditions entitling to special rates.

(2).—The conditions entitling to special rates are as follows:—

(*a*).—The person claiming the privilege must at the time be actually employed in the Naval or Military service of Her Majesty, and must not be either a Commissioned Officer or a Warrant Officer, or a Superintending or 1st Class School Master.

(*b*).—The postage must be prepaid, except in respect of letters addressed to the United Kingdom, or places served through the United Kingdom. Unpaid letters received in India are charged, on delivery, 1 anna 6 pies, together with any foreign postage which may be claimed.

(*c*).—The letter must not weigh more than half an ounce.

(*d*).—It must relate entirely to the private concerns of the soldier, seamen, &c.

(*e*).—Any cover sent by a soldier or seaman under privilege must contain the name of the writer and his class or description in the Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment to which he belongs, and must also bear the signature of the officer having the command of the Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment to which the writer belongs, as well as the name in full of such Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment: and any cover addressed to a soldier or seaman under privilege must contain in the address the name in full of the Vessel, Regiment, Corps or Detachment to which the addressee belongs.

N. B.—In case of a letter sent under privilege by a soldier on the "unattached list" (see Section II, Division III, Part I of the Pay Code for British Troops in India), the rule given above has been modified: the required entries thereon being the *name of the writer*, his *regimental rank*, and the *designation of the office* held by him, as well as the *signature, army rank* and *official designation* of the head of the Department in which he is serving.

And any letter addressed under privilege to a soldier on the unattached list must contain in the address his *regimental rank* together with a specification of the *designation of the office* held by him. The heads of Departments referred to above are as follows:—

Adjt. Genl., India; Dy. Adjt. Genl; Assts. Adjt. Genl.; Dy. Assts Adjt. Genl.; Dy. Adjt. Genl, R A; Qr Mr. Genl., India; Dy. Qr. Mr Genl.; Assts Qr. Mr. Genl; Dy. Assts. Qr. Mr. Genl; Comy. Genl.; Ex. Comt. Officers; Inspr. Genl., Ordnance and Magazines, Dy Inspr. Genl, Ordnance & Magazines; Commics. of Ordnance; Supdts. & Asst Supdts. of Factories; Secs. Govt., P.W. Dept.; Ch. Supdg., Ex. & Asst. Engrs in charge; Dir., State Rys.; Ch. and Ex. Engrs., State Rys.; Inspr. Genl., Mily. Works; Acct. Genl., P.W. Dept.; Exrs., P W. Accts.; Dir., Army Remount Operations, Supdts. & Asst. Supdts., Remount Depôts; Supdts., Army Clothing Dept.; Bgde Majors; Inspr., Gymnasia; Supdt., British Army Schools; Princl., Lawrence Mily Asylum; Princl.; Lawrence Memol Assylum; Princl., Thomason College; Commr. Police, Calcutta; Supdts., Tels.; Survr. and Dy. Survrs. Genl.; and Cant. Magts.; also the following additional designations belonging to the Madras Presidency, *viz*:—

Princl., Civil Eng. College; Commdts., Convl. Depôts; Medl. Officer, Garrison Hospls.; and Commdts., Volr. Corps; and the following additional designations belonging to the Bombay Presidency, *viz*.:—

Commdts., Sanitarian; Commdt., Colaba Depôt; Commdt., Deolali Depôt; Asst. Inspr, Gymnasia; Inspg. Voty. Surgns; Commdts., Volr. Corps; Mily. Secy., Governor; Commr., Police, Bombay; Hony. Secy., Abu Lawrence Asylum.

The foregoing particulars should be given in one of the following forms :—

For Soldiers or Seamen.

Via _____

(Address.)

Sender's name and Rank _____

Regt., Ship or Office _____

Comdg. Offr. or Head of Dept.
Sigre. and rank
Regt. Ship or Official Desgn.

or

Via _____

To

A. B.,
Private (or Sergeant, Corporal, or Seaman &c.,)
Regiment, Ship or Office _____
(Here address to be finished.)

If the letter exceed half an ounce, how treated.

(3).—If the letter exceed half an ounce, or if any of the foregoing Regulations be not complied with, it will be forwarded, charged with the same postage as an ordinary letter.

Letters addressed to care of Agent, or sent by or addressed to Soldiers or Seamen in Civil employ, not entitled to privilege.

(4).—Soldiers' or seamen's letters received in India from abroad, if addressed to the care of an agent or any other person, are liable to the ordinary rate of postage, the privilege of receiving letters at reduced rates being confined to such letters as are addressed directly to them.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR DELIVERY OF OVERLAND CORRESPONDENCE (OFFICIAL AND PRIVATE) TO GOVERNMENT STAFFS, AND TO REGIMENTS WHEN ON THE MOVE.

Government Staffs.

(1).—The following arrangements have been made for the delivery in India of the overland correspondence (whether official or private) of the staffs of certain Governments and Administrations, with special reference to changes of Head-Quarters and Camp movements.

Special Mail.

(2).—A special mail will be made up by the Sea-Sorting establishment containing all *fully prepaid letters, newspapers* and *book or pattern packets* addressed according to one or other of the specimen forms given below. Persons desirous of availing themselves of this measure *should instruct their correspondents in England* respecting the particular address to be used. Special attention is drawn to the note at the top of the list of specimen forms.

List of Specimen Forms.

Note.—The undermentioned forms of address, as will be observed, contain the name of no particular post town, and this point should be particularly noted, as the insertion of the name of any post town in the address will result in the article being sent to that post town instead of being included in the special bag.

No. 1.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Supreme Govt.,
India.

No. 2.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Viceroy,
India

No. 3.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Govr. of Madras,
India.

No. 4.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Govr. of Bombay,
India.

No. 5.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal,
India.

No. 6.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Lieut-Govr. of the North-Western Provinces,
India.

No. 7.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab,
India.

No. 8.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Commander-in-Chief,
India.

No. 9.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Commander-in-Chief of the Bombay Army,
India.

No. 10.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Commander-in-Chief of the Madras Army,
India.

No. 11.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Agent, Govr. Genl., Rajputana,
India.

No. 12.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Chief Commr. of Assam,
India.

No. 13.

To
(Name, &c., &c.,)
With the Chief Commr. of the Central Provinces,
India.

Special bags.

(3).—These letters, &c., will be sorted by the Railway Travelling Post Office into special bags according to the addresses (Nos. 1 to 13), and these special bags will be forwarded to the Post Office at the Head-Quarters or Camp of the Government or Administration mentioned in the address.

Changes of Head-Quarters, Camp, &c.

(4).—Changes in the Head Quarters as well as the Camp movements of any of the Governments or Administrations should be communicated some days in advance to the Superintendent, Overland Mails, Travelling Post Office, Bombay.

The Secretary, Financial Department, will intimate the head-quarter station or office of delivery for the Supreme Government on the occasion of its movements to and from Calcutta.

Persons desiring special re-direction.

(5).—Any person expecting letters, &c., in any one of these special bags, and desiring them to be delivered at any other post town, must give instructions to the Post Master of the place to which the special bag is conveyed respecting the re direction of such correspondence, or, if more convenient, he may request the Superintendent, Overland Mails, Travelling Post Office, Bombay, to cause his letters, &c., to be taken out in transit and re-directed according to his instructions. The officer above named will be ready to attend, to all such instructions, provided that they are not of a complicated character.

Overland parcels and unpaid articles.

(6).—This arrangement does not apply to overland parcels or to unpaid or insufficiently paid articles: any overland parcels bearing these addresses will be disposed of by the Bombay Post Office in communication with the Superintendent, Overland Mails, Travelling Post Office, Bombay; and any unpaid or insufficiently paid articles other than parcels will be disposed of under the orders of the Superintendent, Overland Mails, Travelling Post Office, Bombay, and will be forwarded to the same post town as that to which letters in the special bag, bearing the same address, would be sent.

Regiments on the move.

(7).—When a regiment is moved, the Officer Commanding may request the Superintendent, Overland Mails, Travelling Post Office Bombay, to intercept all overland correspondence for the regiment addressed to the old post town, and to re-direct them to any other post town. Complicated instructions cannot be attended to.

SEPARATE REVENUE—STAMPS.

The 21st March 1879.

No. 1385.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections nine, fifteen, seventeen, thirty-two, fifty-one and fifty-six of the Indian Stamp Act, 1879, the Hon'ble the President in Council is pleased to make the following rules:—

(A).—Preliminary.

1. These rules shall come into force throughout British India on the 15th of April 1879, and on and from that day the Notifications noted on the margin shall be cancelled.

No. 3008, dated 19th June 1874.
No. 1510, dated 14th March 1871.
No. 2623, dated 1st September 1876.

2. All words and expressions used in these Rules and defined in the Indian Stamp Act, 1879, shall be deemed to have the meaning attached to them respectively by the said Act.

3. There shall be three kinds of stamps for indicating the payment of duty on instruments under the Indian Stamp Act, 1879, namely—

(1.) Impressed stamps—that is to say, sheets of paper bearing the impression of stamps of different values engraved thereon and sold to the public for use by them in accordance with these rules.

(2.) Adhesive stamps sold to the public for use by them in the case of instruments mentioned in section ten of the said Act.

(3.) Stamped labels—to be affixed only by Government officers in the manner hereinafter prescribed.

(B).—Of Impressed Stamps.

4. All instruments chargeable with duty, except hundís, may be written on impressed stamps, and, except as provided by section ten of the said Act and by these rules, shall be so written.

5. When any instrument is to be written on an impressed stamp, if the amount of duty with which such instrument is chargeable does not exceed five hundred rupees, a single impressed stamp shall be used, unless—

where the application for the required stamp is made at a treasury, the officer in charge of such treasury, or,

where such application is made to a stamp-vendor, the vendor

certifies that he is unable to furnish a single stamp of the required amount.

When the amount of duty chargeable in respect of any instrument exceeds five hundred rupees, or a treasury-officer or stamp-vendor has certified that he is unable to furnish a single stamp of the value required, the number of stamps used for indicating the payment of duty shall not exceed the number which the treasury-officer or the stamp-vendor certifies in either case to be the smallest number which he can furnish so as to make up the required amount:

Provided that no certificate made by a stamp-vendor under this rule shall be of any effect when there is at the date of the certificate a public treasury at which stamps are kept for sale situate within two miles from the place where such vendor sells stamps.

When under this Rule two or more impressed stamps are used to make up the amount of duty chargeable in respect of any instrument, a portion of such instrument shall be written on each stamp so used.

(C).—Of Stamped Labels.

6. Stamped labels may be affixed to the following instruments, namely—

(1.) Administration-bonds:
(2.) Affidavits:
(3.) Appointments made in execution of a power:
(4.) Articles of Association of a Company:
(5.) Articles of clerkship:
(6.) Bills of lading:
(7.) Charter-parties:
(8.) Declarations of trust:
(9.) Instruments evidencing an agreement to secure the repayment of a loan made upon the deposit of title-deeds or other valuable security, or upon the hypothecation of moveable property:
(10.) Memoranda of Association of Companies:
(11.) Notes of protest:
(12.) Petitions for leave to file specification of an invention, &c.;
(13.) Policies of insurance:
(14.) Revocations of trust:

and the following—when written in the English language—

(15.) Agreements or memoranda of agreements which, in the opinion of the officer empowered to affix the stamp, cannot conveniently be written on impressed stamps:
(16.) Awards:
(17.) Bills of exchange payable otherwise than on demand and drawn in British India:
(18.) Bonds:
(19.) Composition-deeds:
(20.) Conveyances:
(21.) Instruments imposing a further charge on mortgaged property:
(22.) Instruments of apprenticeship:
(23.) Instruments of co-partnership:
(24.) Instruments of dissolution of partnership:
(25.) Instruments of exchange:
(26.) Leases:
(27.) Letters of license:
(28.) Mortgage-deeds:
(29.) Reconveyances of mortgaged property:
(30.) Releases:
(31.) Settlements:
(32.) Transfers of the description mentioned in No. 60 of the first schedule of the said Act.

7. The following officers are empowered to affix stamped labels to the instruments mentioned in Rule six, namely —

(*a*) the Collectors of Calcutta and Karáchí;
(*b*) the Superintendents of Stamps at Calcutta, Madras, Bombay, Rangoon, Maulmain and Akyab;
(*c*) the Commissioner of Stamps, North-Western Provinces; and
(*d*) the Financial Commissioner of the Panjáb.
(*e*) the Superintendent of Stamps (Political Resident), Aden.

8. Every such officer shall, upon any instrument mentioned in Rule six being brought to him after it is completely written, but before it is executed, and application being made to him for that purpose, affix thereto a stamped label of such value as the applicant may desire and pay for, and deface such label by means of a stamping-machine before returning the instrument to the applicant.

When the value of the stamp amounts to twenty rupees or upwards, such officer shall, besides so defacing the label, attach his usual signature to the instrument immediately under the label.

9. Hundís other than hundís which can be stamped with an adhesive stamp under section ten of the said Act shall be written on paper supplied for sale by the Government and to which stamped labels have been affixed by one of the officers mentioned in Rule seven, clause (*b*), and defaced by him in manner provided by Rule eight.

10. Every sheet of such paper shall be of a size not less than $8\frac{5}{8} \times 5\frac{1}{8}$ inches, and no plain paper shall be joined to it.

11. The payment of duty on instruments (other than Bills of Exchange, Cheques and Promissory notes) executed out of British India and requiring to be stamped after their receipt in British India shall be indicated only by stamped labels.

When any such instrument is brought to the Collector under section seventeen of the said Act, the Collector shall send the instrument to one of the officers mentioned in Rule seven, stating the amount of duty paid in respect of such instrument; and such officer shall stamp the instrument in the manner prescribed by Rule eight and return the same to the Collector for delivery to the person by whom it was produced.

(D).—Miscellaneous.

12. When it is necessary under section fifteen of the said Act to denote upon one instrument the payment of duty in respect of another, such payment shall be denoted by an endorsement under the hand of the Collector on the former instrument.

13. Every payment made under section thirty of the said Act shall be made in cash.

14. The Collector shall require every person claiming a refund or renewal under chapter VI of the said Act, or his duly authorized agent, to make an oral deposition on oath, or to put in an affidavit, setting forth the circumstances under which the claim has arisen. The Collector may also, if he thinks fit, call for the evidence of witnesses in support of the statement set forth in the deposition or affidavit of the claimant or his agent.

The following orders, issued by the Government of India in the Military Department, are republished for general information :—

Fort William, the 21st March 1879.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

No. 243.—The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

* * *

Surgeon-Major W. J. Palmer, M D., Professor of Surgical and Descriptive Anatomy, Medical College, and *ex-officio* 2nd Surgeon to the College Hospital, Calcutta,—private affairs, for fifteen months, under Rule IX of the Regulations of 1868.

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No. 245.—Lieutenant Thomas Doggett, Calcutta Volunteer Rifle Corps, is granted leave of absence to Europe for twenty months, with effect from the 5th March 1879.

RETIREMENT.

No. 251.—Surgeon-Major Charles Palmer, M.D., Presidency and Marine Surgeon, is permitted to retire from the service, on a pension of £700 per annum, with effect from the 31st March 1879, subject to Her Majesty's approval.

A. MACKENZIE,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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PART II.

Advertisements.

[N.B.—Advertisements, Notices, &c., intended for insertion in this part of the Gazette, cannot be received after Noon on Monday.]

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Chottro, 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs. 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs. 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited. If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government), and the estate to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchaser, after issue of advertisement as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
173	4040	Dwarparah, pergunnah Roypore	0 2 14	2 6 4	4 12 8

HOOGHLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 8th January 1879. R. D. HIME, *Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Hooghly, will be put up to sale at the Hooghly Collectorate on Friday, the 15th Chait 1285 B.S., corresponding with 28th March 1879.

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale:—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

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Number in statement of Government estate.	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed.	Upset price.
			A. R. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
56	2317	Patenda, pergunnah Mundleghat	3 3 12	25 1 8	50 3 4

HOOGHLY, the 23rd January 1879. R. CORNISH, *for Collector*.

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estates situate in the district of Rajshahye, will be put up to sale at the Rajshahye Collectorate on the 26th of March 1879, corresponding with the 13th of Choitra 1285 (Bengali).

The purchasers will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estates to be sold to the highest bidders above the upset price The purchasers of these estates will be considered as the proprietors of the estates, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estates will be transferred to them, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedules of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

3*rd*.—If the amount of purchase-money do not exceed Rs 100, the whole amount to be paid down at once.

4*th*.—If the amount of purchase-money exceed Rs 100, one-fourth of the amount bid to be immediately deposited If the balance be not paid by noon of the fifteenth day after the sale, reckoning the day of sale as one, or, if that day be a close holiday, then by noon of the first succeeding office day, the sale to be cancelled (the sum deposited being forfeited to Government) and the estates to be again put up to sale at the risk of the defaulting purchasers, after issue of advertisement, as in the case of original sale.

Number in statement of Government estates	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah	Approximate area in acres.	Government revenue assessed	Upset price
			[illegible]	Rs. A. P.	Rs A P
89	1882	Hazarahati, in pergunnah Luskerpore ..	[illegible]	6 0 0	12 0 0
5	1601	Shahpore, in pergunnah Turpeh Bess .	[illegible]	12 0 0	24 0 0
41	1893	Chuk Joikisto, in pergunnah Sorabajoo ..	0 2 0	1 4 0	2 8 0

J. R. HALLETT, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the proprietary right of Government, as specified in the conditions of sale below, to the undermentioned estate situate in the district of Bhagulpore will be put up to sale at the Bhagulpore Collectorate on Monday, the 7th April 1879, corresponding with 1st Bysack 1286 F.S.

The purchaser will be subject to the following conditions of sale :—

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1*st*.—The estate to be sold to the highest bidder above the upset price. The purchaser of this estate will be considered as the proprietor of the estate, and the entire proprietary right of Government in such estate will be transferred to him, subject to the revenue fixed in perpetuity.

2*nd*.—The sale to be subject to existing leases and to the rights conferred by the settlement proceedings and by the laws in force, and purchasers to be bound to respect the rights of resident cultivators who have signed the schedule of assessment prepared by the revenue authorities.

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Number in statement of Government estate	Number on the district roll.	Name of estate and pergunnah.	Approximate area in acres.	Revenue assessed	Upset price
			A R P. YDS	Rs A P.	Rs A P
191	2606	Resumed jagirs in thana Bejai, pergunnah Chye	61 2 2 15½	32 9 0	325 0 0

C R. MARINDIN, *Covtd. Deputy Collector in charge.*

BHAGULPORE COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 18th December 1878.

LAND SALE NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Dacca will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 15th day of April 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th day of January 1879.

No		Name of estate and pergunnah	Name of proprietor	Government revenue of entire estate	Arrears for which the estate is to be sold	REMARKS
				Rs A P	Rs A P.	
1	8432	Government resumed estate Boktobully	Prusanna Kumari Debya and Pran Nath Parey, Sabait of Lakshi Narain Thakur ..	584 0 0	204 9 0	These are resumed estates, and are settled with the proprietors
2	8672	Chur Dolail ...	Gagan Chunder Dutt	1,092 0 0		
			R F	11 0 0	360 0 0	
3	9101	Chur Tillee within chur Mirzapoor	Ram Jai Rai, Raj Lukshi, Sibosundari Choudhorani and others	884 7 8		
			R F	8 14 0	884 7 0	The proprietary right to settlement will be sold
4	9075	Chur Dighaldi, pergunnah Utter Sahpoor	Srimoti Sonamoni, Komal Kamini, Anundo Moyee, Chunder Kala, Rajnooni, Doya Moyi Choudharani, Jai Tara Dasya, Chundra and Kali Das Mookerjya and Mr M David	1,121 0 0	185 12 0	

DACCA COLLECTORATE, the 6th March 1879. D. R LYALL, *Offg Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Midnapore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Friday, the 28th day of March 1879, corresponding with Bengali 15th Chaitree 1285, and with Amli 16th Chaitree 1286, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Consecutive number	Number of Register A.	Towjee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah	Name of proprietor	Sudder jumma.	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates	Rs A P	Rs A. P.
1	91	58	Angoosh, in pergunnah Rajgurh	Jogobundhoodas Gogendro Mohapatro, Dinobhundoo Chowdry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhyea Umeshchurn Bundopadhyea, Ramprosad Bhatto, Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Sreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Shreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendro Nath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhry, Mohendro Nath Paul, and Radhakristo Dass		
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 52-5-1 As also exclusive of the share of Radhakrishna Dass, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is ... Rs 104-10-2	156 15 3	....
				The remaining joint share of Jogobundhoodas Gojendro Mohapatra, Dinobundhoo Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Doorga Churn Bundopadhye, Ramchurn Bundopadhye, Umeshchurn Bundopadhye, Ramprosad Bhatto Jeetnaran Chuckerbutty, Sreehury Mohapatro, Ramchundro Roy, Sreemuttya Jima Deyee, wife of Koonurnaran Roy, and grandmother of Brojendronath Roy, Ramnaran Dass, Sreemuttya Kokila Deyee Chowdhooranee, wife of Jogotanundo Chowdhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	575 8 2	8 3 11
	230	1557	Kattapal, in pergunnah Khurgopore	Kartieram Paul, Khettro Mohun Paul, Dwarkanath Paul and Koonjo Behary Roy	1,030 0 0 Including Road Fund	0 2 0
3	300	187	Balgobindopore, *alias* Gopalpore, in pergunnah Amerree.	Modhoosoodun Singh, Anundo Loll Roy, Gungaram Myti, Kooraram Roy, Sheebnaran Roy, Sreemutty Noteefun Beebee, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altab Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, and Chandoomoney	603 9 9	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Noteefun Bibi, mother and guardian of Loll Khan, Altaf Khan, Khelun Khan and Aledad Khan, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the Government revenue of which is Rs 112-13-9; exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Singh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 47-0-3; and exclusive of the share of Chandmoneer, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, he land revenue of which is Rs 75-10-10	235 8 1	.....
				The remaining joint share of Anundalall Roy and Gangaram Myti will be sold for arrears of land revenue	307 12 11	90 9 8
				As also the remaining share of Kooraram Roy and Sheebnaran Roy, which has a separate account, and which will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	60 4 9	0 1 6
4	400	259	Ghaseerambar, *alias* Kooldiha, in pergunnah Khandar.	Lokhinarandas Mohapatro Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komulkamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manikram Khatoon, Jorunjoy Mullick, Krishna Prosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Ballubram Khatoon, Ajodhyaram Khatoosh, Koralychurn Dutt, Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Dass, Manicram Khatoosh, Seetanath Ghosh and Romanath Ghosh, minors	502 5 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Manicram Khatoosh, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 84-2 7. As also, exclusive of the share of Sitanath Ghose and Ramanath Ghose, minors, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is Rs 32-8-8 ...	115 11 3	
				The remaining joint share of Lakhinarandas Mohapatro, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, *alias* Parbutty Dassy, Sreemutty Komul Kamini Dassy, Bhogirath Janah, Manicram Khatoon, Jonmejoy Mullic, Krishnaprosad Atta, Moodhoosoodun Atta, Bollub Khatoosh, Ajodhyaram Khatoosh, Koraliychurn Dutt and Sreemuttya Taramoney Dassy, widow of late Ramprosad Das, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	386 10 7	4 2 2
5	412	271	Barbansee, in pergunnah Khandar	Lokhicharn Satputty, Golok Chunder Dutt, Manicram Pal, Brojomohun Mohapattro, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Das, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapattro, Issuramoney Debya, Norahory Maharic, Sreemuttya Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Goorooprosad Maharic, Bhubun Chundro Bundopadhye, Gunganaram and Soroopnarain Myti, Matongini Dassy in ther and guardian of Taroknath Myti, Bholanath Myti, Khayrat Ally, Sham Raoot, Ukhoynaran Janah, Sreemuttya Sarnomoney, Nobinchundro Nar, Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Josodamoney, Rambhamoney Tilothomamoney, Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indranaran Meyeekap Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, Radhachurn Singh, Indronarain Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul	19,156 13 1	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Adurmoney Debya, Roghoonath Das, Lochmunprosad, Sitaramdas Mahapatro and Issuramoney Debya, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the land revenue of which is ...	Rs A P. 8,254 5 8	
				Exclusive of the share of Norohury Maric which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is ...	389 14 8	
				Ditto ditto of the share of Pearymoney Dassy, wife of Guruposad Maharic, ditto ditto	1,233 13 0	
				Ditto ditto of Bhubun Chandra Bundopadhye, ditto ditto ..	66 0 0	
				Ditto ditto of Gunganaram, Soroopharan Myti and Matongini Dassy, mother and guardian of Taroknath Myti and Bholanath Myti, ditto ditto ...	2,347 10 10	
				Ditto ditto of Khyrat Ally and Sham Raoot, ditto ditto . .	54 11 7	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoynaran Janah, ditto ditto	248 10 8	
				Ditto ditto of Sreemuttya Soorjomoney, ditto ditto	16 15 11	
				Ditto ditto of Nobinchundro Nag ditto ditto	4,734 8 9	
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoyram Bera, Ramkrishna Chuckrabutty, Rammohun Myti, Becharam Acharjee, Modhoosoodun Mana, Sreemutty Jasodamoney, Rombamoney, Tilothomamoney, ditto ditto .	164 4 7	
				Ditto ditto of Lallmohun Meyeekap, Indronaran Meyeekap, Bhubunmohun Meyeekap, ditto ditto	341 1 3	
				Ditto ditto of Radhachurn Singha, ditto ditto	426 10 11	
				Ditto ditto of Indronaran Paul and Madhub Chunder Paul, ditto ditto	441 12 11	
				The total of the revenues of the shares which will not be sold is ..	18,490 8 9	... .
				The remaining joint share of Brojomohun Mohapatro, Lokheechurn Satputty, Golokchunder Dutt, Manicram Paul, Gungaram Dey, Ghaseeram Dey, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	666 4 8	31 15 11
6	400	317	Baichageriah, *alias* Keshrombha in pergunnah Datonchour.	Chowdhry Jogabundhoo Das, Gosendromohapatro, Dinobundho Chowdhry, Huryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetol Churn Potnaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee Doorgachurn, Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bondopadhye, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Kashinath Dutt and Mohendronath Paul.	1,293 6 5	... .
				Exclusive of the share of Mohendronath Paul which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 184-12-5.	184 12 5	.....
				The remaining joint share of Chowdery Jugobundhoo Das, Gujendro Mohapatro, Dinabundhoo Chowdery, Hurryhur Bhattacharjee, Seetolchurn Potnaik, Nundo Coomar Paharee, Doorgachurn Ramchurn, Bamachurn and Umachurn Bandopadhyo, Nundo Coomar Bhunya, Brojonath Dutt, and Kashinath Dutt will be sold for arrears of Government revenue	1,108 10 0	13 3 8
7	951	540	Deorah, in pergunnah Sabang	Bongsidhur Ponda, Modhoosoodun Bera, Ramchand Kur and Modhoosoodun Bera	820 13 10	.
				Exclusive of the share of Ramchand Kur, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5 As also exclusive of the share of Modhoosoodun Mana which has a separate account, and which will not be sold the revenue of which is Rs 130-3-5	260 6 10	..
				The remaining joint share of Bongshidhur Ponda and Modhoosoodun Bera will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	360 7 0	0 1 11
8	1580	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur	Rajhullub Chowdhry, Reeshikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee, Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee, Golokemoney Chowdhray, Ukhoynaran Myti, Ukhoynaran Myti, Sreenibash Paharee	806 7 8	.

Consecutive number.	Number of Register A.	Touzee number.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Arrears of revenue for which property will be sold.
				Permanently-settled Estates—concluded.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
8	1530	858	Kanpore, in pergunnah Gogneshur.	Exclusive of the share of Rajbullub Chowdhry, Rishikesh Paharee, Collector of Midnapore, on behalf of insane Golokmoney, Soodhamoyee Chowdhooranee, Dwarkanath Mitter, Ukhoy Naran Myti, and Sreenibash Paharee which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 362-3-6 ...	557 10 6	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ukhoy Naran Myti, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 105-3-5		
				Ditto ditto of Ukhoymaran Myti, ditto ditto, „ 36-9-9		
				Ditto ditto of Sreenibash Paharee, ditto ditto, „ 339-9-10		
				The remaining share of Golokmoney Chowdhuranee, which will be sold for arrears of revenue	268 13 2	8 0 8
9	1703	938	Khelar, *alias* Bonpatna, in pergunnah Kismut Naraingurh.	Gungararan Singh, Norararan Singh, Haronaran Singh, Noroharee Maharee, Sreemutty Pearymoney Dossy, Sreemutty Adhurmoney Debya, Rodhoonathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, Sitanathdas Pohoraj Mohapatro, and Sreemutty Issurymoney Debya.	3,480 8 7	249 11 [illegible]
10	1754	962	Khetropal, *alias* Chuck Bhoge, pergunnah Amersee.	Bhagbutchundro Mundle, Bharutchundro Mundle, and Choudhury Jonmejoy Mullick.	3,153 9 7	24 3 8
11	1777	960	Laboah, *alias* Bolbhudropore, pergunnah Amersee.	Shreenarain Bera	924 13 1	317 15 11
12	1880	1035	Moninathpore, pergunnah Protabbhan.	Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennessa Bibi, minoress, Bhagbutchunder Myti, Ukhoymaran Myti, Chundermohun Myti, Lal Mohun Bhunya, Neel Mohun Bhunya, Gopinath Bhooja, minor's father and guardian, Moocheeram Bhunya, and Bhogirath Prodhan.	687 5 8	4 8 7
				Temporarily-settled Estates.		
13	1969	203	Mongalpore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Choudhury Gopendronundon Dass Mohapatro, Anundolal Roy, and Kashinath Mitter Chowdhury.	2,069 7 0	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Kashinath Mitter Choudhury, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	525 15 8	.....
				The remaining joint share of Choudhury Gopendronundundas Mohapatro and Anundololl Roy, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,543 7 4	355 6
14	1971	205	Mockrampore, pergunnah Pottaspore.	Anundololl Roy and Horoshailol Bhoshut	1,346 0 0	346 14 2
				Permanently-settled Estates.		
15	2047	1124	Nankar Bajapti, pergunnah Majuamutta.	Seebosoondary Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondori, heirs of Gungararan Mitter, Seetalprosad Sorengee, Seetalprosad Roy, Rajiblochun Sutputty, Sreemutty Dinomoyee Deby, mother of Lokhenaran Bondopadhye, and Ramnidhi Coondoo.	2,163 5 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Ramnidhi Coondoo, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 703-12-5.	703 12 5	.....
				The remaining joint share of Seebosoondary, Sreemuttya Tripoora Soondory, heirs of Gungararan Mitter, Seetalprosad Soorongee, Sitalprosad Roy, Rajiblochun Sutpoty and Sreemutty Dinomoyee Deby, mother of Lokhinarain Bondopadhye, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	1,429 8 11	22 4 7
16	2143	1176	Palpara, pergunnah Amershi.	Sreemuttya Bhodro Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Roy, Josomunto Roy, Lokhinaran Roy, Hurynaran Roy, Becharan Myti, Abollya Deyee, mother of Boidonath Pall minor, Mothoormohun Roy, Moocheeram Saha, Jeetram Roy, Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy minor, and Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, Seetaram Dass, Sreemuttya Beechonmoney Deyee aunt of Koonurnaran Roy and others, minors, Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Roy, Gourmohun Gossami, Norosingnaran Myti, Taraprosad Roy and Guruprosad Myti.	815 4 10	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Sitaramdas, Sreemuttya Beehonmoney Dayee, aunt of Koonurnaran Roy, minor, Sreemuttya Binodmoney Deyee, mother of Koonurnaran Rai Mothur and Gourmohun Gossami, which has a separate account and which will not be sold, Rs. 28-12-9	316 10 7	.....
				Ditto ditto of Norosingnarain Myti ditto ditto, Rs. 37-9-11 ...		
				Ditto ditto of Taraprosad Roy ditto ditto, „ 109-10-11...		
				Ditto ditto of Guruprosad Myti ditto ditto, „ 149-9-0 ...		
				The remaining joint share of Sreemuttya Bhodra Deyee, Rajnarain Roy, Radhachurn Rya, Josomunto Roy, Lakhinaran Roy, Hurynarain Roy, Becharam Myti, Abillya Deyee, mother of Boidanath Paul, minor Mothoormohun Roy, Moocheram Saha, Jitram Roy, Sreemuttya Rotnomoyee Deyee, grandmother and guardian of Indronaran Roy, minor, Moheshchundro Roy Mohapatro, will be sold for arrears of land revenue.	498 10 3	69 8 8
17	2434	1332	Rampore *alias* Rampore Sonepore, pergunnah Beurkool.	Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bondopadhye, Anundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye minor, Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi, minoress, Chundichurn Sasmul.	5,175 11 4	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Messrs. John Comparton Abott, Doorgachurn Bondopadhye, Ramchurn Bondopadhye, and Sreemutiya Anundomoyee Debya, mother and guardian of Umeshchurn Bondopadhye, which has a separate account and will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 2,720-6-11	3,256 4 11	.....
				Also exclusive of the share of Soyad Mahomed Hossein, himself and father and guardian of Wassennissa Bibi minor, which has a separate account, and which will not be sold, the revenue of which is Rs. 536-14-0		
				The remaining share of Chandichurn Sasmul which has a separate account, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	1,920 6 5	599 15 10
18	2853	1600	Agur, pergunnah Chundercona.	Nabokrishna Mookhopadhye, minor's attorney Joykrishna Mookhopadye, Rajkrishna Mukhopadhye, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, Shananath Roy Choudhury, and Mr. Debrin, manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury and Satcendronath Roy Choudhury, minors the heirs of the late Prannath Choudhury.	10,829 5 11	.....
				Exclusive of the share of Mr. Debrin, Manager under Court of Wards of the estate of Manmothonath Roy Choudhury, Girijanath Roy Choudhury, and Sotcendronath Roy Choudhury, minors and heirs of late Prannath Roy Choudhury, which has a separate account, and will not be sold, the revenue of which is	721 15 4	.....
				The remaining joint share of Joykrishna Mookopadhye, attorney of Nabokrishna Mookopadhye minor, Kashinath, Debnath, Parbuttynath, Umanath, and Shananath Roy Choudhury, will be sold for arrears of Government revenue.	10,107 6 7	269 4 9

The 21st February 1879. T. D. BRIGHTON, *Covtd. Deputy Collector, for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Nuddea will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district, on the 26th day of March 1879, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue, due on the 13th day of January 1879.

No. 17.—Dehi Alfa, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietors Santiram Roy and others; sudder jumma of the entire estate Rs. 8,670-5-3 and police Rs. 96-3-7. The share of Santiram Roy and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,046-2-3 and police Rs. 44-14-8, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 13-8-11 on account of Government revenue. The share of Bama Sundary Burmania, mother and guardian of Keshtonath Roy, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 4,624-3, police Rs. 51-4-11, for which separate accounts were open, will be exempted from sale.

No. 40.—Taraf Batyee, pergunnah Rajpore; recorded proprietor Thakomoni Debia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 8,805-7-2 and police Rs. 110-13-5. The share of Shaklimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 3,302-0-8 and police Rs. 41-9-1, for which a separate account was opened in No. 40-41, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 591-5-3 on account of Government revenue.

No. 258.—Kismut pergunnah Jaypore (eight annas), pergunnah Jaypore; recorded proprietors Kassinath and Omanath Roy Chowduri and others; sudder jumma Rs. 7,406-8-7, and police Rs. 83-15. The share of Kassinath and Omath Roy Chowdhuri, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,481-5-1, and police Rs. 16-12-6, will be sold for recovery of Rs. 424-9 The share of Jadabinda Nath Rai Chowdhuri and others, sudder jumma Rs. 5,925-3-6, and police Rs. 67-2-6, for which separate account was opened, will be exempted from sale

No. 338.—Mouzah Maj Rudh, pergunnah Sajial, recorded proprietor Chota Rakhal Chandra Bundeopadhya; sudder jumma Rs. 2,951-6-3. The share of Chota Rakhal Chandra Bandeopadhya, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 253-10-2, for which a separate account was opened in No. 338-4, will be sold for Rs. 71-3-10 on account of Government revenue.

No. 432 —Mouzah Raj Nagore, pergunnah Bagwan; recorded proprietor Sukhemoni Dabia and others; sudder jumma Rs. 579-3-2 and police Rs. 6-9-3. The share of Shukimoni Debia, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 289-9-7, and police Rs. 3-4-6½, for which separate account was opened in No. 432-1, will be sold for Rs. 0-13-1 on account of arrears of revenue.

No. 3192.—Kismut Bhur Phuttayjungpore, pergunnah Bhur Phuttayjungpore; recorded proprietor Sital Chandra Ghose and others; sudder jumma Rs. 2,433-1-0. The share of Sital Chandra Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 985-4-3, will be sold for Rs. 512-13-8, and the share of Punchanun Ghose and others, bearing sudder jumma Rs. 1,169, for which separate account was opened in No. 3192-1, will also be sold for Rs. 563 on account of arrears of revenue. The share of other proprietors will be exempted from sale.

NUDDEA COLLECTORATE, the 20th February 1879. W. H. M. GUN, *for Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Noakholly will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Chaitro, 1285 B S., for the arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Number of towjee	Names of estates	Names of proprietors.	Sudder jumma.	Balance.
			Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
205	Pergunnah Dandra, share 3 annas.	Kaz Mohomed Monraddy and Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and guardian of Srimuti Mahomuda Khatoore, minor, Chandranath Chowdry, Radhamohun Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterjee, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Srimuti Akramanessa, Srimuti Najumanessa, minors, and Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abunasar Mahomed Esahaq	2,420 4 10	1,758 1 11
		Improvement Fund	24 0 0	10 2 8
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Chandranath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas	605 1 3	
		Improvement Fund	6 0 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Radha Mohon Rai, share 2 annas 10 gundas	378 2 9	
		Improvement Fund	3 12 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Najumanessa, minors of Reazuddin Munshi, managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji, share 1 anna	151 4 4	
		Improvement Fund	1 8 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the names of Abu Esof, Mahomed Israel, Abu Mahomed, Ubedullah, share 2 annas 3 cowries 1 krant	308 13 6	
		Improvement Fund	3 1 0	
		Separate account has been opened under section 10, Act XI of 1859, in the name of Srimuti Sarafanessa Chowdhurani, self and guardian of Abu Nasar Mahomed Esahaq, minor, share 1 anna 19 gundas 2 krant	296 3 9	
		Improvement Fund	2 15 0	
206	Pergunnah Dandra, share 1 anna 18 gundas 2 cowries ¼ krant	Kazi Lutfalhaq, self and father and guardian of Srimuti Mohomed Khatoon, Srimuti Sarafanessa, self and mother and guardian of Abu Esof Mahomed Israel and Abu Nasar Mohomed Esahaq Srimuti Wakia Banu, guardian of Ubedullia, Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, Radhamohon Rai, Tarini Charan Chatterji, manager on behalf of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa and Nozumanessa, minors	3,267 0 11	4,596 7 1
		Improvement Fund ..	33 0 0	48 15 3
		Separate account opened in the name of Chandra Nath Gupta Chowdry, share 4 annas . .	816 12 3	
		Improvement Fund	8 4 0	
	Ditto	ditto in the name of Radhamohon Rai, share 2 annas 10 gundas ..	510 7 8	
		Improvement Fund ..	5 2 6	
	Ditto	ditto in the names of Mamatazuddin Ahmed, Srimuti Nasibanessa, Akramanessa, Nozumanessa, minors of Reazuddin Munshi, whose estate is managed by Tarini Charan Chatterji	204 3 1	
		Improvement Fund ..	2 1 0	

NOAKHOLLY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 24th February 1879. A. MANSON, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, the undermentioned estates in the district of Gya will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 18th Choyt 1286 F S., for arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Description of mehal	Number of rent roll.	Number of estate and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Sudder jumma.	Amount of arrear for which the estate is to be sold.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A P.	Rs A. P.	
Permanently settled.	1171	Ganharpur Sinduari, &c, pergunnah Kahar.	Dainut Roy, Munshi Syud Ameer Ally, Mussamut Nasiran, Rupchand Sahoo, Rajnath Singh, Ramnath Singh, *alias* Sita Ram, Bishun Sahay Singh, and Lahri Pershad Singh	6,105 12 0	1 6 0	Ijmal share, sudder jumma of which is Rs 2,415-11-0, will be sold.
Ditto ..	2267	Jakhay, &c, Dah Kalam Moscomay, mehal Boodhura, pergunnah Pachrookhi.	Tikait Hukum Narain Singh, Mewa Lal, Behari Lal, Tilukdhari Lal, Mussamut Karimunnissa at present in possession and Sokhi Chand, Towakal Singh, Milan Singh, Budhu Singh, Dabee Singh and Roghoobar Singh, Zurpeshgidars.	603 0 0 Land revenue, 596 0 0 Road cess, 6 0 0	3 0 0 Land revenue, 0 14 0 Road cess, 2 2 0	The whole estate is to be sold.
Ditto ..	2685	Dayrgaon, &c, pergunnah Samai.	Roy Nawazi Lall, Roy Jaswant Lal, Tulshi Ram for himself and guardian of Foteh Narain, Moorat Singh, Goordyal Singh, Girwar Singh, Dhaka Singh, Samodhi Singh and Darshun Singh.	2,239 13 0	62 9 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs 543-10-0, will be sold
Ditto ...	3224	Kundil Talooka, pergunnah Sherghoty.	Baboo Sikunder Ally Khan, Syud Habibul Hosnain, Mussamut Fowhilnissa *alias* Chhoko, Goorsai Sobu, Sukhdeo Sahay, Nasimanik Koer, Gunput Lal, Chaman Sahoo, Chait Lal, Khirodhar Padhia, *alias* Ghinoo Padhia, for himself and guardian of Solnarain Padhia, *alias* Dawan Padhia minor brother, Abdul Ally Khan, Mussamut Thakooro Koer, Lachhi Mahton, Saheb Ally Khan, Mussamut Nuaniran Bibee, Mussamut Zamiran Bibee, Jahangir Baksh Khan, Mussamut Zaomeh *alias* Arzani, Mussamut Gofoor Jan Beebi, Goshain Mohun Giranl Mohesh Dutt.	2,303 5 0	8 10 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 762-10-0, will be sold
Ditto ...	3513	Karma Mussir, &c, pergunnah Siris.	Shoo Saran Singh, Narun Narain Singh, Jagger Nath Singh, Khaja Ally Reza, Moulvie Fazal Hossain, Mirza Dost Mohamad, father and guardian of Mussamut Mariam and Mussamut Jhoona Koeer.	843 1 0	8 13 0	Ijmal share, the sudder jumma of which is Rs 534-13-0, will be sold.

GYA COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 4th March 1879. E. J. BARTON, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Rungpore will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, corresponding with 13th Chaitro 1285, for arrears of revenue and other demands, which by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 13th January 1879.

Class I.—Permanently-settled Estate.

Class.	Number on touji.	Name of mehal and pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Arrears for which to be sold.	Sudder jumma.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1	5	Mouja Karpura and others, Chukla Fatehpur.	Nobin Chundra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Chaudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri, himself and executor of Abdur Rajjak Abu Mahamed Chaudhuri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed Ataulla, Abdul Jalil Mea, Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing, Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor.	2,544 8 9	122 10 8	The joint share of Govind Lal Rai, Sri Nath Sing, Devi Prosad Sing and Indro Moni Dasya, mother and executrix of Mati Lal Singh minor, of this estate, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 638-11-11, will be put up to sale; excluding the joint portion of Nobin Chandra Chaudhuri, Mahamed Jokoria Abu Eshuk Choudhuri, Mahamed Shoyer Abu Yusoff Chaudhuri himself and executor of Abdor Rajjuk Abu Mahamed Chauduri minor, Enatulla, Fateh Mahamed and Abdul Jalil Meah, the sudder jumma of which is Rs. 1,905-12-10 in respect of which separate accounts have been opened under Act XI of 1859.
3	235	Mouja Dhulgari and others in Lut Hossinpur, share 6 annas, pergunnah Barobild.	Khajeh Mahamed Ehia Chaudhuri.	1,070 15 0	42 11 8	Entire mehal.

RUNGPORE COLLECTORATE, the 21st February 1879. J. J. LIVESAY, *Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Backergunge will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the Collector's office of that district on the 29th March 1879 for arrears of revenue and other demands, which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

Class.	Number on towjee.	Name of the mehal.	Names of the proprietors.	Government revenue.	Arrears due.	REMARKS.
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
First class ...	1739	Five annas 6¼ gandas share of Khaje Nur Taluq.	Wazedennessa Khatun and others.	2,525 3 1½	432 7 2½	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	1914	Half anna share of Tappeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Ishwar Chandra Roy and others.	1,959 3 11	45 9 11	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	1918	Twelve annas 10½ gandas 2 kants and 3 tils share of taluq Ram Deb Sen, Tippeh Habeli, Shilemabad.	Bhagawan Chandra Bhattacharjee and others.	1,401 3 3	151 10 8½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	2048	Char Kalmi Mahal	Emdat Ali Munshi and others.	1,846 10 6	302 3 0½	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3432	Taluq Rudra Nariyan Das ...	Mathura Nath Mukhapadhya and others.	603 3 2½	163 0 0½ Due for kist 28th Sept. 1878. Rs. A. P. 1,049 12 10½ Due for kist 12th Jan. 1879.	Ditto ditto.
Ditto ...	3842	Fourteen annas of 18½ gandas share rendered into 16 annas of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Govinda Mala Choudurani	4,463 5 4½	Rs. A. P. 1,747 14 4 2,797 11 2½	The entire 14 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	3843	Thirteen gandas share of pergunnah Shilemabad.	Raj Coomar Roy	3,001 1 1½	Rs. A. P. 1,249 14 1	The entire share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4532	Oast Taluq Hari Prasad Roy in Abad Debpur pergunnah Ratnadi Kalikapu.	Syama Charan Samaddar, hissa 11 annas.	1,195 8 1	154 11 0	This 11 annas share will be sold.
Ditto ...	4546	Padma *alias* Ramjanpur ...	Mir Majjam Hasen Chaudhuri and others.	4,914 0 0 Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 2,947 8 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 29 10 0	4,914 0 0 Land revenue. Rs. A. P. 1,737 10 0 1 per cent. Road Fund. Rs. A. P. 26 15 6	The proprietory right of the settlement holders Mir Majjan Hasen Choudhuri and others will be sold.
Ditto ...	5198	Kakra with Rampura ...	Abdul Choban Miya and others, 6 annas shareholders.	2,977 2 0	1,764 9 6	The 6 annas share will be sold.

ZILLAH BACKERGUNGE, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, the 17th February 1879. J. KELLEHER, *Offg. Collector.*

NOTICE is hereby given, under section 6, Act XI of 1859, that the undermentioned estates in the district of Mymensingh will be put up to public and unreserved sale at the office of the Collector of that district on Wednesday, the 26th March 1879, answering to 13th Chaitra, 1285 B.S., for arrears of revenue which, by the Regulations and Acts in force, are directed to be realized in the same manner as arrears of revenue due on the 12th January 1879.

No. in towjee.	Name of Mehal and Pergunnah.	Name of proprietor.	Government revenue.	Amount of arrears for which the estate is to be sold.
	First Class Permanently-settled.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
12	Zemindari hisha 1 anna, pergunnah Attia, excluding the shares separated under Act XI of 1859 as shewn below.	Girish Chandra Roy Chowdhuri and others ...	148 4 3	28 14 0
	Pergunnah Attia, hisha 1 gd. 3 crs.	Moulvi Abdul Rashid Khan, manager and guardian on behalf of minors Najaballi Chowdhuri and Malik Bebi.	61 7 8	.....
	Pergunnah ditto, hisha 7 gundas	Hari Charan Mazumdar	345 15 3	.....
	Pergunnah ditto, hisha 1 anna, excluding the share separated under Act XI of 1859.	Bhagaban Chandra Roy and others	247 1 10	.....
		Total ...	702 13 0	28 14 0

MYMENSINGH COLLECTORATE, the 1st March 1879. N. S. ALEXANDER, *Collector.*

Commissioners for making Improvements in the Port of Calcutta.

NOTICE.

UNDER SECTION 69 OF ACT V (B.C.) OF 1870.

THE following packages, landed at the jetties from the undermentioned ships, have been removed to the Commissioners' Import Warehouse, where they remain at the risk and expense of the owners. If not cleared within two months from the date stated against each item, they will be sold under section 72 of the said Act:—

Date of removal to Import Warehouse.	Number, Mark, and Description.	Consignees.	Ships.
1879.			
Mar. 15	2 Cases, addressed	Rev. W. George, Rangoon.	S. S. Moray.
,, 15	1 Cask, B. & Co. in a diamond	Order ...	Ship Star of Erin.
,, 15	5 Bars Angle Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	2 Bars Round Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	2 Bars Square Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	1 Bar Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	4 Pieces Flat Iron, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 15	8 Drain Pipes, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 10	1 Case, K A, bottom & Co.	Ditto ...	S. S. Legislator.
,, 10	5 Cases, L M S L in a diamond, outside W C S K...	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 10	1 Case, L D & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 10	1 Case, L D. & Co, bottom P N	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 10	3 Casks, L S G D in a cross	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 10	1 Parcel, addressed	Messrs. Whitney Brothers & Co.	Ditto.
,, 11	10 Packages, 121 in a diamond, outside A. B. & Co...	Order ...	S. S. Kaiser-i-Hind.
,, 11	5 Packages, addressed	The Executive Engineer, Meerut Division, Military Works	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, F P H	Order ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, H. C. D. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	2 Cases, J. C & Co.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	2 Cases, M E	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Bag Copprah, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Sample Parcel, no mark	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	2 Cases, B. H. & Co. in a diamond	Ditto ...	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, S W, bottom B, or addressed	The Officer Commanding, 2nd Battalion, 2nd Regiment.	Ditto.
,, 11	1 Case, S W, bottom B, or addressed	The Officer Commanding, 54th Regiment.	Ditto.

CALCUTTA, the 22nd March 1879. (889—1) W. DUFF BRUCE, *Vice-Chairman.*

No. 95A.

FROM—THE AUDITORS OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA,

TO—THE COMMISSIONERS FOR MAKING IMPROVEMENTS IN THE PORT OF CALCUTTA.

GENTLEMEN,

WE have the honor to inform you that we have audited your cash and store accounts for the half-year ending 30th September 1878, and have found them to be correct.

2. We observe that applications have been made to Government for supplementary sanctions necessary under the law for the admission of various items of expenditure incurred during the half-year, and we accordingly postpone our remarks on the audit of your expenditure till the close of the year's account.

3. The following is an abstract of the transactions for the half-year of each of the four parts of the revenue and of the capital account.

REVENUE ACCOUNT.

Details.	Part I, Jetties.	Part II, Inland Vessels Wharves.	Part III, Strand Bank lands.	Part IV, Port Proper	Total.
RECEIPTS.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balance on 1st April 1878	5,255 9 5	70,221 0 5	4,326 13 7	79,791 11 3	1,59,585 2 8
Revenue received during the half-year ...	3,42,016 3 2	2,13,916 0 10	65,811 8 3	2,69,038 12 10	8,90,782 9 1
Total ...	3,47,271 12 7	2,84,127 1 3	70,138 5 10	3,48,830 8 1	10,50,367 11 9
EXPENDITURE.					
Ordinary expenditure during the half-year...	2,30,562 13 11	1,33,018 6 10	44,496 15 3	2,11,062 6 2	6,19,130 10 2
Contribution for repayment of loans ...	40,319 0 0	23,959 11 0	5,182 4 0	1,174 15 0	70,635 14 0
Contribution for new works	32,146 0 0	1,10,974 11 0	1,420 0 0	9,946 0 0	1,54,486 11 0
Total expenditure...	3,03,017 13 11	2,67,952 12 10	51,099 3 3	2,22,183 5 2	8,44,253 3 2
Balance of 30th September 1878	44,253 14 8	16,174 4 5	19,039 2 7	1,26,647 2 11	2,06,114 8 7
Total ...	3,47,271 12 7	2,84,127 1 3	70,138 5 10	3,48,830 8 1	10,50,367 11 9

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.	Rs.	A.	P.	EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance on 1st April 1878	6,37,204	2	6	Loans repaid to Government ...	71,021	3	0
Contributions from Port Commissioners' revenue for repayment of loans ...	70,635	14	0	Works under construction ...	6,73,800	4	9
Contributions from Port Commissioners' revenue for new works	1,54,486	11	0	Works completed	551	2	3
Contributions from bridge for new works	2,841	0	0	Store and suspense account	7,58,193	1	9
Contributions from Port Commissioners' revenue for repayment of loans ...	385	5	0	Total ...	15,03,565	11	9
Store and suspense account	6,52,569	6	0	Cash balance on 30th September 1878	14,556	10	9
Total ...	15,18,122	6	6	Total ...	15,18,122	6	6

Your financial position on 30th September 1878, as obtained from your books, was as follows :—

REVENUE ACCOUNT. CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

	Part I, Jetties.	Part II, Inland Vessels' Wharves.	Part III, Strand Bank Lands.	Part IV, Port Proper.	Total.	Part V, New Works.
LIABILITIES.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P.
Loans from Government	.....	.....	.....	17,65,000 0 0	17,65,000 0 0	48,19,461 0 0
Contribution from Government for new road	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74,584 0 0
Contribution from Port Commissioners and bridge revenue for repayment of loans	3,44,429 9 0	1,55,128 3 9	42,964 0 11	5,282 14	5,47,804 12 0	5,49,039 0 0
Contribution from Port Commissioners and bridge revenue for new works of Part V ...	10,78,673 15 2	11,95,758 5 11	2,21,217 10 10	1,52,814 0 0	26,48,463 15 11	26,69,606 15 11
Ditto ditto ditto of Port ...	.....	.....	.....	1,88,080 12 2	1,88,080 12 2	...
Sale of surplus land purchased for tramway ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,65,369 5 2
Sale of materials of buildings dismantled for new road	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,829 6 9
Reserve fund	55,000 0 0	.....	.....	3,64,250 0 0	4,19,250 0 0	.....
Insurance fund to meet damages to goods at jetties	26,744 7 8	.....	.....	.....	26,744 7 8	.....
Depreciation fund account	.....	.....	.....	2,00,000 0 0	2,00,000 0 0	.....
Net revenue	44,253 14 8	16,174 4 5	19,039 2 7	1,26,647 2 11	2,06,114 8 7	.....
Deposit of contractors and others	7,693 12 1	300 0 0	500 0 0	722 11 0	9,216 7 1	.....
Bathing ghát to memory of Chuttoo Laul ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,178 12 11
Deposit of Government Promissory Notes ...	16,200 0 0	10,900 0 0	1,200 0 0	.....	28,300 0 0	.....
Deposit of employees	.....	4,100 0 0	.....	.....	4,100 0 0	.....
Establishment allowance from Government for registration of country boats	.....	748 5 3	.....	.....	748 5 3	.....
Interest on Government securities of employees	.....	217 5 10	.....	.....	217 5 10	.....
Suspense account	.....	.....	4,893 1 3	.....	4,893 1 3	.....
Temporary loan received from Part I, Jetties	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,000 0 0
Ditto ditto „ IV, Port ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,25,000 0 0
Advance account with Part I, Jetties ...	.....	2,354 8 3	651 14 2	4,277 11 8	7,284 2 1	.....
Ditto ditto „ III, Strand Bank Lands ...	.....	216 0 0	.....	.....	216 0 0	5 3 6
Ditto ditto „ IV, Port Proper ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,315 8 7
Ditto ditto „ V, New works ...	2,849 7 11	2,305 9 4	.....	.....	5,155 1 3	.....
Wreck *Asia*	.....	.....	.....	81,540 11 8	81,540 11 8	.....
	15,75,845 2 6	13,88,202 10 9	2,90,465 13 9	28,88,615 15 9	61,43,129 10 9	86,65,047 4 10
ASSETS.						
Block	.....	.....	.....	17,53,080 12 2	17,53,080 12 2	44,32,976 8 8
Works under construction	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,99,869 2 7
Advance account for repayment of loans ...	3,44,429 9 0	1,55,128 3 9	42,964 0 11	5,282 14 4	5,47,804 12 0	...
Ditto ditto new works	10,78,673 15 2	11,95,758 5 11	2,21,217 10 10	1,52,814 0 0	26,48,463 15 11	.....
Investment for reserve fund	42,382 6 10	.....	.....	3,64,250 0 0	4,13,632 6 10	.....
Ditto insurance fund	25,661 2 0	.....	.....	.....	25,661 2 0	.....
Interest on Government securities of employees	3 2 6	.....	.....	.....	3 2 6	.....
Temporary loan advanced to Part V, New works	50,000 0 0	.....	.....	1,25,000 0 0	1,75,000 0 0	.....
Government Promissory Notes of depositors	16,200 0 0	10,900 0 0	1,200 0 0	.....	28,300 0 0	.....
Investment Government securities from deposit of employees	.....	3,942 8 0	.....	.....	3,942 8 0	.....
Suspense account	.....	568 6 9	.....	673 0 6	1,181 6 6	26,525 1 4
Investment for bathing ghát	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,730 2 0
Stock	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,164 12 10
Miscellaneous advances	149 12 1	473 12 0	.....	.....	623 8 1	1,651 2 8
Investment for depreciation fund...	.....	.....	.....	1,99,994 14 4	1,99,994 14 4	.....
Depreciation of marine block	.....	.....	.....	2,00,000 0 0	2,00,000 0 0	.....
Advance account with Part I, Jetties ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,849 7 11
Ditto ditto „ II, Inland vessels wharves ...	2,354 8 3	.....	216 0 0	.....	2,570 8 3	2,305 9 4
Ditto ditto „ III, Strand Bank Lands ...	651 14 2	.....	.....	.....	651 14 2	.....
Ditto ditto „ IV, Port Proper ...	4,277 11 8	.....	5 3 6	.....	4,283 15 2	.....
Ditto ditto „ V, New works ...	.....	.....	.....	3,315 8 7	3,315 8 7	.....
Advance account, Hooghly bridge	1,143 12 1	.....	.....	981 1 0	2,124 13 1	2,426 11 0
Cash balance	2,918 4 9	21,491 7 1	24,862 14 6	83,223 12 10	1,32,496 7 2	14,556 10 9
	15,75,845 2 6	13,88,202 10 9	2,90,465 13 9	28,88,615 15 9	61,43,129 10 9	86,65,047 4 10

We have, &c.,

W. WATERFIELD, *Officiating Comptroller-General.*

J. TAYLOR, *Assistant to Comptroller-General.*

COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE, the 24th February 1870.

PUBLISHED in accordance with the provisions of Section 53, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

By order of the Commissioners,

G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

PORT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, the 20th March 1879.

(885—1)

No. 96A.

FROM—THE AUDITORS OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE HOOGHLY BRIDGE,

TO—THE COMMISSIONERS FOR THE HOOGHLY BRIDGE.

GENTLEMEN,

We have the honor to inform you that we have audited the cash accounts of the Hooghly Bridge for the half-year ending 30th September 1878, and have found them to be correct.

2. We observe that application has been made to Government for supplementary sanctions necessary under the law for the admission of various items of expenditure incurred during the half-year, and we accordingly postpone our remarks on the audit of your expenditure till the close of the year's accounts.

3. The following statement shows the net amounts of your receipts and charges during the half-year:—

RECEIPTS.	Rs.	A.	P.	CHARGES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Railway traffic	1,20,774	0	9	Revenue working expenses	1,40,873	11	8
Local traffic	57,811	15	6	Contribution for repayment of loans, Part V	385	5	0
Miscellaneous receipts	11,457	5	11	Contribution for new works, Part V ..	2,341	0	0
				Contribution for bridge reserve fund ..	17,800	0	0
	1,90,043	6	2		1,61,900	0	8
Balance on 1st April 1878	20,479	5	1	Balance on 30th September 1878 ...	48,622	10	7
	2,10,522	11	3		2,10,522	11	3

4. The assets and liabilities of the bridge account on 30th September 1878 were as follows:—

ASSETS.	Rs	A.	P.	LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.
Block	21,90,055	15	0	Loan from Government	19,80,000	0	0
Works under construction	2,39,985	15	6	Contribution from revenue for repayment of bridge loan ...	2,61,800	0	0
Investment for reserve fund	1,94,347	4	0	Contribution from revenue for repayment of Port Commissioners' loans ...	1,834	4	0
Ditto for reserve section	23,587	0	0	Contribution for new works bridge ...	1,78,055	15	0
Advance account for repayment of loans, Part V	1,834	4	0	Contribution for Port Commissioners' new works	21,143	0	0
Advance account for new works, Part V.	21,140	0	0	Reserve fund	2,23,400	0	0
Suspense account	1,847	7	7	Sale proceeds of workshop tools, &c., for construction of reserve section .	23,200	0	0
Investment in Government securities from deposits of employees	2,000	0	0	Fines recovered by Government from contractors, &c.	7,866	11	8
Miscellaneous advances... ...	50	0	0	Balance of deposit refunded by Executive Engineer	9,509	15	11
Cash balance	87,482	1	5	Net revenue	48,622	10	7
				Interest on Government securities of employees	146	14	3
				Advance account...	4,553	8	1
				Deposits	2,200	0	0
	27,62 333	15	6		27,62,332	15	6

We have, &c.,

W WATERFIELD, *Officiating Comptroller-General.*
J. TAYLOR, *Assistant to Comptroller-General.*

COMPTROLLER-GENERAL'S OFFICE, the 27th February 1879.

PUBLISHED in accordance with the provisions of Section 26, Act IX (B C.) of 1871, and Section 53, Act V (B.C.) of 1870.

By order of the Commissioners,
G. H. SIMMONS, *Secretary.*

PORT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, the 20th March 1879 (886—1)

Statement of the Affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 18th Mar. 1879.

LIABILITIES.	Rs.	A.	P.	ASSETS.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid-up	2,00,00,000	0	0	Government Securities	76,68,018	8	0
Reserve Fund	18,95,9 5	0	0	Loans on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches	56,95,441	11	0
Public Deposits at Head Office . Rs. 1,28,43,206 1 4	2,34,64,070	13	7	Accounts of credit on Government Securities, &c., at Head Office and Branches ..	87,26,608	14	5
Ditto at Branches . „ 1,06,20,864 12 3				Bills discounted and purchased at Head Office and Branches	2,18,77,277	9	4
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches	2,27,89,900	11	7	Balances with other Banks	12,79,346	1	7
Bank Post Bills, &c.	27,78,141	11	3	Bullion	.. ..		
Sundries	9,42,782	9	11	Dead Stock	9,78,555	12	2
				Stamps	6,981	14	6
				Sundries	1,89,081	15	5
					4,64,18,312	6	5
				Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office .. Rs. 86,30,015 1 11	2,54,52,858	7	11
				Cash and Currency Notes at Branches ... „ 1,68,22,843 6 0			
Rupees ...	7,18,71,170	14	4	Rupees ...	7,18,71,170	14	4

By order of the Directors,

BANK OF BENGAL
Calcutta, *the 20th March* 1879

W. WESTLAND, *Offg. Chief Accts. and Dy. Secy.*
(887—1)

R HARDIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Notice.

THE following list of rates of rent to be charged from the 1st April next on goods left on the Custom House wharf is published for general information :—

List of Articles subject to Wharf Rent by the package

Names of Articles.	Description of Package	Rs.	A.	P.
Beer	Whole pipe, butt, or puncheon	1	8	0
Do.	Half pipe or hogshead	0	12	0
Do.	Quarter pipe	0	6	0
Wines	Butt or pipe	4	0	0
Do.	Half pipe or hogshead	2	0	0
Do.	Quarter pipe	1	0	0
Do.	Chests, above 12 dozen	1	0	0
Do	Ditto of 12 dozen, or above 6 dozen	0	12	0
Do.	Ditto of 6 „ or above 3 „	0	6	0
Do.	Quarter chest or 3 dozen	0	4	0
Do.	All boxes under 3 dozen and above 1 dozen each	0	2	0
Do.	1 dozen box	0	1	6
Spirits	Per pipe	4	0	0
Do.	„ hogshead	2	0	0
Do.	In bottles. Case of 1 dozen	0	2	0
Do.	Above 1 and under 3 dozen	0	3	0
Do.	3 dozen	0	4	0
Do.	Above 3 and under 6 dozen	0	6	0
Do.	6 dozen	0	8	0
Glass or earthenware ...	In large casks	2	0	0
Ditto or provisions	„ tierces	1	8	0
Ditto ditto ...	Large crates containing 12 dozen bottles	0	12	0
Ditto ditto ...	Small „ 8 or 6 dozen bottles, more or less	0	8	0
British piece-goods ...	Per case, above 12 dozen size	1	0	0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of 12 dozen or above 6 dozen	0	12	0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of 6 „ or „ 3 „	0	6	0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of 3 „ or less	0	4	0
Ditto ditto ...	„ bale	0	12	0
Ditto ditto ...	„ „ of smaller size	0	8	0
Twist of all sorts ...	„ „ of 400 or 500lb	0	12	0
Ditto	„ „ of smaller size	0	8	0
Canvas	„ bale	0	6	0
Silk	„ bale	0	12	0
Silk piece-goods	„ case	0	12	0
Indigo	„ chest	0	12	0
Cotton, hemp, jute, and saf-flower.	„ bale of 300lb	0	8	0
Shellac and lacdye ...	„ chest	0	8	0
Vermillion	„ box	0	4	0
Arsenic	„ box	0	6	0
Brass leaf	„ box	0	4	0
China paper	„ case	0	4	0
Cassia, camphor	„ case	0	6	0
Sugarcandy	„ tub	0	1	0
Tea	Per whole chest	0	4	0
Do.	„ smaller box	0	2	0
Salmon, herrings, or other fish	„ keg	0	1	0
Turpentine, linseed, or other vegetable oils.	„ jar	0	4	0
Gunnies	„ large bale	1	0	0
Ditto	„ smaller bale	0	12	0
Cow hides	„ bale	1	8	0
Ditto	„ smaller bale	1	0	0
Goat skins	„ bale	1	0	0
Tin plates	„ box	0	1	0
Bricks	„ 1,000	2	0	0
Copperas	„ tierce or barrel	1	0	0
Cement	„ barrel	0	6	0
Soda	„ cask	0	8	0
Vinegar	„ „ (beer rate)	0	12	0
Candles	„ box	0	2	0
Window glass	„ case	0	2	0
Crown ditto	„ box (piece-good rate)	0	4	0
Flour	„ cask	0	8	0
Butter	„ cask or keg	1	8	0
Beer	„ case	0	6	0
Stoves	„ each	0	0	3
Brimstone	„ cask	0	12	0
Ditto	„ smaller cask	0	6	0
Nails	„ keg of 1 cwt.	0	2	0
Cork	„ bag	0	2	0
Tar and pitch	„ barrel	0	8	0
Beads	„ cask	1	0	0
Water casks (empty) ...	„ puncheon (beer rate)	1	8	0
Hams and cheese	„ piece	0	1	0
Oil	„ cask	0	12	0
Putch leaf	„ bale	0	12	0
Provisions	„ tin, large size	0	2	0
Ditto	„ „ small „	0	1	0
Almonds	„ bag of one maund each	0	2	0

List of Articles subject to Wharf Rent by the weight.

Names of Articles.	Per cwt. Rs.	A.	P.
Metals	0	1	6
Cutch	0	1	0
Sugar, rice, and seeds	0	1	3
Betelnut	0	1	6
Cloves	0	3	0
Ginger or turmeric	0	1	6
Paint	0	2	0
All cordage	0	2	0
Rosin or dammer	0	3	0
Red wood	0	1	6
Rattan	0	3	0
Coppra	0	3	0
Alum and aloes	0	1	6
Chalk	0	1	6
Coffee, pepper, cummine seed, anniseed, cardamoms, almonds, raisin, wet and dry dates.	0	3	0
Gambier	0	1	0
Tobacco, unmanufactured	0	6	0
Quicksilver	0	6	0
Bazar cowries	0	3	0

By order of the Board of Revenue, L. P.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 12th March 1879. J. D. MACLEAN, *Collector of Customs.*

LOST CURRENCY NOTES.

THE following Currency Notes of the Government of India, Calcutta Circle, are stated to have been lost, and payment of their value has been claimed by the persons whose names are placed against the numbers; any other person having these Notes in his possession, or claiming a right to them, is warned to communicate at once with the undersigned :—

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant
447	O 30—22441	50	Annoda Prasad Mukerjee.
	„ —22437	50	
450	„ 34—92257	100	Meeah Khow.
	„ —65719	100	
451	„ 30—27454	50	B. Mauger.
452	„ 26—54820	20	Dwarkanath Roy.
	„ —54821	20	
453	O 43—44272	10	
	„ 18—43265	10	
	L 27—51426	5	
	O 40—99770	10	
	„ 41—01190	10	
	„ 18—32370	10	
	L 99—32474	10	
	O 18—40744	10	
	„ 41—38554	10	
	„ 16—65974	10	
	L 74—21335	10	
	O 8—24583	10	
	„ 43—63578	10	
	„ 19—39851	10	
	„ 18—41085	10	
	„ 39—05509	10	
	L 91—64041	20	
	O 19—77767	10	
	„ 1—37778	10	
	„ 19—03094	10	Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore.
	„ 11—00704	10	
	„ 19—95406	10	
	„ 18—32501	10	
	„ 42—34223	10	
	„ 5—19801	10	
	„ 20—55711	20	
	„ 15—58301	10	
	„ 41—98460	10	
	„ 43—44270	10	
	„ 5—23922	10	
	„ 39—15156	10	
	„ 19—88928	10	
	„ 43—44290	10	
	„ —44268	10	
	„ —44269	10	
	„ 9—47965	10	
	„ 40—28002	10	
	„ 10—61137	10	
	„ 43—44289	10	
	„ —44288	10	

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value. Rs.	Name of Claimant.
453	O —44266	10	
	„ —44267	10	
	„ 24—68964	20	
	„ 10—20678	10	
	„ 41—00823	10	
	„ 18—62815	10	
	L 4—57625	10	
	„ 95—24453	10	
	O 13—57504	10	
	„ 40—94741	10	
	„ 19—76416	10	
	„ 39—53974	10	
	„ 23—04318	20	
	„ 22—65663	20	
	„ —47652	20	
	„ 23—43594	20	
	„ 43—44265	10	
	L 96—63624	10	
	„ 98—01301	10	
	O 43—44263	10	
	„ —44264	10	
	„ 41—66616	10	
	„ 14—05737	10	
	„ 18—66914	10	
	„ 4—70465	20	
	„ 21—93443	20	
	„ 7—77211	10	
	„ 17—89088	10	Joint-Magistrate, Berhampore.
	„ 18—12579	10	
	„ 40—02432	10	
	„ 10—85408	10	
	L 95—83217	10	
	O 9—26424	10	
	L 42—70739	10	
	O 11—59038	10	
	„ 43—44261	10	
	„ 39—00617	10	
	„ 43—44262	10	
	„ 40—09726	10	
	„ 18—82063	10	
	„ 25—86747	20	
	„ 23—95770	20	
	„ —55614	20	
	„ —76862	20	
	„ 42—71909	10	
	L 31—88272	5	
	O 42—61443	10	
	„ 14—00031	10	
	„ 5—45387	10	
	„ 19—74875	10	
	„ 17—50929	10	
	„ 11—17023	10	
	„ 42—80794	10	
	„ 15—91120	10	
	„ 13—99113	10	
454	A 85—68523	500	Jodu Nath Das.
	„ —61833	500	

Notes wholly lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value	Name of Claimant.
		Rs.	
455	O 29—96329	1,000	Jagger Nath Balmukund.
456	O 72—02549	1,000	Rammadauh Chaterjee.
457	O 39—16007	10	S. Narain Singh.
	„ —98892	10	
	„ 41—76563	10	
	„ 43—03812	10	
	„ 42—72050	10	
	„ 40—59773	10	
458	L 44—96760	10	Post-Master-General, North-Western Provinces.
459	L 93—81298	50	Gobinda Chunder Patra.
460	L 29—76384	5	Mrs. E. Durnford
	„ 22—49228	5	
	„ 43—85084	10	
461	„ 92—34708	50	Superintendent of Police, Backergunge.
	„ —99042	50	
462	„ —86049	50	Meer Sodan
464	O 35—75066	100	R Williamson.
465	L 93—39460	50	Jodu Nath Gossami.
466	O 72—17329	1,000	Nouringhee Lall Mooktear
467	O 14—00745	10	Sristi Chunder Das Gupta
468	O 35—45140	100	Messrs Gisborne & Co.
469	O 34—59467	100	The Treasury Officer, Cooch Behar.
470	L 93—80424	50	Gooroo Churn Roy.
471	O 35—19430	100	Sita Ram
	L 87—27667	10	
	L 54—18986	5	
474	O 35—82276	100	Messrs Elias M. Cohen and Co.
	„ 82279		
475	O 33— 33274	100	Messrs Ahmuty & Co.
476	O 35—62959	100	Sreenath Banerjee.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

512	O 35—11432	100	D. F. Stuart.
513	O 35—36300	100	Jew Lall Ram
	„ —49354	100	
514	L 28—28337	5	Woopendro Nath Ghose.
515	O 42—27661	10	Dabudeen Bachosputty.
	O 24—46947	20	
516	O 26—02209	20	Jamasjee Nusserwanjee, Bombay.
	„ 25—25334	20	
517	O 35—05145	100	Keshub Lall Dutt.
	„ 34—78941	100	
	„ 35—05146	100	
	„ 33—40901	100	
	„ 35—05142	100	
	„ —05148	100	
	„ —05141	100	
518	„ 13—65999	10	Koylash Chunder Mookerjee.
519	O 35—48643 to „ —48647	at 50 each.	Treasury Officer, Bhagulpore.
	„ 30—05617 to „ —05636	at 20 each.	
	„ 25—85027 to „ —85051	at 10 each.	
	O 44—29236 to „ —29265	at 5 each.	
	L 54—69971 to „ —70000	at 5 each.	
520	L 87—34315	10	E. M Bensley.
521	O 19—16229	10	Revd. John R Hill.
	„ —16230	10	
	„ —16231	10	
	„ —16232	10	
522	„ 41—95986	10	The Oriental Bank Corporation
523	„ 22—06348	20	Mothur Mohun Mukerjee.
524	L 93—47826	50	Tameezdeen
	O 25—45558	20	
525	L 44—54681	10	Guroo Das Ganguli.
526	A 95—90263	10	Nundo Lall Sen.
527	L 11—33761	5	Aubinash Chunder Sen
528	O 21—07148	20	Messrs. W. L Atkinson & Co.
	L 28—90189	5	
	„ 25—90116	5	
529	„ 30—10789	5	O. T. Robello.
530	O 44—12306	10	Komola Kanto Nyaruttna.

Notes partially lost or destroyed.

Register No.	No. of Notes.	Value.	Name of Claimant
		Rs.	
531	L 94—15785	100	Ram Chunder
532	„ 30—31697	5	Pestonjee Dhunjeebhoy Daivar.
533	„ 71—68826	10	C. C Flanagon.
534	O 39—60922	10	Jadu Nath Mookerjee
535	O 11—06203	10	Mohomedbhoy Allybhoy.
	L 86—91398		
536	O 2—30358	20	Major H Y Murray
537	O 11—49351	10	Sheik Boddior Hossein
538	O 4—06579	20	Mrs E M Robinson
539	O 34—69280	100	Shaddy Lall.
540	O 44—91098	10	Dino Nath Doss
	O 10—28918		
541	O 27—69651	500	Kally Prosad
542	O 43—30812	10	Bhogobotty Churn Chatterjee
543	O 40—63065	10	Mrs M K Dise
544	L 22—47664	5	Ruttenessur Mullick
545	O 35—45921 to „ 45936	100	Sheik Moharaj Baparee.
	„ 35395		
	O 34—92851		
546	O 17—71057	10	Mohim Chunder Chowdry
	O 14—54203	10	
547	L 86—43365	10	Boycunto Nath Doss
	L 87—88542	10	
548	O 24—02122	20	P. B Roberts
549	O 39—27260	10	Messrs Smith Stanistreet and Co.
550	L 93—59861	50	Gunga Dhur Chatterjee
551	L 21—09614	5	Shew Churn Lall.
552	O 17—41565	10	Sreekunto Nath Doss Mitter.
240	L 95—57899	10	Juggut Chunder Auddy
	„ —57898		
286	O 14—32864	10	Behary Lall Daw
	„ —32865		
287	L 20—73204	5	Taraprosono Gupta.
	„ 25—12525		
288	O 19—87851	10	Messrs. Lloyd & Co
	„ —87850		
	L 73—37637	10	
	„ —37635		
	L 11—33594	5	
	„ —33595		
289	L 12—16963	10	Mohendro Nath Neighy
	„ —16964		
290	O 42—57353	10	Hurro Chunder Chatterjee
	„ 43—73369		
291	„ 16—57359	5	Kristo Lall Sen
	„ —57321	5	
292	O 14—90200	10	Jogendra Nath Bagchee
	„ —90199	10	
294	L 1—07813	10	Radhica Prosad Chatterjee.
	„ —07812	10	
295	L 74—87515	10	Chunder Mohun Coondoo
	„ 87514		
296	L 4—38429	10	Ruttnashur Mullick.
	„ 38426		
297	O 8—32110	10	Jeebun Kissen Ghose.
	L 88—20818		
298	L 33—15306	10	Kally Dhone Banerjee
	L 35—22544		
299	L 23—60015	5	Abdullah Khan.
	„ 13136		

R A. STERNDALE,
Asst. Commr. of Paper Currency.

PAPER CURRENCY DEPT., the 18th March 1879.

Notice.

THE Stationery Store will be closed for the annual stock-taking from the 16th to the 31st March 1879, both days inclusive, *during which period no stationery can, under any circumstances, be issued* The alteration in time herein announced is rendered necessary by Government requiring the submission of the annual report on the Stationery Department one month earlier than hitherto.

JOHN B ROBERTS, *Superintendent*
GOVERNMENT STATIONERY OFFICE, 4, CHURCH LANE,
the 21st February 1879

Wanted

A CLERK for the Settlement Office, Lohardugga district, Chota Nagpore Division. Previous experience in settlement work necessary. Salary Rs. 40 per mensem. Apply, with *copies* of testimonials, which will not be returned, to Settlement Officer, Ranchi.

HENRY GREY, *Lt.*, B. S. C.,
Settlement Officer of the Barkagar Estate.

APPLICATIONS (with copies of testimonials) will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Saturday, 29th current, for the acting appointment of Secretary to the Corporation of the town of Calcutta from date of appointment up to 15th November 1879, on a salary of Rs. 600 per mensem.

Further particulars can be obtained on application.

R. WILLIAMSON,
(893—1) *for Secretary to the Corporation.*

Wanted,

FOR the district of Mymensingh, a District Road Engineer to act for six months during the absence, on sick leave, of the substantive District Engineer. Candidates must send in their applications by 20th March at latest.

N. ALEXANDER, *Chairman,*
Road Cess Committee.
MYMENSINGH ROAD CESS OFFICE, the 4th March 1879.
(855—6)

Notice.

WANTED an Overseer and Registrar of Carts and Carriages for the Beauleah Municipality on a salary of Rs. 100 per mensen. None need apply who hasnot passed the examination for the post of Overseer in the Public Works Department. Applicants to send certificates of character and past services on or before the 30th instant. A security of Rs. 750 required.

MOHENDRA NATH BOSE,
Depy. Magistrate and Secretary.
BEAULEAH MUNICIPAL OFFICE, the 10th March 1879.
(865—2)

Wanted,

BY the District Road Cess Committee of Dinagepore, a District Engineer possessing the qualifications of an Assistant Engineer of the Public Works Department, on a salary of Rs. 400 per mensem, rising by biennial increments of Rs. 50 to a maximum of Rs. 500, provided that the salary will rise at once to Rs. 500 on the District Engineer becoming qualified as an Executive Engineer. Travelling allowance will be given in accordance with the rules of the Public Works Department. Applications, with copies of the necessary certificates and testimonials, to be sent to the undersigned.

H. W. GORDON, *for Chairman.*
DINAGEPORE MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE, the 7th March 1879.
(864—2)

THE public are informed that licenses for the sale of Court Fee and Non-judicial Stamps will be issued by this Office for any part of Calcutta (except at this Collectorate and the High Court, where there are *salaried* vendors). Persons desirous of becoming stamp vendors may apply for licenses on or before the 1st day of April next.

CALCUTTA COLLECTORATE, No. 5, CHURCH LANE,
the 6th March 1879.

Notice.

THE Zemindary Dák Cess of the district of 24-Pergunnahs for the year 1879-80 is fixed at the rate of seven anuas and eleven pie (0-7-11) per cent. of the sudder jumma payable by each estate. The amount due for the first half-year should be paid into the district treasury on or before the 2nd June, Monday, and that for the second half-year on or before the 10th December, Tuesday, 1879.

W. S. WELLS, *Magte. of 24-Perghs.*
ALIPORE, the 17th March 1879.

Notice.

Oudh Forest Department.

BYRAMGHAT DEPOT.

ON THE OUDH AND ROHILKHUND RAILWAY.

FROM this date the prices of sâl beams and scantlings supplied from this depôt will be as follows:—

BEAMS.—21 feet in length, at Rs. 2-10 per cubic foot.
22 „ „ 2-12 „
23 „ „ 2-14 „
24 „ „ 3 „

Above the lengths given two annas per foot run will be charged.

Any inches over the foot will be charged as a foot.

SCANTLINGS.—From 12 to 20 feet, at Rs. 2-8 per c. ft.
Under 12 and over 7, at „ 2-4 „
Under 7 feet, at „ 2 „

The above prices are for ordinary building purposes.

For *Planking Sleepers*, &c., special rates will be fixed by agreement.

The Department will still take orders for buildings all over at Rs. 2-4 per cubic foot, provided the scantlings are taken in fair proportion.

Second and Third Class Timber will be sold and price fixed by agreement.

Auction Sales will be held from time to time to clear off stock.

For further particulars apply to the Officer in charge.

By order of the Conservator, Oudh Forests,
SIMPSON HILLIERS, *Asst. Conservator of Forests.*
The 1st June 1877.

Citation.

IN THE COURT OF THE DISTRICT JUDGE OF BHAGULPORE.

Under Section 250, *Indian Succession Act X of* 1865, *read with the Hindu Wills Act XXI of* 1870.

IN the matter of the application of Nanku Sahu, praying for a Probate of the last will of Mussammut Shibu Sâhun, deceased, widow of Gopal Sâhun, deceased, of Majahidpur, in the district of Bhagulpore.

इश्तिहारनामा अदालत दीवानी जिले भागलपुर।

बमोजिब दफे २५० आईन १० सन १८६५ ईसवी वो दफे २ आईन २१ सन १८७० ईसवी।

चूंकि हो कि नन्कुसाहु दामाद मुसम्मात शिवुसाहुन ने किते दरखास्त व उम्मेद पाने प्रोबेट वाबिरि उरल मुसम्मात शिवुसाहुन मुतवफ्फा जौजे गोपाल साहु मुतवफ्फा इस अदालत मे दाखिल किया है वो वाले समाअत उसकी तारिख १ माह मे सन १८७९ ईसवी रोज शनिचर मुकर्रर हुई है जिस किसी को उज्र करना हो वतारिख मजकूर इस अदालत मे हाजिर होकर पेश करे।

J. M. LOWIS, *District Judge of Bhagulpore.*
The 19th March 1879. (890—1)

Notice.

JOSEPH & SONS, LIMITED.

In liquidation.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company is hereby convened for Saturday, the 26th day of April 1879, at the Office of the undersigned, at No. 4, Esplanade Row, at 4 P.M., to pass the accounts of the Liquidator and to declare a dividend.

(881—1) M. NIERSES, *Liquidator.*

Shahabad Sugar Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Ordinary Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the registered Office of the Company, at No. 2, Garstin's Buildings, at noon, on Monday, the 31st instant.

A. LE ROY & Co., *Agents and Secretaries.*
2, GARSTIN'S PLACE, CALCUTTA, the 19th March 1879.
(880—1)

The Dehing Company, Limited.

THE Third Annual Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 4, Clive Street, on Wednesday, the 26th day of March 1879, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' report, declaring a dividend for season 1878, and for the consideration of such other business as may be brought forward.

JOHN ELLIOTT & Co., *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 12th March 1879. (873—2)

Cocheela Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 4, Commercial Buildings, on Saturday, the 29th day of March 1879, at noon, to receive the Directors' report, pass the accounts to 31st December last, and to declare a dividend.

G. M. STRUTHERS & Co., *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 21st March 1879. (884—1)

Arcuttipore Tea Company, Limited.

THE Ordinary Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Church Lane, on Monday, the 31st March 1879, at noon, to receive the Directors' report, pass the accounts to 31st December last, and transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

J. MACKILLICAN & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, 19th March 1879. (882—1)

Muttuck Tea Company, Limited.

NOPICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 9, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta, on Saturday, the 26th April next, at 3 P.M., to receive the Directors' report, to pass the accounts, and to transact such other business as may be brought forward.

C. N. KERNOT, M.D., *Managing Director.*

CALCUTTA, the 26th March 1879. (891—3)

Bengal Tea Company, Limited.

THE Thirty-Seventh Half-yearly General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 4, Clive Row, at half past twelve, on Wednesday, the 26th instant, for the purpose of passing the Directors' report and the accounts to 31st December last, and declaring a dividend.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 12th to 25th instant, inclusive.

(845—2) JARDINE, SKINNER AND Co., *Secretaries.*

Hoolungooree Tea Company, Limited.

THE Ordinary Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office of the Company, No. 5, Garstin's Place, on Monday, the 31st March 1879, at 4 P.M., to receive the report of the Directors, pass the accounts for the half-year ending 31st December 1878, and to transact any other business that may be brought forward.

The share register books of the Company are closed until the 31st March 1879.

By order of the Directors,

R. S. STAUNTON, *Secretary.*

CALCUTTA, the 21st March 1879. (892—1)

Bishnauth Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirty-first Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 3, Mangoe Lane, on Monday, the 31st March current, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving the Directors' report, passing the accounts to 31st December 1878, declaring a dividend, and transacting such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAMSON, MAGOR & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 17th March 1879. (875—2)

Jokai (Assam) Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 103, Clive Street, on Thursday, the 27th day of March instant, at one o'clock afternoon, to consider the Directors' report, which will then be submitted, pass the accounts to 31st December 1878, declare a dividend, and transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

BALMER, LAWRIE & Co., *Managing Agents.*

CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879. (862—2)

Borsillah Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Thirteenth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 103, Clive Street, on Thursday, the 27th day of March instant, at noon, to consider the Managing Director's report, which will then be submitted, pass the accounts to 31st December 1878, and transact such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

BALMER, LAWRIE & Co., *Managing Directors and Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 10th March 1879. (863—2)

Kalacherra Tea Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered Office, No. 4, Commercial Buildings, on Thursday, the 27th day of March 1879, at 3 P.M., to receive the Directors' report, pass the accounts to 31st December last, and declare a dividend.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed from 12th to 27th instant, both days inclusive.

G. M. STRUTHERS & Co., *Secretaries.*

CALCUTTA, the 12th March 1879. (860—2)

Hindu Family Annuity Fund.

AGREEABLY to Rule 57, the following resolution passed at the Seventh Annual General Meeting of the Subscribers held on the 9th February 1879, is published for general information:—

"That the budget estimate as amended be passed, and that the Directors be authorized to draw Rs. 3,050 during the year 1879-80 as provided in Rule 55 from the deposit account with the Government of India."

JUDONATH GHOSE, *Secretary.* ISSEN CHUNDER MOOKERJEE, *Chairman.*

The 18th March 1879. (878—1)

PURSUANT to a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction made in suit No. 700 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, [wherein Sreemutty Surbomongola Dabee of Bhowanypore, in the suburbs of Calcutta, by Nilmoney Nauth of the same place, her guardian and next friend, is plaintiff, and Mohendro Loll Nauth and Sreemutty Sonamoney Dabee, both of Rutton Mistry's Lane in the town of Calcutta, are defendants,] the creditors of Nundo Loll Nauth, deceased, late of Rutton Mistry's Lane, aforesaid, who died on or about the twenty-first day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, are, on or before Saturday, the twenty-sixth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, to send to the office of the Registrar of this Court in its original side their names, addresses, and description, the full particulars of their claim, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Every creditor holding any security may produce or transmit the same to the Registrar with the particulars of his claim, or shall produce the same before the Honorable Mr. Justice Pontifex in the Court-house on Saturday, the tenth day of May one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

MOORALY DHUR SEN, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

CALCUTTA HIGH COURT, ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, the 14th March 1879. (879—1)

TO be peremptorily sold by the Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction in his sale-room in the Court-house on Saturday, the twenty ninth day of March next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, at noon, pursuant to a decree of the said Court, made in suit No. 573 of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven [wherein Denonath Bose is plaintiff and Doyal Chand Day is defendant], and dated the ninth day of July last, the following properties, that is to say—

Lot No. 1.—All that rent-free piece or parcel of land containing by estimation 10 cottahs, more or less, together with partly three or partly two-storied, brick-built messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house, No. 48, standing thereon, situate, lying, and being in Bosepara Lane, Baug Bazar, in Calcutta, and bounded as follows (that is to say)—on the north by Prosono Coomar Banerjee's dwelling-house and land; on the west by the Government road; on the south by the land belonging to Denonath Bose and others; and on the east by Gopeekisto Bannerjee's dwelling-house.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the Office of the Registrar of the High Court, original jurisdiction, or at the Office of Baboo Poorno Chunder Mookerjee, No. 5, Old Post Office Street, Calcutta, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

HIGH COURT ORIGINAL JURISDICTION, CALCUTTA, REGISTRAR'S OFFICE, the 25th February 1879. (847—1)

Notification.

TO be peremptorily sold under a decree of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, made in suit No. 266 of 1877 (wherein Roy Mohunloll Mitter and another are plaintiffs and Woomesh Chander Mitter is defendant) by the Registrar of the said Court, in his sale-room in the said Court-house on Saturday, the nineteenth day of April, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon, the undermentioned property, that is to say—

All that upper-roomed, brick-built messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house, together with the piece or parcel of land thereto belonging and on part whereof the same is erected and built, containing by estimation six cottahs and half, be the same a little more or less, situate, lying, and being formerly No. 46, now No. 55, Sham Bazar Street, in Kumboolitollah, in the town of Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows—on the north by a lane; on the south by the tenanted house of Kirtee Chander Mitter; on the east by the tenanted house of Hurryhur Mookerjee; and on the west by the said Sham Bazar Street.

The abstract of title and conditions of sale may be seen at the office of the Registrar of the High Court in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction or at the office of Baboo Greesh Chander Ghose, Attorney for the plaintiffs, No. 3, Hare Street, on any day before the sale, and will be produced at the sale.

R. BELCHAMBERS, *Registrar.*

GREESH CHANDER GHOSE, *Plaintiffs' Attorney.*

HIGH COURT ORIGINAL JURISDICTION,
The 11th March 1879. (883—1)

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to "The Trustees and Mortgagees Powers Act, 1866," Section 42, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of the late Edward Hinder formerly a Bengal Pilot, deceased, who died at Patersham, in the colony of New South Wales, and letters of administration of whose property and credits were duly granted to John Aikman, Esquire, the Agent in Calcutta of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, one of the constituted Attorneys of Edward Robert Hinder, one of the Executors of the deceased, by the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal in its Testamentary and Intestate Jurisdiction, are hereby required to send in such claims to the said John Aikman within one calendar month from this date, and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the said time the assets of the said estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, regard being had to the claims of which notice shall then have been received by the said John Aikman, who will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim no notice shall have been then received by him. Dated this 3rd day of March 1879.

TROTMAN & WATKINS, *Attorneys.*

CALCUTTA, the 4th March 1879 (848—3)

LOST.—Government Promissory Note No. 5157 of the 4 per cent. of 1842-43, for Rs. 700, in the name of the late Russickmoney Dossee, by whom it was never endorsed to any one. Payment has been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal. Application will be made for issue of duplicate in favor of the proprietress (my late wife). (858—3) BHOOBUNESSUR BOSE.

INSOLVENT NOTICES.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

IN the matter of JOSEPH AUGIER, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 7th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

H. R. Fink, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of LEWIS VAUGHN MANLY, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 10th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 18th day of March 1879.

IN the matter of JAMES DYCE NICOL, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 14th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

C. T Geddes, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of RAMGOPAUL PAUL, carrying on trade and business as dealer in twist at No. 69, Cross Street, in the town of Calcutta, and also as a dealer in piece-goods under the style of Ramgopaul Paul, Nittogopaul Paul, at Puggyaputty, Tarrachand Ghunesham Dass, Chuck in Calcutta aforesaid, and lately carrying on trade and business as a dealer in mats in copartnership with one Bhoobunmohun Ruckhit at Rajah Sookmoy's Postah, in Calcutta aforesaid, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic, Chap. XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 14th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Sittanauth Doss, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of MOFUZZUL HOSSAIN, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of March instant, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to the claim of Syed Mahomed Ally Khan Bahadoor named in his schedule as a creditor.

M. M. Zorab, *Attorney.*

IN the matter of BROJONAUTH SEAL, of No. 14, Doorgachurn Pittoory's Lane, Bow Bazar, in the town of Calcutta, a clerk employed in the East Indian Railway Company, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI, Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Tuesday, the 18th day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of BROJONAUTH SEAL, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 18th day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Insolvent in person.

IN the matter of DENONAUTH ROJAH, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad-interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed off by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court on Tuesday, the 1st day of April next, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon.

☞ Any creditor of the said Insolvent desirous of opposing such application must appear before the said Court at the time and place aforesaid.

Beeby and Rutter, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of DENONAUTH ROJAH, late of No. 1, Falgoo Doss's Lane, in Sakarcetollah, in the town of Calcutta, but at present a prisoner for debt in the Calcutta Presidency Jail, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 22nd day of March instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Beeby and Rutter, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of DENONAUTH ROJAH, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 22nd day of March instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 6th day of May next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.

Beeby and Rutter, *Attorneys*.

IN the matter of MOFUZZUL HOSSAIN, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 21st day of November last, by an order of this Court, the said Insolvent was adjudged entitled to his personal discharge under the Act XI Vic., Chap. XXI, as to all persons named in his schedule as creditors or claiming to be creditors respectively, except the claim of the said Syed Mahomed Ally Khan Bahadoor for the sum of Rs. 1,700, decreed in the High Court in its ordinary original civil jurisdiction, and as to the said claim of the said Syed Mahomed Ally Khan Bahadoor, after the said Insolvent shall have been three-and-a-half months imprisoned at his suit, and it is further ordered that the hearing of the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent, so far as relate to the said claim of the said Syed Mahomed Ally Khan Bahadoor, be, and the same is hereby, adjourned generally.

M. M. Zorab, *Attorney*.

Chief Clerk's Office, the 25th day of March 1879.

POSTAL NOTICES.

SEA AND OVERLAND MAILS.

For	Box closes at	Date.	Per Steamer.
		1879.	
Madras, Ceylon, and the Intermediate Ports.	6 P.M.	26th Mar.	*Rajpootana.*
Rangoon, Moulmein, and Straits	6 ,,	28th ,,	*Euphrates.*
Ceylon, Penang, Singapore, Hong-Kong, Shanghai and Yokohama.	6 ,,	29th ,,	From Bombay.
Chittagong, Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo and Sandoway.	6 ,,	30th ,,	*Bushur.*
Persian Gulf	6 ,,	31st ,,	From Bombay.
Madras and Ceylon	6 ,,	3rd Apl.	*Australia.*

The next Overland Mail *viâ* Bombay will close at the General Post Office on Friday, the 28th March 1879.

2. Book-post and pattern packets must be posted on the 27th March 1879.

N.B.—The Letter Box will close at 6 P.M. precisely, after which hour Overland letters, fully prepaid and bearing an extra postage stamp of two annas on each cover, will be received up to 6-30 P.M., or bearing an extra postage stamp of four annas on each cover up to 7 P.M.

E. C. GEORGE, *Post-Master of Calcutta.*

GENERAL POST OFFICE, CALCUTTA,
The 24th March 1879.

FOR one month from the 15th March the Post Master of Calcutta will receive applications for express passenger dâks between Umballa and Simla. A printed copy of the rules can be obtained from the Post Master on application.

G. J. HYNES,
for Director-General of the
The 6th March 1879. *Post Office of India.*

MEMORANDUM shewing the hours at which the Mails are closed for despatch at the General Post Office, Calcutta, and the despatches made from the Branch Post Offices to General Post Office; also the hours of deliveries of Mails from the General Post Office and Branch Post Offices.

Hours at which Mails are closed at the General Post Office.

For	Letters at	Registered letters and parcels.	Hours up to which late letters are taken if fully prepaid with an additional fee of 1 anna.
All stations on Loop Line, between Howrah and Ramporehaut, and Chord Line, between Calcutta and Assensole	5-30 A.M.	5 P.M.	
Howrah	6 ,, 8 ,, 2 P.M.	5 ,, 7-30 A.M. 1-45 P.M.	
Eastern Bengal Railway, Goalundo Slow Section, all Stations up to Goalundo, Barrackpore included	6-30 A.M.	5 ,,	
Sonapore, Barripore, and Canning Town	8 ,,	8 A.M.	
Dum-Dum and Baraset	7-45 ,, 6 P.M.	7-15 ,, 5 P.M.	7 P.M.
Basirhat, Satkhira, Diamond Harbour and Behala	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations of East Indian Railway Loop Line in the Purneah, Berhampore, Nalhatty and Maldah districts	4 ,,	3-30 ,,	
All stations in the Dacca, Chittagong, Tipperah, Noakhali, Cachar, Sylhet, Pubna, Kishnagur, Fureedpore, Burrisal, Mymensing, and all stations on the Eastern Bengal Railway ...	6 ,,	5 ,,	7 ,,
All stations in the Bogra, Julpigoree, Darjeeling, Beauleah, and Dinagepore districts, and the Assam Provinces, and all stations on the Northern Bengal State Railway	11 A.M	8 A.M.	
All stations on the East Indian Railway Chord Line, North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Scind, Central Provinces, and Bombay and Madras Presidencies	6 P.M.	5 P.M.	7 ,,
Ooloobariah, Midnapore, Cuttack, Balasore, Pooree, and places in the Madras Presidency up to Vizagapatam	6 ,,	5 ,,	6-30 ,,
Registered letters and parcels are received during the hours of	Weekdays	7 to 8 A.M. 12 to 5 P.M.	
	Sundays	7 to 8 A.M. 2 to 5 P.M.	

Hours at which Mails are closed at the Branch Post Offices.

Names and initial or distinguishing letters of Branch Post Offices.		Hours at which the Branch Post Office despatches to the General Post Office are effected.				Remarks.
		1st despatch.	2nd despatch.	3rd despatch.	4th despatch.	
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Dhurmtolla	W. C.	7-15	10-45	3-0	5-27	
Allipore	A.	6-30	10-20	2-50	5-15	
Baug Bazar	N.	6-30	10	2-30	5	
Bow Bazar	C.	7	10-30	3-10	5-40	
Bhowanipore	S.	6-30	10-12	2-57	5-15	
Garden Reach	W.	6	9-30	2-30	4-45	
Hautkolla	N. W.	6-30	10-10	2-40	5-10	
Jorasanko	N. C.	7	10-30	3	5-30	
Kidderpore	S. W.	6-45	10-35	3-5	5-30	
Park Street	P.	6-30	10-40	3-12	5-35	
Napit Bazar	E. C.	7	10	1-20	5-15	
Simla	N. E.	6-30	10-20	2-55	5-25	
Wellesley Street	S. C.	6-30	10-35	3-7	5-30	
Ballaghatta	E.	6-30	7-57	12-37	4	

Hours of deliveries from General Post Office and Branch Offices.

Names of Offices.	First Delivery.	Second Delivery.	Third Delivery.	REMARKS.
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
* General Post Office	8	12-30	4	On Sundays there are only two deliveries, viz. 1st and 2nd.
Baug Bazar N.	9-5	1-45	5	
* Bow Bazar C.	8-35	1-10	4-30	
Simla N. E.	8-50	1 20	4-35	
Hautkolla N. W.	9-20	1-45	4-45	* On arrival of the Inward Overland mail, an extra delivery is made from these offices.
* Dhurmtolla W. C.	8-35	1-10	4-25	
* Napit Bazar E. C.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
Ballaghatta E.	8-52	1-22	4-42	
* Wellesley St. S. C.	8-40	1-10	4-25	
* Park Street P.	8-47	1-17	4-32	
* Bhowanipore S.	8-57	1-32	4-52	
* Kidderpore S. W.	8-55	1-15	4-35	
* Allipore A.	8-50	1-30	4-50	
* Garden Reach W.	9-15	1-50	5-15	

N.B.—These hours of delivery depend on the timely arrival of the mail trains.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post-Master.*
CALCUTTA GENERAL POST OFFICE, the 4th Mar. 1879.

Notice.

FIVE Bullock Train packages originally despatched from Dehra Dun to the address of E. T. O'Connor, Esq., Howrah, are lying undelivered in the Bullock Train Godown It is hereby notified that if, after the expiration of three months from the date of this advertisement, the said packages are not removed from the Calcutta Bullock Train Godown, they will be sold by public auction, and the proceeds credited to Government.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presidency Post Master.*
CALCUTTA GENL. POST OFFICE, the 12th March 1879.

List of Unclaimed Letters lying in the Calcutta Post Office on the 25th March 1879.

Adames, C. F.
Agar, G.
Agmues, Thomas.
Allen, A. J.
Bason, E.
Bhar, D. J.
Boote, T.
Boswell, W. A.
Bowden, E. J.
Burridge, E. J.
Campbell, Major W.
Chalrel, J. W.
Chasen, J. A.
Crinion, T.
Donovan, J.
D'Cruize, J.
D'Silver, Mrs. and Mr.
Elliot, Miss.
Esaw, G. J.
Fernandez, H.
Gardiner, Mrs.
Gyar, A.
Haldar, N. L.
Hammand, R.
Haywood, E.
Horbe, M.
Johnston, W. H.
Kingham, J. S.
Lall, R.
Lane, W. J.
Lawrie, J.
Liddell, J.
Macleod, Miss Kate.
Manwell, C. S.
Manuel, E. A.
Nicol, A. N.
Nyss, W. B. Esq.
Patten, Mr. W.
Paul, Mrs. S.
Rigby, M. M.
Rebeiro, Mrs. C.
Robinson, J.
Ruthenbush, P.
Scott, Dr.
Sequera, C. H.
Smith, C.
Steen, W.
Sundburg, Dr.
Surbur, Dr. J.
Taylor, Cecil.
Walters, G. T. B.
Weskins, Mrs.
Wood, Mrs. M.

Letters marked "Care of Post Office, to be kept till called for."

Anderson, A.
Anderson, J.
Barron, J.
Beaver, P.
Beck, R. A.
Berrington, T. D.
Birnburg, M.
Bhenett, J. J.
Blagdon, G.
Blundek, G.
Boileau, Capt. L.
Broner, W. J.
Brinton, A. H.
Burnett, R.
Bush, C.
Byrne, Mrs. E. M.
Cameron, Mrs. Ewer
Cameron, Rev. J.
Chamberlain, C. E.
Chennell, C.
Chapman, E.
Chapman, J.
Cooban, A.
Craig, E. R.
Cummins, Mrs.
Davies, Miss
Denton, J.
DeFonseka, F. H.
Eales, E. F.
E. F. W.
Engledue, Captain, M. S. W.
Evans, G.
Fitzallen, Mrs. A.
Furguson, D.
Gage, W. Quintin
G. C. T.
G. E. F.
Goddard, Edward.
Goldney, Lieut. F. C N.
Greaves, W.
Greer, H.
Gruiblander, Esphir
Guldedibeu, George
Hatton, C.
Hellstrom, Miss
Holmes, D. F.
Hutchinson, Miss F.
Innes, T. E. D.
Janney, L. E.
Jones, J. H.
Kemp, C.
Kennedy, R.
Kerr, Alex.
Lackerstein, N.
Lakin, F. W.
Lintott, James.
Man, G. O.
Manuel, W.
Mayne, E. G.
McNaught, T.
M. C., Mrs.
Mitchell, C.
Moore, Miss.
Murray, J.
Murray, Mrs., care of T. J. Murray.
Nairne, A.
Nelson, H. R.
Nicolay, Mrs.
Nuthall, Major H.
Palmer, Mrs. C.
Patterson, R.
Payne, Bob
P. D. C.
Perrin Mari, Monsieur.
Pinkey, H.
Purdon, —.
Renaud, M. D.
Roberts John.
Sandeman, W. A.
Sanders, Mrs.
Shaw, Dr. F. C.
Saunders, W. M.
Simpson, —.
Smith, W.
Smith, R.
Stuart, Mrs. E.
Thomas, Thomas.
Thompson, E.
Walker, J.
Walker, Mrs.
Webster, David
West, Mrs. E.
Williams, Col. J. M.
Whitliam, Dr. R.
Wood, Mrs. M. A.
X, Major.
X.

Newspapers.

Blair, R. W.
Renaud, A.

Registered Letters.

Carrel, F. LeV.
Langford, A.
Roseinthal, Dr.
William, Thomas, Capt.

E. C. GEORGE, *Presdy. Post-Master, Calcutta.*

Nuddea Rivers.

Weekly Water Report showing the least depth of water in the Bhagiruttee, Matabangah, and Jellinghee Rivers for the week ending Friday, the 21st March 1879.

Names of Rivers.	Least depth of water.		REMARKS.
BHAGIRUTTEE.	Ft.	In.	
Entrance below Chourasia...	4	6	
Thence to Noorpore Junction, 6 miles.	3	0	
Thence to Jungipore, 9 miles	3	0	
From Jungipore to Berhampore, 47 miles.	2	9	Dufferpore and Kootee Rampore.
From Berhampore to Cutwa, 50 miles.	2	6	* Juggernathpore, Nichinpore and Jalalpore.
From Cutwa to Nuddea, 46 miles.	2	6	* Dewargunge.
JELLINGHEE AND BYRUB.			
Entrance of Byrub from the Ganges.	5	3	
Thence to Junction with the Jellinghee.	3	0	Peerojpore and Hurrirampore.
From Junction of Byrub and Jellinghee to Teakatta.	3	0	Modeopore.
From Teakatta to Nuddea...	3	0	Taramughur and Isserchunderpore.

Height of water on gauge at Berhampore, the 24th March 1879, above zero, 8 inches.

T. BEATTY, C.E.,
Offg. Exe. Engr., Nuddea Rivers Division.
BERHAMPORE, the 24th March 1879.

* 2' 6" exists only for a short distance of 20 feet in four spots, elsewhere 3 feet; and boats drawing over 3 feet can easily pass.

Notes on Forestry.

BY C. F. AMERY.

Deputy Conservator, Forests, N. W. Provinces.

THIS little work, published with the approval of the Government of India, treats of the general principles of forest management in all its branches, and is recommended not only to forest officers, but to all who are interested in the progress of forest management in this country.

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PART IV.

Bills of the Bengal Council.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE following further report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as re-amended, is, by order of the President, published for general information:—

We, the undersigned members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal to whom the Bill to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards was referred back at the meeting of the Council held on the 8th instant, have the honor to make the following report.

Parts I, II, and III, have been rearranged, but there is nothing new in them which is foreign to the intention of the Committee as expressed in the Bill already submitted to the Council.

Some amendments have been made to give effect to the change under which the Court of Wards is substituted for the Collector with regard to those properties which have been made over, or are hereafter to be made over, by the Civil Court under Act XXXV and Act XL of 1858. The object of these amendments is to create uniformity of jurisdiction under the Court of Wards in all such cases.

Section 5 contains a revised and more full definition of disqualified proprietors; whilst section 7 prescribes when the Court is bound to give over charge of a ward's property.

After section 12 we have reproduced the provisions of section 80 of Bengal Act IV of 1870, to enable the Court to sell an estate to which no claimant is prepared to press his legal rights on the expiration of the wardship.

We have omitted the clause which provided that no estate should be leased in putni or other permanent under-tenure without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor.

In sections 12, 13, 18, 38, 39, &c., we have provided for the execution of the orders of the Court, and also as regards leases, mortgages, &c., through the manager. The intention of the law is as heretofore, that the manager is the person legally responsible for all that is done whilst the estate is entrusted to his charge, but that he is protected so long as he acts in conformity with the orders and instructions of the Court of Wards.

We have omitted the section by which the share in a joint undivided estate or tenure under the charge of the Court was not liable to sale for recovery of arrears of revenue or other demands similarly recoverable until after the end of the year in which such arrears accrued; such a provision is unnecessary for the protection of the minor's estate, as a separate account can be opened in the Collector's books on account of the separate share of a minor. On the other hand, such a provision is capable of being made very injurious to Government, if the other shareholders choose to withhold the payment of their shares of the revenue with the knowledge that they will be covered by the protection given to the minor's estate, as, unless a separate account is opened, the whole estate or nothing must be sold for arrears of revenue. The protection given to an estate which is the sole property of a minor from liability to sale for arrears of revenue is still continued.

In sections 29 and 30 provision is made to enable the Collector of the district to make certain enquiries as to the person and property of a person believed to be disqualified through the agency of the Collector of the district in which the person or property may be found.

At the beginning of Part VI we have inserted a section providing that if no manager is appointed, the Collector of the district in which the greater part of the property is situated, or any other Collector whom the Court may appoint, shall be competent to perform the duties of a manager.

In section 45 we have provided that if the ward is a female of sound mind and not a minor, the surplus proceeds of the estate, after the liquidation of debts and improvement of the lands or property, shall be paid over to her for her absolute use. The same rule is also made to apply in the case of those persons who, having been minors under the charge of the Court, have elected to leave their property under the charge of the Court pending the minority of their co-proprietors.

We have struck out, as covered by the general powers of the Court, the section which empowered the Court to compromise claims and refer them to arbitration.

We have provided that the prohibition of adoption without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor is not to apply to major proprietors whose property remains under the charge of the Court with their consent.

We have substituted for sections 61 and 62 of the old Bill a revised section making all arrears of rent payable in respect of a ward's estate recoverable by the same process as rents payable to a Collector on account of Government.

We have struck out the section which empowered proprietors to sue persons professing to have acted under the authority of the Court for acts done in contravention of the Court of Wards Act or for breach of trust, as the right to sue in such cases exists without any specific enactment.

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The 22nd March 1879.

RE-AMENDED BILL

A Bill to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the law relating to the Court of Wards within the territories under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal; It is enacted as follows:—

PART I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Court of Wards' Act, 1879.

Extent.

It extends to all the territories under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, including the scheduled districts of Bengal as defined in the Scheduled Districts' Act, 1874.

Commencement.

It shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

Repeal of Acts.

2. Bengal Act IV of 1870 (the Court of Wards' Act), section 11 of Act XXXV of 1858, sections 12, 14, and 15 of Act XL of 1858, and so much of section 21 of Act XL of 1858 as provides that the Civil Court may direct the Collector to take charge of an estate, are hereby repealed

All persons and properties which at the commencement of this Act are under the charge of the Court of Wards as constituted by Bengal Act IV of 1870 shall be deemed to be under the charge of the Court of Wards as constituted by this Act.

And all persons and properties which at the commencement of this Act are under the charge of the Collector by virtue of an order of the Civil Court under section 11 of Act XXXV of 1858, or under section 12, section 14, or section 21 of Act XL of 1858, shall from such commencement be deemed to be under the charge of the Court of Wards.

And all rules prescribed, orders or appointments made, and agreements executed under the Court of Wards Act, 1870, and now in force, shall (so far as they are consistent with this Act) be deemed to be respectively prescribed, made, and executed under this Act.

And all orders and appointments made by Collectors under Act XXXV of 1858 or Act XL of 1858, and now in force, shall (so far as they are consistent with this Act) be deemed to be made under this Act.

And all suits and proceedings now pending, which may have been commenced under the Court of Wards Act, 1870, or by Collectors under Act XXXV of 1858 or Act XL of 1858, shall be deemed to be commenced under this Act.

Interpretation.

3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context—

"Collector."

"Collector" includes any officer in charge of the revenue jurisdiction of a district.

"Court."

"The Court" means the Court of Wards;

or, when the Court of Wards has delegated any of its powers to a Commissioner or Collector or any other person, it means, in respect of such powers, the Commissioner or Collector or person to whom they are delegated.

"Estate."

"Estate" means all lands which are borne on the revenue-roll of a Collector as liable for the payment of one and the same demand of land revenue.

"Minor" means a person who has not completed his age of twenty-one years.

"Minor."

"Section" means a section of this Act.

"Section."

"Ward" means any person who is under the charge of the Court of Wards, or whose property is under such charge.

"Ward."

PART II.

CONSTITUTION, JURISDICTION, AND POWERS OF THE COURT OF WARDS.

Board of Revenue to be Court of Wards.

4. The Board of Revenue shall be the Court of Wards for the territories to which this Act extends.

It shall deal with every person and every property of which it may take or retain charge under this Act, or which may be placed under its charge by order of a competent Court, in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

Disqualified proprietors.

5. Proprietors of landed property shall be held disqualified to manage their own property when they are—

(*a*) females declared by the Court incompetent to manage their own property;

(*b*) persons declared by the Court to be minors;

(*c*) persons adjudged by a competent Civil Court to be of unsound mind, and incapable of managing their affairs;

(*d*) persons adjudged by a competent Civil Court to be otherwise rendered incapable by physical defects or infirmities of managing their own property.

Jurisdiction of Court over disqualified proprietors

6. Whenever the sole proprietor of an estate, or all the joint proprietors of an estate are disqualified as provided in the last preceding section, the Court shall have power to take charge of all the property of every such proprietor or joint proprietor within its jurisdiction, and of the person of any such proprietor or joint proprietor who is resident within its jurisdiction; and also of the person and property of any minor member of the family of any such proprietor or joint proprietor who has an immediate or reversionary interest in the property of such proprietor or joint proprietor.

Nothing contained in the first clause of this section or in any other part of this Act shall be held to affect any of the provisions of Act XXXV of 1858, or the jurisdiction, as respects infants, of any High Court of Judicature.

Court when bound to give up charge.

7. Whenever the circumstances of any ward become such that the Court could not take charge of him or of his property if he were not under its charge already, the Court shall be bound to release from its charge such person and his property.

Discretion of Court as to taking charge.

8. The Court may in its discretion, in any case in which it is empowered by this Act to take charge of the person and property of any disqualified proprietor,—

(*a*) take charge of such property without taking charge of such person;

(*b*) refrain from taking charge of any such person or property;

(*c*) at any time withdraw from such charge if taken;

(*d*) at any time resume such charge, after having withdrawn from it.

Procedure under Act XL of 1858, and Act XXXV of 1858

9. Whenever a Civil Court thinks it necessary, under section 9 of Act XL of 1858, to make provision for the charge of the person and property of a minor,

whenever a Civil Court recalls any certificate under section 21 of the said Act,

or whenever a person has been adjudged, under Act XXXV of 1858, to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing his affairs,

if the property of such minor or disqualified proprietor consists, in whole or in part, of land or any interest in land, the Civil Court may apply to the Court of Wards to take charge of the person and property of such minor or disqualified proprietor; and it shall be at the discretion of the Court of Wards to take charge of such person or property or to refuse to do so.

Nothing contained in sections 12 to 19 (both inclusive) of Act XXXV of 1858 shall be held to apply to persons or properties under the charge of the Court of Wards.

Procedure when estate is no longer under Court because some proprietors have ceased to be disqualified.

10. Whenever one or more of the joint proprietors of whose properties the Court of Wards has taken charge ceases to be subject to the jurisdiction of the Court of Wards, and the persons and properties of the remaining joint proprietors thereby cease to be subject to the jurisdiction of the Court of Wards, notwithstanding the otherwise continued disqualification of such remaining joint proprietors, the Civil Court which would have jurisdiction under Act XL of 1858 may, on the application of the Court of Wards, direct the Court of Wards to retain or resume charge of the persons and properties of the still disqualified proprietors during the continuance of their disqualification, or, subject to the provisions of section 11, for so long as such Civil Court may order.

And in case any of the proprietors who have ceased to be subject to the jurisdiction of the Court of Wards so consent, the Court of Wards may retain or resume the charge of the properties of such proprietors, or any part thereof, so long as the property of any of the disqualified proprietors remains in charge of the Court of Wards.

Withdrawal from charge by Court.

11. The Court of Wards may at any time withdraw from the charge of any person and property taken under section 9 or under section 10, and from the charge of any per-

son or property which before the commencement of this Act was placed under the charge of the Collector by a Civil Court under section 12, section 14, or section 21 of Act XL of 1858, or under section 11 of Act XXXV of 1858;

provided that it shall give notice of its intention to withdraw to the Civil Court concerned, and that such notice shall be given not less than two months before the Court of Wards shall so withdraw.

Procedure when succession to property disputed.

12. Whenever, on the death of any ward, the succession to his property or any part thereof is in dispute, the Court may either direct that such property or part thereof be made over to any person claiming such property, or may retain charge of the same until the right to possession of the claimant has been determined under Bengal Act VII of 1876, or until the dispute has been determined by a competent Civil Court.

Power to sell property the succession to which is in dispute.

13. If within one year after the death of a ward the succession to whose property or some part thereof is in dispute, no suit be instituted to determine the right to the property so in dispute, the Court may cause the same to be sold by public auction, and the proceeds thereof, after deducting therefrom sums payable to Government, to be invested in promissory notes of the Government of India: such notes to be held by the Court in trust for the person who may be entitled thereto.

Such sale shall be valid to pass the right, title, and interest in the property so sold, of such deceased ward and of every person claiming by, through, or under such deceased ward, or by way of succession, inheritance, remainder, or reversion.

General power of Court.

14. Subject to the provisions of this Act the Court—

(*a*) may, through its manager, do all such things requisite for the proper care and management of any property of which it may take or retain charge under this Act, or which may be placed under its charge by order of a competent Civil Court, as the proprietor of any such property, if not disqualified, might do for its care and management and

(*b*) may, in respect of the person of any ward, do all such things as might be lawfully done by the legal guardian of such ward.

Exercise of powers conferred on Court through others.

15. The Court may exercise all or any powers conferred on it by this Act through the Commissioners of the Divisions and the Collectors of the Districts in which any part of the property of the disqualified proprietor may be situated, or through any other person whom it may appoint for such purpose.

Delegation of powers.

The Court may, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, from time to time delegate any of its powers to such Commissioners or Collectors or other person as aforesaid, and may at any time with the like sanction revoke such delegation.

Establishments and expenses.

16. The Court may from time to time order such establishments to be entertained and expenses to be incurred as it shall consider requisite for the care and management of the persons and properties under its charge, for superintendence, for the audit of accounts, and generally for all purposes of this Act,

and may order that the cost of any such establishment and any such expenses be charged against any one or more properties for the purposes of which they are entertained or incurred.

General contribution for general purposes.

17. The Court may, in respect of such of the establishments and expenses referred to in the last preceding section as are of a general nature, direct that they shall be met by a general contribution from the properties benefitted thereby, to be levied in such manner and in such proportion as the Court may from time to time direct.

Power to manage property.

18. The Court may sanction the giving of leases or farms of the whole or part of any property under its charge, and may direct the mortgage or sale of any part of such property, and may direct the doing of all such other acts as it may judge to be most for the benefit of the property and the advantage of the ward

When Court may order property to be formed into a separate estate.

19. If the Court thinks it expedient to direct the sale or mortgage of any part of an estate of which the ward is the sole proprietor, it may order the Collector to partition off such part into a separate estate, and the demand of land revenue and of the cesses for which the original estate was liable shall be assessed upon and divided between the two separate estates so formed, respectively, in such manner as the Court, with the sanction of the Lieutenant-Governor, may direct.

Appointment of managers and guardians.

20. The Court may appoint one or more managers for the property of any ward, and one or more guardians for the care of the person of any ward under the charge of the Court, and may control and remove any manager or guardian so appointed.

On any disqualified proprietor becoming a ward, the Court may, at its discretion, confirm or refuse to recognize any appointment of a person to be guardian of such disqualified proprietor, which may have been made by a will.

Custody, education, and residence of wards.

21. The Court may make such orders as to it may seem fit in respect of the custody, education, and residence of a minor ward, and such minor members of the ward's family as are under its charge, and in respect of the custody and residence of any ward, not being a minor, whose person is under the charge of the Court.

Allowance for ward and his family.

22. The Court shall allow, for the support of each ward and of his family, such monthly sum as it thinks fit (if any) with regard to the rank and circumstances of the parties.

PART III.

PROTECTION FROM SALE OF CERTAIN LANDED PROPERTY OF WARDS AND OTHER MINORS.

Estate under charge of Court exempt from sale.

23. Every estate, and, subject to the provisions of section 14 of Act XI of 1859, every part or share of an estate for which

a separate account has been opened under section 10 or section 11 of the said Act, or under section 70 of Bengal Act VII of 1876, shall, whilst it is under the charge of the Court, be exempt from sale for arrears of revenue:

Provided that all arrears of revenue shall be the first charge upon the proceeds of any such estate, part, or share, sold for any other cause than for arrears of revenue while under such charge.

Estate belonging to minor not to be sold for arrears of revenue.

24. No estate the sole property of a minor or of two or more minors, and descended to him or them by the regular course of inheritance, or by virtue of the will of, or some settlement made by, some deceased owner thereof, shall be sold for arrears of revenue accruing subsequently to his or their succession to the same, until such minor or one of such minors has completed his age of twenty-one years, but all arrears of revenue shall be the first charge upon the proceeds of such estate if the estate is sold for any other cause during such minority.

But Collector may attach estate.

The Collector may, on an arrear so accruing on any such estate, attach the estate and collect the rents and all arrears of rent due, managing the estate either directly or through a manager or by farming it or otherwise as he may think fit for a period not exceeding ten years, nor extending beyond the time when such minor or one of such minors completes his age of twenty-one years.

When exemption from sale for arrears of revenue applies.

25. The exemption from sale for arrears of revenue given by section 24 shall only apply to cases in which a written notice of the fact that the estate is the sole property of one or more minors, and entitled to such exemption, has been served on the Collector before the sale.

Application of proceeds of farmed estate

26. When an estate has been farmed under the provisions of section 24, the proceeds of such farm shall be paid to the Collector, and the Collector, after deducting the amount of the claims of the Government for revenue and other public demands and the charges of management, shall either pay the proceeds to the person authorized to receive them for the proprietor, or shall dispose of them in any of the modes mentioned in section 45, or in section 46

PART IV.

ASCERTAINMENT OF DISQUALIFICATION.

Collector to make enquiry and report as to disqualified proprietors

27. Whenever any Collector has reason to believe that any person residing in his district, or being the proprietor of an estate borne on the revenue-roll of his district, should be declared or adjudged to be a disqualified proprietor under section 5, he shall make such enquiry as he may deem necessary, and if satisfied that such person should be so declared or adjudged, shall make a report of the same to the Court;

and the Court shall, on receipt of such report, make such order consistent with this Act as may seem to it expedient.

Power to enforce provisions of Act without report.

28. Nothing in section 27 shall prevent the Court or the Local Government from putting the provisions of this Act in force without any report from the Collector.

Proceedings on death of a proprietor whose heirs are disqualified.

29. Whenever any Collector receives information that the sole proprietor of an estate which is borne on the revenue roll of his district has died,

or that the sole proprietor of any estate has died within his district,

and such Collector has reason to believe that the heirs of such proprietor should be declared or adjudged to be disqualified under section 5, he may take such steps and make such orders for the safety and preservation of the moveable property of such heirs, and of all deeds, documents, or papers relating to the property of such heirs, as to him may seem fit.

Such Collector may call upon any other Collector in whose jurisdiction any such moveable property, or any such deeds, documents, or papers may be, to take charge of the same, and thereupon such other Collector shall have the same powers with respect to such property, deeds, documents, and papers within his district as are conferred by this section on the first-mentioned Collector.

If the property is not afterwards taken under the charge of the Court, all expenses incurred by a Collector acting under this section shall be recoverable as a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, or any similar law for the time being in force, from the property which would be liable for the debts of the deceased proprietor.

Production of minor proprietor and order for his temporary custody.

30. A Collector acting under the last preceding section may direct that any person who has the custody of a minor heir of any such deceased proprietor shall produce such minor before such Collector or before any other Collector on a day fixed, and the Collector before whom the minor is so produced may make such order for the temporary custody and protection of such minor as to him may seem fit.

If the minor is a female, she shall not be brought into the presence of the Collector, but the Collector may take such steps for her identification as he may think fit.

Enquiry in case of lunatics.

31. If a sole proprietor of an estate who does not reside within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court is reported by a Collector to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing his affairs, the Court shall order the Collector making such report, or such other Collector as the Court may appoint, to apply, in pursuance of the provisions of Act XXXV of 1858, to the Civil Court of the district within the jurisdiction of which such proprietor may reside

Civil Court to make enquiry regarding disqualification on ground of physical defect or infirmity.

32. If a sole proprietor of an estate who does not reside within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court is reported by a Collector to be incapable of managing his

property, on the ground of some physical defect or infirmity other than unsoundness of mind, the Court shall order the Collector making such report, or such other Collector as the Court may appoint, to apply to the principal Civil Court of the district within which such person may be residing; and upon such Collector so applying, such Civil Court shall enquire into and determine the question as to the alleged incapacity.

Proceedings in case of physical defect or infirmity when proprietor in jurisdiction of High Court.

33. If a sole proprietor of an estate who is resident within the local limits of the ordinary original civil jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, or resident beyond the territories administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, shall be reported by a Collector to be incapable of managing his property by reason of some physical defect or infirmity other than unsoundness of mind, the Court shall order the Collector making such report, or such other Collector as the Court may appoint, to apply to the principal Civil Court of the 24-Pergunnahs, or to such other Civil Court as the Lieutenant-Governor, on application made to him by the Collector in that behalf, may determine.

Such Civil Court shall thereupon enquire into and determine the question as to the alleged incapacity.

Powers of Civil Court when enquiry is instituted under section 32 or 33

34. When any enquiry is instituted by a Civil Court under section 32 or section 33, such Court shall, for the purposes of making such enquiry, have the powers conferred, and proceed in the manner prescribed, by Act XXXV of 1858 with respect to the enquiries directed to be made by the said Act.

The Civil Court shall transmit to the Court of Wards a copy of the order made on each such enquiry, and the Court of Wards shall thereupon, in case the proprietor has been found by the Civil Court to be incapable as aforesaid, make such order, consistent with this Act, as it shall think fit.

The Civil Court shall have, with reference to proprietors who have been adjudged to be incapable as aforesaid, the same powers as are conferred on a Civil Court by section 21 of Act XXXV of 1858, with reference to persons adjudged to be of unsound mind and incapable of managing their affairs.

PART V.

PROCEDURE AFTER ASCERTAINMENT OF DISQUALIFICATION.

Order declaring estate under charge of Court.

35. Whenever the Court has determined to take the person or property of a disqualified proprietor under its charge, whether in accordance with an order of the Civil Court or otherwise, the Court shall make an order declaring the fact and directing that possession be taken of such person and property or of such property on behalf of the Court, and the Court shall be held to be in charge of such property from the time when possession shall have been so taken.

Collector to take possession of moveable property.

36. As soon as conveniently may be after an order is made under the provisions of section 35, the Collector of every district within which any part of the wards' property may be situated, or some person authorized in writing by him in that behalf, shall take possession of all accounts, papers, and moveable property of the ward, and place under proper custody such portion thereof as he may think necessary.

And such Collector, or some person authorized as aforesaid, may, in case he has reason to believe that any such account, paper, or property is in any room, box, or receptacle within any house in the actual possession of the ward, break open the same for the purpose of searching for such account, paper, or property.

Additional powers of Collector.

37. Such Collector may also order all persons in the employ of the ward or all persons who were in the employ of the deceased proprietor from whom the ward has derived his property, to attend before him,

and may order any person to deliver up any accounts, papers, or moveable property belonging to the ward, or any accounts or papers relating to the ward's property, which the Collector has reason to believe are in such person's possession,

and may order all holders of tenures and under-tenures on such property to produce their titles to such tenures and under-tenures.

PART VI.

MANAGEMENT AND GUARDIANSHIP.

Collector when to be deemed manager.

38. If no manager of the property of a ward is appointed by the Court, the Collector of the district in which the greater part of such property is situated, or any other Collector whom the Court may appoint in that behalf, shall be competent to do under the orders of the Court anything that might be lawfully done by the manager of such property.

Powers of manager.

39. Every manager appointed by the Court shall have power to manage all property which may be committed to his charge, to collect the rents of the land entrusted to him, as well as all other money due to the ward, and to grant receipts therefor;

and may, under the orders of the Court, grant or renew such leases and farms as may be necessary for the good management of the property.

General duty of manager.

40. Every manager shall manage the property committed to him diligently and faithfully for the benefit of the proprietor, and shall in every respect act to the best of his judgment for the ward's interest as if the property were his own.

Specific duties of manager.

41. Every manager appointed by the Court shall—

(*a*) have the care of so much of the property of the ward as the Court may direct;

(*b*) give such security (if any) as the Court thinks fit to the Collector duly to account for for all such property and for what he shall receive in respect of such property;

(*c*) continue liable to account to the Court, after he has ceased to be manager, for his receipts and disbursements during the period of his management;

(*d*) pass his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court may direct;

(*e*) pay the balance due from him thereon;

(*f*) apply for the sanction of the Court to any act which may involve the property in expense not previously sanctioned by such Court;

(*g*) sign all papers, deeds, documents, and writings which may be executed by him by virtue of his office;

(*h*) be entitled to such allowance, to be paid out of the property as the Court may think fit for his care and pains in the execution of his duties;

(*i*) be responsible for any loss occasioned to the property by his wilful default or gross negligence.

Sums due recoverable as demands.

42. Every sum due to the Court from a manager or guardian, or from the sureties of a manager or guardian, shall be recoverable as a demand under Bengal Act VII of 1868, or any similar law for the time being in force.

Court may order guardian or manager to make over property.

43. The Court may order any past or present manager or guardian, or past or present officer subordinate to a manager or guardian, to deliver up his accounts or any property which may be in his possession within such time as may be fixed by the Court.

Application of moneys received by manager.

44. All moneys received by the manager shall, in the first instance, be applied as the Court may direct according to circumstances,

in payment of the allowance fixed for the support and education of the ward and his family, and of all charges of management and supervision;

in or towards the discharge of the instalments of Government revenue and of all cesses and other public demands from time to time due in respect of such property.

Application of surplus.

45. Whenever upon the accounts a *bonâ fide* surplus is shewn after making the payments mentioned in section 44, such surplus shall be applied as the Court may direct according to the circumstances of the property concerned—

in liquidation of debts payable by the ward;

in payment of such religious, charitable, and other allowances as were paid out of the proceeds of the property before it came under the charge of the Court, and such allowances and donations befitting the position of the ward's family as the Court may authorize to be paid;

in the improvement of the lands or otherwise for the benefit of the ward or his property.

Amount expended on improvement not to exceed 10 per cent. of surplus.

Provided that the amount expended on such improvement and for such benefit shall not exceed ten per centum of the said surplus, unless, in the opinion of the Court and the Lieutenant-Governor, it is desirable, for the protection of the lands, or in the interest of the ward or his property, to expend an amount exceeding such percentage.

Surplus to be made over to female and major whose property remains under the charge of the Court.

Provided also that if the ward is a female of sound mind, who has completed her age of twenty-one years, or a person who has completed his age of twenty-one years, and whose property remains under the charge of the Court with his consent, no part of the surplus shall be expended by the Court otherwise than in the liquidation of debts or in the improvement of the lands or property as aforesaid, and the remainder of the surplus shall be paid to such female or person.

Power to invest surplus.

46. If the ward is not a female or person as aforesaid, and if any surplus remains after providing so far as the Court may think fit for the objects mentioned in section 45, the same shall be applied in the purchase of other landed property, or invested at interest on the security of—

promissory notes, debentures, stock, and other securities of the Government of India, or of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland;

bonds, debentures, and annuities charged by the Imperial Parliament on the revenues of India;

stock or debentures of or shares in railway or other companies, the interest whereon has been guaranteed by the Secretary of State for India in Council;

debentures or other securities for money paid by or on behalf of any municipal body under the authority of any Act of a legislature established in British India;

or such other securities, stocks, or shares, guaranteed by the Government of India or the Government of Bengal as to the Court shall seem fit.

General duty of guardian.

47. A guardian appointed to the care of a ward shall be charged with the custody of the ward, and must look to his maintenance, health, and, if he be a minor, to his education.

Specific duties of guardian

48. Every guardian appointed by the Court shall—

(*a*) give such security (if any) as the Court thinks fit to the Collector for the due performance of his duty;

(*b*) pass his accounts at such periods and in such form as the Court may direct;

(*c*) pay the balance due from him thereon;

(*d*) continue liable to account to the Court, after he has ceased to be guardian, for his receipts and disbursements during the period of his guardianship;

(*e*) apply for the sanction of the Court to any act which may involve expense not previously sanctioned by the Court,

(*f*) be entitled to such allowance to be paid out of the property of the ward as the Court may think fit for his care and pains in the execution of his duties;

49. No person who would be the next legal heir of a ward, or would otherwise be immediately interested in outliving a ward, shall be appointed to be his guardian;

No person to be guardian who can succeed to ward.

but nothing in this section shall apply to the mother of a ward, or to a testamentary guardian.

50. If the ward is a female, a female of the same religion shall, except in the case of a testamentary guardian, be appointed guardian, preference being given to female relatives if any such be eligible.

Guardian of female ward.

But no guardian shall ordinarily be appointed or continued for a female ward if she has an adult husband.

PART VII.

SUITS.

51. In every suit brought by or against a ward disqualified under section 5, he shall be therein described as a Ward of Court; and the manager of such ward's property shall be named as next friend or guardian for the suit, and shall in such suit represent such ward, and no other person shall be ordered to sue or be sued as next friend or be named as guardian for the suit by any Civil Court in which such suit may be pending.

Manager to be next friend or guardian in suits by or against ward.

52. The Court of Wards may by an order nominate or substitute any other person to be next friend or guardian for any such suit; and upon receiving a copy of any such order of substitution, the Civil Court in which such suit is pending shall substitute the name of the next friend or guardian for the suit so appointed for the name of the manager.

Court may substitute another person to be next friend or guardian for the suit.

53. If in any such suit any Civil Court shall decree any costs against the next friend or guardian for the suit of the ward, the Court of Wards shall cause such costs to be paid out of any property of the ward which for the time being may be in its hands.

Payment of costs of manager.

54. Every process which may be issued out of any Civil Court against any ward disqualified under section 5, shall be served, through the Collector, upon the next friend or guardian for the suit as aforesaid of such ward.

Process against wards to be served through Court.

55. No suit shall be brought on behalf of any such ward, unless the same be authorized by some order of the Court:

Suits not to be brought on behalf of wards unless authorized by the Court.

provided that a manager may authorize a plaint to be filed in order to prevent a suit from being barred by the law of limitation, but such suit shall not be afterwards proceeded with except under the sanction of the Court:

provided also that suits for arrears of rent may be brought on behalf of any ward if authorized by an order of the manager of the landed property on which such rents are due.

56. Nothing contained in this Part shall apply to any suit instituted or pending in the High Court.

Saving of suits in the High Court.

PART VIII.

PENALTIES.

57. Any person who refuses to comply with an order of a Collector under section 29, 30, 36, or 37, shall be liable, by order of the Collector, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees.

For disobeying certain orders of the Collector.

58. Any person who refuses to comply with an order made under section 43 may be punished, by order of the Court, with simple imprisonment and attachment of his property until the order is complied with.

For disobeying orders under section

59. Any person who disobeys any lawful order of the Court shall be liable, on conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, and if he is a manager or guardian appointed by the Court, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees.

For disobeying order of Court.

60. Any person who removes a ward whose person is under the charge of the Court from his residence without the leave of the Court shall be liable, by order of the Court, to a fine not exceeding one thousand rupees, or to imprisonment, simple or rigorous, for a term which may extend to six months or to both.

On guardian removing ward without leave of Court.

PART IX.

MISCELLANEOUS.

61. Wards disqualified under section 5 shall not be competent to create, without the sanction of the Court, any charge upon, or interest in, their property or any part thereof.

Disabilities of wards.

62. No adoption by any ward, and no written or verbal permission to adopt given by any ward, shall be valid without the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor, obtained either previously or subsequently to such adoption, or to the giving of such permission, on application made to him through the Court; but this prohibition shall not apply to a proprietor who has consented to leave his property under the charge of the Court, as provided in the second clause of section 10.

Adoption by ward invalid without consent of Lieutenant-Governor.

63. All arrears of rent due by farmers, undertenants, and ryots in respect of property under the charge of the Court (whether such rents have become due before or after the Court has taken charge), shall be recoverable as demands under Bengal Act VII of 1868, or any similar Act for the time being in force.

Arrears of rent how recoverable.

The last preceding clause shall not apply to arrears of rent enhanced after issue of notice under section 13 of Act X of 1859, or under

section 14 of Bengal Act VIII of 1869, but of which the enhancement has not been agreed to by the person who is liable to pay the same, or has not been confirmed by a competent Court.

Procedure when Court's jurisdiction ceases.

64. Whenever the Court has determined to release the property of a ward from its charge, it shall make an order that the jurisdiction of the Court over such property shall cease on a date not more than sixty and not less than fifteen days from the date of such order; and copies of such order shall be published as the Court may direct.

Powers of Collector in making enquiries.

65. A Collector making any enquiry under this Act may exercise any power conferred by the Code of Civil Procedure on a Civil Court for the trial of suits.

Appeals.

66. An appeal shall lie from every order of a Collector under this Act to the Commissioner of the Division, and from every order of a Commissioner under this Act to the Court.

Control of Court.

67. All orders or proceedings of the Commissioner and of the Collector under this Act shall be subject to the supervision and control of the Court, and the Court may, if it thinks fit, revise, modify, or reverse any such order or proceeding whether an appeal is presented against such order or proceeding or otherwise.

Control of Lieutenant-Governor.

68. In the exercise of the powers and in the discharge of the duties conferred and imposed respectively on the Court by this Act, the Court shall be guided by such orders and instructions as they may from time to time receive from the Lieutenant-Governor.

Power to Court to make rules.

69. The Court may make rules consistent with this Act—

(*a*) defining the powers of Commissioners and Collectors respectively when the property of a ward is situated in two or more districts or in two or more divisions;

(*b*) prescribing what reports shall be made from time to time by Collectors and Commissioners on the condition of the ward and his property;

(*c*) prescribing the periods at which and the mode in which accounts shall be submitted by managers and guardians respectively, and the mode in which such accounts shall be audited;

(*d*) regulating the custody of securities and title deeds belonging to the estate or property of a ward;

(*e*) regulating the procedure in appeals from orders of Collectors and Commissioners respectively under this Act;

(*f*) prescribing the procedure to be observed when a property ceases to be under the charge of the Court;

(*g*) and generally for the better fulfilment of the purposes of this Act.

The Court may from time to time alter, add to, or repeal, such rules.

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THE following report of the Select Committee, together with the Bill as amended by them, is, by order of the President, published for general information :—

We, the undersigned members of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to whom the Bill to define and limit the powers of Settlement Officers with respect to enhancement of rent was referred, have the honor to make the following report.

We have considered a communication from the Hon'ble Syed Ameer Hossein.

We have re-cast the Bill by repealing Act III of 1878 of this Council, and embodying its provisions with the necessary amendments in the Bill.

We have defined "Settlement Officer" and "under-tenant"

Instead of adding a fourth ground of enhancement for the rent of a ryot having a right of occupancy, by a proviso to the existing law, we have provided that nothing in section 51, Regulation VIII of 1793, which treats of enhancement of rents of intermediate tenure-holders, or in the rent laws, Act X of 1859 and Bengal Act VIII of 1869, shall affect any settlement proceedings under Regulation VII of 1822 and similar laws, and have then proceeded to re-impose the restrictions on enhancement.

We have provided that the rents recorded as demandable by a Settlement Officer shall be in accordance with general rates, to be sanctioned by the revenue authorities for adoption in the settlement; but that the rent of no occupancy ryot shall be enhanced except on one or other of the grounds specified in section 6 of the Bill.

Section 6 substantially reproduces section 18, Act VIII of 1869, of this Council, but also aims at removing the difficulty in which the present measure originated, by allowing the Settlement Officer to enhance rents in proportion to the general rise in the value of produce since the last previous settlement of the estate, if such a settlement was ever made.

We have introduced a clause empowering the Settlement Officer to defer the ryot's liability to pay the full amount to which his rent is liable to be enhanced, and make the enhancement take effect by periodical increments.

We have inserted a section providing a maximum beyond which the rent of an under-tenant shall not be enhanced.

We have made no material change in the procedure for the serving of notices of enhancement laid down by Act III of 1878.

We have provided that rents recorded as demandable by the Settlement Officer shall be valid, unless it can be proved in a suit that they were not assessed in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

The defendants in such suits being public officers, it is necessary that the ryots should serve a notice of suit two months before institution. We have provided that this notice shall be served within two months of the service of the notice of enhancement. Four months is thus the maximum time allowed to the under-tenant or ryot for the institution of his suit.

We have provided that if notice of enhancement is served within the first six months of the year of the era current in the district, the enhancement may take effect from the beginning of that year.

We have secured the under-tenants and ryots against any enhancement above the rents recorded as demandable by the Settlement Officer for ten years, or until the expiration of the settlement.

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A. MACKENZIE.

The 21st March 1879.

AMENDED BILL.

A Bill to define and limit the powers of Settlement Officers.

WHEREAS it is expedient to define and limit the powers of Settlement Officers: It is enacted as follows:—

Preamble

This Act extends to all the territories under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, except the scheduled districts as defined in the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874.

Extent

1. It shall come into force from the date on which it may be published in the *Calcutta Gazette* with the assent of the Governor-General.

Commencement of Act.

2. Bengal Act No. III of 1878 (*an Act to define and limit the powers of settlement officers with respect to enhancement of rent*) is hereby repealed.

Repeal of Bengal Act III of 1878.

3 In this Act—

Definitions

"Settlement Officer" means the Collector of the district, and includes any officer who may be appointed by the local Government to make any settlement of the land revenue, and any Deputy Collector or Sub-Deputy Collector whom the Collector may authorize to conduct the enquiries and proceedings connected with any such settlement.

"Under-tenant" means any holder of a heritable and transferable intermediate tenure between the Government and the ryot other than a zemindar.

4 Nothing contained in section 51 of Regulation VIII of 1793, or in Act X of 1859, or in Bengal Act VIII of 1869, shall affect any settlement proceedings under Regulation VII of 1822, or under any other law for the time being in force for the regulation of settlements of land revenue, otherwise than as provided in this Act.

Settlement proceedings not affected by certain Acts.

5. In any such settlement proceedings the rent recorded as demandable from each ryot shall, except as herein otherwise provided, be in accordance with the general rates sanctioned or determined for adoption in such settlement by the revenue authorities from time to time empowered in that behalf by the Lieutenant-Governor

Rent to be in accordance with rates sanctioned by the revenue authorities.

6. The Settlement Officer may, on some one or other of the following grounds and not otherwise, record a higher rent as demandable from any ryot having a right of occupancy than the rent which was previously paid by him, viz.—

Grounds of enhancement.

(i) That the higher rent so recorded is calculated on rates which are not above the prevailing rates payable by the same class of ryots, for land of a similar description and with similar advantages in the surrounding neighbourhood.

(ii) That the enhancement is not greater than is justified by the increase which has taken place in the productive powers of the land otherwise than by the agency, or at the expense, of the ryot since the rent of the ryot was last fixed.

(iii) That the value of the produce of the land has been increased otherwise than by the agency, or at the expense, of the ryot; and, if a previous settlement of the lands has at any time been made, that such higher rent does not bear a higher proportion to that which would have been the rent of lands of a similar description and the same area according to the rates of such previous settlement, than the present price of produce bears to the price of similar produce prevailing about the time of such previous settlement, as recorded in the papers of such settlement, or, if not so recorded, as otherwise ascertained, and certified by the Settlement Officer.

(iv) That the quantity of land held by the ryot has been proved by measurement to be greater than the quantity for which rent has been previously paid by him.

7. When the rent demandable from any ryot is recorded at an amount below that to which the rent of such ryot might have been enhanced on any of the grounds mentioned in the last preceding section, it may be recorded that such ryot shall from time to time be liable to pay increased rent from such dates as may be fixed by the Settlement Officer, until the rent paid by him reaches the amount which the Settlement Officer may determine to be properly payable by him under the last preceding section.

Payment by progressive increments

8. The rent recorded as demandable from an under-tenant shall in no case be higher than an amount which is ten per cent. below the aggre-

Rent of under-tenant.

gate of the rents recorded as demandable in any year from the subordinate under-tenants and ryots whose holdings fall within his under-tenure.

Service of notice of enhancement.

9. Whenever a higher rent has been recorded as demandable from any under-tenant or ryot than the rent previously paid by him, the Settlement Officer shall cause a notice to be served on such under-tenant or ryot.

Such notice shall specify the rent and the ground or grounds on which the enhancement is made, and shall call upon such under-tenant or ryot to appear before the Settlement Officer within a time to be specified in the notice and sign the *jummabundi*.

Provided that it shall not be necessary to make personal service of such notice on each under-tenant or ryot, but that service may be lawfully made through proclamation by beat of drum, in the village in which the lands concerned or any part of them are situated, of a general notice addressed to all whom it may concern, and by affixing such general notice with a copy of the *jummabundi*, or of such extracts therefrom as the Collector may think fit, at the mal cutcherry of the village to which the *jummabundi* relates, or at some other conspicuous place therein.

Such copy of the *jummabundi* or extracts therefrom shall be deemed to be a part of the general notice, and the grounds of enhancement may be specified in the case of each under-tenant or ryot, by an entry in such copy or extracts referring to the clause or clauses of section 6 of this Act under which his rent has been enhanced.

Suit to contest rents.

10. Every under-tenant and ryot shall be liable to pay the rent recorded as demandable from him under this Act, unless it shall be proved in any suit instituted by such under-tenant or ryot to contest his liability to pay the same that such rent has not been assessed in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

Notice of suit.

Notice of every such suit as required by section 424 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall be given within two months after the service of the notice of enhancement mentioned in section 9 of this Act; and no such suit shall be instituted otherwise than within four months after the service of such notice of enhancement.

Enhancement when to take effect.

11. If notice of enhancement is served within the first six months of the year of the era current in the district, such enhancement may take effect from the beginning of the year in which such notice may have been served, otherwise it shall take effect from the beginning of the next following year.

Rent to hold good for 10 years or until expiration of settlement.

12. Rent recorded as demandable under this Act, or fixed by a final decree in any suit as aforesaid, shall not be liable to enhancement until ten years shall have elapsed from the date on which the settlement took effect, or until the period of the settlement shall have expired, whichever may first occur.

Application of Act.

13. The provisions of this Act shall apply to all settlement proceedings under Regulation VII of 1822 which may have been confirmed after the commencement of Bengal Act III of 1878, or which may hereafter be confirmed or sanctioned by the revenue authorities from time to time empowered in that behalf by the Lieutenant-Governor, whether such proceedings shall have been commenced before or after such commencement.

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The Calcutta Gazette.

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PART V.

Acts of the Legislative Council of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

[Second publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 8th March, 1879, and is hereby promulgated for general information :—

ACT No. III OF 1879.

An Act to authorize the destruction of Useless Records.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the destruction or other disposal of useless records, books and papers in Courts and Revenue-offices; It is hereby enacted as follows :—

Short title.
Local extent.
Commencement.

1. This Act may be called "The Destruction of Records Act, 1879": it extends to the whole of British India; and it shall come into force at once.

Power to High Court to make rules for disposal of records, &c.

2. The High Court may, from time to time, make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books and papers belonging to or being in the custody of such High Court, or the Courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction subordinate thereto, as the High Court may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

So far as regards his own Court, the Court of Small Causes in Rangoon and the Courts of the Magistrates within the local limits of his ordinary civil jurisdiction, the Recorder of Rangoon shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to be a High Court.

Similar power to Presidency High Courts with respect to documents in Insolvency Courts and Administrator General's office.

3. Each of the High Courts of Judicature at Fort William, Madras and Bombay may from time to time make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books and papers belonging to or being in the custody of

(*a*) the local Court for the relief of Insolvent Debtors held under the provisions of the eleventh and twelfth of Victoria, chapter twenty-one,

(*b*) the local Administrator General,

as the High Court may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

Similar power to Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority.

4. The Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority may from time to time make rules respecting the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of such records, books and papers belonging to or in the custody of the Revenue Courts and offices as it may consider useless or unworthy of being permanently preserved.

Rules when to have force of law.

5. All rules made under this Act shall, after being confirmed by the Local Government and sanctioned by the Governor General in Council, be published in the local official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law.

Validation of rules as to destruction of documents.

6. All rules and orders heretofore made by a Local Government, a High Court or a Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority for the

destruction or other disposal of useless records, books and papers belonging to or in the custody of any Court or Revenue-office shall be deemed to have had the force of law from the date on which they were made, and all such rules now in force shall continue to have the force of law until they are rescinded by rules made under this Act; and no suit or other proceeding shall be instituted, maintained or continued against any person for the disposal, by destruction or otherwise, of any records, books or papers in accordance with any such rules or with any order made by a Local Government, High Court or Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority.

Bar of suits.

7. In this Act "Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority" means, in the Presidency of Fort St. George and the territories respectively under the administration of the Lieutenant-Governors of Bengal and the North-Western Provinces—the Board of Revenue: in the Presidency of Bombay, outside Sind and the limits of the town of Bombay—a Revenue Commissioner: in Sind—the Commissioner: in the Panjáb—the Financial Commissioner; and elsewhere—the Local Government or such officer as the Local Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint in this behalf by name or in virtue of his office.

Interpretation-clause.

8. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to authorize the destruction of any document which, under the provisions of any law for the time being in force, is to be kept and maintained.

Saving of documents kept under provision of law.

9. The enactments specified in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent mentioned in the third column.

Repeal of enactments.

THE SCHEDULE.

(*See section 9.*)

Enactments repealed.

(*a*).—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
XX of 1875	The Central Provinces Laws Act, 1875.	In section eight, clause (*c*), the last twenty-one words.
XVIII of 1876	The Oudh Laws Act, 1876.	In section thirty-nine, clause (*c*), the last eighteen words.

(*b*).—ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
VI of 1865	To authorize the destruction of Useless Records in certain Courts of the Bombay Presidency.	The whole.
V of 1869	To authorize the destruction of Useless Records in the Courts of the Province of Sind.	The whole.

(*c*).—REGULATION UNDER 33 VIC., C. 3.

Number and year.	Subject or short title.	Extent of repeal.
III of 1877	The Ajmer Laws Regulation, 1877.	In section forty, clause (*c*), the last twenty-one words.

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Secy. to the Govt. of India.

[Second Publication.]

The following Act of the Governor General of India in Council received the assent of His Excellency the Governor General on the 13th March, 1879, and is hereby promulgated for general information:—

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An Act to consolidate and amend the law relating to Railways in India.

Preamble. WHEREAS it is expedient to consolidate and amend the law relating to Railways in India; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER I.

PRELIMINARY.

Short title. 1. This Act may be called "The Indian Railway Act, 1879:"

Local extent. It extends to the whole of British India and, so far as regards subjects of Her Majesty the Empress of India, to the dominions of Princes and States in India in alliance with Her said Majesty;

Commencement. And it shall come into force on the first day of July, 1879.

Repeal of Acts. 2. On and from that day, the Acts specified in the first schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed.

All rules made, notifications published and powers conferred under any of such Acts, or any enactment thereby repealed, shall (so far as they are consistent herewith) be deemed to have been respectively made, published and conferred under this Act.

Nothing in the Carriers Act, 1865, shall apply to carriers by railway.

Interpretation-clause. 3. In this Act, unless there be something repugnant in the subject or context,—

"Railway." "Railway" means a railway for the public conveyance of passengers or goods.

It includes—

(*a*) all land within the fences or other boundary-marks prescribed under section fifty-two;

(*b*) all lines of rail, sidings or branches worked over for the purposes of, or in connection with, a Railway;

(*c*) all stations, offices, warehouses, fixed machinery and other works constructed for the purposes of, or in connection with, a Railway;

(*d*) all vessels and rafts used for the purpose carrying on the traffic of a Railway.

In section four, "Railway." includes a railway under construction, and in the remaining part of this section and in the following sections (namely), six, eight, sixteen, twenty-five, thirty, thirty-three, thirty-four, forty to forty-six (both inclusive), fifty-two and fifty-three, "Railway" includes a Railway under construction and a Railway not used for the public conveyance of passengers or goods:

"Railway-administration" means in the case of a Railway worked by Government or a Native State, the Manager of such Railway, and in the case of a Railway worked by a Company or private individual, such Company or individual:

"Railway-administration."

"Railway-servant" means any person employed by a Railway-Administration, to perform any function in connection with a Railway,

"Railway-servant."

and in section twenty-five, last clause, sections twenty-six, twenty-seven, thirty-eight, and forty-two includes any person employed to perform any such function by any other person in execution of a contract into which he has entered with a Railway-Administration.

4. It shall be lawful, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, to use on every Railway locomotive engines or other motive power, and carriages and wagons to be drawn or propelled thereby.

Right to use locomotives.

CHAPTER II.

DUTIES OF THE RAILWAY-ADMINISTRATION.

5. No Railway or portion or extension of, or addition to, a Railway shall be opened for the public conveyance of passengers until the Railway-Administration has given to the Governor General in Council notice in writing of the intention of opening the same and until an officer appointed by the Governor General in Council to inspect such Railway, portion, extension or addition has, after inspection thereof, reported in writing to the Governor General in Council that in his opinion the opening of the same would not be attended with danger to the public using the same.

Railway when to be opened.

6. Every Railway-Administration shall, within forty-eight hours after the occurrence upon the Railway of—

Accidents to be reported.

(*a*) any accident attended with loss of human life or serious injury to person or property,

(*b*) any accident of a description usually attended with such loss or injury, and

(*c*) any accident of any other description which the Governor General in Council may, from time to time, direct to be notified,

give notice thereof to the Local Government;

and the Station-master nearest to the place at which the accident occurs, or, where there is no Station-master, the officer in charge of the section of the Railway on which the accident occurs, shall without unnecessary delay give notice in writing or by telegraph of such accident to the nearest Magistrate and to the officer in charge of the Police-station in the jurisdiction of which the accident occurs or to such other Magistrate and Police-officer as the Local Government from time to time appoints in this behalf.

7. Every Railway-Administration shall make up and deliver to the Governor General in Council a return of accidents occurring in the course of the public traffic upon the Railway, whether attended with personal injury or not, in such form and manner, and at such intervals of time, as the Governor General in Council from time to time directs.

Returns of accidents.

8. Every Railway-Administration shall make general rules for the following purposes (that is to say):

General rules for working Railway.

(*a*) for regulating the mode in which, and the speed at which, carriages and wagons used on the Railway are to be moved or propelled;

(*b*) for regulating the maximum number of passengers which each carriage and compartment may carry, and the mode in which such number shall be denoted thereon;

(*c*) for regulating the provision to be made for the accommodation and convenience of passengers;

(*d*) for declaring what shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Act, dangerous goods; and

(*e*) generally for regulating the travelling upon, and the use, working and management of, the Railway;

and may, from time to time, alter any such rules.

Any such rule may contain a provision that any person committing a breach of it shall be liable to a fine which may extend to fifty rupees, or, in default of payment of such fine, to simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to two months.

Penalty for breach of rules.

No such rule shall take effect unless it is consistent with this Act and until it has received the sanction of the Governor General in Council.

All rules made under this section shall be published in the *Gazette of India*, and shall be otherwise notified to the Railway-servants and the public in such manner as the Governor General in Council, from time to time, directs.

Notification of rules.

The Governor General in Council may at any time cancel any such rule.

Power to cancel rules.

9. An abstract of this Act, and a copy of the Time-tables and Tariff of charges which may, from time to time, be published for any Railway by any Railway-Administration, shall be exhibited in some conspicuous place at each station of such Railway, so that they may be easily seen and read.

Copy and translation of Act, &c., to be shown at stations.

All such documents shall be so exhibited in English and in the principal vernacular language of the district in which the station is situate, and in such other language, if any, as the Governor General in Council may direct.

CHAPTER III.

CARRIAGE OF PROPERTY.

10. Every agreement purporting to limit the obligation or responsibility imposed on a carrier by Railway by the Indian Contract Act, 1872, sections 151 and 161, in the case of loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, property

Special contract limiting liability.

shall, in so far as it purports to limit such obligation or responsibility, be void unless—

(*a*) it is in writing signed by, or on behalf of, the person sending or delivering such property, and

(*b*) is otherwise in a form approved by the Governor General in Council.

No liability for loss of gold, silver, &c., unless value declared and increased charge accepted.

11. When any property mentioned in the second schedule hereto annexed is contained in any parcel or package delivered to a carrier by Railway, the carrier shall not be liable for loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, such property, unless at the time of delivery the value and nature thereof have been declared by the person sending or delivering the same, and an increased charge for the safe conveyance of the same, or an engagement to pay such charge, has been accepted by some Railway-servant specially authorized in this behalf.

When any property of which the value and nature have been declared under this section has been lost, destroyed or damaged, or has deteriorated, the compensation recoverable for such loss, destruction, damage or deterioration shall not exceed the value so declared.

No liability for unbooked luggage.

12. A carrier by Railway shall in no case be answerable for loss, destruction or deterioration of or damage to any passenger's luggage, unless a Railway-servant has booked and given a receipt for the same.

Plaintiffs not required to prove negligence.

13. In any suit against a carrier by Railway for compensation for loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, property delivered to a Railway-servant, it shall not be necessary for the plaintiff to prove in what manner such loss, destruction, deterioration or damage was caused.

Lien for money due for carriage, &c., of property.

14. If any person fails to pay on demand any sum due by him to a carrier by Railway for conveyance of any property by Railway, or for the custody of any property or for demurrage or wharfage in respect of the same, the Railway-Administration may detain the whole or any part of such property or, if the same have been removed from the Railway, any other property of such person then on such Railway or thereafter coming into the possession of the Railway-Administration;

and may also sell by public auction, in the case of perishable property at once, and in the case of other property on the expiration of at least fifteen days' notice thereof published in one or more of the local newspapers or, where there are no such newspapers, in such manner as the Local Government may, from time to time, direct, sufficient of such property to produce the sum payable as aforesaid, and all charges and expenses of such detention, notice and sale, or, if such person fails to remove from the Railway within a reasonable time any property so detained, the whole of such property;

and may, out of the proceeds of the sale, retain the sum so payable, together with all charges and expenses aforesaid, rendering the surplus, if any, of such proceeds, and so much of the property (if any) as remains unsold, to the person entitled thereto;

or such carrier may recover any such sum by suit.

Written account of property to be given on demand.

15. The owner or person having the care of any property which has been carried upon any Railway, or is brought into any station or warehouse for the purpose of being carried upon a Railway, shall, on demand by any Railway-servant appointed in this behalf by the Railway-Administration, deliver to him an exact account in writing signed by such owner or person of the quantity and description of such property.

Dangerous goods.

16. No passenger shall take with him on a Railway, and no person shall deliver or tender for carriage upon any Railway, any dangerous luggage or goods without giving notice of their nature to a Railway-servant, or, in the case of luggage or goods delivered or tendered for carriage, distinctly marking their nature on the outside of the package containing the same.

Any Railway-servant may refuse to carry upon a Railway any luggage or parcel which he suspects to contain dangerous goods, and may require such luggage or parcel to be opened to ascertain the fact previously to carrying the same;

and in case any such luggage or parcel is received for the purpose of being carried upon a Railway, any Railway-servant may stop the transit thereof until he is satisfied as to the nature of its contents.

CHAPTER IV.

CARRIAGE OF PASSENGERS.

Passengers on payment of fares to be furnished with tickets.

17. Every person desirous of travelling on a Railway shall, upon payment of his fare, be furnished with a ticket specifying in English and the principal vernacular language of the district in which the ticket is issued, the class of carriage for which, and the place from and place to which, the fare has been paid, and the amount of such fare;

Tickets to be shown and given up on demand.

and every passenger shall, when required, show his ticket to any Railway-servant duly authorized to examine the same, and shall deliver up such ticket upon demand to any Railway-servant duly authorized to collect tickets.

Fares and tickets at intermediate stations.

18. At the intermediate stations, the fares shall be deemed to be accepted and the tickets furnished only upon condition that there be room in the train for which the tickets are furnished.

In case there is not room for all the passengers to whom tickets have been furnished, those who have obtained tickets for the longest distance shall have the preference; and those who have obtained tickets for the same distance shall have the preference according to the order in which they have received their tickets:

Preferential right of ticket-holders.

Proviso.

Provided that all officers and troops of Her Majesty on duty, and all other persons on the business of the Government who, by virtue of any contract with the Government or, in the case of a Railway worked by Government, of any direction of the Governor General in Council, are entitled to be conveyed on a Railway in preference to, or in priority over, the public, shall be entitled to such

preference and priority without reference to the distance for which, or the order in which, they have received their tickets.

Any passenger to whom a ticket has been furnished at any station and for whom there is no room shall, on returning the ticket within a reasonable time after its issue, be entitled to have his fare at once refunded.

Fares to be prepaid.

19. Except with the permission of the Railway-Administration or of such officer as it appoints in this behalf, no person shall enter any carriage used on any Railway for the purpose of travelling therein without having first paid his fare and obtained a ticket.

Power to remove persons suffering from infectious disease.

20. Any passenger found suffering from an infectious disease in a Railway-carriage or in any place on a Railway may, if his remaining in such carriage or place is likely to spread the infection of such disease, be removed from such carriage or place by any Railway-servant;

any passenger so removed who has paid his proper fare to or at the place at which he is so removed, shall be entitled, on returning his ticket, to have such fare refunded.

CHAPTER V.

OFFENCES AND PROCEDURE.

(A).—Offences by the Railway-Administration.

Penalty for opening railway in contravention of section 5.

21. Any Railway-Administration opening, in contravention of section five, any Railway, or any portion or extension of, or addition to, a Railway, shall forfeit to Government the sum of one thousand rupees for every day during which the same continues open in contravention of that section.

For omitting to report accident.

22. Any Railway-Administration omitting to give notice as required by section six, shall forfeit to Government the sum of one hundred rupees for every day during which such omission continues.

For not sending return of accidents or making rules under section 8, or exhibiting copy under section 9.

23. Any Railway-Administration failing to deliver any return mentioned in section seven within fourteen days after the same ought to be delivered, or to make or notify any rules as required by section eight, or to exhibit any abstract or copy mentioned in section nine in manner required by that section, shall forfeit to Government the sum of fifty rupees for every day during which such failure continues.

(B).—Offences by Railway-servants.

For omitting to give notice of accident.

24. Any Station-master or other person omitting to give notice as required by section six, shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For drunkenness or breach of duty.

25. Any Railway-servant who is in a state of intoxication whilst actually employed upon a Railway in the discharge of any duty,

or who negligently omits to perform his duty,

or who performs the same in an improper manner,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees;

or if the duty in any of the cases aforesaid be such that the negligent omission or improper performance thereof would be likely to endanger the safety of any person travelling or being upon such Railway, such servant shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.

For endangering the safety of persons.

26. If any Railway-servant in the discharge of his duty endangers the safety of any person—

(*a*) by disobeying any general rule sanctioned and published and notified in the manner prescribed by section eight; or

(*b*) by disobeying any rule or order not inconsistent with the general rules aforesaid, and which such servant was bound by the terms of his employment to obey, and of which he had notice; or

(*c*) by any rash or negligent act or omission,

he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both.

For receiving bribes.

27. Every Railway-servant shall be deemed a "public servant" within the meaning of sections 161, 162, 163, 164 and 165 of the Indian Penal Code.

Amendment of Penal Code, section 161.

In the definition of legal remuneration contained in the said section 161, the word "Government" shall, for the purposes of this section, be deemed to include any employer of a Railway-servant as such.

For compelling passengers to enter carriages already full.

28. Any Railway-servant who compels or attempts to compel any passenger to enter a carriage or compartment containing the maximum number of passengers denoted thereon in accordance with a rule made and notified under section eight, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

(C.)—Offences by Persons generally.

For not giving account of goods or giving false account.

29. Any person required under section fifteen to give an account of the quantity and description of any property who neglects or refuses to give such account,

or who wilfully gives a false account,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to five rupees for every maund (of 3,200 tolahs) of such property; and such fine shall be in addition to any charge to which such property may be liable.

For taking dangerous goods on Railway or delivering such goods without notice.

30. Whoever, in contravention of section sixteen, takes with him any dangerous goods on a Railway, or delivers or tenders any such goods for the purpose of being carried upon a Railway, shall be punished with fine which may extend to two hundred rupees.

For travelling without ticket or not showing or delivering up ticket.

31. Any passenger travelling on a Railway without a proper ticket or having such a ticket and not showing or delivering up the same when so required under section seventeen, shall be liable to pay the fare of the class in which he is found travelling, from the place whence

the train originally started, unless he can prove that he has travelled a less distance only, in which case he shall be liable to pay the fare of the class aforesaid only from the place whence he has travelled.

Every such fare shall, on application by a Railway-servant to a Magistrate, and on proof of the passenger's liability, be recoverable from such passenger as if it were a fine, and shall, when recovered, be paid to the Railway-Administration.

For evading payment of fare.

32. Any person who defrauds, or attempts to defraud, any carrier by Railway—

(*a*) by travelling, or attempting to travel, on any Railway without having previously paid his fare;

(*b*) by riding or attempting to ride in or on a carriage, or by a train, of a higher class than that for which he has paid his fare;

(*c*) by using or attempting to use a ticket on any day for which such ticket is not available;

(*d*) by continuing his journey in or upon any carriage beyond the place to which he has paid his fare, without previously paying the fare for the additional distance;

or who, in any other manner whatever, attempts to evade the payment of his fare,

For altering ticket.

or who wilfully alters or defaces his ticket so as to render the date, number or other material portion thereof illegible,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and shall also be liable to pay the fare (if any) which he ought to have paid; and such fare shall be recoverable in manner provided by section thirty-one and shall, when recovered, be paid to the Railway-Administration.

For entering carriage in motion.

33. Any passenger who gets into or upon, or attempts to get into or upon, or quits, or attempts to quit, any carriage upon any Railway, while such carriage is in motion, shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees;

For riding on the steps.

and any passenger who rides, or attempts to ride, on the steps, or any other part of a carriage, upon any Railway, except on those parts which are intended for the accommodation of passengers,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For riding on engine, tender, &c.

34. Any person who, without the permission of the Railway-Administration, rides or attempts to ride upon any locomotive-engine or tender upon any Railway; or in or upon any vehicle not appropriated to the carriage of passengers,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For smoking.

35. Any person who, without the consent of his fellow-passengers, if any, in the same compartment, smokes in or upon any Railway-carriage, except in a carriage or compartment specially provided for the purpose, shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees;

and any person who persists in so smoking (except as aforesaid) after being warned by any Railway-servant to desist may, in addition to incurring the liability above-mentioned, be removed by any Railway-servant from any such carriage, and from the premises of the Railway, and where he has paid his fare and obtained a ticket, shall forfeit such fare and ticket.

For intoxication or nuisance.

36. Any person who is in a state of intoxication, or who commits any nuisance or act of indecency in any Railway-carriage, or upon any part of any Railway;

or who wilfully and without lawful excuse interferes with the comfort of any passenger, or extinguishes any lamp in any Railway-carriage,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees; and may be removed by any Railway-servant from any such carriage, and also from the premises of the Railway, and where he has paid his fare and obtained a ticket, shall forfeit such fare and ticket.

For entering carriage or room reserved for females.

37. If any carriage, compartment, room or place be reserved by the Railway-Administration for the exclusive use of females, any male person who without lawful excuse enters such carriage, compartment, room or place knowing the same to be reserved as aforesaid, or remains therein after having been informed of its having been so reserved, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees,

and may be removed therefrom, and also from the premises of the Railway, by any Railway-servant,

and, where he has paid his fare and obtained a ticket, shall forfeit such fare and ticket.

For obstructing Railway servant in his duty.

38. Whoever wilfully obstructs or impedes any Railway-servant in the discharge of his duty, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For entering carriage already full.

39. Any passenger wilfully entering a carriage or compartment containing the maximum number of passengers which has been denoted thereon in accordance with a rule made and notified under section eight, shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For removing signals or injuring carriage, &c.

40. Any person who without authority or reasonable excuse makes, alters, shows, hides, removes or extinguishes any signal or light upon any Railway, or upon any engine, carriage, wagon or other vehicle upon a Railway,

or who negligently damages any engine, carriage, wagon or other vehicle belonging to a Railway, or any warehouse, building, machine, fence or other thing so belonging,

or who needlessly interferes with the means of communication provided in any train between the guard and the engine-driver or passengers,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to one hundred rupees.

For trespass.

41. Any person who unlawfully enters upon a Railway shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees; and if any person so entering

For refusing to leave on request.

refuses to leave such Railway on being requested to do so by any Railway-servant, or by any other person on behalf of the Railway-Administration, he shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees, and may be

immediately removed from such Railway by such servant or other person as aforesaid.

For cattle-trespass within Railway-fences.

42. The owner or person in charge of any bulls, cows, bullocks, calves, elephants, camels, buffaloes, horses, mares, geldings, ponies, colts, fillies, mules, asses, pigs, rams, ewes, sheep, lambs, goats and kids straying on any Railway provided with fences suitable for the exclusion of such animals, shall be punished with fine which may extend to ten rupees for each animal, in addition to any amount that may be recovered under the Cattle Trespass Act, 1871.

For wilfully driving cattle on fenced Railway;

Whenever any such animals are wilfully and unlawfully driven, or knowingly and unlawfully permitted to be, on any Railway provided with fences suitable for the exclusion of such animals,

on unfenced Railway.

and whenever any such animals are wilfully driven, or knowingly permitted to be, on any Railway not so provided, otherwise than for the purpose of lawfully crossing the Railway, or for any other lawful purpose,

the person in charge of such animals, or if he cannot be identified, then the owner of the said animals, shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees for each animal, in addition to any amount that may be recovered under the same Act.

Recovery of fines and payment of compensation.

All fines imposed under this section may, if the convicting Magistrate so direct, be recovered in manner provided by section twenty-five of the said Cattle Trespass Act, 1871, and may be appropriated in whole or in part in compensation for loss or damage proved to his satisfaction.

Amendment of Act I of 1871, ss. 11 and 26.

The expression "public road" in sections eleven and twenty-six of the same Act shall be deemed to include a Railway. And any Railway-servant may exercise the powers of seizure provided by the said section eleven.

For opening or not properly shutting gates.

43. Whoever knowing or having reason to believe that any engine or train is approaching along a Railway opens any gate which the Railway-Administration has set up on either side of the Railway across any road for the use or accommodation of any person, or passes or attempts to pass, or drives or takes, or attempts to drive or take, any vehicle, animal or other thing, across the Railway;

and whoever at any time, in the absence of a gate-keeper, omits to shut and fasten such gate as soon as he and any vehicle, animal or other thing under his charge have passed through the same,

shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For minors obstructing line or throwing stones at train.

44. Whenever any minor under twelve years of age unlawfully—

(*a*) places or throws, or attempts to place or throw, upon or across a Railway any wood, stone or other thing, or

(*b*) removes or displaces, or attempts to remove or displace, any rail, sleeper, spike, key or other thing belonging to the permanent way of a Railway, or

(*c*) throws or causes to fall, or attempts to throw or cause to fall, against, into or upon any engine, tender, carriage or other vehicle used upon a Railway, any wood, stone or other thing,

such minor shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and the convicting Magistrate may, in his discretion, direct either that the minor, if a male, shall be punished with whipping, or that the father or guardian of the minor shall, within such reasonable time as the Magistrate may fix, execute a bond binding himself, in such penalty as the Magistrate may direct, to prevent the minor from repeating such offence.

The amount of such bond, if forfeited, shall be recoverable as if it were a fine.

Any person neglecting or refusing to execute a bond when required under this section so to do shall be punished with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

For wilful act or omission endangering persons on Railway.

45. Whoever wilfully does any act, or wilfully omits to do what he is legally bound to do, intending by such act or omission to endanger, or knowing that he is thereby likely to endanger, the safety of any person travelling or being upon any Railway, shall be punished with transportation (or in the case of an European or American, penal servitude) for a term of not less than seven years or with imprisonment for a term which may extend to ten years.

For rash or negligent act.

46. Whoever rashly or negligently does any act, or omits to do what he is legally bound to do, and such act or omission is likely to endanger the safety of any person travelling or being upon a Railway, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.

Disobedience of omnibus, &c., drivers to Railway-servants.

47. Every driver or conductor of an omnibus, carriage or other vehicle shall, while in or upon any station-yard or other premises forming part of a Railway, obey the reasonable directions of any Railway-servant duly authorized in this behalf; and every person offending against this section shall be punished with fine which may extend to twenty rupees.

(*D*).—*Arrest of Offenders.*

Arrest for offence punishable under this Act of offender whose name is unknown, &c.

48. If any person commits any offence punishable under this Act and there is reason to believe that he will abscond or his name and address are unknown, and he refuses to give his name and address, or there is reason to believe that the name or address given by him is incorrect, any Railway-servant or Police-officer, or any other person whom such Railway-servant or Police-officer may call to his aid, may, without any warrant or written authority, arrest and detain such offender until he can be taken before a Magistrate or give sufficient security for his appearance before such Magistrate, or is otherwise discharged by due course of law.

Arrest for offences against certain sections.

49. Every person committing any offence mentioned in sections eight, twenty-five, twenty-six, thirty-six, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, forty-four, forty-five and forty-six may be arrested without any warrant or written

authority by any Railway-servant or Police-officer, or by any other person whom such servant or officer may call to his aid;

and every person so arrested shall, without unnecessary delay, be taken before a Magistrate authorized to punish him or to commit him for trial.

(E).—Jurisdiction.

Magistrates having jurisdiction.

50. No Magistrate other than a Presidency Magistrate and a Magistrate whose powers are not less than those of a Magistrate of the second class shall try any offence under this Act.

Place of trial.

Any person committing any offence against this Act or the rules made under it, shall be triable for such offence in any place in which he may be found or which the Local Government may, from time to time, notify in this behalf, as well as in any other place in which he might be tried under any law for the time being in force.

Every notification under this section shall be published in the local official Gazette and a copy thereof shall also be exhibited in some conspicuous place at each of such Railway-stations as the Local Government may direct, so that it may be easily seen and read.

(F).—Saving of other Criminal Laws.

Saving of prosecutions under other laws.

51. Nothing in this Act shall be deemed to prevent any person from being arrested, prosecuted or punished under any other law for any act or omission which constitutes an offence against this Act or the rules made under it:

Provided that no person shall be punished twice for the same offence.

CHAPTER VI.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Power of Government to make rules as to fences, gates and bars.

52. The Governor General in Council, or the Local Government with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, may, from time to time, make rules requiring—

(*a*) that boundary-marks or fences be provided for any Railway or any part thereof, and for roads constructed in connection therewith;

(*b*) that gates or bars be erected at places where any Railway crosses a road on the level; and

(*c*) that persons be employed to open and shut such gates or bars;

and may by such rules determine what kind of fences shall, for the purposes of section forty-two, be deemed to be suitable for the exclusion of cattle,

and direct that any Railway-Administration wilfully neglecting or violating any rule made under this section, shall forfeit to Government a sum not exceeding five hundred rupees for every such neglect or violation, or, when such neglect or violation is continuous, for every day during which it continues.

Power to declare Local Government in respect of any Railway.

53. The Governor General in Council may, from time to time by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declare what Government or other Authority shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Act, the Local Government in respect of the whole or any part of a Railway.

Power to extend Act to steam-tramways.

54. The Governor General in Council may, by notification, extend this Act or any portion thereof to any tramway worked by steam.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

ACTS REPEALED.

(See section 2.)

Number and year.	Title.
XVIII of 1854 ...	An Act relating to Railways in India.
XXXI of 1867 ...	An Act to render penal certain offences committed by servants of Railway Companies.
XIII of 1870 ...	An Act to apply the provisions of Act No. XVIII of 1854 to Railways belonging to, or worked by, Government.
XXV of 1871 ...	An Act to amend the Railway Act.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(See section 11.)

(*a*) Gold or silver, coined or uncoined, manufactured or unmanufactured;

(*b*) plated articles;

(*c*) cloths and tissue and lace of which gold or silver forms part;

(*d*) precious stones, jewellery, trinkets;

(*e*) watches, clocks or time-pieces of any description;

(*f*) Government securities;

(*g*) Government stamps;

(*h*) bills of exchange, hundís, promissory notes, bank-notes, orders or other securities for payment of money;

(*i*) maps, writings, title-deeds;

(*j*) paintings, engravings, lithographs, photographs, carvings, sculpture and other works of art;

(*k*) glass, china, marble;

(*l*) silks in a manufactured or unmanufactured state, and whether wrought up or not wrought up with other materials;

(*m*) shawls;

(*n*) lace;

(*o*) opium;

(*p*) ivory, ebony, sandalwood, saudalwood-oil;

(*q*) musical and scientific instruments.

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PART VI.

Bill of the India Council.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to amend the Code of Civil Procedure was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 5th March, 1879:—

REPORT.

We, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to amend the Code of Civil Procedure was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers specified in the annexed list.

2. In the interpretation-clause, we have expressly declared that an order finally disposing of an application for execution falls within the definition of 'decree.' This will remove a doubt which we understand has been felt in two of the High Courts. We have also provided that 'signed' shall include stamped. The use of a seal capable of producing an impression of the name and title of the person using it is common among Natives of rank.

3. To section 13 we have added an explanation declaring in effect, that a decision in a suit for arrears of rent under any local law relating to landlord and tenant, shall not be deemed to be *res judicata* in case of suits relating to the title to the property in respect of which the rent is claimed.

4. In section 44, we have provided for joining, with claims by and against a legal representative as such, claims which he was personally entitled to, or liable for, jointly with the deceased person whom he represents, *e. g.*, on a promissory note jointly executed by the deceased and the person who becomes his executor.

5. We have altered the last paragraph of section 52, so as to require the examination of the witness to the verification of the plaint only when the Court entertains doubt as to the fact of the signature.

6. We have extended section 108 to all cases in which decrees have been set-aside *ex parte*, and provided for cases in which the summons was not duly served, as well as for those in which the defendant was prevented from appearing.

7. Section 131 does not as Act VIII of 1859, section 107, did, empower parties to give notice to produce documents generally. We have therefore made section 131 apply to the production of all documents in the possession or power of a party, whether they are or are not referred to in the plaint, written statement or affidavit of the latter.

8. We have struck out from section 230 the words as to granting subsequent applications for execution, when the Court is satisfied that on the preceding application due diligence had been used to procure complete satisfaction. The effect of these words appears to us to discourage leniency and to invite litigation. We have altered the same section, so as to provide (in accordance with the new Limitation Act, schedule II, Art. 179, paragraph 6) for a decree

awarding maintenance, which has been held not to be a decree directing "the payment of money or the delivery of property by instalments."

9. We have amended section 245, so as to provide for non-compliance with the requirements not only of sections 235 and 236, but also of sections 236 and 237.

10. We have altered the first explanation to section 246, so as to bring within its scope decrees made over to a Court for execution.

11. We have amended sections 259 and 260, so as to make it clear that, when an attachment under either section has remained in force for the specified time, if the judgment-debtor has not obeyed the decree and the decree-holder has, within that time, applied for a sale, the property may be sold; but that, if the judgment-debtor has obeyed, and the decree-holder has not made such application, the attachment shall cease.

12. We have provided, in section 268, that, where a moiety of the salary of a public officer or railway-servant is attached, the attachment shall be made by an order requiring the officer whose duty it is to disburse the salary to withhold every month such portion as the Court may direct until the amount of the portions so withheld is equal to the amount of the decree; and we have authorized him to pay into Court every portion so withheld, and declared that such payment shall discharge the Government or the Railway Company. We have struck out the last paragraph of the same section.

13. We have altered section 291, so as to empower the Court directing an execution-sale, as well as the officer conducting one, to adjourn it.

14. Where the holder of a decree in execution of which property is sold purchases the property without the Court's permission, we have provided in section 294, that the Court may, if it thinks fit, set-aside the sale, and that any deficiency of price which may happen on a re-sale shall be paid by the decree-holder.

15. We think that mortgages, leases and sales made under section 305 by the judgment-debtor should not become absolute until they are confirmed by the Court; and we have added a provision to this effect.

16. We think that, besides the decree-holder and the owner of land sold in execution, any other person interested in the sale should have power to apply to set it aside on the ground of material irregularity; and we have amended section 311 of the Code accordingly.

17. Much doubt exists as to where the title to land sold at an execution-sale vests in the purchaser. We think it should vest from the date of the certificate, which is granted as soon as the sale becomes absolute; and we have added to section 316 a sentence to this effect.

18. We have recast sections 322 and 323 of the Code, so as to make them express clearly what we believe to have been the intention of their author, namely, that, where a money-decree in satisfaction of which the Court has ordered a sale of land has been transferred to the Collector, he should ascertain the amount of *all* existing decrees against the judgment-debtor and raise the amount necessary to discharge all his judgment-debts with interest, by dealing with such land, and such land only, in any of the modes prescribed by section 322.

19. We have altered section 331, paragraph two, so as to express the provisions of the corresponding section (229) of Act VIII of 1859, and we have redrawn the latter half of section 332, so as to avoid the reference to the Specific Relief Act, section 9, whilst maintaining the procedure required by that enactment and the effect of an order passed thereunder.

20. We think that the first payment of a judgment-debtor's monthly subsistence-money should be made to the proper officer of the Court, and that the subsequent payments should be made to the officer in charge of the jail; and we have altered section 339 accordingly.

21. When an applicant for the benefit of the insolvency-chapter (XX) furnishes sufficient security that he will appear when called upon, we have empowered the Court to release him. The Recorder of Rangoon exercises under the Burma Courts Act insolvency-jurisdiction in the towns of Rangoon, Maulmain, Akyab and Bassein. We do not think it expedient that any other Courts should exercise such jurisdiction concurrently with him. We have therefore expressly excluded all Courts situate in such towns from the operation of chapter XX.

22. Where a pauper's suit is dismissed for non-appearance of either party, we have empowered the Court to order him to pay the fees which would have been paid by him if he had not been permitted to sue as a pauper.

23. We have amended section 456 of the Code so as to provide for obtaining an order for the appointment of a guardian *ad litem* upon application by the plaintiff; and where there is no other person fit and willing to act as such guardian, we have authorized the Court to appoint any of its officers.

24. We have substituted for section 555 a section providing that in all cases the appellant shall begin.

25. We have made section 560 of the Code provide for the cases when notice is not served on the respondent, as well as for those in which he was prevented from appearing.

26. We have amended section 582 of the Code, so as to preclude the doubt whether the Appellate Court is bound (so far as may be) to perform the duties, as well as authorized to exercise the powers, of the Court of first instance.

27. In section 584, clause (*a*), we have omitted the words "some specified," which have been held by some to limit the 'law' there mentioned to a statutory enactment, and by others to require the appellant to express in formal terms the rule which he alleges to have been contravened.

28. We think that appeals should lie from orders under section 57, clause (*a*), returning a plaint on the ground that the suit has been instituted in the wrong Court; and from orders under section 313 refusing an application to set-aside a sale of immoveable property; and

we have amended section 588 accordingly. We have also amended the last clause of the same section, so as to give a second appeal from all orders under section 244, as to mesne profits or relating to the execution, discharge or satisfaction of a decree.

29. We have extended section 642, so as to exempt from arrest under the Code the parties to any matter pending before a tribunal having, or believing *bonâ fide* that it has, jurisdiction, their pleaders, mukhtárs, revenue-agents and witnesses while going to, attending or returning from, such tribunal. This will include not only civil Courts, but criminal Courts, Courts-martial and arbitrators, and accords with the existing law of England.

30. Sections 223—229 seem to provide sufficiently for the execution of decrees. We have therefore limited section 648 to arrests and attachments made otherwise than in execution, and provided for the release of any person arrested under that section who furnishes security for his appearance before the Court that issued the warrant.

31. We have added to section 649 a paragraph providing for the execution of the decrees of Courts which have ceased to exist, as for example, where a Court of Small Causes is abolished by the Local Government under Act XI of 1865, section 8, or where a Munsif invested with Small Cause jurisdiction, having passed a considerable number of decrees, is transferred to another Munsifí, and his successor at the particular Munsifí at which this jurisdiction was exercised has not been invested with similar jurisdiction.

32. We have inserted after section 650, a section providing for the service of foreign summonses when issued either by Courts established by the Governor General in Council, or by Courts to which the Governor General in Council has applied this provision.

33. We have amended the second schedule, so as to extend to the Small Cause Courts in the Mufassal

sections 223—229, as to execution of decrees;

section 360, enabling the Local Government to invest any Court with insolvency-jurisdiction;

chapter XXXVI, as to Receivers; and

sections 523, 524, as to filing in Court agreements to refer to arbitration, and sections 525, 526, as to filing awards made on reference without the intervention of a Court.

34. We have made several corrections of clerical and typographical errors which need not be specified.

35. Lastly, we have amended the Registration Act, by inserting a clause providing that a copy of every certificate of sale of land granted under section 316 of the Code shall be sent to the local registering officer, who will file it in his Book No. 1. We have also taken the opportunity to amend three trifling errors in this Act, one of which is a misprint. And we have amended the Limitation Act, by inserting in its second schedule articles providing respectively for applications under sections 308 and 371 of the Code.

36. We recommend that the Bill thus amended be passed. The Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons have been published in English in all the local Gazettes except those for Assam and Ajmer. They have been published in the vernacular in all the Gazettes except those for the Central Provinces, British Burma, Assam and Ajmer. We do not think that the Bill has been so altered as to require republication.

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The 5th March, 1879.

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„ Secretary, Rajsháhái Association, dated 28th July, 1878, and enclosure.
„ Acting Under Secretary to Government, Bombay, No. 4426, dated 31st July, 1878, and enclosures.
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„ Srí Báládisha Dámodára Ráo, Mangalore, to Hon'ble Whitley Stokes, dated 5th October, 1878.
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The following supplementary Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 19th March, 1879:—

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to amend the Code of Civil Procedure was referred, have the honour to submit the following supplementary Report.

2. Since our Report of the 5th March was presented, our colleague Mr. Stokes has received from Mr. Justice Ainslie a note on the Bill which has led us to make certain further changes therein.

3. It seems to us that the definition of "decree," even when made to include orders finally disposing of applications for execution, is not wide enough. It does not, for instance, comprise an order made on settlement of issues overruling pleas of law (such as that the suit is barred by the Limitation Act), and directing a trial of complicated questions of fact or the investigation of complicated accounts; for this does not "decide the suit," as the defendant may have a defence on the facts. Again, it does not include a decretal order for an account, for this does not "decide the suit;" inasmuch as, on taking the account, it may turn out that nothing is due, in which case the plaintiff's suit would in the end be dismissed. Yet a defendant ought not, if he has a good defence, to be put to the possibly enormous expense and inconvenience of an account for (say) twenty years. He should clearly have a right of appeal. The fact is that there may be more than one decree in a suit and that the various points arising may be decided at different hearings and the results embodied in different "formal orders." We have therefore widened the first sentence of the definition of "decree" as follows: "decree means the formal expression of a final adjudication upon any right claimed, or defence set up, in a Court of justice."

4. We have not overlooked the fact that some of the orders under section 244 of the Code, from which we propose to give two appeals by section 588 as now amended, may be held to be decrees within the meaning of this first sentence of the definition; but we deem it safer, in order to prevent all mistake, to give the appeals from these orders in express terms by section 588, and formally to exclude them from the definition of decree. We have also defined "order" as meaning the formal expression of any decision of a Court of justice which is not a decree, and we have defined "judgment" as the statement given by the Judge of the grounds of a decree or order.

5. There is much evidence to shew that the examination of a witness as to the fact of signature of the verification of the plaint by the person whose name it purports to bear is a useless form. We have therefore, instead of amending section 52 of the Code as proposed by the Bill as last settled, repealed the part of that section requiring such examination.

6. We think that the Court should fix a period within which the sum required to defray the costs of service of a process must be paid into Court by the party concerned. In the absence of such a provision (which was contained in Act XXIII of 1861, section 2), there is no rule by which the Court is to be guided in determining when a party is in default. We have therefore amended section 93 of the Code so as to require a period to be fixed for the payment of the Court-fee, and we have made a similar amendment in section 95, as to payment of postage.

7. It is strongly urged by Mr. Justice Ainslie that our proposed change in section 168 of the word "may" to "shall" would assist litigants to obstruct justice by obtaining unnecessary adjournments. We have accordingly omitted the section of the Bill by which it was proposed to make that change.

8. We have provided in section 289 for fixing up in the Court-house a copy of the proclamation of sale, and we have made a corresponding amendment in section 290.

9. The question is constantly arising whether a fresh proclamation is required when a sale is adjourned. We have provided in section 291 that, in case of such adjournment for a longer period than seven days, a fresh proclamation shall be made, unless the judgment-debtor consents to waive it.

10. In section 220 we have provided for the execution of orders as to costs.

11. In our report of the 5th of March we proposed to alter section 311 of the Code so as admit of other persons in an execution-sale besides the decree-holder and the owner applying to set-aside the sale. We have, at the suggestion of the High Court at Fort William, struck out this amendment of section 311 of the Code. The High Court urges that it would be of little practical benefit and that it might sometimes be misused to delay the completion of proceedings in execution by persons put forward by the judgment-debtor to dispute the regularity of the sale.

12. We have repealed the last nineteen words of section 13 of Act XI of 1865. They are, in the opinion of the same High Court, unnecessary and occasionally mischievous.

13. The importance of the change now made in the definitions of "decree" and "judgment," makes it desirable in our opinion that the Bill should be republished, so as to afford an opportunity for the correction of any oversight into which we may have fallen; but the substance of the amendment has now been so fully discussed that we think that, unless some serious objection is brought to light, there can be no objection to the Bill being passed as it stands; and, looking to the urgency of some of its provisions, we think its passing should not be delayed more than two months.

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No. III.

Bill to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, the Registration Act, 1877, and the Limitation Act, 1877.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Code of Civil Procedure; It is hereby enacted as follows :— Preamble

1. The following portions of the said Code shall be repealed (namely) :— Repeal of certain portions of Act X of 1877.

In section 4, the words and figures "The Panjáb Courts Act, 1865," and "The Panjáb Appeals Act, 1873 :"

In section 5, the third sentence :

In section 51, the words "with the permission of the Court :"

In section 52, from and including the words "and when he makes it out of Court" to the end :

In section 61, the words "bill of exchange or other :"

In section 64, the words "or as soon thereafter as may be practicable :"

In section 80, the words "or to receive the copy of the summons :"

In section 131, the words "in whose plaint, written statement or affidavits reference is made to any document :"

In section 199, the words from and including "and in" to the end :

In section 224, the word "therewith :"

In section 230, paragraphs three and four, the words "unless the Court is satisfied that on the last preceding application due diligence was used to procure complete satisfaction of the decree; and the order of the Court granting any such subsequent application shall be conclusive evidence that due diligence was used to procure such satisfaction. And no such subsequent application shall be granted :"

In section 246, clause (*e*) and the letters (*f*) and (*g*) :

In section 259, the words "and keeping the same under attachment until the further order of the Court :"

In section 339, paragraph three, the words "to the proper officer of the Court :"

In section 341, the word "third :"

In section 353, the words "within three months from its publication," and "within three months from the publication of the schedule :"

In sections 407 and 408, the words "upon such examination :"

In section 584, clause (*a*), the words "some specified :"

In section 588, clause (*j*), the words "of the same nature with appealable orders made in the course of a suit :" in the same section, clause (*r*), the figures "481 :"

In section 638, the figures "261 :"

In the second schedule, the words and figures "section 648 (so far as relates to arrest)."

2. In section 2, for the definitions of "judgment" and "decree," the following shall be substituted (namely) : Amendment of section 2.

"decree" means the formal expression of a final adjudication upon any right claimed, or defence set up, in a Court of justice. An order rejecting a plaint under section 53, clause (*d*), or under section 54, clause (*c*), is within this definition. An order on appeal remanding a suit for retrial is not within this definition, nor is any order specified in section 588 :

"order" means the formal expression of any decision of a Court of justice, which is not a decree :

"judgment" means the statement given by the Judge of the grounds of a decree or order."

In the same section, to the definition of "signed," the following words shall be added (namely), "it also includes stamped with the name of the person referred to."

3. In section 13, Explanation I, for the word "confessed," the word "admitted" shall be substituted; and to the same section, the following shall be added (namely) :—"*Explanation VII.*—A Court trying a suit under any law for the time being in force regulating the procedure in suits between land-holders and their tenants or agents, shall not be deemed, as regards the title to the immoveable property in respect of which the suit is brought, a Court of competent jurisdiction within the meaning of the first paragraph of this section." Amendment of section 13.

4. In section 43, paragraph one, for the words "arising out of," the words "which the plaintiff is entitled to make in respect of" shall be substituted : in the same section, paragraph two, for the word "for" (in each of the places where it occurs) the words "in respect of" shall be substituted; and in the same section, paragraph three, for the word "claim," the words "cause of action" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 43.

5. To section 44, the following words shall be added (namely), "or are such as he was entitled to, or liable for, jointly with the deceased person whom he represents." Amendment of section 44.

6. In section 45, for paragraph one, the following shall be substituted (namely), "Subject to the rules contained in section 44, the plaintiff may unite in the same suit several causes of action against the same defendant or the same defendants jointly, and any plaintiffs having causes of action in which they are jointly interested against the same defendant or the same defendants jointly may unite such causes of action in the same suit :" Amendment of section 45.

in the same section, paragraph two, after the word "defendant," the words "or at any subsequent stage of the suit, if the parties agree" shall be inserted.

7. In section 50, for the word "abode" in each of the places where it occurs, the word "residence" shall be substituted. Amendment of section 50.

8. To section 51 the following proviso shall be added (namely) :— Amendment of section 51.

"Provided that, if the plaintiff, by reason of absence or for other good cause, is unable to sign the plaint, it may be signed on his behalf by his duly authorized agent."

9. In sections 51, 53, 115, 346, 393 and 403, for the word "subscribed" (wherever it occurs), the word "signed" shall be substituted : in sections 115 and 346, for the word "subscribing," the word "signing" shall be substituted; and in section 403, for the word "subscription," the word "signing" shall be substituted. Amendment of sundry sections.

Amendment of section 58.

10. In section 58, for the word "filed," the word "produced" shall be substituted.

Amendment of sections 93 and 95.

11. In section 93, after the word "levied," and in section 95, after the word "paid," the words "within a time to be fixed by the Court" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 108.

12. In section 108, paragraph one, the words and figures "under section 100" shall be omitted; and in the same section, paragraph two, for the words "it be proved to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant," the words "he satisfies the Court that the summons was not duly served, or that he" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 131.

13. In section 131, paragraph one, for the words "such document," the words "any specified document" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 136.

14. In section 136, after the word "discovery" (in each of the places in which it occurs), the word "production" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 139.

15. In section 139, for the words "the production of which has been called for under section 138 and which has not been produced," the words "which should have been, but has not been, produced in accordance with the requirements of section 138" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 207.

16. In section 207, for the word "suit," the word "decree" shall be substituted; and for the words "or numbers" to the end, the following words shall be substituted (namely), "or by numbers in a record of settlement or survey, the decree shall specify such boundaries or numbers."

Amendment of sections 211 and 212.

17. In section 211, for the words "land or other," the words "the recovery of possession of immoveable" shall be substituted; and in section 212, before the word "immoveable," the words "the recovery of possession of" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 220

18. To section 220 the following words shall be added (namely): "Every order relating to costs made under this Code and not forming part of a decree may be executed as if it were a decree for money."

Amendment of section 229.

19. In section 229, for the words "Native Prince or State in India," the words "Foreign Prince or State" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 230.

20. In section 230, clause (*b*), for the words "the payment of money or the delivery of property by instalments—the date of the default in paying or delivering the instalment," the following words shall be substituted (namely), "any payment of money, or the delivery of any property, to be made at a specified date—the date of the default in making the payment or delivering the property."

Amendment of section 235.

21. In section 235, for the words "in manner hereinbefore provided for the verification of plaints," the following words shall be substituted (namely), "by the applicant or, with the permission of the Court, by some other person proved to the satisfaction of the Court to be acquainted with the facts of the case."

Amendment of sections 236 and 237.

22. In sections 236 and 237, for the words "If the application be," the words "Whenever an application is made" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 244.

23. In section 244, clause (*c*), after the word "execution," the words "discharge or satisfaction" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 245.

24. In section 245, for the first sentence, the following shall be substituted (namely), "The Court on receiving an application for the execution of a decree shall ascertain whether such of the requirements of sections 235, 236, 237 and 238 as may be applicable to the case have been complied with, and if they have not been complied with, the Court shall reject the application, or return it for such compliance, or allow it to be amended then and there."

Amendment of section 246.

25. In section 246, for Explanation I, the following shall be substituted (namely):—

"*Explanation I.*—The decrees contemplated by this section are decrees capable of execution at the same time and by the same Court."

In Explanation II, after the words "assignor as," the words "in respect of judgment-debts due" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 259.

26. For the second paragraph of section 259, the following shall be substituted:—

"When any attachment under this section has remained in force for six months, if the judgment-debtor has not obeyed the decree and the decree-holder has applied to have the attached property sold, such property may be sold, and out of the proceeds the Court may award to the decree-holder, in cases where any amount has been fixed under section 208, such amount, and, in other cases, such compensation as it thinks fit, and shall pay the balance, if any, to the judgment-debtor on his application.

"If the judgment-debtor has obeyed the decree, and paid all costs of executing the same which he is bound to pay, or if, at the end of six months from the date of the attachment, no application to have the property sold has been made and granted, the attachment shall cease to exist."

Amendment of section 260.

27. In section 260 in the first paragraph, after the words "the performance of," the words "or abstention from" shall be inserted; and for the second paragraph the following paragraphs shall be substituted (namely):—

"When any attachment under this section has remained in force for one year, if the judgment-debtor has not obeyed the decree and the decree-holder has applied to have the attached property sold, the property may be sold, and out of the proceeds the Court may award to the decree-holder such compensation as it thinks fit, and may pay the balance, if any, to the judgment-debtor on his application.

"If the judgment-debtor has obeyed the decree, and paid all costs of executing the same which he is bound to pay, or if, at the end of one year from

the date of the attachment, no application to have the property sold has been made and granted, the attachment shall cease to exist."

Amendment of section 264.

28. In section 264, after the words "the same," the words "and not bound by the decree to relinquish such occupancy" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 265.

29. To section 265 the following words shall be added (namely), "and according to the rules for the time being in force for the partition, or the separate possession of shares, of such estates."

Amendment of section 268.

30. For the last paragraph of section 268, the following shall be substituted (namely):—

"In the case of the salary of a public officer or the servant of a Railway Company, the attachment shall be made by a written order requiring the officer whose duty it is to disburse the salary to withhold every month such portion as the Court may direct, until the amount of the portions so withheld is equal to the amount remaining due under the decree.

"A copy of every such order shall be fixed up in a conspicuous part of the court-house and shall be served on the officer so required.

"Every such officer may from time to time pay into Court any portion so withheld, and such payment shall discharge the Government or the Railway Company, as the case may be, as effectually as payment to the judgment-debtor."

Amendment of section 289.

31. To section 289, paragraph one, the following words shall be added, namely: "and a copy thereof shall be fixed up in the Court-house;" and in section 290, for the words "notification has been affixed" the words "copy of the proclamation has been fixed up" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 291.

32. In section 291, for the first eight words, the following shall be substituted (namely): "The Court may in its discretion adjourn any sale under this chapter, and the officer conducting any such sale;" and in the same section, after the proviso, the following sentence shall be inserted namely:—"whenever a sale is adjourned under this section for a longer period than seven days, a fresh proclamation under section 289 shall be made, unless the judgment-debtor consents to waive it.

Amendment of section 294.

33. To section 294 the following paragraph shall be added (namely) :—

"When a decree-holder purchases, by himself or through another person, without such permission, the Court may, if it thinks fit, on the application of the judgment-debtor or any other person interested in the sale, by order set-aside the sale; and the costs of such application and order, and any deficiency of price which may happen on the re-sale, and all expenses attending it, shall be paid by the decree-holder."

Amendment of section 295.

34. In section 295, first proviso, after the words "shall not," the words "as such" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 305.

35. In section 305, paragraph two, after the word "therein," the words and figures "and notwithstanding anything contained in section 276," shall be inserted; and for the last paragraph, the following shall be substituted (namely) :—

"Provided also that no mortgage, lease or sale under this section shall become absolute until it has been confirmed by the Court."

Amendment of section 314.

36. In section 314, after the word "property," the words "in execution of a decree" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 316.

37. To section 316 the following sentence shall be added (namely): "And the title to the property sold shall be deemed to vest in him from the date of such certificate."

Substitution of sections for sections 322 and 323.

38. For sections 322 and 323 the following sections shall be substituted (namely) :—

Procedure of Collector when execution of decree so transferred.

"322. Whenever the execution of a decree, not being a decree ordering the sale of immoveable property in pursuance of a contract specifically affecting the same, but being a decree for money in satisfaction of which the Court has ordered the sale of immoveable property, has been so transferred, the Collector may either proceed as the Court would proceed under section 305, or, if he has reason to believe that all the judgment-debts of the judgment-debtor can be discharged without a sale of the whole of such property, he may publish a notice in the language of the district, calling upon all persons holding decrees against the judgment-debtor to notify in writing to the Collector, within sixty days from the date of such publication, the existence of such decrees, the respective dates thereof and the sums remaining due thereon, respectively.

"Such notice shall be published by being posted in the court-house of the Court which made the order under section 304, and at such other places (if any) as the Collector thinks fit.

Powers of Collector in such cases.

"323. The Collector shall ascertain the sums remaining due on such decrees respectively, and may then (notwithstanding any order under section 304, but subject to such rules as may from time to time be made in this behalf by the Chief Controlling Revenue-Authority) raise the amount necessary to discharge each of such sums, with interest thereon according to the decree under which it is due, or, if the decree makes no provision as to interest, then with interest (if any) at such rate as he thinks fit—

"(*a*) by letting in perpetuity, or for a term, on payment of a premium equivalent to such amount, the whole or any part of the property of which the sale has been ordered: or

"(*b*) by mortgaging the whole or any part of such property: or

"(*c*) by selling part of such property: or

"(*d*) by letting on farm, or managing by himself or another, the whole or any part of such property for any term not exceeding twenty years from the date of the order of sale: or

"(*e*) partly by one of the modes mentioned in clauses (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*), and partly by another or others of such modes.

"For the purpose of managing under this section the whole or any part of such property, the Collector may exercise all the powers of its owner.

"So long as any letting or management under clause (*d*) or clause (*e*) continues, the judgment-debtor and his representative in interest shall be incompetent to mortgage, charge, lease or alienate the property let or managed or any part thereof."

Amendment of section 331.

39. In section 331, paragraph two, for the words and figures "the Specific Relief Act, 1877, section 9," the word and figure "Chapter V" shall be substituted; and to the same section the following paragraph shall be added (namely), "Every such order shall have the same force as a decree and shall be subject to the same conditions as to appeal or otherwise."

Amendment of section 332.

40. In section 332, first paragraph, for the word "defendant," the word "judgment-debtor" shall be substituted; and for the other paragraphs, the following shall be substituted (namely), "If after examining the applicant it appears to the Court that there is probable cause for making the application, the Court shall proceed to investigate the matter in dispute, and if it finds that the ground mentioned in the first paragraph of this section exists, it shall make an order that the applicant recover possession of the property, and if it does not find as aforesaid, it shall dismiss the application.

"In hearing applications under this section, the Court shall confine itself to the grounds of dispute above specified.

"The party against whom an order is passed under this section may institute a suit to establish the right which he claims to the present possession of the property; but subject to the result of such suit, if any, the order shall be final."

Amendment of section 333.

41. For section 333 the following shall be substituted (namely), "Nothing in section 331 or 332 applies to a person to whom the judgment-debtor has transferred the property after the institution of the suit in which the decree is made."

Amendment of section 335.

42. In section 335, for the first paragraph, the following shall be substituted (namely):—

"If the purchaser of any such property is resisted or obstructed by any person, other than the judgment-debtor, claiming in good faith a right to the present possession thereof, or, if in delivering possession thereof any such person is dispossessed, the Court, on the complaint of the purchaser or the person so dispossessed, shall enquire into the matter of the resistance, obstruction or dispossession, as the case may be, and pass such order thereon as it thinks fit;"

and in the second paragraph of the same section, for the word "conclusive," the word "final" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 339.

43. In section 339, paragraph four, after the word "made," the words "to the proper officer of the Court" shall be inserted; and to the same paragraph, the following words shall be added (namely), "and the subsequent payments (if any) shall be made to the officer in charge of the jail."

Amendment of section 340.

44. To section 349 the following words shall be added (namely), "or release him on his furnishing sufficient security that he will appear when called upon."

Amendment of section 357.

45. In section 357, line one, for the figures "355," the figures and word "351 or 355" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 360.

46. To section 360 the following paragraph shall be added (namely): "Nothing in this chapter shall apply to any Court having jurisdiction in the towns of Rangoon, Maulmain, Akyab and Bassein."

Amendment of sections 361, 362, 363, 365 and 368.

47. In sections 361, 362, 363, 365 and 368, for the words "cause of action" wherever they occur, the words "right to sue" shall be substituted.

Amendment of sections 364 and 366.

48. In section 364, paragraph one, and section 366, paragraph one, after the word "If," the words "within the time limited by law" shall be inserted; and in the latter section, paragraph one, for the words "Court may," the words "Court shall, on the application of the defendant," shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 373.

49. In section 373, paragraph one, for the words "for the part," the words "in respect of the part" shall be substituted; and to paragraph two, the words "or in respect of the same part" shall be added.

Amendment of section 377.

50. In section 377, for the first seven words, the following shall be substituted (namely), "Notice in writing of the deposit shall be given through the Court."

Amendment of sections 384, 477 and 483.

51. In sections 384, 477 and 483, after the word "affidavit," the words "or otherwise" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 406.

52. In section 406, for the word "shall," the words "may if he thinks fit" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 412.

53. In section 412, after the word "dispaupered," the words and figures "or if the suit is dismissed under section 97 or 98" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 413.

54. In section 413, for the word "Refusal," the words and figures "An order of refusal made under section 409" shall be substituted.

Amendment of sections 424, 428 and 429.

55. In section 424, after the words "against a public officer," the words "in respect of an act purporting to be done by him in his official capacity" shall be inserted; and in sections 428 and 429, after the words "public officer," the words "in respect of such act as aforesaid" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 437.

56. In section 437, for the first sentence, the following shall be substituted (namely), "In all suits concerning property vested in a trustee, executor or administrator, when the contention is between the persons beneficially interested in such property and a third person, the trustee, executor or administrator shall represent the persons so interested, and it shall not ordinarily be necessary to make them parties to the suit."

Amendment of section 456.

57. In section 456, for the words "in the name of the minor," the words "in the name and on behalf of the minor or by the plaintiff" shall be substituted; and to the same section the following paragraph shall be added (namely): "Where there is no other person fit and willing to act as guardian for the suit, the Court may appoint any of its officers to be such guardian, provided that he has no interest adverse to that of the minor."

Amendment of section 481.

58. In section 481, after the word "decree," the following words shall be inserted (namely), "or if, pending the suit, he becomes able to give security for his appearance as aforesaid, until he gives such security."

Amendment of section 483.

59. In section 483, after the words "portion of his property," the words "within the jurisdiction" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 484.

60. In section 484, after the word "suit," the words "or that he has with such intent quitted the jurisdiction of the Court, leaving therein property belonging to him" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 497.

61. In section 497, clause one, for the words "the injunction," the words "an injunction which it has granted" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 523.

62. In section 523, paragraph three, for the words "any of," the word "all" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 544.

63. In section 544, for the words "decree and," the words "decree, and thereupon" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 555.

64. For section 555 the following shall be substituted (namely):—

Right to begin.

"555. On the day so fixed, or on any other day to which the hearing may be adjourned, the appellant shall be heard in support of the appeal. The Court shall then, if it does not dismiss the appeal at once, hear the respondent against the appeal, and in such case the appellant shall be entitled to reply."

Amendment of section 560.

65. In section 560, for the words "it be proved that the respondent," the words "he satisfies the Court that the notice was not duly served, or that he" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 561.

66. In section 561, after the word "notice," the words "in writing" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 566.

67. In section 566, paragraph two, for the word "issue," the word "issues" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 582.

68. For the first paragraph of section 582, the following shall be substituted (namely): "The Appellate Court shall have, in appeals under this chapter, the same powers, and shall perform as nearly as may be the same duties, as are conferred and imposed by this Code on Courts of original jurisdiction in respect of suits instituted under chapter V."

Amendment of section 584.

69. In section 584, clause (*c*), after the word "may," the word "possibly" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 588.

70. In section 588, for clause (*e*), the following shall be substituted (namely): "(*e*) orders returning plaints under section 53, clause (*d*), or section 54, clause (*b*), or section 57;"

after clause (*f*), the following clause shall be inserted (namely):—

"(*ff*) orders rejecting applications under section 108 for an order to set-aside a decree *ex parte*;"

to clause (*h*) the following words shall be added (namely), "and orders under section 170 for the sale of attached property:"

in clause (*j*) for the word and figures "section 244," the following words and figures shall be substituted (namely), "sections 230, 231, 232, 234 and 244,:"

to clause (*m*) the following words shall be added (namely), "and orders under section 313 refusing an application to set aside a sale of immoveable property:"

And to section 588 the following words shall be added (namely):

"except in the case of appeals against orders under sections 230, 231, 232, 234 and 244, in which case a second appeal shall lie, and shall, in the case of appeals now pending, be deemed to have lain, on any of the grounds mentioned in section 584 and on no other grounds.

"The provisions contained in chapter XLI shall apply, so far as may be, to all second appeals under this section, and to the execution of orders passed therein. But save as aforesaid, no order mentioned in this section shall be deemed to be a decree within the meaning of that chapter."

Amendment of section 638.

71. In section 638, for the figures and word "16 and 17," the figures and word "16, 17 and 19" shall be substituted: and in the last paragraph after the word "any," the words "Judge of a" shall be inserted; and the word "its" shall be omitted.

Amendment of section 642.

72. In section 642, for the second paragraph, the following shall be substituted (namely):—

"And except as provided in sections 256 and 643, where any matter is pending before a tribunal having jurisdiction therein, or believing in good faith that it has such jurisdiction, the parties thereto, their pleaders, mukhtárs, revenue-agents and recognized agents, and their witnesses acting in obedience to a summons, shall

be exempt from arrest under this Code while going to or attending such tribunal for the purpose of such matter, and while returning from such tribunal."

Amendment of section 648.

73. In section 648, for the first forty-two words, the following shall be substituted (namely), "Where any Court desires that any person shall be arrested, or any property shall be attached, under any provision of this Code not relating to the execution of decrees, and such person resides or property is situate outside the local limits of its jurisdiction, the Court may, in its discretion, issue a warrant of arrest or make an order of attachment, and :"

and to the same section, the following words shall be added (namely), "unless the person arrested furnish sufficient security for his appearance before that Court, or (where the case is one under chapter XXXIV) for satisfying any decree that may be passed against him by such Court, in either of which cases the Court making the arrest shall release him."

Amendment of section 649.

74. To section 649 the following paragraph shall be added (namely) :—

"In the same chapter, the expression 'Court which passed a decree' or words to that effect, shall, unless there be something repugnant in the context, be deemed to include, where the decree to be executed is passed in appeal, the Court which passed the decree against which the appeal was preferred, and, where the Court which passed the decree to be executed has ceased to exist, the Court which, if the suit wherein the decree was passed were instituted at the time of making application for execution of the decree, would have jurisdiction to try such suit."

Service of foreign summonses.

75. After section 650 the following shall be inserted (namely) :—

"650A. Summonses issued by any Court situate beyond the limits of British India may be sent to the Courts in British India and served as if they had been issued by such Courts; provided that the Courts issuing such summonses have been established by the authority of the Governor General in Council, or that the Governor General in Council has, by notification in the *Gazette of India*, declared the provisions of this section to apply to such Courts."

Amendment of section 652.

76. In section 652, after the words "connected with," the words "its own procedure or" shall be inserted.

Amendment of schedule I.

77. In the first schedule, column third, opposite "XI of 1865," for the figures and word "11, paragraph 2," the figures and words "11, the last nineteen words of section 13, sections 19," shall be substituted; and opposite "V of 1866," after the word "inclusive," the words "and the schedule" shall be inserted.

Amendment of schedule II.

78. In the second schedule—

for the figures "230," the figures "223" shall be substituted:

before the words and figures "Chapter XXI," the words and figures "Chapter XX, section 360—Power to invest certain Courts with insolvency-jurisdiction" shall be inserted:

after the words and figures "Chapter XXXIV—Of arrest and attachment before judgment," the words and figures "except as regards immoveable property, Chapter XXXVI—Appointment of receivers" shall be inserted:

for the figures "522," the figures "526" shall be substituted.

Amendment of schedule IV.

79. In the fourth schedule, in form No. 172, for the word "seven" in each of the places where it occurs, the word "ten" shall be substituted.

Interpretation-clause.

80. In the preceding sections of this Act, the words "section" and "schedule" respectively mean section of, and schedule annexed to, the said Code.

And whereas it is also expedient to amend the Indian Registration Act, 1877, in manner hereinafter appearing; It is hereby further enacted as follows :—

Amendment of Act III of 1877, section 35.

81. In section 35 of the same Act, after the words "person appears," the words "to the registering officer" shall be inserted; and after the words "refuse to register the document," the words "as to the person so denying, appearing or dead" shall be inserted.

Amendment of section 51.

82. In section 51 of the same Act, for the figures "87," the figures "89" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 83.

83. In section 83 of the same Act, for the words "Subordinate Magistrate of the first," the words "Magistrate of the second" shall be substituted.

Addition to section 89.

84. To section 89 of the same Act, the following clause shall be added (namely) :—

"Every Court granting a certificate under section 316 of the Code of Civil Procedure shall send a copy of such certificate to the registering officer within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the whole or any part of the immoveable property comprised in such certificate is situate, and such officer shall file the copy in his Book No. 1."

And whereas it is also expedient to amend the Indian Limitation Act, 1877, in manner hereinafter appearing; It is hereby further enacted as follows :—

Amendment of Act XV of 1877, schedule II.

85. In the second schedule to the said Indian Limitation Act, 1877, after clause 171, the following clauses shall be inserted (namely) :—

"171A.—Under section 368 of the same Code, to have the representative of a deceased defendant made a defendant.	Sixty days ...	The date of the defendant's death.
"171B.—Under section 371 of the same Code, for an order to set aside an order for abatement or dismissal.	Ditto ...	The date of the order for abatement or dismissal."

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The following preliminary Report of a Select Committee, together with the Bill as settled by them, was presented to the Council of the Governor General of India for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations on the 19th March, 1879 :—

WE, the undersigned Members of the Select Committee to which the Bill to define and amend the law relating to alluvion, islands and abandoned river-beds was referred, have the honour to report that we have considered the Bill and the papers noted in the margin.

From the Hon'ble H. S. Cunningham, dated 7th October, 1878 (Paper No. 1).
" B. H Baden-Powell, Esq., to Hon'ble T. H. Thornton, dated 26th October, 1878 (Paper No. 2).
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 3193 A, dated 23rd October, 1878, and enclosures (Papers No. 3).
" Officiating Collector, Dháká, No. 835, dated 12th October, 1878 (Paper No. 4).
" Chief Commissioner, Ajmér and Merwára, No. 795, dated 20th November, 1878 (Paper No. 5).
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Mysore, No. 6653J-12, dated 18th November, 1878 (Paper No. 6).
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 3475A, dated 29th November, 1878, and enclosures (Papers No. 7).
" Secretary for Birár to Resident, Haidarábád, No. 11 B, dated 13th December, 1878 (Paper No. 8).
" Assistant Secretary, British Indian Association, dated 19th December, 1878, and enclosure (Papers No. 9).
" Assistant Secretary to Chief Commissioner, British Burma, No. 2582-245, dated 21st December, 1878, and enclosure (Papers No. 10).
" J. G. W. Sykes, Esq., Advocate, High Court, North-Western Provinces, dated 22nd October, 1878 (Paper No. 11).
" Secretary to Government, Bengal, No. 55, dated 7th January, 1879, and enclosures (Papers No. 12).
" Secretary to Government, Panjáb, No. 320, dated 20th January, 1879, and enclosures (Papers No. 13).
" Assistant Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. 893-15, dated 23rd January, 1879, and enclosure (Papers No. 14).
" Secretary to Chief Commissioner, Assam, No. 104T, dated 27th January, 1879, and enclosure (Papers No. 15).
" Rájá Harbalab Náráyana Singh, dated 10th January, 1879 (Papers No. 16).
" Secretary to Government, North-Western Provinces and Oudh, No. 267, dated 4th February, 1879, and enclosures (Papers No. 17).
" Secretary to Government, Panjáb, No. 469, dated 3rd February, 1879, and enclosures (Papers No. 18).
" ditto ditto, No. 633, dated 18th February, 1879, and enclosure (Papers No. 19).
Despatch from Secretary of State for India, No. 3, dated 6th February, 1879, and enclosure (Papers No. 20).
From Registrar, High Court, Calcutta, No. 400, dated 10th March, 1879 (Paper No. 21).

2. The Bill as introduced proposed that the division of the whole area of an island formed opposite several holdings should be made rateably among the owners in proportion to their respective frontages, and was framed so as merely to indicate those holders. If, for example, there were three such owners, A, B and C, whose respective frontages were 100 yards, 200 yards and 300 yards, it was intended that A should take one-sixth of the whole area of the island, B one-third and C one-half, and this division was to have been effected either by private arrangement or in default thereof by a suit for partition. It has, however, been strongly urged that, to preclude litigation and discrepancy of practice, the Bill should, at least in the case of land forming in rivers, contain rules not only for giving the areas, but for defining the plots, to which the several riparian owners are entitled. For this purpose rules have been suggested both by the Board of Revenue of the Lower Provinces and the High Court at Fort William, the former proposing that the alluvion should be divided by right lines perpendicular to the extremities of the frontages, the latter proposing a division by right lines bisecting the angles made by perpendiculars drawn from the extremities of adjacent frontages. But it will be seen on examination that, under either of these plans, alluvial lands formed in the bend of a river would sometimes fall to more than one estate, and further provision would then be required for a rateable division of those lands between the owners of the estates concerned. The subject is one of no small difficulty; but it seems to us that the following rule, which is said by a distinguished Settlement-officer (Mr. Ibbetson) to be practically the rule now in force in the Panjáb, and which is recommended for adoption by the Government of that Province, solves the problem satisfactorily and completely :—

"Where from natural causes an island or other land is formed in or on the bank of a river, either by accumulation of material or by recession of the river, each owner having a frontage on the river is entitled to so much of the land as is included by his frontage, the thread of the stream and lines drawn riverwards from the ends of such frontage to meet the thread of the stream in a direction normal to such thread.

[The term "normal," we may observe, is here used instead of "perpendicular," as the thread of the stream may be a curve. It is obvious that in such case several normals may possibly be drawn from the same point, and that these normals may be either of different or of the same length. The rule, therefore, proceeds as follows :—]

"Where more than one such normal can be drawn from one and the same end of any frontage and each of such normals is of different length, the shortest of such normals shall be deemed to be the including line; and where more than one such normal can be so drawn, and each of such normals is of the same length, the line bisecting the angle between the two extreme positions of the shortest normal shall be deemed to be the including line."

It will be seen that the above rule applies not only to alluvion deposited on the banks of two contiguous holdings, but also to islands. Incidentally, this will have the effect of rendering immaterial the often difficult question whether a new deposit is an island or not.

3. The above is the chief substantial alteration which we have made in the Bill. We now proceed to specify the minor changes which we deem desirable.

4. In the tidal portion of rivers like the Hugli are many islands which are flooded by ordinary tides in the rainy season, but only by extraordinary springs, or not at all, in the dry season. These chars are cultivable in the dry season and should be included in the definition of "island." We have therefore added to that definition the words "throughout the year."

5. To fix with more precision the time at which, for the purposes of the Bill, an alluvial island is first formed, we have provided that it must be capable of being employed for cultivation, pasture or other useful purpose, such, for example, as the supply of reeds or brush-wood. The question of fordability will thus be decided after an island newly formed becomes, as the Privy Council puts it, "valuable and usable."

6. Where any formation takes place on a site of which the Government is proved to be the owner, we have declared that the Government is entitled to such formation.

7. In the case of land formed on the shore of the sea or of a lake and in that of an island formed in the sea or a lake, we have provided that the distribution in proportion to the frontage of the riparian owners shall be effected by such officer as the Local Government may appoint and in accordance with such rules (consistent with the proposed Act) as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe.

8. We think that, to entitle the Crown to alluvial islands, the channel between the island and each bank or shore should not be fordable during the dry season next after the formation.

9. In determining the right to abandoned river-beds, we think we should have regard to the thread of the stream in the preceding dry season, and not to what it was immediately before the abandonment—a matter which cannot be always ascertained. In other respects, the rule for the division of such beds among the riparian owners will be the same as that which we have provided in the case of alluvial lands.

10. We have empowered the Local Government to declare, with reference to any tidal river, where, for the purposes of the proposed Act, the river shall be deemed to end and the sea to begin; and we have provided that no declaration under the Act shall be cancelled or altered, save with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council.

11. In the Panjáb the ownership of lands subject to the action of rivers is mainly regulated by local usage. We have accordingly retained the section of the Bill as introduced, which provided that such usages should be respected and, in certain cases, presumed to be in force. But such provisions do not appear to be required in Madras, Bombay, Oudh or the North-Western Provinces, and though local usage is saved in the Lower Provinces and Assam by the Bengal Regulation XI of 1825, there seems to be only one instance in which there has been any attempt to establish it. We have, therefore, confined to the Panjáb the section saving usage. But there is ground for the belief that even in that Province some of the local usages referred to,—including the usage known as "the deep-stream rule"—besides being objectionable on economic grounds and adverse to imperial interests are more or less unsuited to the time and distasteful to the communities affected by them. In these circumstances we have deemed it right, on the recommendation of experienced officers, to provide a procedure whereby such usages may, if thought expedient, be discontinued, and fixed boundaries substituted for varying boundaries in riparian estates.

12. As the rights of mortgagees and tenants to alluvial lands are saved by the Transfer of Property Bill, No. III, sections 37 and 65, clause (*e*), we have not thought it necessary to provide for such rights.

13. The Bill in its present form is not to be taken as expressing our final views as to all the difficult and important subjects with which it deals. But we think that the changes which it has undergone are such as to render republication desirable, for the purpose of eliciting criticism from the public and from the judicial and executive officers by whom its provisions will be carried into effect. We also think that its further consideration should be stayed until the new Law Commission has reported thereon. We therefore recommend that the Bill as now amended be republished with this Report in the *Gazette of India*, and sent to the Local Governments for opinion and for publication in the local Gazettes.

14. The Bill and Statement of Objects and Reasons have been published in English in the local Gazettes for Madras, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Panjáb, the Central Provinces and British Burma. Publication in English has not been reported from Bombay and Assam. Publication in the vernacular has been reported only from Madras, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and Oudh, the Panjáb and the Central Provinces.

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CALCUTTA;
The 19th March, 1879.

No. II.

A Bill to Define and amend the law relating to alluvion, islands and abandoned river-beds.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to define and amend the law relating to alluvion, islands and abandoned river-beds; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

I.—Preliminary.

Short title.

1. This Act may be called "The Indian Alluvion Act, 1879:"

Local extent.

It extends to the whole of British India;

Commencement.

And it shall come into force at once.

Repeal of enactments.

2. The Acts, Regulation and Rules mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed shall be repealed to the extent specified in the third column. References to the Regulation and Rules so repealed, in enactments passed subsequently thereto, shall be read as if made to this Act.

Interpretation-clause.

3. In this Act—

"island" means land surrounded by water and capable of being employed for cultivation, pasture or other useful purpose. It includes such land arising in a river or lake, submerged in the wet season and visible only in the dry season; but it excludes land arising in tidal rivers, tidal lakes or the sea, submerged by the flow of ordinary tides throughout the year:

"owner" means, in the case of a bank or shore held on raiyatwárí tenure, the Government: in the case of a bank or shore forming part of land situate in the Presidency of Bombay and wholly or partially exempt from the payment of land-revenue, or held under a grant or lease fixing the Government demand in respect thereof in perpetuity, the holder of such land; and in the case of a bank or shore held by a village-community, or by one or more members of it, such community:

"sea" includes bay, inlet, creek and arm of the sea:

"frontage" means the right line connecting the corners of each holding where they strike the sea, lake or river:

"Thread of the stream" means (*a*) the middle line of the main-stream during the dry season, or, where there are two streams of equal depth and width, the line equidistant during such season from the outermost shores of the two streams; (*b*) the middle line of the river between what are the shores on each side when the water is at its average height, neither swollen by flood, nor shrunk by drought; or (*c*) the middle line or the particular channel in which the formation of ancient river-bed referred to occurs or is situate;

and a channel is said to be "fordable" when it does not exceed five feet in depth in the dry season next after the formation referred to and throughout the twenty-four hours.

II.—Alluvial Land and Islands.

Right to land formed on shore of sea or lake.

4. Where, from natural causes, land forms gradually on the shore of the sea or of a lake, either by accumulation of material or by recession of the sea or lake, the owners of the shore are severally entitled to the land so formed in proportion to the frontage which they respectively had on the sea or lake immediately before the formation; and the partition of the land so formed shall be made by such officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf, and in accordance with such rules, consistent with this Act, as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe:

Provided that, where the land or any portion thereof forms on a site which is proved to belong to the Government or a private owner, the Government or such owner, as the case may be, is entitled to the land or portion so formed.

Right to islands where channel is not fordable.

5. Where an island is formed, from natural causes, in a river, the sea or a lake, either by accumulation of material or by recession of the sea or lake, if the island is separated from each bank or shore by a channel not fordable at any point, the Government is entitled to such island:

Provided that, where the island or any portion thereof is formed on a site which is proved to belong to a private owner, such owner is entitled to the island or portion so formed.

Right to other islands in sea or lake.

6. If where an island is formed as aforesaid in the sea or a lake, the channels between it and either shore are fordable at any point, the owners of the nearest shore are severally entitled to the island in proportion to the frontage which they respectively have on the sea or lake; and the partition of the island so formed shall be made by such officer as the Local Government appoints in this behalf and in accordance with such rules, consistent with this Act, as the Local Government may from time to time prescribe.

Right to land formed in, or on bank of, river.

7. Where, from natural causes, an island or other land is formed in, or on the bank of, a river, either by accumulation of material or by recession of the river, and the Government is not entitled thereto under section five, each owner having a frontage on the river is entitled to so much of the land as is included by his frontage, the thread of the stream during the dry season next after the formation and lines drawn riverwards from the ends of such frontage to meet the thread of the stream in a direction normal to such thread:

Where more than one such normal can be drawn from one and the same end of any frontage and each of such normals is of different length, the shortest of such normals shall be deemed to be the including line, and where more than one such normal can be so drawn and each of such normals is of the same length, the line bisecting the angle between the two extreme positions of the shortest normal shall be deemed to be the including line.

Provided that, where the land or any portion thereof is formed on a site which is proved to belong to the Government or a private owner, the Government or such owner, as the case may be, is entitled to the land or portion so formed.

Islands formed by division of rivers.

8. If a river freshly divides and surrounds, or, by changing its course, cuts off, lands belonging to the owner of the bank, such owner is entitled to the lands so surrounded or cut off.

III.—Abandoned River-beds.

Right to abandoned river-beds.

9. Where a river suddenly abandons the bed which it occupies during the season of flood, each owner having a frontage on such bed is entitled to so much of the bed as is included by his frontage, the thread of the stream during the dry season next before the abandonment and lines drawn towards the bed from the ends of such frontage to meet such thread in a direction normal thereto.

Where more than one such normal can be drawn from one and the same end of any frontage, the rules contained in the second paragraph of section seven shall apply:

Provided that, when the ancient bed is proved to have belonged immediately before the abandonment to the Government or a private owner, it shall continue to be the property of the Government or of such owner, as the case may be.

IV.—Miscellaneous.

Power to declare "main-stream," "dry season" and "thread of the stream."

10. The Local Government may, from time to time, declare, with reference to any river, or any part of any river,—

(*a*) what shall be deemed to be, for the purposes of this Act, the "main-stream" and the "dry season"; and

(*b*) which of the said definitions of "thread of the stream" shall be deemed to be in force.

The Local Government may also declare, with reference to any tidal river, where, for the purposes of this Act, the river shall be deemed to end and the sea to begin.

Every declaration made under this section, and all rules made under section four or section six, shall be published in the official Gazette, and shall thereupon have the force of law. And no such declaration shall be cancelled or altered save with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council.

In the absence of a declaration made under clause (*b*) as to any river or part thereof, and having the force of law, the first of the said definitions of "thread of the stream" shall be deemed to be in force with reference to such river or part.

Savings.

11. Nothing herein contained shall—

(*a*) affect any law relating to the assessment of land-revenue or to the enhancement or abatement of rent; or

(*b*) confer on any owner of a bank or shore in respect of which he is hereby declared to be entitled to alluvial land, to an island, or to an abandoned river-bed, any title to such land, island or river-bed, better than that which he has to the bank or shore; or

(*c*) enlarge any holding granted by Government, the area of which has been fixed by any sanad or other document executed under the authority of Government; or

(*d*) authorize any acts of private persons done in order to divert currents or cause accretions; or

(*e*) authorize any encroachments by private persons on the banks, beds or channels of navigable rivers; or

(*f*) prevent any officer duly empowered by the Local Government in this behalf from removing obstacles which appear to him to interfere with the safe and customary navigation of such rivers, or which obstruct the passage of boats by tracking on the banks of such rivers or otherwise; or

(*g*) prevent any officer duly empowered by the Local Government in this behalf from regulating the direction and flow of such rivers and the preservation and distribution of their waters.

Local usage in Panjáb.

12. In the territories administered by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Panjáb, nothing herein contained shall affect any definite and well-established local usage respecting the right to alluvial land, islands or abandoned river-beds; but (except in the cases provided for by the Panjáb Land-Revenue Act, 1871, section 16) the burden of proving such usage shall lie on the person alleging it:

Provided that the Local Government may from time to time (*a*) cause the bed of any river or part of a river, together with the islands and alluvial lands situate therein or adjacent thereto, to be surveyed and mapped, (*b*) appoint an officer to enquire into, determine and record the rights of private persons and the Government, in, to or over the said bed, islands and lands, and (*c*) declare that rights so recorded shall not be affected by any local usage. And the provisions of the Panjáb Land Revenue Act, 1871, chapter II, shall apply, so far as may be, to proceedings under this section, and the determination of the said rights shall be made after consideration of the gain and loss (if any) caused by changes in the course of the river for a period of twelve years next before the date of the survey-notification.

Right of Crown to alluvial lands, &c., not hereinbefore provided for.

13. All land and islands formed, and all river-beds abandoned, as mentioned respectively in sections four, five and nine, and not vesting under any of the provisions hereinbefore contained, shall vest in the Government.

THE SCHEDULE.

(*a*). ACTS OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
IV of 1872...	Panjáb Laws Act ...	So much as relates to Bengal Regulation XI of 1825.
XX of 1875...	Central Provinces Laws Act	Ditto.
XVIII of 1876	Oudh Laws Act ...	Ditto.

(*b*). BENGAL REGULATION.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
XI of 1825...	Alluvion	The whole.

(*c*). BENGAL ACT.

Number and year.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
IV of 1868...	Amending Act IX of 1847	Sections 2 and 4.

(*d*). RULES.

Date.	Subject.	Extent of repeal.
22nd May 1852.	Alluvion and Diluvion in Sindh.	Paragraphs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 20.

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Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops.

Statement showing Rainfall, Weather, and State and Prospects of the Crops in the different Districts of Bengal, as reported to Government during the week ending the 22nd March 1879.

	No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
BENGAL.				
		Western Districts.		
Burdwan Divn.	1	Burdwan, Mar. 22 '79	Nil	Weather—dry, but cool. State and prospects of crops unchanged.
	2	Bankoora, „ 22 „	Nil	Only a drizzle at Chatna Prospects of crops fair. Rain wanted for cotton. Small-pox still continues in some villages.
	3	Beerbhoom, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—fairly cool for time of year. Sugarcane good. Wheat being reaped.
	4	Midnapore, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. State and prospects of crops favourable. Small-pox at Sudder station. Cholera at Tumlook.
	5	Hooghly, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—clear throughout week. Some crops yet on ground. Fever, cholera, and small-pox still prevail in places
		Howrah, „ 24 „	Nil	Weather—rapidly growing warmer. State and prospects of crops favourable.
		Central Districts.		
Presidency Divn.	6	24-Pergunnahs, Mar. 22 '79	Nil	Weather—cooler. No crops on ground. High prices continue. Public health in general good.
	7	Nuddea, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cool still at night, but hot in day. Crops mostly cut; those on ground fair.
	8	Jessore, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—fairly cool for time of year. Rain wanted still. Winter harvest nearly over.
	9	Moorshedabad, „ 22 „	Nil	Cool nights and mornings, hot midday. No change to report about crops. Cholera in some thanas.
Rajshahye and Cooch Behar Divn.	10	Dinagepore, „ 21 „	Nil	High westerly winds. Weather hot during day, but cool at night. Most of *rubbee* crops harvested. Sowing of spring rice commenced.
	11	Rajshahye, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cooler than previous week. *Rubbee* harvest in progress; outturn not good, owing to want of rain. Spring rice requires rain. Lands being prepared for sowing rice crop.
	12	Rungpore, „ 21 „	Nil	Strong westerly wind during day, causing cool nights. Prospects of crops good. Cultivation of *aus* rice being commenced. Rain much wanted in most places. Small-pox still prevails in Bagdogra sub-division.
	13	Bogra, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cool for time of year. Standing crops pretty good. Rain much wanted. Public health fair.
	14	Pubna, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—warm in day, but cool at night. Rain still required. Small-pox still in town and thanas Pubna and Mowpore. Cholera also appeared in town and interior.
	15	Darjeeling, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—getting sensibly warm. Strong westerly wind during w being cleared for sowing. Very dry. Rain wanted.
	16	Julpigoree, „ 22 „	Nil	High west winds prevailed during early part of week. Weather ve since last few days temperature decreased. Rain much wanted. cholera here and there.
		Cooch Behar, „ 20 „	Nil	Weather—beginning to be hot. Strong west wind during day. Sowing of early rice commenced. Tobacco being still cut. Prospects of *chaena* and *kaon* good. Cholera in places.

No.	District, and date of return.	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date.
	BENGAL.—(*Continued.*)		
	Eastern Districts.		
DACCA DIVN. 17	Dacca, Mar. 22 '79	0·6	Weather—very cool at night for season. State and prospects of crops favourable.
	Manickgunge ...	0·09	
18	Furreedpore, „ 22 „	Nil	A severe storm at Goalundo. Weather much colder everywhere. Rain much
	Goalundo ...	0·40	wanted everywhere. Ploughing going on.
19	Backergunge, „ 20 „	Nil	Weather—clear and hot throughout day. Nights and mornings cool. Want of rain severely felt. Prices continue unchanged. Cholera in Motbaria and Tooskhali.
20	Mymensingh, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—cool for time of year. State and prospects of crops favourable; but rain wanted, especially for spring rice.
21	Tipperah, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—cool. Rain much wanted all over district for ploughing. Nearly all
	Brahmunbaria ...	0·92	cold-weather crops off the ground.
CHITTAGONG DIVN. 22	Chittagong, „ 20 „	0·02	Weather—cool. State and prospects of crops unchanged.
23	Noakholly, „ 20 „	0·36	Weather—cooler during week. A sharp thunderstorm on evening of 13th and again on 14th. Hail said to have fallen in northern part of district on 13th. Rain done some good to crops.
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts, „ 18 „	0·2	Weather—cloudy throughout week. *Júm* cutting nearly over. Rain badly wanted for chilly and other spring crops. Six cases of cholera reported, of which five proved fatal.
	Hill Tipperah, „ 19 „	0·80	Weather—cooler than last week. Some rain on evening of 13th. State and prospects of *boro* crop fair. Land being prepared here and there for sowing early rice.
	BEHAR.		
PATNA DIVN. 25	Patna, Mar. 22 '79	Nil	Weather—unusually cool. *Rubbee* crops being harvested; outturn fair.
26	Gya, „ 22 „	Nil	Morning cool. Maximum reading of thermometer in shade 101·3°. *Rubbee* crops being cut in places. Prices of food-grains remain stationary. Small-pox in places. Health of plough-cattle good.
27	Shahabad, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cool at night, but hot and windy in day. Sowing of *cheena* commenced; *rubbee* harvest going on. Public health fair, but small-pox still prevalent.
28	Durbhunga, „ 22 „	Nil	Mornings cool again. A strong west wind in early part of week, but during last two days wind fallen. *Rubbee* crops being gathered; outturn generally good. Rain wanted for indigo.
29	Mozufferpore, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—mild, with west wind. Harvesting of *rubbee* crops continues; outturn very fair. *Cheena* and *moong* being sown.
30	Sarun, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—rapidly getting warmer; high west wind and dust-storms during mid-day. Cold-weather crops nearly all harvested. *Cheena* being sown. Rain much wanted for *cheena* and indigo. Poppy-heads being tapped. Prices stationary. Public health good.
31	Chumparun, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—fine. Cool nights. Hot days with high west winds. *Rubbee* fair on the whole; harvest commenced. Indigo coming up well, but damaged a little by west winds.
32	Monghyr, „ 22 „	0·01	West wind with cool nights. *Rubbee* harvest going on. Opium and gram inferior.
33	Bhagulpore, „ 22 „	Nil	Clear weather, with strong westerly wind. *Rubbee* crops, linseed excepted, yielding well. Prices keep high owing to exportation.
	Purneah, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cool and dry. Strong westerly winds. State and prospects of crops unchanged.
	Maldah, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—clear and hot during day, but cool at night. Harvesting of late winter crops far advanced. Prices of all sorts of grain gone down a little. Health fair.
36	Sonthal Perghs. „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—fine, dry and cool. State and prospects of crops favourable. Very few crops on ground.

No.	District, and date of return	Rainfall at Sudder Station in inches.	Character of the weather, state and prospects of the crops, and state of health at date
ORISSA.			
Orissa Dtts. 37	Cuttack Mar. 22 '79	0·68	Weather—cool for the season; strong evening breezes, sometimes bringing showers. *Dalua* rice in ear, and in places attacked by worms ' Land being ploughed ' for next crops. Sporadic cases of cholera reported
38	Pooree, „ 20 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable; at Khorda very sultry. *Dalua* looking well. Common rice sells at 15¾ to 21 seers per rupee.
39	Balasore, „ 21 „	0·03	Weather—very variable in temperature. Slight rain in parts of the district. Morning fogs. State and prospects of crops unchanged.
CHOTA NAGPORE.			
	South-West Frontier Agency.		
40	Hazareebagh, Mar. 21 '79	Nil	Weather—seasonable. Mornings and evenings cool, days warm. Crops being rapidly gathered. Prospects fair.
41	Lohardugga, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—cool and pleasant. Prospects unchanged. *Mohwa* crop backward. Prices either stationary or rising slightly. Small-pox in Palamow.
42	Singbhoom, „ 21 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable and getting very hot. Nothing to report about crops.
43	Manbhoom, „ 22 „	Nil	Weather—seasonable. *Mohwa* harvest a splendid one. Cholera hanging about. It does not seem epidemic.

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RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE UNDERMENTIONED DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MARCH 1879.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																	
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.				
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.			
	BENGAL.																	
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	A 10 0	10 0	11 4	18 0	17 8	22 0	14 0	14 0	12 0	14 12	14 12	12 8	...	...	...		
2	Baukoora	B 12 8	10 8	12 8	16 0	16 0	18 0	12 8	15 8	12 8	17 8	17 12	17 0	...	...	...		
3	Beerbhoom	C 10 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	18 0	10 8	10 8	12 8	14 4	13 8	15 0	...	...	...		
4	Midnapore	12 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...		
5	Hooghly	D 11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	2 0	12 0	12 8	...	...	...		
	Howrah	10 8	11 8	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	13 4	13 0	12 8	...	...	...		
	Central Districts.																	
	Calcutta	10 0	10 12	11 12	13 8	13 5	14 8	5 11	5 6½	7 0	11 0	11 0	11 10	...	...	...		
6	24-Pergunnahs	E ...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4	6 4	6 12	11 0	10 12	10 8	...	...	...		
7	Nuddea	F 11 7	11 7	12 5	...	...	20 0	10 5½	10 10	10 10	11 7	11 7	11 10	...	...	...		
8	Jessore	G 9 0	...	11 0	...	...	...	10 10	9 4	11 8	12 12	13 0	13 0	...	...	...		
9	Moorshedabad...	H 11 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	35 0	12 0	11 8	11 0	13 8	13 5	13 0	...	...	...		
10	Dinagepore	I 8 11	8 6	12 0	12 4	16 0	...	13 3	12 0	18 0	15 9	14 6	19 0	...	...	...		
11	Rajshahye	J 12 0	12 0	12 12	26 4	26 4	27 8	9 12 to 11 4	9 12 to 10 8	10 0 to 11 4	13 8	12 12 to 15 0	12 12 to 13 8	...	...	...		
12	Rungpore	K 9 0	9 0	15 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	11 15	11 4½	11 4½	22 8	...	...	...		
13	Bogra	10 8	10 8	9 15½	...	...	...	9 0	9 12	12 0	13 8	14 4	15 12	...	...	...		
14	Pubna	L 13 8	13 8	10 8	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	8 0	13 8	13 0	12 0	...	...	...		
15	Darjeeling	M 8 0	8 0	6 8	8 0	8 0	...	4 0	4 0	6 8	9 0	9 0	8 8	...	...	...		
16	Julpigoree	N 7 5	7 0	10 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 5	12 3	16 0	...	...	...		
	Eastern Districts.																	
17	Dacca	O 10 12	10 8	13 0	...	...	...	11 4	10 8	12 0	12 4	12 4	14 4	16 0	16 0	...		
18	Furreedpore	P 12 8	12 8	15 0	14 0	14 0	...	6 0	6 0	7 0	12 4	12 8	13 0	...	...	...		
19	Backergunge	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...		
20	Mymensingh	R 10 0	10 0	10 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...		

* 24 seers entered in the return of 28th February was a mistake for 7 seers and 8 chittacks.

A In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 14½ seers, barley 16 to 18 seers, best rice 10½ to 15¾ seers, common rice 13½ to and gram 9 to 12½ seers.

B In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 12 seers, barley 17 to 34 seers, best rice 11 to 16 seers, common rice 15 to maize or Indian-corn 20 to 34 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

C In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 10 to 13½ seers, best rice 13½ to 16 seers, common rice 15 to 17½ seers, and gram 9 to 15 seers.

D In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 seers, barley 16 seers, best rice 8 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 13 seers, and gram 10 to 11 seers.

E In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 6½ to 6¾ seers, common rice 10½ to 13 seers, and gram 9½ to 10½ seers.

F In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 15/16 to 12½ seers, barley 16 seers, best rice 6½ to 11½ seers, common rice 11 5/16 to 12⅝ seers, and gram 9½ to 12¾ seers.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th March 1879.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLETS—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			DISTRICTS.
[illegible] return.	[illegible] return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
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...	...	...	...	...	...	31 0	31 4	30 0	10 8	10 0	12 0	400 0	360 0	440 0	9 0	9 0	8 8	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	180 0	180 0	200 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 8	14 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 4	11 0	100 0	100 0	80 0	10 0	10 0	9 8	Howrah.
																		Central District
12 8	17 12	11 10	...	...	...	17 10	20 0	...	11 8	10 4	14 8	64 0	64 0	100 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	11 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	8 12	9 0	9 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 6	9 2	8 14	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	9 0	9 12	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	8 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 9 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 12	7 0	14 8	180 0	180 0	180 0	8 4	8 4	8 0	Dinagepore.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 14	12 8	106 0	106 0	107 0	7 14	7 14	7 8	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 0	6 0	12 0	67 8	67 8	67 8	8 4	8 7	8 7	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	6 0	10 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	9 0	8 8	Pubna.
...	...	...	10 0	12 0	...	14 0	14 0	13 0	6 0	6 0	7 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 5	6 6	10 0	64 0	64 0	64 0	7 5	7 0	7 5	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
26 8	26 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	9 6	13 5	91 4	91 4	80 0	9 0	9 0	8 14	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	9 0	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 8	9 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	8 8	8 8	8 8	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	13 8	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	9 0	Mymensingh.

L In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7 to 8 seers, best rice 8 to 13 seers, common rice 11½ to 14 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.
M In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 11 seers, best rice 10 to 13 seers, common rice 13½ to 16 seers, and gram 8½ to 14 seers.
N In Joygunge the prices are—Best rice 12 seers and common rice 14 seers.
O In Suttore the prices are—Wheat 18 seers, best rice 9 seers, common rice 13½ seers, and gram 7½ seers.
P In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 7½ to 21 seers, best rice 8 to 12 seers, common rice 10 to 16 seers, and gram 7½ to 8 seers.
Q In Serajgunge the prices are—Wheat 11½ seers, best rice 6¾ seers, common rice 11 seers, and gram 7 seers.
R In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 5 to 10 seers, common rice 11 to 14 seers, and gram 6 to 7 seers.
S In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 6 to 10¾ seers, common rice 9 to 16 seers, and gram 5 to 6½ seers.
T In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10 to 11½ seers, common rice 12 to 13 seers, and gram 9¾ to 10 seers.
U In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 10 to 12½ seers, common rice 12 to 13½ seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.
V In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 12 to 13 5/16 seers, common rice 13 to 13 15/16 seers, and gram 5 to 12 seers.
W In the interior the prices range as follow :—Best rice 6 to 11 seers, common rice 10⅝ to 13 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

RETAIL PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in the under-

Number.	DISTRICTS.	QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																	
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts—(Contd.)	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
21	Chittagong	S 8 0	9 0	6 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...			
22	Noakholly	T ...	...	...	...	...	...	10 0	9 8	9 0	13 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...			
23	Tipperah	9 4	9 0	10 12	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	12 0	13 4	12 12	14 0	...	...	...			
24	Chittagong Hill Tracts	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	8 0	13 5	13 5	9 4	...	...	...			
	Hill Tipperah	7 5	7 0	8 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	15 5	...	...	...			
	BEHAR.																		
25	Patna	12 0	12 0	16 9	19 0	19 0	21 0	10 0	10 8	10 0	17 8	17 8	16 0	...	...	...			
26	Gya	U 13 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	17 8	20 8	8 0	8 0	8 8	15 0	15 0	12 8	...	...	...			
27	Shahabad	V 12 0 to 13 0	12 0 to 13 0	13 4 to 14 0	16 0	16 0 to 17 0	16 0	12 0	12 8 to 13 0	11 0 to 12 0	14 0	14 0 to 15 0	12 8 to 13 0	...	...	...			
28	Durbhunga	W 9 0	12 0	14 4	18 0	20 0	19 8	9 0	11 8	11 0	15 0	14 12	13 8	...	...	...			
29	Mozufferpore	X 12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	15 0	12 0	...	...	...			
30	Sarun	11 12	11 4	11 8	21 4	20 4	21 0	7 0	7 0	7 12	13 12	13 12	12 0	...	...	...			
31	Chumparun	Y 11 0	11 0	14 0	17 0	...	28 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 0	14 0	12 8	...	...	...			
32	Mongbyr	Z 11 5	11 5	15 7	16 7	19 9	16 8	8 4	9 4	8 4	11 10	12 6	12 6	...	...	...			
33	Bhagulpore	Z1 10 11	10 1	13 4	15 2	12 10	18 15	12 5	11 6	10 11	14 8	13 14	13 4	...	...	...			
34	Purneah	Z3 10 0 to 11 0	10 0 to 11 0	14 0 to 18 0	...	...	...	14 0	15 0 to 16 0	14 0 to 15 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...			
35	Maldah	9 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	30 0	10 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...			
36	Sonthal Pergunnahs	9 0	9 0	9 0	...	...	...	10 0	14 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...			
	ORISSA.																		
37	Cuttack	11 13	14 1	11 13	...	...	...	11 13	13 12	9 3	18 6*	18 6	11 13	...	...	...			
38	Pooree	10 8	10 8	10 8	...	...	...	8 8	8 8	8 8	15 2	15 12	11 13	...	...	...			
39	Balasore	10 0	9 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	10 0	17 0	16 0	11 0	...	...	...			
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
40	Hazareebagh	Z3 14 0 (New)	11 8	12 0	24 0	...	16 8	8 0	8 0	9 0	16 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...			
41	Lohardugga	Z4 8 0	8 0	10 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...			
42	Singbhoom	7 0	7 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...					
43	Manbhoom	Z5 11 0	9 0	11 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	19 0	19 0	17 0	...	...	...			

* In the interior the price of common rice varies from 19½ to 23⅝ seers per rupee.

S In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 12 seers and common rice 13 to 14 seers.

T In the interior the prices range as follow:—Best rice 10 to 16 seers and common rice 12 to 17 seers.

U In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12 to 14½ seers, common rice 16½ to 18 seers, lesser millets (at Nowada) 22 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Nowada) 18 seers, and gram 12 to 18 seers.

V In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 12½ to 14½ seers, barley 16 to 19 seers, best rice 7 to 10 seers, common rice 12½ to 14½ seers bulrush millet 17 to 18 seers, great millet 20 to 22½ seers, lesser millets 15 to 20 seers, maize or Indian-corn 18 to 22½ seers, and gram 10½ to 14 seers.

W In Madhubani the prices are—Wheat 11 seers, barley 25 seers, best rice 17 seers, common rice 18 seers, murwa 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn 35 seers, and gram 12 seers.

X In the interior the prices range as follow:—Wheat 11 to 15 seers, barley 16 to 20 seers, best rice 13 to 20 seers, common rice 16 to 22 seers, lesser millets 25 to 34 seers, maize or Indian-corn 25 to 37½ seers, and gram 11 to 15 seers.

CALCUTTA,

The 25th March 1879.

mentioned Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th March 1879.—(Contd.)

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millets—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
																		Eastern Districts—(Contd.)
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7 0	6 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 8	12 0	...	...	...	8 12	8 12	8 8	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 10	6 10	6 6	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 5	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	...	...	...	29 0	27 0	20 0	17 0 (New)	10 8	21 0	140 0	140 0	150 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	20 8	16 8	14 0	10 0	18 8	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Gya.
22 0	23 0	16 0	...	...	...	22 0	23 0	...	15 0 to 16 0	10 0 to 11 0	14 8 to 16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	8 4	Shahabad.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	20 12	28 0	27 0	19 8	10 0	7 8	13 8	121 0	120 0	187 0	8 2	8 0	8 12	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	27 8	27 0	19 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	8 8	8 8	8 0	Mozufferpore.
26 0	25 4	17 8	20 4	20 4	18 0	24 12	24 8	17 8	14 8	11 0	13 8	200 0	200 0	160 0	8 4	8 8	8 0	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	28 0	28 0	21 0	8 8	8 8	18 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	7 8	Chumparun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	16 8	12 11	10 5	18 9	126 0	147 0	126 0	8 4	8 4	8 4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 7	20 8	17 11	11 6	10 11	15 14	138 12	126 4	151 9	8 8	8 3	8 13	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	13 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	7 8	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	9 0	8 8	8 0	Maldah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	16 0	8 0	8 4	12 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Sonthal Pergha.
																		ORISSA.
...	...	...	16 12	10 8	21 0	...	...	...	15 12	16 6	15 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 2	11 13	14 7	100 0	100 0	105 0	11 13	11 13	10 8	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	7 0	10 0	140 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
...	...	...	24 0	22 8	18 0	22 0	19 8	16 8	12 0 (New)	9 8	13 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
...	...	...	22 0	24 0	30 0	...	20 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	17 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	6 8	6 8	6 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	64 0	64 0	64 0	26 0	26 0	40 0	12 0	9 0	14 0	130 0	130 0	200 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Manbhoom.

Z In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 12½ seers, barley 12½ to 18 seers, best rice 9½ to 11 seers, common rice 13½ to 14½ seers, lesser millets 28 to 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn 32 to 32½ seers, and gram 8½ to 10 seers.

Z In Jamui the prices are—Wheat 13·6 seers, barley 19·9 seers, best rice 15·7 seers, common rice 15·7 seers, great millet 26·25 seers, lesser millets 42 seers, maize or Indian-corn 26·2 seers, and gram 13·6 seers.

Z1 In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 10 to 14 seers, barley at Banka 18 seers, best rice 12½ to 15 seers, common rice 13½ to 16 seers, lesser millets (at Mudehpoora) 30 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Banka) 19 seers, and gram (at Banka) 10 seers.

Z2 In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 8 to 12 seers, best rice 13 to 16 seers, common rice 16 to 18 seers, and gram 8 to 9 seers.

Z3 In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 12 to 13½ seers, barley 16 to 24 seers, common rice 15 to 17½ seers, maize or Indian-corn 21 to 22 seers, and gram 10 to 12 seers.

Z4 In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 12·37 to 13 seers, barley (at Daltongunge) 22 seers, best rice 10·12 to 16 seers, common rice 14·62 to 20 seers, mohwa (at Daltongunge) 15·18 seers, maize or Indian-corn (at Daltongunge) 18·56 seers, and gram 10·70 to 14 seers.

Z5 In the interior the prices range as follow :—Wheat 6 to 9 seers, best rice 13 to 17 seers, common rice 16 to 19 seers, maize or Indian-corn 20 to 40 seers, and gram 8 to 10 seers.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	3 15 9	3 12 0	3 5 0	2 14 9	3 0 0	2 13 6	6 15 6	7 0 0	5 8 0	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 7 9	...	...	...
2	Serajgunge ...	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	5 8 0	5 8 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 14 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 7 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 13 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 5 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	4 2 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	3 5 3	3 5 3	2 8 0	2 1 9	2 1 9	1 14 3	4 0 0	3 12 6	4 0 0	2 4 9	2 4 9	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	3 14 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 12 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	3 4 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	3 4 0	2 12 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	2 12 0	4 2 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	...	...	...

CALCUTTA,
The 25th March 1879.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th March 1879.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
[illegible] return.	[illegible] ing return.	[illegible] ing return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 12 0	2 4 0	3 7 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 0 0	...	3 11 9	3 14 0	2 12 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 7 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 4 0	5 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	Serajgunge.
1 8 0	1 8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 15 0	4 0 0	2 14 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 2 0	3 2 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 9 0	4 4 0	4 4 3	4 4 9	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 0	1 6 9	2 0 0	2 4 0	3 12 6	1 14 3	0 4 2	0 4 9	...	5 0 0	5 0 0	...	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12 0	5 0 0	3 8 0	0 4 6	0 5 4	0 5 6	4 13 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 6 0	3 10 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 1 0	2 6 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	Cuttack.

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Weekly Report of Rainfall compiled at the Meteorological Reporter's Office.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 2nd to 8th March 1879.	Rain from 9th to 15th March 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL.							
	Western Districts.		Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Burdwan	Burdwan	Burdwan	Nil	Nil	1·16	15th March	
		Cutwa	ditto	ditto	2·30	ditto	
		Culna	ditto	ditto	1·24	ditto	
		Bood-Bood	ditto	ditto	2·09	ditto	
		Raneegunge	ditto	ditto	2·47	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	1·13	ditto	
	Bankoora	Bankoora	ditto	0·13	1·06	ditto	
	Beerbhoom	Sooree	ditto	Nil	1·08	ditto	
		Hetampore	ditto	ditto	1 74	ditto	
	Midnapore	Midnapore	ditto	ditto	2·63	ditto	
		Tumlook	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Ghattal	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Dy. Collr.'s Office...	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Contai... Exe. Engr.'s Office	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Hooghly	Hooghly	ditto	0·45	0·81	ditto	
		Serampore	ditto	0·82	0·86	ditto	
	Howrah	Howrah	ditto	Nil	1·35	ditto	
		Maheshraka	ditto	ditto	0·06	ditto	
	Central Districts.						
	24-Pergunnahs ...	Saugor Island	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Alipore ... Observatory ...	ditto	ditto	0·21	ditto	
		Alipore ... Dispensary ...	ditto	ditto	0·38	ditto	
		Alipore ... Jail ...	ditto	ditto	0·28	ditto	
		Busseerhat	ditto	0 32	0·41	ditto	
		Baraset	ditto	0·54	0 70	ditto	
		Diamond Harbour ...	ditto	0·03	0·03	ditto	
		Barripore	ditto	Not recd	0·12	8th March	
		Satkhira	ditto	0·25	0·34	15th March	
		Barrackpore	ditto	1·09	1·11	ditto	
		Dum-Dum	ditto	Not recd.	0·58	8th March	
Presidency.	Nuddea	Kishnaghur	ditto	0·07	1·63	15th March	
		Bongong	ditto	0·44	1·48	ditto	
		Meherpore	ditto	Nil	3·35	ditto	
		Chooadanga	ditto	ditto	3·33	ditto	
		Kooshtea	ditto	ditto	1·80	ditto	
		Ranaghat	ditto	0·25	1·50	ditto	
	Jessore	Jessore	ditto	0·17	1·49	ditto	
		Narail	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
		Khoolna	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jhenidah	ditto	ditto	1·93	ditto	
		Bagirhat	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Magoorah	ditto	ditto	1 90	ditto	
	Moorshedabad ...	Berhampore	ditto	ditto	1·84	ditto	
		Rampore Haut	ditto	ditto	1·87	ditto	
		Lallbagh	ditto	ditto	1·20	ditto	
		Jungypore	ditto	ditto	0·78	ditto	
		Azimgunge	ditto	ditto	1·29	ditto	
		Lalgolla	ditto	ditto	1 07	ditto	
		Kaudee	ditto	ditto	1·71	ditto	
Rajshahye	Dinagepore ...	Dinagepore	ditto	ditto	0·47	ditto	
		Raigunge	ditto	ditto	1·03	ditto	
		Mohadebpore	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
	Maldah	Maldah	Not recd.	ditto	1·38	ditto ...	Not received, 2nd to 8th March.
		Chanchal	ditto	ditto	0·91	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
	Rajshahye	Bauleah	Nil	ditto	1·43	ditto	
		Nattore	ditto	ditto	1·61	ditto	
	Rungpore	Rungpore	ditto	ditto	0·71	ditto	
		Bhabanigunge	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Kurigram	ditto	ditto	0·54	ditto	
		Bagdogra	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
	Bogra	Bogra	ditto	ditto	0·71	ditto	
		Sherpur	ditto	ditto	2 90	ditto	
		Nowkhilla	ditto	ditto	0·93	ditto	
		Panchbibi	ditto	ditto	1·31	ditto	
	Pubna ...	Pubna	ditto	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Serajgunge	ditto	ditto	1·97	ditto	
Cooch Behar.	Darjeeling	Darjeeling... Telegraph Office	ditto	ditto	0·46	ditto	
		Darjeeling... Hospital ...	ditto	ditto	0·47	ditto	
	Julpigoree	Julpigoree	ditto	ditto	0·39	ditto	
		Boda	ditto	ditto	2 05	ditto	
		Buxa	ditto	ditto	0·91	ditto	
		Titalya	ditto	ditto	1·26	ditto	
	Cooch Behar Tributary State ...	Cooch Behar	ditto	ditto	0·58	ditto	
		Dinhatta	ditto	ditto	0 68	ditto ...	From 2nd February.
		Mathabhanga	ditto	ditto	0 58	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.
		Mickligunge	ditto	ditto	0 74	ditto ...	Ditto ditto.

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 2nd to 8th March 1879.	Rain from 9th to 15th March 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
BENGAL—*continued.*							
Eastern Districts.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
	[illegible]	Dacca... Telegraph Office	Nil	Nil	0·70	15th March	
		Dacca... Hospital	ditto	ditto	0·75	ditto	
		Moonsheegunge	ditto	ditto	0·32	ditto	
		Manickgunge	ditto	ditto	1·35	ditto	
	[illegible]edpore	Furreedpore	ditto	ditto	1·31	ditto	
		Goalundo	ditto	ditto	1·61	ditto	
		Madaripore	ditto	ditto	0·02	ditto	
	Backergunge	Burrisal	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Perozepore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Patoakhally	ditto	0·27	0·27	ditto	
		Bhola	ditto	Nil	Nil	ditto	
	Mymensingh	Mymensingh	ditto	ditto	0·83	ditto	
		Jamalpore	ditto	ditto	1·11	ditto	
		Atia	ditto	ditto	1·02	ditto	
		Kishoregunge	ditto	ditto	0·73	ditto	
Chittagong.	Chittagong	Chittagong Telegraph Office	0·06	ditto	0·24	ditto	
		Chittagong Jail	0·09	ditto	0·45	ditto	
		Cox's Bazar	Nil	ditto	1·21	ditto	
	Noakholly	Noakholly	ditto	0·36	0·36	ditto	
		Feuny	ditto	Nil	0·05	ditto	
	Tipperah	Comillah	ditto	ditto	0·13	ditto	
		Chaudpore	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Brahmunbariah	ditto	0·92	2·07	ditto	
	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	Rungamatee Hill	0·42	Nil	0·65	ditto	
		Ruma	Nil	ditto	1·08	ditto	
	Hill Tipperah	Agurtolla	ditto	0·80	2·44	ditto	
BEHAR.							
Patna.	Patna	Patna	ditto	Nil	1·37	ditto	
		Behar	ditto	ditto	0·48	ditto	
		Barh	ditto	ditto	1·04	ditto	
		Dinapore	ditto	ditto	1·29	ditto	
	Gya	Gya	ditto	ditto	0·35	ditto	
		Nowadah	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
		Aurungabad	ditto	ditto	0·31	ditto	
		Jehanabad	ditto	ditto	0·68	ditto	
	Shahabad	Arrah	ditto	ditto	1·33	ditto	
		Sasseram	ditto	ditto	0·99	ditto	
		Buxar	ditto	ditto	0·82	ditto	
		Bhubooah	ditto	ditto	2·50	ditto	
	Mozufferpore	Mozufferpore	ditto	ditto	1·03	ditto	
		Hajeepore	ditto	ditto	1·37	ditto	
		Seetamurhee	Not recd.	Not recd.	0·49	22nd Feb.	
	Durbhunga	Durbhunga	Nil	Nil	1·33	15th March	
		Mudhoobunnee	ditto	ditto	1·48	ditto	
		Tajpore	ditto	ditto	1·48	ditto	
	Sarun	Chupra	ditto	ditto	0·78	ditto	
		Sewan	ditto	ditto	0·31	ditto	
		Gopalgunge	ditto	ditto	0·11	ditto	Not received, 16th Feb. to 1st Mar.
	Chumparun	Motiharee	ditto	ditto	0·29	ditto	
		Bettiah	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Segowlee	ditto	ditto	0·09	ditto	
Bhagulpore.	Monghyr	Monghyr	ditto	0·01	1·29	ditto	
		Begoosarai	ditto	Nil	0·87	ditto	
		Jamooee	ditto	ditto	0·05	ditto	
	[illegible]gulpore	Bhagulpore	ditto	0·08	1·35	ditto	
		Soopool	ditto	Nil	1·30	ditto	
		Muddehpoora	ditto	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Banka	ditto	ditto	0·55	ditto	
		Sonbursa	ditto	ditto	0·69	ditto	
	[illegible]rneah	Purneah	ditto	ditto	0·94	ditto	
		Kissengunge	ditto	ditto	1·41	ditto	
		Arrareah	ditto	ditto	1·51	ditto	
	Sonthal Pergunnahs	Nya Doomka	ditto	ditto	0·99	ditto	
		Rajmehal	ditto	Not recd.	1·40	8th March	
		Deoghur	ditto	Nil	0·05	15th March	
		Jamtara	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Pakour	ditto	ditto	0·20	ditto	
		Godda	ditto	ditto	0·70	ditto	

Divisions.	Districts.	Stations.	Rain from 2nd to 8th March 1879.	Rain from 9th to 15th March 1879.	Rain from 1st January 1879.		Remarks.
					Inches.	Up to date.	
ORISSA.			Inches.	Inches.		1879.	
Orissa.	Cuttack	Cuttack	0·47	Not recd.	0·54	8th March	
		Jajpore	Nil	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Kendraparah	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		Jagatsingpore	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
		False Point	ditto	ditto	ditto	ditto	
	Pooree	Pooree	1·38	Nil	1·38	15th March	
		Khurdah	0·14	ditto	0·14	ditto	
	Balasore	Balasore	Nil	ditto	0·33	ditto	
		Bhadrack	ditto	ditto	1·25	ditto	
		Jellasore	ditto	ditto	Nil	ditto	
		Soorah	ditto	ditto	1·08	ditto	
		Chandbally	ditto	ditto	0·36	ditto	
		Barupudda	ditto	ditto	0·20	ditto	
	Cuttack Tributary Mehals.	Sumbalpore	ditto	ditto	0·30	ditto	
	CHOTA NAGPORE.						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.						
	Hazareebagh	Hazareebagh Jail	ditto	ditto	0·60	ditto	
		Hazareebagh Dispensary	ditto	ditto	0·75	ditto	
		Pachamba	ditto	ditto	1·49	ditto	
		Sitagurh	ditto	ditto	0·85	ditto	
		Mowdie Hills	ditto	ditto	0·70	ditto	
	Lohardugga	Ranchee	ditto	ditto	1·74	ditto	
		Palamow	ditto	0·03	0·84	ditto	
	Singbhoom	Chyebassa	ditto	Nil	1·16	ditto	
	Manbhoom	Purulia	ditto	0·01	0·97	ditto	
		Govindpore	ditto	Nil	1·06	ditto	
	ASSAM & ADJACENT HILLS.						
	Sylhet	Sylhet	0·43	0·27	1·19	ditto	
	Sibsagar	Sibsagar	0.08	Not recd.	2·29	8th March	
		Golaghat	Nil	ditto	0·90	ditto	
		Jorhat	ditto	ditto	1·85	ditto	
	Burmah	Akyab	ditto	Nil	Nil	15th March	
	Rajpootana	Alwar	ditto	ditto	1·50	ditto	
		Jaipur	ditto	0·07	0·62	ditto	
		Sambhar	ditto	Nil	0·05	ditto	

Meteorological Office, Bengal,
The 22nd March 1879.

John Eliot,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Meteorological Telegraphic Report for the period 16th to 22nd March 1879.

Stations.	Date.	Hour.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Barometer reduced to sea-level.	Hygrometer. Dry.	Hygrometer. Wet.	Humidity Sat. = 100.	Wind. Directions.	Wind. Velocity.	Rain.	Clouds.	Weather initials.
Akyab.	Mar. 16th	10	29·914	29·935	85·5	76·2	63	E S E	3	...	.....	*b*
	17th	10	29·917	29·938	85·0	77·8	71	E	2	...	.....	*b*
	18th	10	29·942	29·963	86·1	76·7	63	S	3	...	.....	*b*
	19th	10	29·930	29·951	86·1	77·8	67	E S E	2	...	.....	*b, c*
	20th	10	29·906	29·927	88·1	77·8	61	W	2	...	.....	*b, c*
	21st	10	29·985	30·006	87·1	74·7	54	N N W	4	...	.....	*b, c*
	22nd	10	30·083	30·104	89·1	69·7	34	N	5	...	.....	*b*
Cuttack.	Mar. 16th	10	29·806	29·899	80·9	75·2	75	S	2	...	.....	*Threatening weather.*
	17th	10	29·808	29·900	84·9	76·7	67	S	9	...	.....	
	18th	10	29·843	29·935	83·9	77·8	75	S	7	0·03	.....	
	19th	10	29·865	29·957	84·9	76·7	67	Calm	2	...	.....	
	20th	10	29·859	29·951	83·4	71·7	54	Calm	3	...	.....	
	21st	10	29·895	29·987	83·9	74·2	61	Calm	1	...	.....	
	22nd	10	29·953	30·045	84·9	70·6	46	S S W	5	...	.....	
Fales Point.	Mar. 16th	10	29·860	29·875	86·8	78·8	69	W S W	11	...	.....	*b, strong wind.*
	17th	10	29·860	29·875	89·3	77·8	58	W S W	10	...	.....	*b*
	18th	10	29·943	29·958	85·3	65·4	30	E N E	7	...	.....	*Strong wind, dust, haze.*
	19th	10	29·921	29·936	84·3	75·8	66	E	6	...	.....	
	20th	10	29·908	29·923	82·8	76·8	75	W	4	0·18	.....	*Thunderstorm.*
	21st	10	29·969	29·984	81·3	74·4	71	N N E	9	0·99	.....	*Ditto.*
	22nd	10	30·041	30·056	82·8	77·3	77	W	6	...	.....	
Vizagapatam.	Mar. 16th	10	30·905	30·936	87	73	49	S W	4	...	.....	*b*
	17th	10	30·887	30·918	87	69	36	W N W	4	...	.....	*b*
	18th	10	30·908	30·939	88	71	40	W	2	...	.....	*b*
	19th	10	30·890	30·930	85	75·5	70	S	3	...	.....	*b*
	20th	10	30·890	30·921	86	77	65	W	3	...	.....	*b, c*
	21st	10	30·899	30·930	86	78·5	70	S S E	3	0·10	.....	*b, c*
	22nd	10	30·011	30·042	86·5	76·5	62	S E	1	...	.....	*b, c*
Colombo.	Mar. 16th	10	30·879	30·937	85·5	79·0	74	N	5	...	.....	*b*
	17th	10	30·860	30·901	82·5	77·5	79	S S W	6	...	.....	*o, g*
	18th	10	30·838	30·879	84	78·5	77	E S E	6	2·08	.....	*p*
	19th	10	30·887	30·927	85·5	77·5	68	S S E	7	...	.....	*Dark, gloomy weather.*
	20th	10	30·900	30·941	84	78·5	77	E S E	16	1·37	.....	*Ditto ditto.*
	21st	10	30·917	30·967	85·5	79·0	74	S W	6	...	.....	*b, o*
	22nd	10	30·973	30·013	85·5	79·0	74	N	5	...	.....	*b, o*

* Velocity of wind in miles per hour.

CALCUTTA,
March, 1879.

JOHN ELIOT,
Meteorological Reporter to the Govt. of Bengal.

Abstract of Observations as received in the Office of the Meteorological Reporter to the Government of Bengal during the month of February 1879.

N. B.—The Barometric data are reduced for temperatures and not for height above sea-level.

STATIONS.	Height above sea-level.	BAROMETER. Mean.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Range.	RADIATION THERMOMETER. Solar. Mean.	Solar. Above max. in shade.	Solar. Max. Day.	Solar. Max. O	Gross. Mean.	Gross. Below min. in shade.	Gross. Min. Day.	Gross. Min. O	TEMPERATURE OF AIR. Mean of max.	Mean daily range.	Mean of min.	Mean.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	Highest Max. Day.	Highest Max. O	Absolute range.	Lowest Min. Day.	Lowest Min. O	VAPOUR TENSION. Mean.	From minima.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	HUMIDITY. Mean.	From minimum.	Mean of 10 hours.	Mean of 16 hours.	RAIN-FALL. In inches.	Number of days.
Seebsaugor ...	332	29·662	29·726	29·586	·141	126·6	50·6	19th	137·7	50·3	4·3	5th	43·0	76·0	21·4	54·6	64·6	64·2	73·1	22nd	82·6	34·2	5th	48·4	...	·419	·487	·462	...	96	81	57	0·62	7
Goalpara ...	386	·575	·642	·497	·145	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	79·1	21·4	57·7	68·2	68·0	77·2	26th	86·8	35·4	3rd	51·4	...	·396	·439	·376	...	83	65	41	0·42	4
Darjeeling ...	6912	23·399	23·437	23·364	·075	111·7	57·8	19th	126·3	32·3	6·4	1st	27·6	53·9	15·2	38·7	44·8	46·3	50·0	19th	63·0	29·4	3rd	...	1·4	·191	·240	·261	...	81	76	73	0·46	3
Purneah ...	125	29·823	29·901	29·765	·136	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·95	4
Durbhunga ...	106·32	·732	·859	·728	·131	135·2	58·2	17th	146·0	44·6	11·4	1st	35·5	77·0	21·0	56·0	65·4	67·8	74·9	25th	84·7	35·4	1st	49·3	...	·140	·436	·407	...	34	66	50	1·32	3
Patna ...	179	·786	·854	·730	·124	142·5	63·3	27th	151·0	50·8	3·1	1st	42·7	79·2	25·3	53·9	67·0	70·0	77·9	28th	88·8	43·4	14th	45·4	...	·368	·476	·517	...	86	65	54	1·37	3
Gya ...	375	·601	·677	·557	·120	134·7	50·7	24th	145·4	51·4	7·0	5th	44·0	84·0	25·6	58·4	71·2	75·6	80·5	28th	91·2	38·4	3rd	52·8	...	·339	·400	·372	...	69	46	37	0·35	4
Hazareebagh ...	2010	27·924	27·980	27·875	·105	140·1	60·4	26th	152·4	49·3	6·6	14th	40·1	79·7	23·8	55·9	66·9	71·6	78·1	28th	85·8	35·6	3rd	50·2	...	·280	·259	·249	...	62	34	26	0·60	4
Berhampore ...	68·45	29·880	29·974	29·830	·144	140·1	56·1	22nd	148·2	56·0	2·6	3rd	48·4	84·1	25·5	58·6	70·4	74·4	82·0	28th	90·1	39·9	3rd	50·2	...	·443	·430	·365	...	86	51	35	1·84	1
Burdwan ...	99·09	·853	·937	·801	·136	147·0	62·1	28th	156·7	49·2	11·7	3rd	34·9	84·9	24·0	60·9	72·8	76·5	84·6	28th	92·1	41·8	3rd	50·3	...	·465	·504	·542	...	86	56	46	1·16	2
Jessore ...	33·3	·921	·993	·869	·124	143·2	57·9	26th	148·2	50·5	8·8	5th	40·1	85·3	26·0	59·3	72·0	77·9	82·7	28th	91·9	43·0	5th	48·9	...	·453	·486	·467	...	88	52	42	0·32	1
Decca ...	35	·925	·992	·867	·125	154·3	68·9	24th	168·8	48·0	11·7	4th	37·3	85·4	25·7	59·7	73·0	76·8	82·6	26th	92·3	40·0	5th	52·3	...	·460	·487	·414	...	89	54	38	0·70	2
Silchar ...	87·4	·889	·959	·821	·138	141·0	59·4	24th	154·0	...	...	.....	...	81·6	25·3	56·3	68·5	70·3	80·4	26th	87·7	37·3	2nd to 4th	50·4	...	·420	·503	·438	...	91	68	43	0·51	2
Chittagong ...	90	·884	·937	·839	·098	139·0	54·1	6th	148·3	54·8	4·4	5th	47·9	84·9	25·7	59·2	73·2	75·8	83·1	27th	89·7	38·7	2nd	53·0	...	·476	·542	·534	...	93	61	47	0·05	1
Dumagiri ...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	77·7	21·5	56·2	65·9	73·0	75·7	27th	83·9	35·6	4th	48·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0·21	1
Alipore ...	21·38	·941	30·018	·890	·128	141·0	57·0	22nd	147·8	52·9	9·0	2nd	43·1	84·6	22·1	61·9	71·7	75·6	82·9	28th	89·6	35·1	2nd	54·5	·524	·522	·511	·429	67	93	58	39	0·21	1
Saugor Island	6	·953	·021	·904	·117	142·5	...	26th	157·7	60·6	7·5	3rd	49·5	...	...	68·1	76·7	78·5	81·9	.....	..	...	5th	58·3	·702	·612	·703	·690	77	88	72	68	0·32	1
Cuttack ...	80	·884	29·954	·813	·141	147·1	54·9	21st	154·1	54·7	11·1	2nd	45·0	92·2	26·4	65·8	78·1	80·5	89·6	28th	98·5	40·4	2nd	58·1	...	·612	·537	·411	...	98	52	30	0·07	1
False Point ...	15·3	·969	30·028	·911	·117	150·2	65·3	21st	162·0	51·7	14·1	2nd	40·8	84·9	19·1	65·8	73·5	79·3	81·2	26th	92·3	32·6	2nd	59·7	...	·582	·664	·649	...	92	66	61	0·02	1
Vizagapatam ...	31	·944	·017	·893	·124	112·5	29·8	23rd	122·8	59·2	14·5	1st	51·9	82·7	9·0	73·7	78·3	79·0	81·8	28th	87·8	18·0	8th	69·8	·632	·404	·626	·621	65	48	63	57	...	...
Port Blair ...	61·66	·854	29·934	·833	·101	145·9	56·9	22nd	150·6	67·3	7·8	2nd	60·6	89·0	13·9	75·1	80·9	83·0	86·7	27th	91·2	22·3	nd	68·9	...	·865	·837	·859	...	99	75	67	00·2	1

Calcutta (Alipore).

Mean barometric pressure of 24 years	29·949	Mean temperature of 24 years	73·0	Mean humidity of 24 years	67	Mean rainfall of 48 years	0·87
Ditto ditto of 1879	29·941	Ditto ditto of 1879	71·7	Ditto ditto of 1879	67	Actual fall in 1879	0·21
Defect in 1879	·008	Defect in 1879	1·3	Difference in 1879	0	Defect in 1879	0·66

Calcutta,
The 22nd March 1879.

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Mean Pressures and Temperatures of the preceding Table reduced to sea-level, with Anemometric Results and Cloud Observations.

Stations.	Mean barometric pressure reduced to sea-level.	Mean temperature reduced to sea-level.	Wind.											Mean clouds.
			North.	North-east.	East.	South-east.	South.	South-west.	West.	North-west.	Calm.	Percentage and resultant.	Mean velocity daily.	
[illegible]	30·010	65·3	...	24	20	8	1	1	...	...	7	72 N 71° E	32·2	6·2
[illegible]	29·976	69·1	1	8	19	4	...	1	11	5	12	17 N 70° E	74·6	2·08
[illegible]	.....	...	...	...	...	...	3	11	11	1	30	39 S 63° W	24·9	6·14
[illegible]	.....	...	1	3	5	3	...	...	40	4	...	60 N 84° W	47·8	1·71
Dumdumah	29·969	65·8	1	2	6	4	2	14	21	6	...	47 S 72° W	62·0	3·12
Patna	·974	67·4	...	...	10	2	...	7	29	7	1	49 S 87° W	31·8	3·82
Gya	·994	72·0	9	5	3	1	1	5	16	12	4	47 N 53° W	60·3	4·05
Hazareebagh	·988	71·4	2	2	6	7	1	2	16	20	...	39 N 62° W	167·1	3·29
Berhampore	·959	70·5	3	5	7	3	1	6	20	11	...	37 N 70° W	63·7	1·30
Burdwan	·961	73·0	4	11	6	1	1	1	15	15	2	41 N 31° W	56·5	2·36
Jessore	·956	72·1	15	...	...	...	10	7	7	13	...	44 N 66° W	24·1	3·00
Dacca	·960	73·1	5	4	2	4	5	11	4	9	12	19 S 82° W	57·5	1·61
Silchar	·981	68·7	2	13	9	7	5	9	3	3	5	21 S 76° E	48·6	2·91
Chittagong	·978	73·4	9	12	...	...	...	15	14	2	4	35 N 65° W	125·3	0·98
Demagiri	.....	...	7	2	1	4	8	5	7	16	6	31 N 72° W	...	0·28
Alipore	·963	71·7	15	14	12	9	2	13	25	22	...	28 N 43° W	100·6	1·74
Saugor Island ...	·959	76·7	10	9	1	7	28	29	13	14	1	37 S 49 W	171·7	1·60
Cuttack	·967	78·3	3	13	4	4	10	6	7	6	3	1 S 40° E	52·2	1·59
False Point	·985	73·5	...	3	6	13	11	10	7	1	5	44 S 6° E	118·1	3·05
Vizagapatam ...	·976	78·4	...	1	5	27	39	18	16	6	...	59 S 7° W	26·7	1·29
Port Blair	·947	81·0	18	24	7	3	...	...	1	3	...	75 N 33° E	127	1·41

NOTE.

Barometric Pressure.—The pressures in column 2 of the above table for all stations below 500 feet are reduced from those given in column 3 of the table on the previous page, by adding the weight of a column of air of the temperatures given in column 18. For stations above 500 feet elevation the reduction is made by Captain Allan Cunningham's table, "Prof. Papers on Indian Engineering, No. CXIII." The temperatures at the sea-level are taken from column 3 of the above table.

Temperature.—The temperatures in column 3 are reduced from those in column 18 on the preceding page, by adding 1° Fahrenheit for every 450 feet.

Wind Resultant.—The resultant wind direction and its comparative predominance are calculated from the whole number of wind observations recorded during the month. The relative predominance in the direction of the resultant is given as a percentage of the whole number of observations. The direction is computed in the usual way by Lambert's formula.

Cloud.—This column gives the average proportion of clouded sky, a cloudless sky being indicated by *o*, and one completely overcast by 1*o*.

The above, being all comparable, afford the data for constructing a meteorological chart for the month, which will show the isobaric and isothermal lines and the resultant wind directions, which last may be represented by arrows of varying length, proportioned to the prevalence of the wind. To these may be added the rainfall from the previous tables.

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CALCUTTA,
The 22nd March 1879.

Results of the Meteorological Observations taken at the Alipore Observatory from 16th to 22nd March 1879.

Month.	Date.	Maximum in sun.	Mean pressure barometer at 32° Fah.	Temperature.				Hygrometry.				Wind.		Rain.	Weather.
				Mean.	Maximum.	Range.	Minimum.	Mean wet bulb.	Vapour tension.	Dew point.	Humidity.	Prevailing direction.	Miles recorded.		
1879.		⊖	Inches.	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	⊖	Inches	⊖	%			Inches	
March	16th	147·1	29·746	82·2	95·7	21·6	74·1	75·7	0·802	72·6	73	Till 8 A.M. S W, till 2½ P.M. N by W through W and N W, till midnight W S W through N W and W.	130	Nil	Clear.
„	17th	150·1	·772	81·3	95·7	23·0	72·7	69·4	·559	62·1	52	Till 9 A.M. W S W, till noon chiefly N through W and N W, till 7 P.M. N W, till midnight N W by W through N, E, S and W.	79	„	Clear, *f* and *w*.
„	18th	146·7	·859	78·6	88·8	15·8	73·0	62·2	·341	48·5	34	Till 2½ A.M. N W by W, till 5 P.M. chiefly N by W, till midnight W S W through N W and W.	141	„	Clear.
„	19th	140·0	·857	77·7	88·1	19·8	68·3	62·1	·352	49·8	37	Till 2 A.M. W S W, till 2 P.M. chiefly N N E through W, N W and N, till midnight S through N E, E and S E.	106	„	Clear.
„	20th	144·4	·854	76·6	87·5	20·2	67·3	64·1	·432	54·9	47	Till 8 A.M. S, till 5 P.M. chiefly N N E through W, N W and N, till midnight N by W.	99	„	Chiefly clear.
„	21st	146·5	·000	77·3	89·3	21·9	67·4	62·0	·354	49·4	37	Till 8½ A.M. W through N W, till 1 P.M. chiefly N E by N through N W and N, till midnight W through N and N W.	109	„	Clear, *w*.
„	22nd	149·7	·943	75·8	90·5	27·0	63·5	64·4	·452	58·1	50	Till 9½ A.M. W, till midnight chiefly W N W.	90	„	Clear.

		Inches.
The mean pressure of the seven days	...	29·847
The average pressure of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	...	29·817
		⊖
The mean temperature of the seven days	...	78·5
The average temperature of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	...	81·2
The extreme variation of temperature during the seven days ...	...	32·2
The maximum temperature during the seven days	...	95·7
		%
The mean relative humidity during the seven days	...	47
The average relative humidity of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office	...	64
		Inches.
The total fall of rain from 16th to 22nd March 1879	...	Nil
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...	...	0·26
The total fall from 1st January to 22nd March 1879	...	0·21
The average fall of the corresponding period for 24 years, S. G. Office ...	...	2·57

The mean pressure, temperature, &c., are deduced from observations made at 6h., 10h., 16h., and 22h.; the maximum and minimum temperatures are obtained from self-registering thermometers. All the thermometers are verified, and the readings have been corrected to a standard constructed and verified at the Kew Observatory. They are exposed under a thatched shed open at the sides, and are suspended four feet above the ground.

The barometer readings are corrected approximately to those of the standard Newman's No. 86, formerly at the Surveyor-General's Office.

The hygrometric elements are obtained from Tables III, IV, and V of the official tables computed in the Meteorological Office, and based on Regnault's modifications of August's formula.

The direction and movement of the wind are taken from the trace of a Beckley's anemograph.

The mouth of the rain-gauge is one foot above the ground.

f fog.; *w* dew.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, INDIA,
The 24th March 1879.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,—BENGAL.

GENERAL ESTABLISHMENT.—No. 73.—*The 24th March* 1879.

Statement showing heights over mean sea-level and low water on Rivers Ganges, Bhagiruthee, and Brahmapootra during the month of February 1879.

Date.	Miles.	River Ganges.																River Bhagiruthee.				Brahmapootra.	
		Mirzapore.		Benares.		Buxar.		Dinapore.		Monghyr.		Sahebgunge.		Rampore Bauleah.		Goalundo.		Berhampore.		Kishnaghur.		Gowhatty.	
						90.		177.	87.	287.	110.	381.	94.	471.	90.	591.	120.			70.			
	Distance.					From Benares		From Benares	From Buxar	From Benares	From Dinapore	From Benares	From Monghyr	From Benares	From Sahebgunge	From Benares	From Rampore Bauleah			From Berhampore			
		Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height below zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.	Height over zero of gauge.	Height over mean sea-level.
1st	...	2·16	208·34	2·08	194·72	2·00	167·32	6·95	140·95	2·27	99·58	·42	67·58	·75	42·75	5·08	12·02	1·68	34·08	1·66	10·45	1·10	147·66
2nd	...	2·16	208·34	2·09	194·71	2·00	167·32	6·90	140·90	2·29	99·56	·50	67·50	·70	42·70	2·92	11·86	1·64	34·04	1·54	10·33	1·10	147·66
3rd	...	2·16	208·34	2·10	194·70	2·00	167·32	6·90	140·90	2·33	99·52	·58	67·42	·62	42·62	2·75	11·69	1·62	34·02	1·42	10·21	1·20	147·56
4th	...	2·25	208·25	2·14	194·66	2·00	167·32	6·90	140·90	2·35	99·50	·75	67·25	·56	42·56	2·75	11·69	1·60	34·00	1·42	10·21	1·20	147·56
5th	...	2·25	208·25	2·17	194·63	2·08	167·24	6·90	140·90	2·42	99·43	·92	67·08	·59	42·59	2·75	11·69	1·58	33·98	1·42	10·21	1·20	147·56
6th	...	2·25	208·25	2·20	194·60	2·08	167·24	6·85	140·85	2·46	99·39	1·08	66·92	·46	42·46	2·92	11·86	1·56	33·96	1·50	10·30	1·30	147·46
7th	...	2·42	208·08	2·23	194·58	2·08	167·24	6·80	140·80	2·48	99·37	1·25	66·75	·37	42·37	3·16	12·10	1·54	33·94	1·66	10·45	1·30	147·46
8th	...	2·42	208·08	2·26	194·54	2·08	167·24	6·80	140·80	2·52	99·33	1·42	66·58	·33	42·33	3·42	12·36	1·53	33·93	1·84	10·63	1·30	147·46
9th	...	2·42	208·08	2·32	194·48	2·08	167·24	6·75	140·75	2·54	99·31	1·58	66·42	·29	42·29	3·92	12·86	1·48	33·88	2·00	10·79	1·30	147·46
10th	...	2·42	208·08	2·34	194·46	2·16	167·16	6·75	140·75	2·54	99·31	1·58	66·42	·25	42·25	3·75	12·69	1·46	33·86	2·12	10·91	1·40	147·36
11th	...	2·50	208·00	2·37	194·43	2·16	167·16	6·75	140·75	2·58	99·27	1·66	66·34	·20	42·20	3·75	12·69	1·43	33·83	1·84	11·63	1·40	147·36
12th	...	2·50	208·00	2·39	194·41	2·16	167·16	6·70	140·70	2·66	99·19	1·66	66·34	·16	42·16	3·66	12·60	1·42	33·82	1·62	10·41	1·40	147·36
13th	...	2·50	208·00	2·42	194·38	2·16	167·16	6·65	140·65	2·70	99·15	1·75	66·25	·12	42·12	3·50	12·44	1·43	33·83	1·35	10·14	1·40	147·36
14th	...	2·58	207·92	2·44	194·36	2·25	167·07	6·60	140·60	2·70	99·15	1·84	66·16	·08	42·08	3·25	12·19	1·40	33·80	1·25	10·04	1·30	147·46
15th	...	2·58	207·92	2·46	194·34	2·25	167·07	6·60	140·60	2·77	99·08	1·75	66·25	·08	42·08	3·00	11·94	1·38	33·78	1·16	9·95	1·30	147·56
16th	...	2·66	207·84	2·48	194·32	2·25	167·07	6·55	140·55	2·84	99·01	1·75	66·25	·06	42·06	2·75	11·69	1·37	33·77	1·16	9·95	1·10	147·66
17th	...	2·66	207·84	2·52	194·28	2·25	167·07	6·55	140·55	2·84	99·01	1·84	66·16	·06	42·06	2·50	11·44	1·43	33·82	1·13	9·91	·90	147·86
18th	...	2·66	207·84	2·56	194·24	2·33	166·99	6·55	140·55	2·88	98·97	1·38	66·12	·08	42·08	2·42	11·36	1·46	33·82	1·16	9·95	·80	147·96
19th	...	2·75	207·75	2·58	194·22	2·33	166·99	6·55	140·55	2·92	98·93	1·92	66·08	·04	42·04	2·50	11·44	1·35	33·75	1·20	9·99	·80	147·96
20th	...	2·75	207·75	2·64	194·16	2·33	166·99	6·55	140·55	2·95	98·90	2·00	66·00	·00	42·00	2·58	11·52	1·40	33·80	1·25	10·04	·90	147·86
21st	...	2·75	207·75	2·65	194·15	2·42	166·90	6·55	140·55	3·00	98·85	2·08	65·92	below ·02	41·98	2·75	11·69	1·37	33·77	1·30	10·09	·90	147·86
22nd	...	2·84	207·66	2·65	194·15	2·42	166·90	6·55	140·55	3·04	98·81	2·16	65·84	·06	41·94	3·00	11·94	1·38	33·78	1·33	10·12	1·00	147·76
23rd	...	2·84	207·66	2·67	194·13		166·90	6·55	140·55	3·08	98·77	2·25	65·75	·08	41·92	3·00	11·94	1·30	33·70	1·50	10·29	1·20	147·56
24th	...	2·84	207·66	2·67	194·13	2·50	166·82	6·55	140·55	3·16	98·69	2·33	65·67	·12	41·88	3·16	12·10	1·25	33·65	1·33	10·17	1·50	147·26
25th	...	2·92	207·58	2·70	194·10	2·50	166·82	6·55	140·55	3·20	98·65	2·42	65·58	·16	41·84	3·16	12·10	1·23	33·63	1·20	9·99	1·60	147·16
26th	...	2·92	207·58	2·75	194·05	2·58	166·74	6·55	140·55	3·30	98·55	2·50	65·50	·20	41·80	3·08	12·02	1·20	33·60	1·08	9·87	1·70	147·06
27th	...	2·92	207·58	2·81	193·99	2·58	166·74	6·55	140·55	3·33	98·52	2·58	65·42	·25	41·75	2·84	11·78	1·20	33·60	1·00	9·79	1·70	147·06
28th	...	3·00	207·00	2·84	193·96	2·66	166·66	6·55	140·55	3·35	98·50	2·75	65·25	·20	41·80	2·84	11·78	1·16	33·56	·92	9·71	1·60	147·16

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Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Eastern Bengal Railway for the four weeks ending 22nd February 1879.

Calcutta, the 13th March 1879.

From—C. F. CHADBURN, ESQ., for Acting Traffic Superintendent,
To—The Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway, Calcutta.

THE total weight of goods carried over this railway during the above period was 4,91,347 maunds which, as compared with last year, shews a decrease of 2,97,826 maunds in grain, including rice, jute, piece-goods, foreign railway materials, seeds, sugar, turmeric, and miscellaneous goods.

This apparently heavy decrease is attributable to the depression of trade generally, but I anticipate a more satisfactory report for the current month.

Decreases.

Grain, including rice ... ... Mds. 1,51,216

This traffic bears an unfavourable comparison with last year, owing to the absence of the demand which then existed for export to famine districts, but the quantity carried is 3,887 maunds, more than passed over the line in January 1879.

Jute, drums of ... ... Mds. 39,215

This decrease is attributable to the market being over-stocked, holders being unable to find buyers for what is now on hand.

Jute, bales of ... ... Mds. 61,124

The last remark also applies to this produce. It might be added that the low rates in the home market, and consequent absence of demand for export, is affecting this trade.

Piece-goods ... ... Mds. 6,931

This is attributable to the slackness of trade generally.

Foreign Railway material ... ... Mds. 7,268

At this time last year large quantities of material for the construction of the Northern Bengal State Railway were being despatched, as the greater portion has now gone forward, the decrease was to be expected.

Seeds ... ... Mds. 6,024

This decrease is attributable to absence of the demand for export which existed last year.

Turmeric ... ... Mds. 4,840

Although this shews a decrease as compared with last year, the total quantity carried during February exceeds by over 1,000 maunds that carried in January. This supports my views in regard to the abnormal demand for grain and edibles for famine-stricken districts last year.

Miscellaneous... ... ... Mds. 32,110

This decrease can only be accounted for by the bad state of trade generally as compared with last year, although in this also there is an increase over January's traffic of over 2,000 maunds.

Increases.

The increases are in gunny, bundles 4,521; hides, bales 2,742; and bundles of tobacco, 6,156, but are so trifling as compared with the decreases as to call for no special remarks.

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Statement shewing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line for the four weeks ending the 22nd February 1879, as compared with the corresponding period of 1878.

STAPLES.	1878. Down.	1879. Down.	1878. Up.	1879. Up.	1878. Total.	1879. Total.	Increase.	Decrease.
Ale, beer, wine, &c.	.....	.....	1,088	1,702	1,088	1,702	614	.....
Cotton, bundles of	571	77	57	19	628	96	.....	532
Do., bales of	143	1,154	445	252	588	1,406	818	.....
Grain, including rice	1,95,011	39,587	2,559	7,367	1,98,170	46,954	.....	1,51,216
Gunny, bundles of...	201	6,602	3,491	1,611	3,692	8,213	4,521	.....
Do., bales of	3,040	4,386	1,072	.....	4,112	4,386	274	.....
Hides, bundles of	12,613	11,072	466	144	13,079	12,116	.....	963
Do., bales of	.....	2,742	.....	.....	.....	2,742	2,742	.....
Jute, drums of	2,14,345	1,76,405	1,364	389	2,15,009	1,76,794	.....	39,215
Do., bales of	88,919	27,795	.....	.....	88,919	27,795	.....	61,124
Piece-goods	3,09[illegible]	81	27,952	24,034	31,046	24,115	.....	6,931
Railway materials, foreign ...	.....	.....	13,377	6,109	13,377	6,109	.....	7,268
Salt	.....	.....	32,895	32 765	32,895	32,765	.....	130
Seeds	16,549	13,104	4,383	1,804	20,932	14,908	.....	6,024
Sugar	20,841	16,589	3,311	5,626	24,152	22,215	.....	1,937
Tea	1,027	843	6	5	1,033	848	.....	185
Tobacco, bundles of	4,606	10,620	298	140	4,804	10,960	6,156	.....
Do., bales of	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Turmeric	7,899	2,934	29	154	7,928	3,088	.....	4,840
Twist	124	179	4 501	3,970	4,625	4,149	.....	476
Miscellaneous	56,255	16,239	65,841	73,747	1,22,096	89,986	.....	3,210
Total ...	6,26,088	3,31,509	1,63,135	1,59,838	7,89,173	4,91,347	15,125	3,12,951
					4,91,347	.....	.....	15,125
Decrease ...					2,97,826	.....	.....	2,97,826

Report of Fluctuation of Traffic on the Tirhoot State Railway for the month of February 1879.

INCREASES.

Coal ... ... Mds. 1,055

This is mostly small coal for burning bricks.

Food-grains ... ... „ 9,285

The result of the fresh harvest.

Hides and horns ... ... „ 704

This depends upon local collection and rise or fall in markets.

Iron ... ... „ 283

This depends upon local requirements.

Piece-goods ... ... „ 5,257

The steady increase in this staple is very satisfactory.

Seeds, Indigo ... ... „ 677

This seed was imported early this year.

Sugar ... ... „ 265

Although nominal, the business done in sugar throughout the year is satisfactory.

Tobacco ... ... „ 1,764

The harvest is just over and the increase promises well.

Miscellaneous goods ... ... „ 14,938

This steady increase represents the general development of the railway.

DECREASES.

Indigo ... ... „ 2,461

The outturn of indigo last season was not as great as the year previous, and was despatched for the most part in December and January.

Railway materials ... ... Mds. 9,655

This fluctuates, and the decrease in the present instance is due to transfer last year of railway material to other state lines under construction.

Seeds, oil ... ... Mds. 9,046

Due to reduced demand.

Salt ... ... „ 1,916

This staple is still finding its way into the district otherwise than by the rail.

Saltpetre ... ... „ 4,855

The falling off in the business done in this staple is due to general depression of the markets.

SOMASTIPORE JUNCTION, *the 19th March* 1879. W. M. JOHNSTON, *Assistant Traffic Supdt.*

TIRHOOT STATE RAILWAY.

TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.

Statement showing Increases and Decreases in maundage of Staples carried over the line during the month of February 1879 *as compared with the corresponding period of* 1878.

STAPLES.	1878.		1879.		1878.	1879.	Increase.	Decrease.
	Up.	Down.	Up.	Down.	Total.	Total.		
Coal	2,513	700	2,948	1,320	3,213	4,268	1,055	.....
Food-grains	1,774	38,371	4,113	45,308	40,145	49,420	9,275	.....
Hides and horns	91	3,131	.....	3,929	3,222	3,926	704	.....
Indigo	.....	2,531	.....	70	2,531	70	.....	2,461
Iron	1,568	37	1,439	414	1,570	1,853	283	.....
Piece-goods	3,749	146	9,103	49	3,895	9,152	5,257	.....
Railway material	55	22,570	1,415	10,555	22,625	12,970	.....	9,655
Seeds, indigo	14,290	195	12,024	5,147	14,484	15,171	677	.....
Seeds, oil	540	13,514	367	4,050	14,053	5,017	.....	9,046
Salt	2,599	291	7,900	74	2,890	7,974	.....	1,916
Saltpetre	508	13,057	.....	9,570	14,225	9,370	.....	4,855
Sugar	183	215	275	388	398	663	265	.....
Tobacco	145	1,358	329	2,741	1,503	3,267	1,764	.....
Miscellaneous goods	5,823	7,311	12,772	13,360	11,134	26,072	14,938	.....
	33,911	1,03,997	53,821	95,373	1,42,908	1,49,193	34,218	27,933
						1,42,908	27,933	
Increase ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,285	6,285	.....

Weekly Return of Traffic Receipts on Indian Railways.

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—MAIN LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th March 1879 on 1,279¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Traffic Receipts	Train Miles Run		
	No of passengers	Coaching receipts		Weight carried	Receipts			Coaching.	Merchandise	Total
		Rs A P	£ s d	Mds S.	Rs. A. P	£ s d	Rs A P			
Total traffic for the week	154,865	2,46 657 9 0	22,610 5 6	13,49,612 0	4,70,484 10 6	43,127 15 3	3,17,142 3 6	48,674½	98 [illegible]	147,900½
Or per mile of railway ..		193 11 10	17 13 4		367 10 2	33 14 0	560 6 0	..	..	..
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	1,486,189	19,72,807 0 0	190,015 11 2	1,54,67,833 20	54,76,870 15 4	502,046 10 1	75 49,707 15 4	456,302½	1,019,924	1,474,226½
Total for 11 weeks ...	1,641,054	23,19,554 9 0	212,625 16 8	1,68,17,365 20	59,47,355 9 10	545,174 5 4	82,66,910 3 10	502 976½	1,119,156	1,622.126½
Comparison										
Total for corresponding week of previous year ..	157,765½	2,17,867 13 10	19,971 4 8	16,65,681 20	5,71,744 5 9	52,409 18 0	7,89,612 2 7	47,090	110,308	157,388
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year	... .	170 8 11	15 12 1	.....	446 12 2	40 19 1	617 0 1		.....	.....
Total to corresponding date of previous year	1,539,837	21,96,759 8 8	201,369 13 5	1,83,52,466 0	60,19,220 11 11	553,595 4 8	82,35,980 4 [illegible]	502,547	1,761,437	1,684,144

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY—JUBBULPORE LINE.

Approximate Return of Traffic for week ended 15th March 1879 on 223¾ miles open.

		Rs A P	£ s d	Mds. S	Rs A. P	£ s. d	Rs. A P			
Total traffic for the week	6,385	21,830 6 8	2,001 3 4	2,05,890 30	52,902 3 0	4,857 12 4	74,822 9 8	5,127½	11,856½	16,984
Or per mile of railway . .		97 9 1	8 16 11		236 13 [illegible]	21 14 3	334 6 5			
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	77,574	2,38,447 10 8	21,857 14 0	27,18,341 0	7,09,427 15 0	65,030 17 11	9,67,875 0 8	51 064½	191 1844	242 199
Total for 11 weeks	83,959	2,60 278 [illegible]	23,858 16 4	29,19,240 30	7,62,420 2 0	69,888 10 3	10,42,698 2 6	56,191½	202,091½	259,183
Comparison.										
Total for corresponding week of previous year . ..	7,027½	20,215 1 0	1,853 0 11	3,81,195 30	40,875 7 0	3,746 18 4	61,990 8 0	4,903	8,003	12,906
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year ..	.....	90 5 7	8 5 8	.....	182 10 11	16 14 11	273 0 6	... ..	... .	.... .
Total to corresponding date of previous year	84,904½	2,47,037 6 9	22,645 1 11	15,50,563 20	4,46,089 12 0	40,891 11 8	6,03,127 2 9	54,418	102,287	156,705

EASTERN BENGAL RAILWAY.

Approximate Return of Traffic for Week ended 15th March 1879 on 158¾ miles open.

	Coaching Traffic.			Merchandise and Mineral Traffic.			Total Receipts
	Number of passengers	Coaching receipts.		Weight carried	Receipts		
		Rs A P.	£ s. d	Mds S	Rs. A. P	£ s. d	£ s d
Total traffic for the week	42,440½	37,967 9 3	3,420 7 3	1,98,900 0	23,570 12 6	2,160 13 1	5,641 0 4
Or per mile of railway	267	239 2 8	21 18 6	811 39	148 7 7	13 12 2	35 10 8
For previous 10 weeks of half-year	394,151½	3,62,432 6 7	33,223 19 4	15,02,627 18	2,79,584 4 9	25,628 11 4	58,851 10 6
Total for 11 weeks ...	436,592	4,00,399 15 10	36,703 6 7	16,31,527 18	3,03,155 1 3	27,789 4 3	64,492 10 10
Comparison							
Total for corresponding week of previous year	45,672½	35,439 5 7	3,248 12 1	2,60,792 17	50,126 5 8	4,594 16 4	7,843 10 5
Per mile of railway, corresponding week of previous year . . .	288	223 3 10	20 9 3	1,642 31	315 12 1	28 18 11	49 5 2
Total to corresponding date of previous year	447,499	3,40,159 14 7	32,006 6 6	27,29,198 33	5,34,959 12 3	49,037 19 7	81,044 6 1

BENGAL PROVINCIAL RAILWAYS.

Weekly Statement of Traffic Receipts. No. 6.

Latest return received.	Name of Railway.	Length open	Receipts for week ending		Total Receipts from 1st January		Total increase in 1879	Total decrease in 1879
			9th February 1878.	8th February 1879	To 9th February 1878	To 8th February 1879		
1879.		Miles.	Rs A. P	Rs A. P	Rs A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs A P	Rs A. P
8th February .	Northern Bengal	219	7,797 0 0	24,022 0 0	23,040 0 0	1,00 666 0 0	78,626 0 0	...
15th ,,	Tirhoot	82	12,361 0 0	12,062 0 0	44,191 0 0	54,4 0 0 0	9,939 0 0	...
1st March ...	Calcutta and South-Eastern .	29	2,713 0 0	2,721 0 0	14,376 0 0	14,720 0 0	343 0 0	...
15th February ...	Nalhati	27½	2,303 0 0	1,753 0 0	11,343 0 0	9,614 0 0	+	1,728 0 0
	Total .	356½	25,173 0 0	40,578 0 0	93,239 0 0	1,85,420 0 0	89,909 0 0	1,728 0 0

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